WELCOME TO THE 2014 WORLD PERCHERON CONGRESS

ARRIVAL
Reminder: Arrival starts Sunday, October 5th at Noon to 8 p.m., if you plan to arrive earlier please let us know in advance. Arrival then resumes at 7 a.m. on Monday. All halter and hitch exhibitors must be stalled by 3 p.m. Monday. Farm Teams must be stalled and checked-in by 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 7.

The Eastern States Fairgrounds will have two controlled gates open for traffic. Gate 1 on the west end of the fairgrounds and Gate 9 on the east end of the fairgrounds (please refer to the attached fairgrounds map.) Exhibitors should use Gate 1. Exhibitor hang tags for your vehicles will be available in the horse show office upon check-in.

Admission collection starts on Tuesday, October 7th and will continue through Saturday, October 11th. Prepaid admission wristbands will be included in your exhibitor packet available at check-in.

STALLING
Stall assignments are included on the mobile application. Barn locations can be found on the grounds map.

Feed/bedding will be available for purchase on the grounds through the Big E Feed Store office during office hours. Prepaid feed/bedding orders will be delivered to the assigned stalls per your order form. If you would still like to place a prepaid feed/bedding order, please see the order form.

ICE
Ice will be available for purchase at the Colly Corner Restaurant inside the west end of the Coliseum.

TRAILER/VEHICLE PARKING
Parking will not be allowed around the horse show facilities except during loading/unloading upon arrival/departure. All trailers will be parked on the west side of Gate 1. Exhibitors may park their vehicles anywhere on the fairgrounds as long as you do not park anywhere around the Barns where hitching will be taking place.

CAMPING
Camping will be available outside the Mallary Complex in the Agriculture Camping on the east end of the fairgrounds. Also, in the Exhibitor Camping area on the northeast end of the fairgrounds, as well as, in the Horse Show Camping area on the west end of the fairgrounds. If you still need to make camping arrangements, please contact Richard Butler at (413) 523-2336.

CHECK-IN
Check-in will occur in the Horse Show office (located on the east end of the C-barn). Exhibitor packets including admission wristbands, commemorative pins, back numbers, show program and similar will be available in the horse show office. To receive an exhibitor packet, any accounts receivable MUST be paid in full and health papers (including Coggins for out-of-state horses) must be made available to the office staff. We would appreciate you handling any known additions/scratches to your entries at check-in. There is no charge for adding classes.

MOBILE APPLICATION:
Be sure to download the mobile application to your smart phone! Please choose to allow push notifications. The application is full of information and will be used to communicate with you all via push notifications. The app offers convenient features including: Customizable schedules with reminders, Event Schedules, Exhibitor Listings, Vendor Listings, Sponsor Listings, Maps, Event Information, Around Town (local Hotels, Restaurants and Attractions), Photo Sharing and Much more!
STABLEmates
If you are a member of our STABLEmates program we will have your packet with admission wristbands and commemorative pins available in the Horse Show office.

CLASS SPONSORS
If you are a class sponsor your packet with admission wristbands and commemorative pins will be available in the Horse Show Office. If you plan to present the trophy for the class(es) you sponsored please let us know in the Horse Show office.

HORSE SHOW OFFICE HOURS
The Horse Show office will be open each day beginning at 7 AM. Horse Show Office hours will be posted and announced.

GOLF CARTS/UTVs/ATVs/BICYCLES
Golf Carts, UTVs and ATVs will be permitted if operated in a safe manner by licensed drivers. Bicycles—Minors under 16 years must wear protective headgear when operating bicycles on the grounds. None may be ridden in the barns or near arena entry/exit areas at any time. Do you need to rent a Golf Cart? Reserve your golf cart via e-mail to THE CART GUY, LLC, thecartguy@verizon.net.

HOSPITALITY BOOTH
A hospitality booth open to all exhibitors will be located in the east end of the C-Barn next to the horse show office.

WIRELESS INTERNET
Wireless internet is available on-site the password will be posted in the horse show office.

SILENT AUCTION
The silent auction items/bidding will be located outside of the horse show office. If you are still interested in donating items for the auction please contact: Joani Clymer, jclymer@2014worldpercheroncongress.com

EXHIBITOR MEETINGS
Two exhibitor meetings will be held on Tuesday, October 7 in the Hospitality Area located on the east side of the C-Barn to review schedules, splits, answer questions, etc. It is strongly recommended you attend the exhibitor meeting, including barrel racers, if you are showing in any performance classes; anyone showing a six &/or four abreast MUST send at least one member of their crew to the meeting. ONLY the six-horse hitch classes will have assigned heats; all other classes will run on a first come-first served basis, so plan accordingly. Feed Team racers MUST attend the Farm Team Exhibitors Meeting.

