

# 2018 MANITOBA EQUESTRIAN CHAMPIONSHIP

HOSTED BY

MANITOBA HORSE COUNCIL

145 Pacific Avenue  
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**September 21-23, 2018**

**Early Bird Entry Deadline - September 9, 2018**

**Last Entries - September 17, 2018**

MANITOBA HORSE COUNCIL EQUESTRIAN CENTRE  
BIRDS HILL PROVINCIAL PARK

The 2018 Manitoba Equestrian Championship  
is a Provincially Sanctioned Competition



# Invitation:

You are Invited to attend the

## **2018 MANITOBA EQUESTRIAN CHAMPIONSHIP (MEC)**

This Championship show consists of two multidisciplinary teams: Team Eastman and Team Westman. The geographic dividing line is the **Red River** based on competitor's place of residence. Where a full team cannot be established from applicants from one region, applicants from the other region may be asked to join the other team to balance the teams.

This Championship is a multi-disciplinary competition, with the following disciplines represented:

- Competitive Trail
- Cutting
- Dressage
- Western Dressage
- Driving
- Endurance
- Eventing
- Hunter/Jumper

It is not possible to produce all the rules and regulations governing all these disciplines in one concise document. Therefore, only general information is provided in this competitor's information package. Competitors in each discipline are expected to be aware of and follow discipline-specific rules and regulations.

All are welcome to submit entries and cross-discipline entries are also accepted. Entries should be submitted via [www.horseshowtime.com](http://www.horseshowtime.com), with additional paperwork to be sent to MHC at the address on page 3. Should entries exceed the number of spots on a team, you will be informed if your entry was accepted. If your entry was not accepted, your entry fee will be returned to you.

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## CONTACT INFORMATION

Show Chair: Megan Mossop  
Show Secretary: Val Crowe  
Scoring: John Moehring  
MHC Office: Linda Hazelwood

Each prospective entry is to be sent in and the participating discipline-based clubs will assist in team selection. Team selection is based on competition results in the present year.

### Officials:

Cutting:	TBA
Dressage Judge:	TBA
Dressage Steward:	Daryl Freed
Eventing Technical Delegate:	Geri Sweet
Show Jumping/Hunter Judge:	TBA
Show Jumping Course Designer:	TBA
Ring Builder & Crew:	TBA
Driving Officials:	TBA
Driving Course Designer:	Fred Gutoski
Technical Delegate (Endurance)	Maura Leahy
Veterinarian (Endurance/Competitive Trail)	Glenn Sinclair (Endurance) / Competitive Trail TBA

### Discipline – specific contact person:

Competitive Trail	Linda Cruden
Endurance:	Maura Leahy
Cutting:	Donna Reimer
Western Dressage:	Barb Wansbutter
Dressage:	TBD
Driving:	Donald Down/Jack Boughen
Eventing:	Paige Dueck
Show Jumping/Hunter:	Andrew Curry

Veterinarian on call:	TBD
Farrier on call:	TBD

Emergency medic on site:	Xtreme Sports Medics
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Caterer	TBD
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Security	Sarah Biron
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Cell phones on site at all times to call 911 for ambulance. Two-way radios for on-site liaisons.

### MEC Contact

**Manitoba Horse Council**  
**145 Pacific Avenue**  
**Winnipeg, Manitoba R3B 2Z6**  
**Phone: 204.925.5718 Fax: 204.925.5703**  
**Email: [mec@manitobahorsecouncil.com](mailto:mec@manitobahorsecouncil.com)**

# Tentative Schedule *(Subject to Change)*

## Friday September 21, 2018

2:00 pm Show grounds open to competitors – check-in with show office, warm-ups

## Saturday September 22, 2018

7:00 am Endurance Send Off (Hunter Ring)  
7:30 am Show office re-opens for competitor check-in  
9:00 am Hunter/Jumper (Ring 5)  
9:00 am Eventing - Dressage (Ring 2)  
10.45 am Cutting (Ring 4)  
11.00am Driving (Grand Prix Ring)  
11.00 pm Western Dressage (Ring 2)  
1:00 pm Eventing – Combined Course (Grand Prix Ring)  
1:30 pm  
2:00 pm Dressage (Ring 2)  
6:00pm Dinner

