

2026 Minnesota Celebration

All-Gaited Horse Show

July 11-12, 2026

Double F Arena

35736 Hinckley Road, Hinckley, MN

Presented by the Minnesota Walking Horse Association

Judge: Honorable Susan Fenner

Show Staff:

Show Manager – Becca Johnson

Announcer – Todd Hunt

Ring Steward – Gary Niemi

Paddock Steward – Polly Niemi

Proof of negative **Coggins** required;

Health certificates required for out-of-state horses (except WI)

There is a small block of pet-friendly rooms reserved under Minnesota Walking Horse Association at the **Days Inn in Hinckley** – (320) 384-7751.

Camping with electric hookup is available. Reserve along with your stalls. All sites must be pre-reserved.

NWHA Rules will be followed according to the NWHA Rule book. **TWHBEA Versatility Rules** in effect for applicable classes.

Exhibitors are asked to pay in full or leave a signed, open check at the time of check-in.

All class adds/drops must be submitted 45 minutes prior to the performance (i.e. morning, championships, & fun classes). Exceptions will be made for injury or other issues (horse has lost a shoe, for example).

More info: Contact Becca Johnson at (952) 356-4338 or rrose06@hotmail.com

Stall and Camping Reservations

\$90 - Stall Fee (received by July 3)

\$110 - Late Stall Fee (July 4 or after)

\$60 - Tack Stall Fee

\$10 - Additional shavings per bag – 2 bags included with stall, cannot bring your own.

\$55 - Camping Fee (includes electric) – for the length of the show

\$15 - Trailer Tie Fee (no overnight tying)

\$25 - Fee per horse for Sunday night

\$25 - Camping fee for Sunday night

Entry Fees

\$20 - Rail Class - TWH & OGB

\$10 - Trail Obstacle

\$30 - For all Fun Classes or \$10 each

\$30 - Championship Classes

\$25 - Office Fee & DQP per horse if showing in classes requiring DQP inspection

\$5 - Office Fee per horse if only showing in classes 33-38 or classes marked OGB

\$20 - NWHA temporary show pass (if exhibitor is not an NWHA member; optional for youth)

Class Sponsorships

\$30 - Regular Classes / \$50 - Championships

GET ENTERED TO WIN \$50 OFF YOUR FEES!

Register by 10:00 pm July 3 to be entered for a chance to win \$50 off your total show bill.

Youth High Point Award will be awarded to the top youth exhibitor based on classes 2, 12, 19, 20, 26, 27, 32, 33, 35-38, 47, 56, 58, 65, 70, 73, and 78. All entries in these classes are eligible.

2026 Minnesota Celebration Class Listing

July 11-12, 2025

SATURDAY 9:00 AM

- 1 - Showmanship
- 2 - Youth Halter 17 & under
- 3 - Open Model
- 4 - TWH Halter

30 minute break

- 5 - CP West Amateur 2 Gait
- 6 - Trail Pleasure Racking West 2 Gait
- 7 - ADP Amateur West 2 Gait
- 8 - OGB Novice Rider 2 Gait OT
- 9 - CP 3 Gait West
- 10 - ADP AOT 2 Gait OT
- 11 - TP West 2 Gait
- 12 - ADP Youth West 2 Gait
- 13 - 5 & Under West 2 Gait (All Div)
- 14 - SSH West 2 Gait
- 15 - CP West 2 Gait
- 16 - OGB West 2 Gait
- 17 - Novice Horse West 2 Gait (All Div)
- 18 - ADP West 2 Gait
- 19 - CP Youth West 2 Gait
- 20 - Youth West 3 Gait (All Div)
- 21 - ADP West 3 Gait
- 22 - CP Racking 2 Gait OT

60 minute break

WESTERN CHAMPIONSHIPS

- 23 - ADP West 2 Gait Championship
- 24 - CP West 2 Gait Championship
- 25 - TP West 2 Gait Championship
- 26 - ADP Youth West 2 Gait Championship
- 27 - CP Youth West 2 Gait Championship
- 28 - OGB West 2 Gait Championship
- 29 - CP Racking 2 Gait OT Championship
- 30 - ADP West 3 Gait Championship
- 31 - CP West 3 Gait Championship
- 32 - Youth West 3 Gait Championship (All Div)

