

# 2023 VERSATILITY RANCH HORSE COMPETITION REQUIREMENTS

**DATE: August 29 - August 30, 2023**



## SHOW MANAGEMENT:

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Event Secretary	Kelsey Coon

## JUDGES:

VRH Classes VRH Classes	Bozo Rogers, Chris Benedict, Debbie Cooper, Mark Guynn, Dolly Chayer, and Holly Hover
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## IMPORTANT DATES:

Entry Deadline	August 11, 2023   11:59 p.m.
Stall Reservation Deadline	August 14, 2023   11:59 p.m.
Early Arrival	August 28, 2023   8:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Arrival Deadline	August 30, 2023   8:00 a.m.
Release Date(s)	August 31, 2023   Following Event

## GENERAL FEE SCHEDULE:

Office Fee (Per Horse)	\$20.00
AQHA Admin Fee (Per Horse)	\$30.00
Late Fee (Per Horse)	\$50.00
RMQHA Fee (Per Entry)	\$2.00

**CLASS FEE SCHEDULE - Open / Cowboy / Amateur / Ltd Amateur:**

VRH Ranch Riding Class Fee	\$65.00
VRH Trail Class Fee	\$65.00
VRH Ranch Reining Class Fee	\$65.00
VRH Ranch Cow Work Class Fee	\$65.00
Ranch Cow Work Cattle Fee	\$65.00
VRH Ranch Cutting Class Fee	\$65.00
Ranch Cutting Cattle Fee	\$100.00
VRH Ranch Confirmation Class Fee	\$65.00
All Day Show Fee (Cattle Fees Included) * This option enrolls exhibitor in ALL classes. \$480.00 fee applies to each division entering.	\$480.00

NOTE: If entering in both the AQHA Ranch Cow Work and AQHA Ranch Cutting Classes, exhibitors will only be required to pay the Cutting Cattle Fee.

#### **CLASS FEE SCHEDULE - Rookie Amateur / Youth / Ltd Youth / Rookie Youth**

VRH Ranch Riding Class Fee	\$45.00
VRH Trail Class Fee	\$45.00
VRH Ranch Reining Class Fee	\$45.00
VRH Ranch Cow Work Class Fee	\$45.00
Ranch Cow Work Cattle Fee	\$50.00
VRH Ranch Cutting Class Fee	\$45.00
Ranch Cutting Cattle Fee	\$75.00
VRH Ranch Confirmation Class Fee	\$45.00
All Day Show Fee (Cattle Fees Included) * This option enrolls exhibitors in ALL classes. The \$335.00 fee applies to each division entering.	\$335.00

NOTE: If entering in both the AQHA Ranch Cow Work and AQHA Ranch Cutting Classes, exhibitors will only be required to pay the Cutting Cattle Fee.

#### **STALLING FEES:**

Fair Time Horse Stall Feel (Per Stall)	\$30.00
Fair Time Tack Stall Fee (Per Stall)	\$30.00

**VERSATILITY RANCH HORSE CLINIC (Limited to 36 Entries):**

Clinician 1	Jason Grimshaw
Clinician 2	TBD
Clinic Fee (Per Person)	\$125.00

**\$5,500.00 Added Triple Judged AQHA Ranch Versatility & Clinic**

**\*AQHA Membership required\***



**I. GENERAL INFORMATION:**

- A. Each exhibitor is expected to read and adhere to the following Colorado State Fair Competition Requirements as adopted by the Colorado State Fair Board of Authority (Board): 2023 Colorado State Fair General Competition Requirements, 2023 General Horse Show Competition Requirements, 2023 Versatility Ranch Horse Competition Requirements
- B. Each exhibitor is expected to read and adhere to the 2023 American Quarter Horse Association Official Handbook of Rules and Regulations

**II. STALL RESERVATIONS:**

- A. All stalls must be reserved by August 14, 2023 through the online form.
- B. If received after August 14th, Colorado State Fair will charge a \$50.00 late fee per owner.
- C. Payments are not due until the time of check-in at the Colorado State Fair.

**III. VERSATILITY RANCH HORSE CLINIC**

- A. August 28, 2023 at 9 a.m. – Clinic is open to anyone attending the CSF and spectators. Cost is \$100.00 per person. Clinic includes 2 clinicians; you must sign up online when you enter. Note that only 36 spots are available, therefore,

enter early before all the spots are taken. Auditors are welcome free of charge. Final details to be shared as they're confirmed.