## Sunday September 23, 2018

7:30 am Show office re-opens for competitor check-in  
8:00 am Competitive Trail Send Off (Hunter Ring)  
9:00 am Hunter/Jumper (Ring 5)  
9:00 am Eventing – Dressage (Ring 2)  
10.45 am Cutting (Ring 4)  
11:00 am Driving (Grand Prix Ring)  
11:00 pm Western Dressage (Ring 2)  
1:00 pm Eventing – Combined Course (Grand Prix Ring)  
1:30 pm Dressage (Ring 2)  
2:00 pm Demonstration (Ring 3)  
4:30 pm AWARD CEREMONY

Warm up: Dressage Eventing, Western Dressage and Dressage, Ring 1.

### Order of Go:

Team Eastman will compete first in all disciplines/divisions on Saturday the 22nd. The order of go will be swapped so that the other team (Team Westman) will compete first on Sunday the 23rd.

Each discipline/division decides among themselves who will compete in what order each day (i.e. Team Eastman—Driving—Preliminary Division orders its competitors first to last).

Dinner:

On Saturday September 22, 2018, MHC will be hosting a sponsored dinner for all competitors at 6pm by the Equestrian Centre Canteen. Additional dinner tickets are available - \$10 each.

Canteen available throughout the weekend championship.

## **DISCIPLINES**

### **Competitive Trail**

15 mile, 25-mile, and 40-mile ride over a looped track through Birds Hill Park on Sunday only. The start, the midpoint vet check and finish of the ride/vet check will be set in the MHC Equestrian Centre, in the Hunter Ring. Placings determined based on the completion of the ride within the time allotted, the vet's verdict, and the amount of demerits assessed. Ride speed will be determined by the ride management in consultation with the veterinarian prior to the start of the ride. This CTR will be managed and judged under the rules of the Manitoba Trail Riding Club.

### **Cutting**

MCHA-sanctioned event on Saturday with the top Open rider, top Non-Pro, top \$15,000 Non-Pro, and top Novice Rider from East and West qualifying for MEC on Sunday. Judged event.

### **Driving**

Combined cones and marathon location in Grand Prix Ring. Judged as a timed event. Each horse/driver pair will compete both Saturday and Sunday. Saturday and Sunday's times and faults will be combined. There will be three levels: Training, Preliminary and Intermediate.

### **Dressage**

Team Westman will include 6 selected riders from Westman area.

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Competitors are encouraged to try and qualify at the level they have competed at for the majority of the year. If there are unfilled positions and a competitor would like to move up a level higher than they have competed at they will be invited to do so.

Team breakdown will be as follows: 2 training level riders, 2 first level riders and 2 second level riders. Total team compliment of 6.

The three Levels involved are:

- Training Level - will ride tests 1 & 2 on the Saturday, and tests 2 & 3 on the Sunday
- First Level - will ride tests 1 & 2 on the Saturday, and tests 2 & 3 on the Sunday
- Second Level - will ride tests 1 & 2 on the Saturday, and tests 2 & 3 on the Sunday

### **Western Dressage**

Team Westman will include 6 riders / Team Eastman will include 6 riders. The dividing line is the Red River based on the competitor's place of residence. (If for some reason each group cannot field an entire team then additions can be made taking geography into consideration.)

Team Breakdown – 2 Introductory Level, 2 Basic Level riders and 2 Level 1 riders. Total team complement of 6

- Introductory Level - tests A and B on Saturday and tests C and D on Sunday.
- Basic level - tests A and B on Saturday and tests C and D on Sunday.
- Level 1 rider - tests A and B on Saturday and tests C and D on Sunday.

Team members will be selected on the scores achieved throughout the 2018 competition year.

### **Endurance**

Four separate rides: a 15-mile ride, a 25-mile ride, 50-mile and a 75-mile ride. All four rides are over a looped track through Birds Hill Park on Saturday only. The start and finish of the ride will be set in the MHC Equestrian Centre, Hunter Ring. Placings based on time and the vet's approval. Rides to be managed under DRM and EC rules.