- 12:00 p.m. - Hitch Exhibitors \ Barrel Racing Exhibitors
- 12:30 p.m. - Farm Team Exhibitors

SEMINARS
Don’t miss the seminars, especially, Dr. Pol’s seminar! He is the star of the National Geographic WILD’s hit Television show, “The Incredible Dr. Pol” and we are honored to have him joining us!

1. Wednesday, October 8, 2014 11:30 AM Coliseum
   National Geographic Wild’s, The Incredible Dr. Pol
   33 Years… Life As A Country Vet
   Dr. Pol’s most interesting equine cases, most interesting equine clients and most surprising equine outcomes from cases. Following his seminar, Dr. Pol will be holding a book signing in the Stroh Building for his newly released book, “Never Turn Your Back on an Angus Cow”.
2. **Wednesday, October 8, 2014, 3:00 PM** Stroh Building Seminar Area  
   **Dr. Tania Cubitt and Poulin’s Dan Wright**  
   Equine Nutrition Seminar  
   Hosted by Poulin Grain  
   Topics: Coat Health, Top Line, PSSM, Basic Nutrition

3. **Thursday, October 9th, 2014, 3:00 PM** Stroh Building Seminar Area  
   **Ronald J. Emond, DVM, MS**  
   Benefits of Breeding with Frozen Equine Semen

4. **Friday, October 10th, 2014, 3:00 PM** Stroh Building Seminar Area  
   **Dr. Alan Sibinic, DVM, Spalding Labs**  
   The Horses of Mackinac Island

5. **Saturday, October 11th, 2014, 3:00 PM** Stroh Building Seminar Area  
   **Emily Carpenter**  
   The Carriages of Acadia National Park

**EXHIBITOR EVENTS**

We have a full slate of activities planned in appreciation of our exhibitors, including:

- Monday, October 6th, 6 PM – **Exhibitors Barbeque** in the Clock Tower/Welcome Center on the west end of the fairgrounds sponsored by Shipshewana Harness
- Tuesday, October 7th, 6:30 AM-10:30 AM - **Exhibitors Appreciation Breakfast** - FireHouse Restaurant sponsored by too many generous individuals to list here. A list will be posted at the Breakfast. Please be sure to thank them.
- Tuesday, October 7th 1:00 PM **Social Media Gathering** (Facebook Group - Draft Horse Friends) meeting in the Hospitality Area of the C-Barn
- Thursday, October 9th, following evening show - **Exhibitors Barn Party** sponsored by Southern States Cooperative
- Friday, October 10th, following evening show - **Exhibitors Dance** in the Mallary Complex East sponsored by Windermere Farms

**WPC OFFICE PHONE NUMBER**

SHOW OFFICE DURING SHOW, **EMERGENCY CALLS ONLY**, Monday, October 6 – Saturday, October 11, 2014 - 413-205-5084.

If you have any QUESTIONS ABOUT THE CONGRESS, CALL:
Jerry Hancock: 336-595-4598  
Stacie Lynch: 203-494-3724  
Brian Lynch: 203-314-4502  
Erin Lundy: 315-783-9788

**ON-CALL VETERINARIAN**

*Salmon Brook Veterinary Hospital*  
136 Salmon Brook Street - Granby, CT 06035  
860-653-7238 http://salmonbrookvets.com/

We look forward to seeing you all in West Springfield!!
World Percheron Congress Mobile Application

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## FEED ORDER FORM

**The Big E Feed Store Order Form**  
1305 Memorial Avenue West Springfield, MA 01089  
Ph. 413-205-5307 Fax 413-205-5104  
EStore@TheBigE.com  
www.thebigc.com/agriculture  
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City________________________State________Zip________

Cell or Contact Phone________

Estimated Arrival Date and Time________

Farm Name________________________Stabled With: ________________

Show: **World Percheron Congress**

Visa or MasterCard____ Check #______________

Card #________________________Exp______/_______

Name on Card________________________

Tax Exempt: YES/ NO Certificate must be presented at time of order or exemption will not be given.
### World Percheron Congress Schedule

#### Sunday, October 5, 2014
- 12:00 PM  Horses may arrive after noon

#### Monday, October 6, 2014
- 7:00 AM  Horses may resume arriving
- 3:00 PM  All Halter & Hitch Horses must be stalled
- 5:00 PM  All Halter & Hitch Horses must be checked in at the office
- 6:00 PM  Exhibitors’ Barbeque in the Welcome Center

