

# DEPARTMENT F

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## 2009 OPEN HORSE

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**ENTRY FEES:** Office Fee: \$10/horse\*  
 Post Entry Fee (see rules) \$ 5/horse  
 Stall/Tack Fee: \$10/stall/night  
 Youth Classes: \$ 5/class  
 Open Classes: \$ 5/class  
 Classic Classes: \$10/class  
 (\*Includes \$5.00 Exhibitor Fee)

**QUESTIONS:** Email - [entryoffice@metrapark.com](mailto:entryoffice@metrapark.com)

**ENTRY:** Online entry is encouraged for eligibility in MontanaFair online entry contests at:  
[www.montanafair.com](http://www.montanafair.com)

**Or mail entry to:** MontanaFair, PO Box 2514, Billings, MT 59103. For questions, phone the entry office at (406)256-2400 or email: [entryoffice@metrapark.com](mailto:entryoffice@metrapark.com)

**ENTRY DEADLINE:** Entries close on **Wednesday, August 5, 2009 at 5:00 pm** by online entry, postmark, or by bringing entry to MontanaFair Office – Expo Center. After August 5th, all entries should be made by coming to the Entry Office at Gate #1 (Livestock Entrance – Map on cover) and will pay \$5.00/per horse post entry fee. **There will be no entry after Friday, August 7th @ 5:00 pm. Exhibitors WILL NOT BE ALLOWED to enter classes after the entry deadline.** All fees must be paid at time of entry. There will be no open checks for running tabs.

Exhibitors entering a halter class will receive 5 points to go toward high point calculation.

Entries must be made on the Open Horse Show Entry form. Additional forms are available at [www.montanafair.com](http://www.montanafair.com).

## Information

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### RULES, REGULATIONS & HEALTH REQUIREMENTS:

Exhibitors **must** read and observe the General Information and Health Requirements at [www.montanafair.com](http://www.montanafair.com) or in the front of this Exhibitor's Handbook. In addition, the following rules apply:

1. Appropriate attire & tack is requested. Western hat, long sleeve shirt with collar and western boots are mandatory for Western Classes (chaps optional).
2. The judge may dictate class instructions. His decision will be final. The Show Committee may also decide matters not related to judging decisions. Matters of equipment will be decided by the Judge.
3. ELIGIBILITY – Age for the show will be determined by contestant or horse's age on January 1st of this year. Proof should be available in the event of a dispute.
4. There will be short breaks between the Halter and English and between English and Western Divisions.
5. Stallions are limited to adult exhibitors and open classes.
6. Novice horse, not to have won 3 blue ribbons.
7. Exhibitors will be called to the gate 3 times if not in line when the class enters the ring. After the 3rd call, the gate will be closed and the class will begin. Once the gate is closed, **no exhibitor may enter the ring, they will forfeit entry fee for that class.**

**STALLS/ARRIVAL:** Expo Center – All livestock must enter at Gate #1 – LIVESTOCK ENTRANCE – See map on inside back cover.

**GATE ADMISSION:** MontanaFair will provide one free day gate admission pass to exhibitors who enter five or more entries in any one department. Exhibitors may purchase a MontanaFair season gate pass for \$18.00 or one day gate passes for \$4.00 (1/2 of regular admission price). See general information – Gate Admission/Exhibitors.

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**JUDGING:** Sunday, August 9, 2009, 9:00 am – SuperBarn Arena.

**PREMIUMS:**

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
1 or more entries	\$17	\$12	\$9	\$7

Ribbons to 1st - 4th place in all classes.

Classes will be placed and announced through 8th place.

**AWARDS:**

**High Point Open:** \$500.00 and award to the high point performance horse. This is same horse and same rider. High point classes consist of 16, 25, 32, 41, 47, 52, 57 and 65.

**14 – 18 High Point Youth:** \$150.00 and award to the high point 14-18 Youth Division rider. This is same horse and same rider. High point classes consist of 18, 27, 34, 43, 49, 54, 59 and 67.

**11 - 13 High Point Youth:** \$150.00 and award to the high point 11-13 Youth Division rider. This is same horse and same rider. High point classes consist of 19, 28, 35, 44, 50, 55, 60 and 68.