20 minute break

- 33 - Youth Trail Obstacle
- 34 - Open Trail Obstacle

20 minute break

FUN CLASSES

- 35 - Egg & Spoon
- 36 - Waterglass
- 37 - Barrel Racing
- 38 - Pole Bending

**Exhibitors Party will follow the Fun Classes –
please join us!**

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| TP | - Trail Pleasure |
| CP | - Country Pleasure |
| ADP | - All Day Pleasure |
| AOT | - Amateur Owned & Trained |
| OGB | - Open Gaited Breed – open
to any breed of gaited horse |
| OT | - Optional Tack |



TRI-STATE HORSEMEN'S ASSOCIATION

You are invited to join for 2026!
Membership Forms are available
in the show office, online at
www.tri-state-horse.com, or
contact (952) 949-2337 or
tristate.horsemens.assn@gmail.com

2026 Minnesota Celebration Class Listing (continued)

SUNDAY 9:00 AM

- 39 - Youth Walk Only Class OGB - <13
- 40 - TP Amateur 2 Gait OT
- 41 - CP Amateur 2 Gait English
- 42 - TWH Youth 2 Gait - OT <13
- 43 - Trail Pleasure Racking 2 Gait English
- 44 - CP 3 Gait English
- 45 - Novice Horse English 2 Gait (All Div)
- 46 - ADP 2 Gait English
- 47 - Youth 3 Gait English (All Div)
- 48 - Rookie 2 Gait OT (All Div)
- 49 - MN Bred TWH 2 Gait OT (All Div)
- 50 - TP AOT 2 Gait OT
- 51 - SSH 2 Gait English
- 52 - CP 2 Gait English
- 53 - OGB Amateur 2 Gait OT
- 54 - Lead Line
- 55 - OGB Youth - 13 and under
Walk/Intermediate Gait OT
- 56 - Walking Seat Equitation 2 Gait 17 &
Under

15 minute break

- 57 - OGB 2 Gait English
- 58 - ADP Youth 2 Gait English
- 59 - CP AOT 2 Gait OT
- 60 - ADP 3 Gait English
- 61 - TP 2 Gait English
- 62 - OGB Master 2 Gait OT - 50+
- 63 - 5-Year-Old & Under 2 Gait English (All
Div)
- 64 - ADP Amateur 2 Gait English
- 65 - CP Youth 2 Gait English

45 Minute Break

ENGLISH CHAMPIONSHIPS

- 66 - ADP 2 Gait English Championship
- 67 - CP 2 Gait English Championship
- 68 - TP 2 Gait English Championship
- 69 - SSH 2 Gait OT Championship
- 70 - ADP Youth 2 Gait English
Championship
- 71 - Trail Pleasure Racking O/T 2 Gait
Championship
- 72 - AOT/OT 2 Gait Championship (All Div)
- 73 - CP Youth 2 Gait English
Championship
- 74 - 5-Year-Old & Under 2 Gait OT (All Div)
Championship
- 75 - OGB 2 Gait OT Championship
- 76 - ADP 3 Gait English Championship
- 77 - CP 3 Gait English Championship
- 78 - Youth 3 Gait English Championship
(All Div)
- 79 - TWH Grand Championship



**For more information about the Minnesota
Walking Horse Association, visit
www.mnwha.com or find us on Facebook!**

Pre-register at www.mnwha.com/events/2026/Celebration

Register online or download an entry form to complete and send via mail or email

2026 Minnesota Celebration – July 11-12, 2026
Double F Arena, Hinckley, Minnesota
Show Entry Form

Please refer to the MWAHA Celebration Show Packet for fees

Name: -----
Address: -----
Email: -----
Phone: -----
Horse(s): -----
Back #: (if bringing own) NWA #: NWA Day Pass: Y / N
Barn/Trainer affiliation: -----

Class Entries

Horse/rider (if other than above): -----

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2026 Celebration Order Form

Pre-register for classes and the following at www.mnwha.com/events/2026/Celebration
or mail or email the form to Becca Johnson

