

Draft Pony, Mini, and Horse Pulls

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Department Rules and Regulations

1. **CONNECTICUT REQUIREMENTS:** All exhibitors are required to show to the Secretary a **RABIES VACCINATION CERTIFICATE SIGNED BY AN ACCREDITED VETERINARIAN** indicating the name of the vaccine & serial number. **ANIMALS MUST BE** vaccinated 30 days prior to the first show date. **NO EXCEPTIONS.** Exhibitor will be required to display to the Secretary the health certificates as required by the Connecticut Department of Agriculture. **ALL HORSES MUST HAVE A NEGATIVE COGGINS** test within 12 months prior to the show date. Proof of this testing will be shown to the secretary at the time of arrival. It is highly recommended that horses be vaccinated against EEE within the last 6 months. **NO ANIMALS ARE TO BE UNLOADED UNTIL THE SECRETARY HAS SEEN THESE DOCUMENTS.** **Any horses missing this information will not be allowed to be unloaded or pull.**
2. **Exhibitors from out of state.** Must comply with regulations of the Connecticut Department of Agriculture by presenting health certificates issued within the last 30 days of the fair date.
3. Animals will be free from injury or sickness.
4. The Superintendent reserves the right to decline acceptance of the entry of any team, when in the option of the superintendent it would be in the better interest of the Bethlehem Fair to do so.
5. **ALL TEAMS:** A payment of \$40.00 will be paid to the owner of a pair of draught Horses, Ponies, and Mini that has completed the first initial draw and NOT receiving any premium.
6. **DRAFT HORSES:** Owners must present animals on scale at the request of the superintendent.
7. A copy of any rules and regulations will be available from the superintendent.

WHO MAY ENTER: This is an open show. Owner and two helpers will be admitted.

PARKING: To better accommodate our livestock exhibitors, parking inside the fenced area will be limited to only vehicles carrying livestock ONLY. All others will park in the general parking area. NO exceptions. Please contact the superintendent to obtain a parking permit for your livestock vehicle. This permit will admit the vehicle and driver ONLY.

ENTRY BLANKS: Entry blanks will be available at the show. Or can be mailed to Bethlehem Fair, PO Box 488, Bethlehem, CT 06751.

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Draft Mini and Pony Pull – 5:30 pm Friday

Draw: starting with Mini, then Ponies to follow

Mini Pull – 5:30 pm Start of Draw

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th
1. 34"	\$100	\$80	\$70	\$60	\$50	\$40
2. 38"	100	80	70	60	50	40

The Bethlehem Fair Draft Mini Pull shall be conducted under the Rules and Regulations of the NEMPA. This will be a 10-foot pull.

Draft Pony

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
1. 46"	\$175	\$145	\$125	\$115	\$100	\$90	\$75	\$50
2. 50"	175	145	125	115	100	90	75	50

The Bethlehem Fair Draft Pony Pull shall be conducted under the rules and regulations of the Connecticut Draft Pony Association. This will be a 6-foot pull for 46" and a 12-foot pull for 50".

Draft Horse Pull – 10:00 am Sunday

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
1. Pair under 3,100 lbs.	\$250	\$225	\$200	\$175	\$150	\$125	\$100	\$75
2. Pair under 3,400 lbs.	250	225	200	175	150	125	100	75
3. Pair 3,401 lbs. & over	250	225	200	175	150	125	100	75

The Bethlehem Fair Draft Horse Pull shall be conducted under the rules and regulations of the Eastern Draft Horse Association. This will be a 12-foot pull.



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