



The American Driving Society, Inc.

### Pleasure Driving ADS Omnibus Form

Name of Event: \_\_\_\_\_ Type of Event: \_\_\_\_\_

Secondary Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Recognized by: \_\_\_\_\_

Location Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Entry form: \_\_\_\_\_ Method of entry: \_\_\_\_\_

Event Start Date: \_\_\_\_\_ End Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Entries Open: \_\_\_\_\_ Close: \_\_\_\_\_

Organizer Name & Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Manager Name & Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Secretary Name & Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail entries to: \_\_\_\_\_ Prize List: \_\_\_\_\_

Website: \_\_\_\_\_

**Officials:** Judge 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Judge 2: \_\_\_\_\_

Judge 3: \_\_\_\_\_ TD: \_\_\_\_\_

Scorer: \_\_\_\_\_ EMT/Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Veterinarian/Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Fees:** Class Fees: \_\_\_\_\_

Post Entry Fee/Date: \_\_\_\_\_ ADS Comp. Fee incl. in Entry Fee? \_\_\_\_\_

Stall Fee: \_\_\_\_\_ Stall Deposit/Separate Check: \_\_\_\_\_

Bedding Cost: \_\_\_\_\_ Check Payable to: \_\_\_\_\_

Stall Refund Policy: \_\_\_\_\_

Event Refund Policy: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Fees: \_\_\_\_\_

**Tentative Schedule:** Office Opens/Hours: \_\_\_\_\_

Stabling Opens: \_\_\_\_\_ Stabling Closes: \_\_\_\_\_

Stabling Info: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Events: \_\_\_\_\_

**Other Information:** Briefings: \_\_\_\_\_

Turnouts: \_\_\_\_\_

Divisions: \_\_\_\_\_

ADS Pleasure Classes: \_\_\_\_\_



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House Rule Pleasure Classes: \_\_\_\_\_

House Rule Class Rules: \_\_\_\_\_

Secondary Event Details: \_\_\_\_\_

**Dressage Tests (and ring size):** Dressage Arena/Warm-up Footing: \_\_\_\_\_

Training: \_\_\_\_\_ Prelim: \_\_\_\_\_

Int: \_\_\_\_\_ Adv: \_\_\_\_\_

**Other Info:** Vet/Health Requirements: \_\_\_\_\_

Misc. Show Info: \_\_\_\_\_

Pleasure Drive Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

Awards Offered: \_\_\_\_\_

Food on Grounds/Dates/Times: \_\_\_\_\_

Hotel Accommodations: \_\_\_\_\_

Camping: \_\_\_\_\_

Directions to Event: \_\_\_\_\_

List any other events being held in conjunction with this show: \_\_\_\_\_

(There is no ADS Liability Coverage on additional events/activities)

All ADS Recognized Events will be run according to the current ADS Rulebook.



## **Eastern Nebraska Driving Society and Whips in Nebraska**

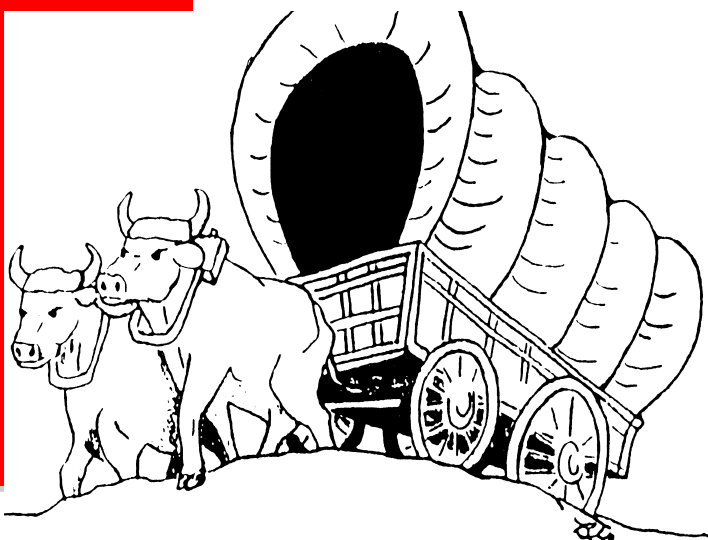
### *Pioneer Pleasure Show and Combined Test*



*American Driving Society Sanctioned*

*June 8-9, 2024*

*Quail Run Horse Centre, Elkhorn, NE*



Show Office opens at 3:00  
pm on Friday, June 7,  
8:00 CT Start Time on  
Saturday and 8:00 show  
start on Sunday