Stalls, Bedding, & Camping

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_____ # Stalls	X \$90 each	=	\$ _____	TOTAL Early Bird Stalls
** Must be received by July 3 **				
_____ # Late Stalls July 4 or after	X \$110 each	=	\$ _____	TOTAL Stalls July 4 or after
_____ # Additional bedding bags	X \$10 each	=	\$ _____	TOTAL Additional Bags
Two bags included with each horse stall				
Must be purchased at Double F Arena, cannot bring your own				
_____ # Tack stalls	X \$60 each	=	\$ _____	TOTAL Tack Stalls
_____ # Camping spots (electric)	X \$55 each	=	\$ _____	TOTAL Camping
** Must be received by July 3 **				
_____ # Trailer Tie Fee	X \$15 each	=	\$ _____	TOTAL Trailer Tie
** no overnight tying **				
_____ # Stalls for Sunday night	X \$25 each	=	\$ _____	TOTAL Stalls Sunday night
_____ # Electric Camping for Sunday night	X \$25 each	=	\$ _____	TOTAL Camping Sunday night

\$ _____ **TOTAL DUE AT THE SHOW**
Please do not send payment in advance.

Send form (NO payment!) to:

Becca Johnson
915 Steamboat Lane
Montrose, MN 55363

Questions?

Contact Becca:
(952) 356-4338 or rtrose06@hotmail.com

2026 Celebration Sponsorship Form

Online sponsorship form at <https://www.mnwha.com/events/2026/celebration>

_____ # Regular classes	X \$30 each	=	\$ _____	TOTAL Regular classes
_____ # Championship classes	X \$50 each	=	\$ _____	TOTAL Championship classes
\$ _____ TOTAL SPONSORSHIPS DUE				

All sponsors will be listed on our website and Facebook page as well as announced with the class sponsored. **Online mentions guaranteed if received by July 3, 2026.** Championship sponsors will be announced additional times throughout the show and have an option to display a banner (provided by sponsor) on the show grounds.

Class # & Name _____

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List name, business, or organization to announce for sponsored classes:

Checks made out to MWAH and sent to: Becca Johnson, 915 Steamboat Ln, Montrose, MN 55363

Class Descriptions

NWHA Rules will be followed according to the NWHA Rule book. TWHBEA Versatility Rules in effect for applicable classes.

ADP – All Day Pleasure

CP – Country Pleasure – TWH

TP – Trail Pleasure - TWH

AOT – Amateur Owned & Trained

OT – Optional Tack (Western, English, or breed specific, but not a combination)

Minnesota Bred – Any TWH born in Minnesota

OGB – Open Gaited Breed. Any Gaited Breed is eligible to enter. Traditional tack and attire appropriate to the breed may be used, but not a combination. Horses enter the ring at the walk specific to the breed. The walk is of the exhibitor's choice but shall be the walk specific to the breed. The working walk is a slow even four-beat walk. The head and neck are lowered as the horse stretches into the rider's hand showing relaxation and acceptance of the bit. At the working walk the horse is calm and relaxed. There is no need for restraint on the part of the rider and there is observable slack in the reins. The intermediate gait is of the exhibitor's choice, shall be the gait the breed considers the intermediate gait. The canter or lope is a three-beat gait on the correct lead. The horse is under control.

All Div – Open to horses eligible for any division as outlined by the NWHA rule book. Gait calls will be the same as an All Day Pleasure class – pleasure gait, trail walk, and canter (if applicable).

Novice Horse – Horse not to have won 3 blue ribbons.

Novice Rider – Rider not to have won 3 blue ribbons.

Rookie – Rider not to have shown in a gaited horse pleasure rail class prior to January 1, 2025.

Fun Classes

All the Fun Classes are open to all gaited breeds

Barrel Racing & Pole Bending – per TWHBEA Versatility Rules

Egg & Spoon – Eggs to be balanced on teaspoons. Spoons held with one hand with no fingers to balance the egg. Horses are to be shown at gaits specified by the judge. Last rider holding their egg wins the class.

Waterglass – per TWHBEA Versatility Rules

Apparel & Tack: Not a combination of English, Western, & Other

English apparel and tack for English classes per the NWHA rulebook and Western apparel and tack for Western classes. Breed-specific apparel and tack in OGB classes.

Trail Obstacle – English or Western apparel and tack or breed-specific.

Casual attire is permitted for fun classes.

Pre-registration Requested

To ensure an efficient office, please pre-register for classes at www.mnwha.com/events/2026/Celebration or download an entry form and mail or email to Becca Johnson (rtrose06@hotmail.com or mail to 915 Steamboat Ln, Montrose, MN 55363). All exhibitors registered by 10:00 pm July 3 will be entered for a chance to win \$50 off their total show bill.