### **Eventing**

One dressage test and one combined full course each day. Manitoba Horse Trial (MHT) members will be selected when choosing members for the teams. Placings based on least amount of penalties assessed.

Dressage tests:

- Starter Division – 2016 EC EV Dressage Test Entry Test 2
- Pre-Entry Division – 2016 EC EV Dressage Test Entry Test 2
- Entry Division – 2016 EC EV Dressage Test Entry Test 2
- Pre-Training Division – 2016 EC EV Dressage Test Pre-Training Test 2

### **Hunter/Jumping**

2'6 Hunter and 2'6 Jumper classes from the Jump into Fall event will be part of the 2018 MEC.

### **Exhibitions**

Between competitions, you, your friends and family can enjoy watching exhibition(s) – relax and enjoy learning about other disciplines.

Saturday September 22, at 1:30 PM; Sunday September 23, at 2:30 PM (Times may vary)

## **AWARDS FORMAT**

### **Points**

Each division earns team points towards the Championship:

- 1<sup>st</sup> place earns 5 points
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place earns 3 points
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place earns 1 point

### **Prizes offered:**

The winning team (Eastman or Westman) will be awarded the perpetual Championship trophy and individual medals will be awarded to the team athletes

As sponsorship allows, some classes may receive additional prizes.

# General Rules & Conditions of Entry

**ENTRIES:** Use [www.horshowtime.com](http://www.horshowtime.com) for entry, and mail or email Coggins Test, Results List, Waiver Form and Payment form to Horse Council office at [mec@manitobahorsecouncil.com](mailto:mec@manitobahorsecouncil.com).

Given the status of a Championship Show, Manitoba Horse Council, in conjunction with the participating clubs, reserves the right to designate the members of each team should a greater number of entries than team spots available, be submitted.

**Early bird Entry Deadline - Before 5:00 p.m. September 9, 2018 - \$27.50 per day**  
**Entry After September 9, 2018 - \$35 per day**  
**Last Entries – September 18, 2018**

All entrants must sign a Waiver of Liability prior to the event and sent in with entry fee. All entries must be accompanied with payment (cheque made out to Manitoba Horse Council, credit card or e-transfer to [mec@manitobahorsecouncil.com](mailto:mec@manitobahorsecouncil.com)) for the appropriate fee. Parents or guardians must sign for junior exhibitors.

**NEGATIVE COGGINS TEST CERTIFICATE PER HORSE** IS mandatory. Scanned copy of certificates must be sent in with your entry form and must be on premises throughout the weekend to be available for spot checks as required.

**CANCELLATION:** Competitors cancelling after the official closing date will only be refunded upon receipt of a veterinarian's certificate of disability or a doctor's certificate.

## **REPORTING FOR COMPETITION:**

**Note:** All competitors are expected to report in to the Show Secretary at the show office upon arrival (no earlier than 2pm on Friday) to confirm that all is in order with your entry forms and classes and to pick up your show numbers. (This is expected even if you are using your own numbers.) For security reasons the show office needs to know which horses are on the grounds and ensure that contact information is correct. **The show office will be open from 2:00 pm until 8:00 pm on Friday, September 21, and opens a half hour before the show starts on Saturday and Sunday.** For those arriving Friday please report to the show office as soon as you arrive to give the show office more time Saturday morning to prepare for the judges and set up for the show.

**NUMBERS** must be worn and visible at all times in the warm-up, schooling and/or exercise areas as well as in the competition rings, whether the horse is under saddle or not.

**SHOW SCHEDULE: Warm-ups will be available after 3:00pm on Friday.** A ring will be designated for each discipline (where applicable). See the show office for the schedule on Friday. In the event of changes to the schedule (e.g., due to scratches), day sheets will be posted daily in the morning of competition. These sheets will inform all competitors of the most current and correct order of go and will override previous scheduling. It is the competitors' responsibility to check for any possible changes.

**PROTECTIVE HEAD GEAR:** All riders must wear approved ASTM/SEI or BSI approved protective headgear at all levels. Note: JUNIORS – Must wear ASTM/SEI or BSI approved protective headgear at all times when mounted. The harness must be securely attached. This rule applies even if the junior turns 18 during the competition season in which they continue to compete in junior classes. Failure to comply with these dress regulations will result in elimination. All Endurance / Competitive Trail riders must wear ASTM approved helmets.



