GRAYS HARBOR COUNTY FAIR AUGUST 9-13, 2017

Equine Project Preliminary Information (based on 2016 information-subject to change)

- Equine members are required to pass 2 clinics prior to exhibiting at the Grays Harbor County Fair. Hairy Horse Shows February 11, March 11, April 29, Pre-Fair June 17-18
- Monday, March 6 - Mandatory meeting for club representatives.
  > Sign up for helping with prior to fair clinics and tasks (Hairy Horse show, Pre Fair, etc.).
  > Each club takes on a specific task such as vet check, awards ceremony, trail, fun & games, closing the barns, judging, etc.
- Each exhibitor is required to provide a minimum of 4 volunteer hours for clinics (Hairy Horse shows or PreFair) This can be parents, grandparents, etc. There is a form for these volunteer hours – this will be tracked and you will need to show proof
  Monday, June 5 - Mandatory meeting for club representatives. Distribution of paperwork, entry forms, stall assignments, and a recap of how fair will run and expectations.
  > Each club checks in on the status of their specific task such as vet check, awards ceremony, trail, fun & games, closing the barns, judging, etc.
- Mid-June camping reservations will be open. Mostly dry camping. Restrooms & showers are available to campers. One week $50 (2016 price)
- Mid-July Fair entry forms are due
- Tuesday, August 8 - Equine haul in. Vet check 1-4:30 (tentative)
- Tuesday, August 8 - Horse Judging 4:45 – required for all exhibitors
- Tuesday, August 8 – Mandatory meeting for all exhibitors, leaders and parents. Meeting will begin at 8:00 or completion of Horse Judging contest.
- Wednesday, August 9 – 8:00 am mandatory leader/parent meeting (one representative from each club)
  9:00am Showmanship Performance, Showmanship Dressage, Showmanship Western Games
  4:00pm (approx.) Work up arena and set up gaming. Western Games classes begin.
- Thursday, August 10 - 8:00 am mandatory leader/parent meeting (one representative from each club)
  9:00am Performance Western classes start
  1:00pm (approx.) Work up arena and set up Trail course. Trail classes begin.
- Friday, August 11 - 8:00 am mandatory leader/parent meeting (one representative from each club)
  9:00am Performance English classes start.
  1:00pm (approx.) Work up arena and set up gaming. Remaining Western Games classes begin.

- Saturday, August 12 - 8:00 am mandatory leader/parent meeting (one representative from each club)
  9:00am Dressage classes begin
  Following Dressage classes - Working Pairs, Working Rancher, Groom Squad
  4:00pm Awards ceremony
  6:30pm Pie eating contest
  7:30pm Fun and games
  5:30pm – 10:00pm Mandatory State Fair Participant meetings. If you received a blue or red in Showmanship you should attend the meeting. Last year they ran out of alternates.
- Sunday, August 13 – Open Horse Show
  Haul out 7:00pm