**Divisions:** Youth/JR, VSE/Small Pony, Special Needs Driver,  
Pony, Horse, Multiples, Novice

**Division Classes:** Turnout, Reinsmanship, Working pleasure,  
Gamblers Choice, Timed Obstacles, Country Pace

**Additional Classes:** Carriage Dog, Pick Your Route, Reverse Psychology

**Dressage:** Training Level A-40 x 80m, Preliminary Level A-40 x 80m

CT Manager: Garnet Blatchford, garnetblat@gmail.com, (402)681-6779

Pleasure Manager: Debbie Bridges, bridgesd0960@gmail.com (308)240-1398

Secretary: Barb Simmons: barbsimmons@cox.net, (402)290-0396

**Judge: Ruth Graves, TD: Jim Thomas**

## Class Descriptions

**Turnout, Reinsmanship, Working Pleasure**—In each of the “arena” or “rail” classes, the horse and driver work both directions of the arena at a walk, slow trot, working trot, and strong trot, and are required to rein back. ADS Rulebook, Chapter 1, Article 217, 219, 223.

**Turnout** is judged primarily on the overall impression of horse and driver: condition, fit and appropriateness of harness and vehicle, neatness and appropriateness of attire. **Reinsmanship** is judged primarily on the skill and ability of the driver.

**Working Pleasure** is judged primarily on the suitability of the horse to provide a pleasant drive.

**Timed Obstacles**—Driven over course consisting of up to 20 paired cones. After crossing the starting line, the driver proceeds through the cones in numerical order to the finish line. For additional information, see the ADS Rulebook, Chapter 7, Article 247.

**Gamblers Choice**—Driven over a course of unnumbered obstacles, each with a specific point value. Each driver has the same amount of time to negotiate as many obstacles as possible. Each obstacle can be driven twice but not in succession. No obstacle can be re-driven once it has been disturbed unless it is meant to be knocked down. A signal will sound at the end of the time and the driver must then exit through the finish markers. If the signal sounds when the driver is committed to an obstacle, the competitor may complete the obstacle and then proceed to the finish marker for total time to be recorded. ADS Rulebook Chapter 7, Article 249.

**Cross Country Pace: House Rules.** To be driven at a prescribed pace (Horse—14kph; Large Pony 12 kph; Small Pony 11 kph and VSE 9 kph). Course will be approximately 4-5 km in length and will go through wooded areas, fields and on some road areas and numbered gates. Placings are determined on a low course fault basis and then the horse closest to the ideal pace time if the drivers are tied with equal number of faults. Faults include disobedience of horse to go through an obstacle or gate. A map of the country pace course will be available at check-in or posted.

**Pick Your Route**—After passing the starting line, the driver proceeds through each obstacle to the designated finish line, choosing his or her own route. Each obstacle is negotiated once and only once, but may be approached from either direction. Course faults are scored as penalty seconds and are added to the driver's elapsed time. Placings are determined on a low total time basis. For additional information, see the ADS Rulebook, Chapter 7, Article 248.

**Reverse Psychology**—To be driven over a prescribed course of obstacles (paired markers). After passing through the Start markers, all the obstacles must be driven in the correct sequence. After completing the highest-numbered obstacle, the driver will then turn and drive that obstacle in the reverse direction and continue to drive all the remaining obstacles in reverse order and in the reverse direction and through the Finish markers where timing will stop. Course faults are scored as penalty seconds and are added to the driver's elapsed time. Placings are determined on a low total time basis. Entries may be stopped by a signal from the judge/TD after completing the highest-numbered obstacle to allow dislodged/disturbed obstacles to be rebuilt. ADS Rulebook, Chapter 7, Article 248.

**Carriage Dog**—Judged primarily on suitability of the dog to serve as a companion (maximum one dog per vehicle). To be judged both ways in the arena at a walk, slow trot and working trot. The dog should be standing, lying down or seated on the vehicle. The dog must be under control at all times. The dog must not be led on the ground from the vehicle or be restrained by being tied to the vehicle, driver or passenger. The driver should not hold the dog, and the dog should not interfere with the driver in any way. The dog may be of any breed. To be judged • 60% on the suitability of the dog to serve as a companion. • 30% on the performance, manners and way of going of the horse(s) • 10% on the overall impression of the turnout, including the dog. • Entries with a dog clearly not under control may be eliminated. ADS Rulebook, Chapter 6, Article 231

