

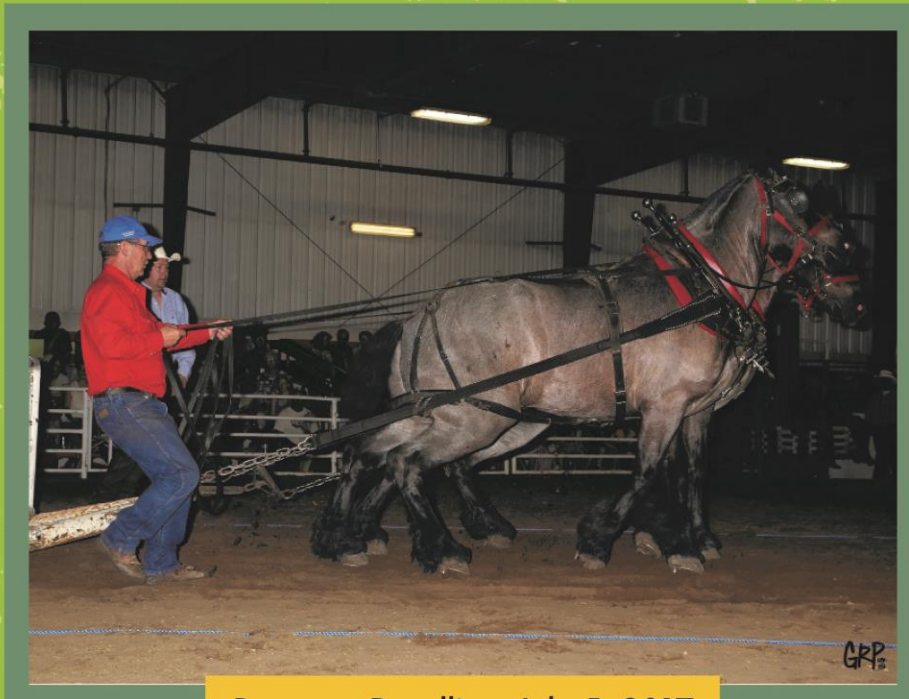
COLONIAL DAYS

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WED JULY 12 - SAT JULY 15

DRAFT HORSE PULL

celebrating our roots



Pre-entry Deadline: July 5, 2017
Only 18 Teams Accepted

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Exhibition Association

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Alberta Agriculture and Forestry

DRAFT HORSE PULL

JULY 15, 2017

SCHEDULE

DRAFT HORSE PULL WILL TAKE PLACE
IN THE SASKATCHEWAN BUILDING

Weighing	3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Pull	5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

PRE-ENTRY CLOSING DATE

July 5, 2017

**Post Entries will be accepted at the event on
*July 15, 2017 by 12:00 Noon***

***THE FIRST 18 TEAMS WILL BE ACCEPTED,
SO PRE-ENTER TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT***

PRIZE MONEY

TOTAL PAY OUT \$3,000.00

1st Place - \$300.00 each division

2nd Place - \$200.00 each division

Best Performing Team - \$250.00 (Westdene Farms Award*)

(*refer to rule #6)

Balance of prize money will be divided equally between balance of
teamsters if minimum is met.

**A minimum of 14 teams is required for the payout system, to a
maximum of 18 teams. If entries fall below the minimum
required, teamsters will be paid a maximum of \$125.00/team.**

In each division 1st place will receive a trophy and 2nd and 3rd place will receive ribbons.

DRAFT HORSE PULL COMMITTEE

Vern Bexson – Co-Chair	Mike Hill – Co-Chair
Ken Graham – Vice-Chair	Terence Bexson
Darren Damsgaard	Jennifer Flint
Randy Flint	Les Graham
Cathy Laycock	Chris Laycock
Erin Mitchell	Ian Mitchell
Glenn Pollard	Mark Weinberger

CLASS NUMBERS & DESCRIPTION

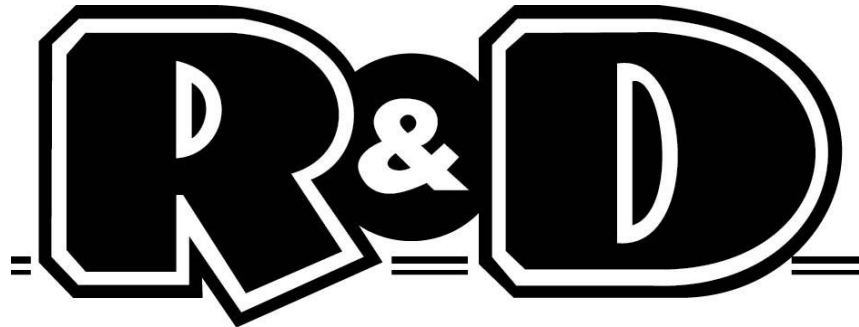
Class 1 Light Weight – 2300 lbs. to 3250 lbs. per team
Champion & Reserve Light Weight

Class 2 Middle Weight – 3251 lbs. to 3700 lbs. per team
Champion & Reserve Middle Weight

Class 3 Heavy Weight – 3701lbs. and over per team
Champion & Reserve Heavy Weight

NOTE: The weight break is subject to change to equalize entries in each division at the discretion of the LAEA Draft Horse Pull Committee.