#### **IV. AWARDS & PREMIUMS:**

- A. The AQHA Ranch Versatility being held at the Colorado State Fair is a Triple Point Special Event. All-Around awards will be given in each division to the Champion and Reserve Champions. Exhibitors must enter all 6 classes to be eligible for the All-Around awards in each division. Ribbons will be handed out in each class.
  - B. The AQHA event has a total of \$5,500.00 added to the triple judged event. Added money will be paid out only to those entering all 6 classes and it will be paid out in the overall placings.
  - C. There will be \$4,000.00 added in the Open division, \$1,000.00 added in the Amateur division, \$250.00 added in the Cowboy division, and \$250.00 added in the Limited Amateur division.
  - D. In addition, \$20.00 out of every Open, Cowboy, Amateur, and Limited Amateur entry fee will be jackpotted.
  - E. Youth, Ltd Youth, Rookie Youth, and Amateur Rookie classes have no jackpot or added money, they are prize only classes.
  - F. Colorado State Fair will use the NRCHA sliding scale to pay out all premium monies.
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***Patterns: All Shows will use these AQHA patterns: VRH Ranch Riding is pattern #7 and VRH Ranch Reining is pattern #2***

## **VERSATILITY RANCH HORSE DAILY SCHEDULE**

**Tuesday, August 29 (Settle at 7:40 a.m.)**

**East Arena at 8:00 a.m.:**

**Judges: Chris Benedict, Bozo Rogers, and Debbie Cooper**

- 22. VRH Open Ranch Cutting
- 23. VRH Cowboy Ranch Cutting
- 38. VRH Amateur Ranch Cutting
- 58. VRH Ltd Amateur Ranch Cutting
- 704. VRH Rookie Amateur Ranch Cutting
- 92. VRH Youth Ranch Cutting
- 902. VRH Ltd Youth Ranch Cutting
- 905. VRH Rookie Youth Ranch cutting

***(Tear Down Cutting Pen to prep for Ranch Riding and Conformation)***

### **Ranch Riding & Conformation**

- 11. VRH Open Ranch Riding
- 12. VRH Cowboy Ranch Riding

***(Short Break)***

- 24. VRH Open Ranch Conformation
- 25. VRH Cowboy Ranch Conformation

**Covered Arena at 8:00 a.m.**

**Judges: Mark Guynn, Holly Hover, and Dolly Chayer**

- 94. VRH Youth Ranch Conformation
- 904. VRH Ltd Youth Ranch Conformation
- 906. VRH Rookie Youth Ranch Confirmation
- 39. VRH Amateur Ranch Conformation
- 59. VRH Ltd Amateur Ranch Confirmation

705. VRH Rookie Amateur Ranch Confirmation

***(Short Break to set up for Reining)***

87. VRH Youth Ranch Reining

807. VRH Ltd Youth Ranch Reining

808. VRH Rookie Youth Ranch Reining

35. VRH Amateur Ranch Reining

55. VRH Ltd Amateur Ranch Reining

702.VRH Rookie Amateur Ranch Reining

17. VRH Open Ranch Reining

18. VRH Cowboy Ranch Reining

81. VRH Youth Ranch Riding

801. VRH Ltd Youth Ranch Riding

802. VRH Rookie Youth Ranch Riding

31. VRH Amateur Ranch Riding

51.VRH Ltd Amateur Ranch Riding

700.VRH Rookie Amateur Ranch Riding

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**Wednesday, August 30, 2023:**

**East Arena at 8:00 a.m.:**

**Judges: Chris Benedict, Bozo Rogers, and Debbie Cooper**

20. VRH Open Ranch Cow Work

21. VRH Cowboy Ranch Cow Work

37. VRH Amateur Ranch Cow Work (fence)

57. VRH Ltd Amateur Ranch Cow Work (box, drive, box, drive)

90. VRH Youth Cow Work (fence)

91. VRH Ltd Youth Cow Work (box, drive, box, drive)

903.VRH Rookie Youth Ranch Boxing

703.VRH Rookie Amateur Ranch Boxing

**Covered Arena at 8:30 a.m.:**

**Judges: Mark Guynn, Holly Hover, and Dolly Chayer**

84. VRH Youth Ranch Trail

804. VRH Ltd Youth Ranch Trail

805. VRH Rookie Youth Ranch Trail

33. VRH Amateur Ranch Trail

53. VRH Ltd Amateur Ranch Trail

701.VRH Rookie Amateur Ranch Trial

14. AQHA Open Ranch Trail

15. AQHA Cowboy Ranch Trail