

December 2018

Dear Draft Horse Exhibitor:

Your entries are accepted for the 2019 Pennsylvania Farm Show.

All cancellations of entries must be made in accordance with Rule 5 in the 2019 Farm Show Premium List at <http://www.farmshow.pa.gov/exhibit/rules-regulations/Documents/Department%201%20-%20Horses.pdf>. **YOU ARE LIMITED TO NO MORE THAN TWO (2) ENTRIES PER CLASS.**

Animals may arrive at the Pennsylvania Farm Show Complex & Expo Center beginning at 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, January 2, 2019. All horses must be in place by 8:00 a.m. on Friday, January 4. Horses will be stabled in the Equine Barn as well as in the exercise tent area. Check to see where you are stabled before you unload. Stabling will be posted online after December 26. Check-in time for all Draft Horse Halter Show registration and health papers will be from 3:00-6:00 p.m. on Thursday, January 3, 2019. All remaining classes will be checked in from 8:00-9:30 a.m. on Friday, January 4, 2019. All additional (post) group class and hitch class entries must be made no later than when the exhibitor's entries are checked in to the show. **There will be a mandatory driver's meeting at 10:00 a.m. in the Show Office on Friday, January 4, 2019.** If an exhibitor/driver who has hitch entries does not attend the driver's meeting, all hitch entries will be scratched for that particular exhibitor.

All exhibitors are requested to cooperate in parking vehicles and showing their animals. Please carefully read the 2019 Farm Show livestock exhibitor information letter at <https://www.farmshow.pa.gov/exhibit/acceptance-info/Documents/LIVESTOCK%20EXHIBITOR%20INFO.pdf>. *NOTE: CARTS AND WAGONS MAY NOT BE STORED IN THE COMPLEX AND WILL BE PERMITTED IN THE BUILDING ON SHOW DAY ONLY. ALL HORSE TRAILERS WILL BE PARKED AT THE OFF-SITE GRASS FIELD NEAR THE ELMERTON LOT.* Also, in the interest of safety, you may not run horses in the passageways while entering or leaving the ring. **Note:** Draft Horses will be released upon the completion of the classes entered.

I look forward to having you exhibit in the 2019 Pennsylvania Farm Show. ***IF FOR ANY REASON YOU CANNOT EXHIBIT*** one or more horses, please inform the Livestock Office at 717-787-2905 immediately so that these stalls can be made available to another exhibitor. It is important that we have all stalls filled with horses at Farm Show time. Failure to show accepted entries will result in a \$100.00 per horse penalty (Rule 5 in the 2019 Farm Show Premium List at <http://www.farmshow.pa.gov/exhibit/rules-regulations/Documents/Department%201%20-%20Horses.pdf>).

Your interest in the Pennsylvania Farm Show is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

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Show Manager

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