#### Tuesday, October 7, 2014
(U.S. Coast Guard day)
- 6:30-10:30 AM  Exhibitor’s Appreciation Breakfast
  - Firehouse Restaurant
- 9:00 AM  Drag the Coliseum arena
- 10:00 AM  World Percheron Congress Foal Futurity
  - Futurity Stallion Foals
  - Futurity Filly Foals
- 1:00 PM  Farm Horses must be stalled
- 1:00 PM  Social Media Gathering
  - (Facebook Group - Hospitality area of C Barn)
- 3:00 PM  Press Party & Celebrity Meet & Greet (invitation only)
- 4:30 PM  Drag the Coliseum arena
- 5:00 PM  Celebrity Charity Drive-Off
- 5:30 PM  Opening Ceremonies & Performance Show
  - Open Jr. Team
  - Whimsical Dreams Demonstration
  - Men’s Registered Mare Team
  - Barrel Racing, qualifying round #1
  - Open Eight-Horse Hitch
  - The Percheron Thunder Exhibition
  - Feed Team Races, qualifying round #1

#### Wednesday, October 8, 2014
(U.S. Air Force day)
- 8:30 AM  Drag the Coliseum arena
- 9:00 AM  Walking Plow at Lot 9
- 9:00 AM  Registered Stallion Halter Classes (split ring)
  - Jr. Stallion Foal
  - Sr. Stallion Foal
  - Yearling Stallion
  - 2-Year-Old Stallion
  - Jr. Champion & Reserve Jr. Champion Stallion
  - 3-Year-Old Stallion
  - 4-9 Year-Old Stallion
  - Aged Stallion, 10 & over
  - Sr. Champion & Reserve Sr. Champion Stallion
  - Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion Stallion
- 9:00 AM  Gelding Halter Classes (split ring)
  - Registered 2-Year-Old & under
  - Registered 3 to 4-Year-Old
  - Registered 5 & over
  - Grade 4 & under
  - Grade 5 & over
  - Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion Gelding
- 11:30 AM  Presentation: 33 Years ... Life as a Country Vet in the Coliseum
- 12:30 PM  Dr. Pol book-signing in the Stroh Building
- 12:30 PM  Drag the Coliseum arena
- 1:00 PM  Field Work Demonstrations at Lot 9
- 1:00 PM  Performance Show
  - Men’s Registered Mare Cart
  - Open Amateur Cart
  - Registered Gelding Team
  - Ladies Registered Mare Team
  - Four-Wheel Carriage
  - Gelding Four-Horse Hitch
  - Whimsical Dreams Demonstration
  - Seminar: Equine Nutrition in the Stroh Building
  - Drag the Coliseum arena
- 1:00 PM  Opening Ceremonies & Performance Show
  - Open Four-Abreast
  - Open Pleasure Driving-Cart or Carriage
  - Introduction of 2014 World Champion Gelding
  - The Percheron Thunder Exhibition
  - Gelding Unicorn
  - Registered Mare Six-Horse Hitch, round #1
  - Feed Team Races, qualifying round #2

#### Thursday, October 9, 2014
(U.S. Navy day)
- 6:30 AM  Drag the Coliseum arena
- 7:00 AM  Registered Mare Halter Classes
  - Jr. Filly Foal
  - Sr. Filly Foal
  - Yearling Mare
  - 2-Year-Old Mare
  - Jr. Champion & Reserve Jr. Champion Mare
  - 3-Year-Old Mare
  - 4-Year-Old Mare, Brood or Yeld
  - 5-9 Year-Old Yeld Mare
  - 5-9 Year-Old Broodmare
  - 10 & over Yeld or Broodmare
  - Sr. Champion & Reserve Sr. Champion Mare
  - Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion Mare
  - Group Halter Classes
    - Mare & Foal
    - Jr. Produce of Dam
    - Open Produce of Dam
    - Jr. Get of Sire
    - Open Get of Sire
    - Best Matched Pair of Mares Owned by One Exhibitor
    - Three Mares Bred & Owned by One Exhibitor
    - Stallion & 3 Mares Owned by One Exhibitor
    - Supreme Champion from Grand Champion Stallion, Gelding & Mare
- 9:00 AM  Presentation of Best Shod Halter Horse award
- 1:00 PM  Sulky Plow at Lot 9
- 1:00 PM  Field Work Demonstrations at Lot 9
**WORLD PERCHERON CONGRESS SCHEDULE**