MAJOR CORPORATE SPONSOR



PLUMBING & HEATING

DIVISION & TROPHY SPONSORS

LIGHT DIVISION

SPONSOR: **McALLISTER DRILLING**

CO-SPONSOR: **LONDON LIFE/JOHN KOEP**

MIDDLE DIVISION

SPONSOR: **RUBBER ROCK RESOURCES**

CO-SPONSOR: **WILEY MEDIA**

HEAVY DIVISION

SPONSOR: **VEE TEE FEEDERS LTD.**

CO-SPONSOR: **HI GAIN ENTERPRISES**

BEST PERFORMING TEAM

SPONSOR: **WESTDENE FARMS**

RULES & REGULATIONS

1. All teams will be weighed. Horses must be weighed as a team. Each horse must be closely balanced in weight.
2. Trophies, ribbons and prize money will be presented at the social in the Prairie Room immediately following the completion of the Pull. All participants are invited to be present for the awards presentation by our sponsors.
3. Substitutions will not be permitted once teams have been weighed.
4. Starting weight for all teams is as follows
 - a) Light Weight division – 2300 lbs. starting weight
 - b) Middle Weight division – 3251 lbs. starting weight
 - c) Heavy Weight division – 3701 lbs. starting weightStarting weight is the weight of the boat plus the weight of the team. Each additional weight is 400 lbs. The weight divisions are subject to change to equalize entries in each division at the discretion of the LAEA Horse Pull Committee.
5.
 - a) Competition to be decided by straight pull-out in each division
 - b) In the event of a tie for 1st place, 1st and 2nd place prize monies will be added together and divided equally.
 - c) In the event of a tie for 2nd place, 2nd place money will be divided equally.
6. The Westdene Farms Award winner is determined by a percentage pull, with calculations based on the team's weight, total weight pulled, and the distance pulled
7.
 - a) The Committee will determine the draw order.
 - b) No demonstration or practice pulls are allowed.
 - c) All teams in one weight division must start at the same time when their weight class starts.
8. **TEAMS MUST DEFINITELY BE UNDER CONTROL AT ALL TIMES.** Any teamster or helper caught or reported of abuse of horses before, during or after the show shall be immediately disqualified, and all prizes won shall be forfeited.
9. The Committee reserves the right to conduct a full saliva and/or urinalysis tests on all teams or randomly at their discretion. Teams reacting positively to tests will forfeit all prize money, and the teamster may be banned from future Horse Pulls at the Colonial Days for a period of time as set down by the Committee.
10. It is the tradition of the show ring that an exhibitor be correctly attired, attendants be neatly dressed, and horses properly presented.
11. Management may in its discretion bar any entry or person tested over the legal limit of alcohol consumption, offenders will be disqualified. The decision of the Committee will be final with no appeal and all prize money and prizes will be forfeited.
12. Teamsters are allowed to use neck yokes or offset eveners.
13. Only the teamster and one evener person are allowed with each team. No header is allowed except during a harness break. Helpers are not allowed to talk to the horses. Failure to comply with this rule will result in disqualification.
14. The teamster or an evener person may ride the boat during the pull. We recommend that each team have an evener person.

15. Once a team has entered the ring no change in harness will be allowed unless due to breakage. This does not include adjustments.
16. A teamster will be allowed three minutes from the time his name is called to hook up or be eliminated. If a team refuses, a teamster will be allowed one minute to rest and to try the load again. If the team refuses again the team is disqualified and the distance pulled to that point is recorded. The ringmaster is to time.
17. The pull is to be made hitched to the sled over a distance of fourteen (14) feet; sidelines are sixteen (16) feet apart. There will be two (2) tries to pull the load fourteen (14) feet with a maximum of one-minute rest between tries. The team must not be intentionally unhooked during these tries.
18. The pin and chain laid out flat must measure fourteen feet. The pin must be pulled completely out to qualify as completed pull.
19. The team must make three (3) complete pulls to qualify for any monies.
20. a) While hooked to the boat, the team must stay within the sidelines. If the team steps on or over the lines, it will be eliminated and allowed the last completed pull. (Teamsters may ask the judge or ringmaster to centre the boat before hooking. If there is no means available to centre the boat, the judge may waive the sideline rule on the line nearest the boat.)
b) Teamster may ask to change direction of the pull only if this is their last pull.
21. Once the team starts the load, the teamster must stay behind the eveners except during the one-minute rest period allowed after refusal, or a harness break. At these times, the teamster may move to the head of this team. Evener persons are not allowed ahead of the eveners at any time except in a potential emergency. Disqualification will result.
22. Teamsters will not be allowed to slap, slash, or swing lines at the horse at any time.
23. a) Jerking the load or use of spring-loaded eveners is prohibited. The judge will make the final ruling.
b) If a boat is bumped over 6", it is considered a try.
24. If a break in harness or equipment occurs there will be a time limit of five minutes to fix the break and be hitched back to the load. If a teamster forfeits the pull at which a breakage occurs, he must pull the next weight the full distance or weight goes back to the previous completed pull.
25. There will be a ringmaster, two linesmen and a pin man to assist the Judge. These individuals have the authority to advise the Judge of any infractions, and the Judge must act upon their information.
26. a) The Judge's decision is final. Teamsters are not to argue with or harass the Judge or other officials; to do so results in instant disqualification and forfeit all prizes.
b) Teamsters and representatives are not allowed to go to the announcer stand for clarification of places, or any reason. Please see a Committee representative located in staging area.
27. Any complaints must be submitted in writing to the Administration office.