**10 & Under High Point Youth:** \$150.00 and award to the high point 10 & Under Youth Division rider. This is same horse and same rider. High point classes consist of 20, 29, 36, 45, 51, 56, 61 and 69.

**Novice High Point:** \$100.00 and award to the novice high point horse. This is same horse and same rider. Horse must not have won 3 blue ribbons, (prior to MontanaFair 2008). High point classes consist of 17, 26, 33, 42, 48, 53, 58 and 66.

**DIVISION 1 – HALTER**

F-1-101	Yearling Fillies	F-1-114	Grand Champion Stallion - (\$50.00 & award)
F-1-102	2 & 3 Year Old Fillies	F-1-115	Reserve Grand Champion Stallion
F-1-103	4 year old Mares and older	F-1-116	Open Showmanship
F-1-104	Grand Champion Mare - (\$50.00 & award)	F-1-117	Novice Showmanship
F-1-105	Reserve Grand Champion Mare	F-1-118	14-18 Showmanship
F-1-106	Yearling Geldings	F-1-119	11-13 Youth Showmanship
F-1-107	2 & 3 year old Geldings	F-1-120	10 & Under Youth Showmanship
F-1-108	4 year old Geldings and older	F-1-121	Grand Champion Showman - (\$50.00& award)
F-1-109	Grand Champion Gelding - (\$50.00 & award)	F-1-122	Reserve Grand Champion Showman
F-1-110	Reserve Grand Champion Gelding	F-1-123	Lead Line
F-1-111	Yearling Colts	F-1-124	Yearling Lunge Line
F-1-112	2 & 3 year old Stallions		
F-1-113	4 year old Stallions & older		

**DIVISION 2 – WESTERN**

F-2-125	Trail - Open	F-2-141	Western Horsemanship - Open
F-2-126	Novice Trail	F-2-142	Novice Western Horsemanship
F-2-127	Youth 14-18 Trail	F-2-143	Youth 14-18 Western Horsemanship
F-2-128	Youth 11-13 Trail	F-2-144	Youth 11-13 Western Horsemanship
F-2-129	Youth 10 & Under Trail	F-2-145	Youth 10 & Under Western Horsemanship
F-2-130	Junior Trail (Horses age 5 years & under)	F-2-146	Western Horsemanship Classic \$50.00 to 1st place, Premiums to 2nd, 3rd and 4th place (\$10.00 entry fee)
F-2-131	Senior Trail (Horses age 6 years & over)	F-2-147	Reining - Open
F-2-132	Western Pleasure – Open	F-2-148	Novice Reining
F-2-133	Novice Western Pleasure	F-2-149	Youth 14-18 Reining
F-2-134	Youth 14-18 Western Pleasure	F-2-150	Youth 11-13 Reining
F-2-135	Youth 11-13 Western Pleasure	F-2-151	Youth 10 & Under Reining
F-2-136	Youth 10 & Under Western Pleasure	F-2-152	Open Barrels
F-2-137	Walk Trot – Horse cannot be entered in any class with a lope	F-2-153	Novice Barrels
F-2-138	Junior Western Pleasure (Horses age 5 years & under)	F-2-154	Youth 14-18 Barrels
F-2-139	Senior Western Pleasure (Horses age 6 years & over)	F-2-155	Youth 11-13 Barrels
F-2-140	Western Pleasure Classic \$50.00 to 1st place, Premiums to 2nd, 3rd and 4th place (\$10.00 entry fee)	F-2-156	Youth 10 & Under Barrels

**DIVISION 3 – ENGLISH**

F-3-157	English Pleasure - Open
F-3-158	Novice English Pleasure
F-3-159	Youth 14-18 English Pleasure
F-3-160	Youth 11-13 English Pleasure
F-3-161	Youth 10 & Under English Pleasure
F-3-162	Junior English Pleasure (Horses age 5 years & under)
F-3-163	Senior English Pleasure (Horses age 6 years & over)
F-3-164	English Pleasure Classic \$50.00 to 1st, Premiums to 2nd, 3rd & 4th place (\$10.00 entry fee)
F-3-165	English Equitation - Open
F-3-166	Novice English Equitation
F-3-167	Youth 14-18 English Equitation
F-3-168	Youth 11-13 English Equitation
F-3-169	Youth 10 & Under English Equitation