**Thursday, October 9 continued**
- 2:00 PM Log Skid-Mallary Complex
- 2:00 PM Whimsical Dreams®demonstration
- 3:00 PM Seminar: Frozen Semen in the Stroh Building
- 5:30 PM Drag the Coliseum arena
- 6:00 PM Opening Ceremonies & Performance Show
  - Open Tandem Cart
  - Barrel Racing, qualifying round #2
  - Introduction of 2014 World Champion Mare
  - Ladies Gilding Team
  - Registered Mare Unicorn
  - Open Amateur Team
  - **The Percheron Thunder exhibition**
  - Feed Team Races, qualifying round #3
  - Gilding Six-Horse Hitch, round #1
  - Exhibitors Barn Party in the C Barn

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2014** (U.S. Marine Corp day)
- 8:30 AM Drag the Coliseum arena
- 9:00 AM Youth Classes
  - Youth Decorating- Age 10-14
  - Youth Showmanship- Age 10-14
  - Youth Judging- Age 10-14
- 9:00 AM Farm Team Obstacle Course-Mallary Complex
- 11:30 AM Drag the Coliseum arena
- 12:00 PM Performance Show
  - Ladies Registered Mare Cart
  - Youth English/Western Riding: fly-trot - Age 10-18
  - Men's Gilding Cart
  - Youth Cart- Age 15-18
  - Men's Gilding Team
  - Youth Team- Age 10-14
  - Registered Mare Four-Horse Hitch
- 1:00 PM Field Work Demonstrations at Lot 9
  - Youth English/Western Riding: fly-trot - Age 10-18
- 2:00 PM Farm Team Vehicle/Implement-Mallary Complex
  - Whimsical Dreams®demonstration
- 3:00 PM **Presentation: The Horses of Mackinac Island**
  - in the Stroh Building
- 4:30 PM Drag the Coliseum arena
- 5:00 PM Opening Ceremonies & Performance Show
  - World Congress Foal Futurity
  - Supreme Championship
  - Barrel Racing, qualifying round #3
  - Introduction of 2014 World Champion Stallion
  - Feed Team Races, qualifying round #4
  - Registered Mare Six-Horse Hitch, round #2
  - Open Western Pleasure Riding
  - **The Percheron Thunder exhibition**
  - Gilding Six-Horse Hitch, round #2
  - Exhibitors Dance in the Mallary Complex

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2014** (U.S. Army day)
- 8:30 AM Drag the Coliseum arena
- 9:00 AM Youth Classes
  - Youth Decorating- Age 15-18
  - Youth Showmanship- Age 15-18
- 10:00 AM Youth Judging- Age 15-18
- 10:30 AM Barnyard Horse Pull – Mallary Complex
- 11:00 AM Performance Show
  - Youth Cart- Age 10-14
  - Youth English/Western Riding: walk-trot-canter - Age 10-18
  - Ladies Gilding Cart
  - Youth Team - Age 15-18
  - Not-So-Jr. Team- Age 65 & over
  - Champion Youth Jr. Exhibitor
  - Champion Youth Sr. Exhibitor
- 12:30 PM Field Work Demonstrations at Lot 9
- 1:00 PM Drag the Coliseum arena
- 3:00 PM Presentation: The Horses of Mackinac Island
  - National Park in the Stroh Building
- 4:30 PM Opening Ceremonies & Performance Show
  - Introduction of Supreme Champion of the Show
  - Costume Class
  - Registered Mare Six-Horse Hitch, round #3
  - Presentation of Supreme Champion Mare Six
  - English Riding
  - **The Percheron Thunder exhibition**
  - Presentation of Most Versatile Percheron Award
  - Drive 4 the Cure Charity Cart Class
  - Presentation of Most Uniform Set of Hitch Horses from One Stable
  - Championship Feed Team Races
  - Presentation of World Champion Farm Team
  - Gilding Six-Horse Hitch, round #3
  - Presentation of Supreme Champion Gilding Six
  - Barrel Racing Championship
  - Presentation of Best Shod Six-Horse Hitch
  - Presentation of Stall Decoration Awards
  - Presentation of Premier Exhibitor Award
- 7:00 PM Professional Light & Heavyweight Horse Pull–Mallary Complex

**SUNDAY OCTOBER 12, 2014**
All horses MUST BE moved out by 6 PM

**Don’t miss these Educational Seminars:**

1. **Dr. Jan Pol**
   - 33 Years ... Life As A Country Vet

2. **Dr. Tania Cubitt & Dan Wright**
   - Equine Nutrition

3. **Ronald J. Emond, DVM, MS**
   - Benefits of Breeding with Frozen Equine Semen

4. **Dr. Alan Sibinic, DVM, Spalding Labs**
   - The Horses of Mackinac Island

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