28. All teamsters shall be responsible for their own liability insurance; a copy must be available upon request.
29. Only three teams per teamster at a pull. No more than two teams in one weight division.
30. Any item not covered by the above mentioned rules will be ruled on by the Draft Horse Pull Committee.
31. In absence of competition in any section, or if the livestock exhibited are of inferior quality, the Judges will award only such premiums as they think the animals deserve. They will use their own discretion as to whether they will award first, second or any prize.
32. All stock exhibitors and display exhibitors will be required to have gate admission passes to enter the grounds. Exhibitor passes are at a reduced rate of:
 - a) \$40.00 for each four-day pass
 - b) \$10.00 per day for single day passesExhibitor passes will **not** be sold at the admission gates. Exhibitors may buy them at the Exhibition office prior to fair days or on the first fair day only. Please note that you will be able to order Exhibitor passes on the entry form.
33. Camping Fees are \$15.00 per day hook-up per non-electrical, \$20.00 per day for 15-Amp and \$30.00 per day for 30-Amp electrical, first come first serve basis. Please register with the Exhibition representative in the camping area.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein contained, it is understood that each entrant by the act of entry or exhibiting waives all claims against the Lloydminster Agricultural Exhibition Association Ltd., and/or any of the members, officers or agents thereof for any and all injury loss or damage which he/she their employees, helpers and/or property may sustain in any way arising out of the operations or activities of the said Company, officers, members and agents and indemnifies the said Company by reasons of any claim by any of his/her helpers or employees or their executors, administrators or assigns, and that any helpers or assistants introduced to or engaged by entrant through the said company or through its members, officers or agents shall be at the sole risk and responsibility of such entrant.

Exhibitors of animals are liable to occasional accidents, injury or damage to persons coming into contact with them, and therefore shall guard their exhibits and protect the public from coming in contact therewith, and every each exhibitor shall indemnify the Lloydminster Agricultural Exhibition Association Ltd. from and against all claims and demands, costs, charges and expenses which it may incur, suffer or be put to, by reasons of any accident or of any such exhibit not being properly guarded or the public not being protected therefrom. The Directors and Committee members, while taking every precaution, cannot hold themselves responsible for any damage to or loss of exhibits.

Upon any act of discourtesy or disobedience to the Show Secretary, Horse Show Committee members, office staff, grounds staff, stabling superintendent, judges, steward or any other Horse show official on the part of owner, groom, driver or rider the entry will be disqualified and the owner shall forfeit his entry fees and any prize money that he may be otherwise due. The management reserves to itself the power to remove any exhibitor, groom or horse from the Show without being liable for compensation.



**ENTRY FORM
LLOYDMINSTER COLONIAL DAYS
DRAFT HORSE PULL
JULY 15, 2017
No Entry Fee**

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____ **TOWN/CITY:** _____

POSTAL CODE: _____ **PHONE:** _____

EMAIL: _____

NAME OF HORSES ENTERED: _____

EXHIBITOR PASS ORDER FORM

_____ **FOUR-DAY PASSES AT \$40.00 (38.10+1.90 GST)** = _____

_____ **DAY PASSES AT \$10.00 (9.52 +.48 GST)** = _____

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____ **TOWN/CITY:** _____

POSTAL CODE: _____ **PHONE:** _____

* We recommend that each participant has an evener lined up by the starting of the show

FOR YOUR PASSES PLEASE MAKE CHEQUE PAYABLE TO and MAIL YOUR ENTRY FORM TO:

**LLOYDMINSTER EXHIBITION ASSOCIATION LTD.
P.O. BOX 690
LLOYDMINSTER, SASK.
S9V 0Y7
PHONE: 306-825-5571; FAX 306-825-7017 lloydexh@lloydexh.com**

What weight division do you anticipate your team to be in? The final divisions will be decided at the pull.

LIGHT DIVISION _____

MIDDLE DIVISION _____

HEAVY DIVISION _____

Invoice # _____ **Payment by:** _____ **Date:** _____