**STABLING AND TACK STALLS:** All horses will be assigned a stall, the fee for which will be taken from the flat entry fee required. \$8 per bag fee for shavings will be charged. Horses cannot be placed in a stall without shavings on the ground. Tack Stalls will be assigned based on availability and charged at \$25 per day (the number of stalls remaining after horses are assigned will determine how many tack stalls are available). Stalls will be assigned and provided with a MHC Stall card.

**CAMPING:** NO water/electric hook ups. \$10.50 per night. Must be booked in advance.

**PRESENTATION OF AWARDS:** All medals and/or prizes, and the Team Championship trophy will be presented after the completion of the show on Sunday afternoon. Photos will be taken for publication. Competitors are to be unmounted and suitably attired for presentation of awards.

**LIABILITY:** It is a condition of entry that neither Manitoba Horse Council nor the Show Committee will be held responsible in any way for damage, injury, or loss to persons, horses or property of spectators or competitors. Waivers must be signed by all Exhibitors, Persons Responsible, and/or parents/guardians of junior competitors, as well as the horses' legal owner.

**PROTESTS:** A protest at a provincially sanctioned competition, other than those specific matters covered in division rules, must be made in writing and addressed to the secretary of the competition at the time that the matter under consideration occurs, must be signed and must be accompanied by a deposit of \$100 in cash.

**COMPLAINTS:** All complaints or questions should be directed to the Show Chair or the Assistant Show Chair. Complaints regarding an incident during the competition or the scoring must be lodged within one-half hour after the posting of the official results.

**DIRECTIONS & PARKING:** For arrival and departure of trailers, parking for competitors and visitors see the map at end of prize list. Parking arrangements for haul-ins and all other competitors will be posted at the show.

**DOGS** must be under control, quiet, and on a leash (no expanding leads) at all times.

**RULES OF USE:** Please follow the MHC Equestrian Centre Rules of Use at all times.

**MEMBERSHIP:** All entrants must be members in good standing of Manitoba Horse Council.

# THIS ENTRY PAGE FOR INFORMATION ONLY

PLEASE USE [www.horseshowtime.com](http://www.horseshowtime.com) TO ENTER.

Please send Payment form, Current Coggins, Signed waiver and Results list to MHC Office

Name of Horse	Age / Sex	Breed	Colour
Name of Rider			MHC #
Complete Mailing Address:			Phone #
DOB (If Junior):			Email address:
Name of Horse Owner:			Person Responsible:

I WISH TO COMPETE FOR (circle one): ☐ **TEAM EASTMAN** ☐ **TEAM WESTMAN**  
 (The dividing line is whether you live East or West of the Red River)

I AM APPLYING TO COMPETE IN THE FOLLOWING EVENTS

Competitive Trail	<input type="checkbox"/> 15-mile	<input type="checkbox"/> 25-mile	<input type="checkbox"/> 40 mile
Endurance	<input type="checkbox"/> 15-mile	<input type="checkbox"/> 25-mile	<input type="checkbox"/> 50 mile <input type="checkbox"/> 75mile
Cutting	<input type="checkbox"/> Open rider	<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Pro	<input type="checkbox"/> \$15,000 Non-Pro <input type="checkbox"/> Novice Rider
Dressage	<input type="checkbox"/> Training	<input type="checkbox"/> First Level	<input type="checkbox"/> Second Level
Driving	<input type="checkbox"/> Training	<input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate
Eventing	<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Entry	<input type="checkbox"/> Entry	<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Training <input type="checkbox"/> Training
Hunter/Jumper	<input type="checkbox"/> 2'6 Hunter	<input type="checkbox"/> 2'6 Jumper	
Western Dressage	<input type="checkbox"/> Introductory Level	<input type="checkbox"/> Basic level	<input type="checkbox"/> Level One

I would like a stall for the weekend ☐ I would like a tack stall, at \$25 per day ☐

