

5-10 Six-Horse Hitch-5.16 exhibitors may combine to make up a six-horse hitch. (Judge and Ring Steward's instructions).

Prize Money: 1st \$100; 2nd \$75; 3rd \$50; 4th \$25

5-11 Junior Log Skidding Competition — open to any draft team of horses (Rules and instructions will be posted)

Prize Money: 1st \$60; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$30; 4th \$20

5-12 Log Skidding Competition — open to any draft team of horses (Rules and instructions will be posted)

Prize Money: 1st \$100; 2nd \$75; 3rd \$50; 4th \$25

5-13 Single Horse Pull (Rules and instructions will be posted)

Prize Money: 1st \$300; 2nd \$200; 3rd \$100

Sunday, August 25th, 2024, 8:30 am in Rodeo Ring

5-14 Teamster Competition—hitched to a suitable vehicle (Instructions will be posted)

Prize Money: 1st \$100; 2nd \$75; 3rd \$50; 4th \$25 No cross entries (may be waived at Show Committees discretion)

5-15 Ladies' Team Driving

Prize Money: 1st \$100; 2nd \$75; 3rd \$50; 4th \$25

5-16 Team of Registered Mares. Proof of registration required. (Judge and Ring Steward's instructions)

Prize Money: 1st \$100; 2nd \$75; 3rd \$50; 4th \$25

5-17 Chore Team Fun Class Sponsored by Daybreak Farms

Prize Money: 1st \$225; 2nd \$150; 3rd \$75; 4th \$50

DD: BC Championship Pull

Sunday, August 24th, 2024: 11 am (Rodeo Ring)

Pull Committee: Anika Gattiker, Bryan Semeschuk, Harry Houlden, and the judge

Prize Money: 1st \$2,000; 2nd \$1,400; 3rd \$700; 4th \$500; 5th \$400; 6th \$300; 7th \$250; 8th \$200; 9th \$150; 10th \$100

- Prize Money subject to change, depending on sponsors
- Limited to 18 entries by order of entries received.
- Minimum \$100 for one legal pull.
- Team and single pulls are only open to recognized Draft Horse Teams. No light horse crosses allowed.
- Rules will be posted.
- 1st place prize sponsored by **Shooting Star Amusements**

PULL REGULATIONS

- 1) Pull must be held in a secure area where general public is protected.
- 2) Only entered competitors, hookers, headers and officials allowed in pulling area.
- 3) Boundary lines 16 ft. apart. Length of pull 14 ft.
- 4) Off set double trees and neck yokes are allowed.
- 5) Each teamster is allowed two helpers. If helpers coach or interfere in any way, team will be disqualified. Header must leave the pulling boundary lines; teamster and hooker must remain behind hindquarters of horse.
- 6) Either teamster or hooker may ride front of the boat. There shall be no riding in the boat.
- 7) Once the team has been hooked to the boat, they must stay between the boundary lines.
- 8) Team allowed two tries to move the boat 14 feet. An unsuccessful attempt by the teamster to start the team constitutes one try. A boat moved six inches forward constitutes a pull.
- 9) Line rule waived for the first 3 pulls.
- 10) The pin and chain laid out flat measures 14 feet. Pin must be out completely to qualify as a pull.
- 11) Deliberate stalling will result in disqualification. Judge to warn teamsters once.
- 12) Deliberate jerking of load is prohibited. Team will be disqualified and will revert to previous weight pulled. Judge will warn teamsters once.
- 13) Whipping, slapping of lines at any time will result in disqualification and will revert to previous weight pulled.
- 14) There must be two linesmen and a pin man to assist the judge. The linesmen have the authority to tell the judge of any infractions and the judge must act upon their information.
- 15) A teamster may ask the judge to center the boat before hooking. If there are no means available to center boat, the judge may waive the line rule and ask the teamster to center the boat during the pull.
- 16) If a break in harness or equipment occurs there will be a time limit of five minutes to fix the break and complete the pull. If a teamster forfeits the pull or a five-minute time limit expires on the pull at which the breakage occurred he must pull the next weight the full distance or the weight recorded goes back to the previous completed pull.

- 17) Teamsters are not to argue with or harass the judge. To do so will result in instant disqualification and forfeiture of all prizes. Any complaint should be made to the pull committee.
- 18) All teams will be weighed on the same scale prior to the pull.
- 19) After a meeting of pull officials an unmanageable team may be disqualified.
- 20) Weight for each lift will be decided by pull committee.
- 21) Each team must pull each additional weight. No double lifting to be allowed except on the final pull the teamster can decide the weight.
- 22) Talking or shouting is permitted but not the use of profanity.
- 23) Three tries to hook the boat, otherwise disqualified and weight reverts to previous pull.
- 24) Pulling order heaviest to lightest unless it is not feasible.
- 25) Pulling direction should be changed if the horses can't complete the pull within the length of the lines.
- 26) One legal pull is required for hook-up money.
- 27) **JUDGE'S DECISION IS FINAL**

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CHARLIE HOULDEN MEMORIAL TROPHY

In memory of Charlie Houlden.

The "Charlie Houlden Memorial Trophy" sponsored by the Houlden Family is presented to the best overall teamster at the conclusion of the pull on Sunday.

2023 WINNER: KEITH WRUTH

Judging for the Memorial Trophy is done by the judge and ring steward during the whole weekend. They will be looking for, but not limited to, the following: animal care, willingness to help others, presentation in the ring and overall attitude. The trophy is not restricted to any one age group.