I would like \_\_\_\_\_ bags of Shavings for my stall \$8 per bag

I will be bringing my own number ☐ I would like a camping spot at \$10.50 per night ☐

I have a **Current Negative Coggins Certificate** for my horse ☐

**COMPETITION RESULTS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS (September 1, 2017 – present, or whichever is your most recent full year of events.)**

Discipline	Show name	Show dates	Location	Sanctioning level (e.g., EC bronze)	Division	Placing / time / score (as applicable)

Did you compete in the Manitoba Equestrian Championship last year? ☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, with the same horse? ☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, in the same discipline and level? ☐ YES ☐ NO

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

# PAYMENT FORM

REMIT to  
Manitoba Horse Council  
145 Pacific Avenue  
Winnipeg, Manitoba R3B 2Z6  
Phone: 204.925.5719 Fax: 204.925.5703  
Email: [MEC@manitobahorsecouncil.com](mailto:MEC@manitobahorsecouncil.com)

## CHECK LIST

Entry made via horseshowtime  
Payment form  
Current Coggins  
Signed Waiver  
Results list

## FEES:

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Last Day for Entries - September 17, 2018

Item	\$ Fee*
1-day event - Flat fee - to include stabling, 1 Dinner ticket, \$27.50/\$35	
2-day event - Flat fee to include stabling, 1 Dinner ticket, \$55/\$70	
Shavings (\$8/bag) No. of bags: @ \$8	
Additional Saturday Evening Dinner Ticket(s) (\$10 each)	
Tack Stall \$25 per day	
Camping Spot \$10.50 per night	
TOTAL:	

\* All Applicable Taxes are included

NOTE: A waiver form for each show entry must be signed and dated by all parties

## PAYMENT INFORMATION:

☐ Cheque payable to Manitoba Horse Council

☐ E-transfer to [mhc.admin@sportmanitoba.ca](mailto:mhc.admin@sportmanitoba.ca). Use your MHC membership number as the password

☐ MasterCard ☐ Visa

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ Last 3 digits on reverse \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Card: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

# WAIVER FORM

THIS DOCUMENT WILL AFFECT YOUR LEGAL RIGHTS AND LIABILITIES  
PLEASE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING

I, the exhibitor/competitor do hereby acknowledge having received a printed copy of your information package and do hereby certify that the horse listed on the entry form is strictly in accordance with the rules and regulations in the Equestrian Canada Rule Book. I hereby certify that the horse and rider is eligible as entered and agree for myself and my representatives to be bound by the Constitution and Rules of Equestrian Canada at this competition. It is hereby recognized that all equestrian sports involve inherent risk and that no helmet or protective equipment can protect against all foreseeable injury. I further acknowledge the risks in riding and working around horses and that these risks can include bodily injury to both horse and rider resulting from normal use, competition and schooling.

In consideration of being allowed to participate in this event, I hereby accept and assume all risks and release and absolve the organizing committee of Manitoba Horse Council, Equestrian Canada and their officials, volunteers, officers, directors, agents, representatives, employees and the owners and occupiers of the land upon which the competition is held of all responsibilities, liabilities or claims of any nature and kind which I may have arising from participation in the event.

I hereby declare that in making this entry that I have read and fully understand and agree to the terms and conditions stated herein and that it is binding upon my executors, heirs, and assigns.

I have a **Current Negative Coggins Certificate** for my horse, which will be onsite with me at all times,  
during the MEC: signature\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Person Responsible\*\_\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Horse Owner\_\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Competitor\_\_\_\_\_

Date\_\_\_\_\_

If the rider is under the age of 18 years it is acknowledged said rider will wear a properly fitted ASTM/SEI or BSI approved helmet (See EC Rules) and understood that juniors not meeting this requirement will not be allowed to compete at these competitions.

The parent/guardian must also sign below.

I acknowledge as Parent/Guardian of\_\_\_\_\_ that I have read and fully understand and agree to the terms and conditions stated herein on behalf of my child.

Parent/Guardian signature\_\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_\_

\*\* The person responsible is to be the person that is actually responsible for the care and well-being of the horse, who is NOT a junior competitor (under the age of 18 years).

# MHC EQUESTRIAN CENTRE GROUNDS MAP