**Pleasure\_CT: Will consist of Dressage and Fault Obstacle Cones:** Training open to a horse that has not completed more than one recognized Combined Driving Event (CDE) or Driving Trial (DT) above the Training division, driven by a driver of any level of competitive experience, or open to a driver who has not completed more than one recognized CDE or DT above the Training division, with a horse of any level of competitive experience. The purpose of training tests is to establish that the correct foundation is being laid for the training of the driving horse requiring the horse to move freely forward in a free walk on long rein and the working trot, in rhythm while accepting the bit with relaxation, through transitions and 40m circles. Preliminary level tests are designed to demonstrate the correct foundation of training is being developed further: Rhythm, Relaxation, Contact, Impulsion and Straightness. Acceptance of the Bit, Activity of the Haunches, Balance in Transitions, Lateral Bend, Longitudinal Stretch and Lengthening of Stride should be demonstrated. Fault Obstacle Cones will follow immediately after an individual dressage test and is designed to test the fitness, obedience and suppleness of the horses and the skill and competence of the Athletes. Training and Preliminary level A, 80m will be used for the dressage test. ADS Rulebook, Chapter 1.

**Divisions** offered at the Pioneer Pleasure Driving Show See ADS Rules para 2.7 and Appendix GR-B:

- I. Large Pony, equines (120cm to 148cm; with or without shoes; 149cm with shoes)
- II. Open Horse, (equines over 148cm without shoes or 149cm with shoes);
- III. Youth,JR. Driver, a driver who is 18 years of age throughout this year. See Chapter 3, Article 213 of the ADS Rulebook. All Jr Drivers must wear properly fitted and fastened protective headgear that meets or exceeds current ASTM/SEI standards. Drivers under 14 must be accompanied by a knowledgeable adult if driving a pony or horse; if driving a VSE, must be 12 to drive alone
- IV. VSE (less than 99cm with or without shoes) and Small Pony (99cm to less than 120cm; with or without shoes)
- V. Drivers with Special Needs (physical, intellectual or medical)
- VI. Multiples, any hitch with more than 1 horse to include pairs, tandems and teams
- VII. Novice, open to any horse or driver who has not won 3 first place ribbons at ADS shows

Please note that divisions may be combined or split at the discretion of show management.

Marathon/Utility style vehicles acceptable in each division; wire spoke wheels acceptable in VSE/Small pony , Youth and Special Needs Divisions

**Camping**—\$50 (primitive) for show on site. Riverwest Campground 23104 W. Maple (1 mile)(402)953-4731 reservations required

**Stalls available**— \$75.00. Must clean stalls before departure for stall refund. Bring your own shavings or purchase on site.

**Daily jump out fee:** \$25.00/trailer

**Driving Directions:** from the West: I-80 to exit 432(Gretna), north on Hwy 31 to Maple St., turn left, go 1.3 miles then turn left onto Old Hwy 64, slight right to Quail Run Horse Centre. From the East: I-80 to I-680 North, Dodge Expressway West to Hwy 31, then North to Maple Street, turn left, 1.3 miles then turn left onto Old Hwy 64, slight right to Quail Run Horse Centre.

**Health Requirements:** Health Certificate/Coggins required on all Out of State Horses. Vaccination against WNV, WEE/EEE, flu/rhino required by proof of purchase or veterinary documentation within previous 6 months. VSE and pony entries must provide a current ADS Pony Measurement form with their entry.

**Cancellation Policy-** No weather cancellations. Full refund available for competitor or horse medical issue (Physician/veterinary documentation required).

**Awards:** 1-5 for each class; Championship and Reserve Championship Awards/Division

**Competitor Meeting with Judge (potluck-competitors are encouraged to bring an item to share)**—Friday evening 6:00pm

**Meals:** 6/8/24 Lunch (during break) & Dinner (approx 6pm or upon completion of the days show schedule): cost \$35/person. **Reservation and payment required in advance.**

**Hotels:** Holiday Inn and Suites 19040 Evans St. (1 mile)(402)979-9521, Hilton Garden Inn 17879 Chicago St. (6.5 m) (402)289-9696, multiple other local hotels.

### Show Schedule Saturday—*Tentative*

8:00 CT:

**Dressage**-Training & Prelim Test A, POM

**Cones**- *to immediately follow dressage in dressage arena*

**8:00 Turnout**, (*Tentative Order of Go*): VSE/Sm.Pony, Pony, Youth, U, Horse, Special Needs, Novice

**Lunch Break**

**Gamblers Choice**

**Working Pleasure,**

**Timed Obstacles**- *1st Come, 1st Serve*

**Reverse Psychology**- *1st Come, 1st Serve*

### Show Schedule Sunday—*Tentative*

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**Carriage Dog**

**Pick Your Route**-*1st Come, 1st Serve, to start after Country Pace completed*

**Awards to follow completion of all classes**

All Non-Division classes are combined and will be awarded 1st—5th.

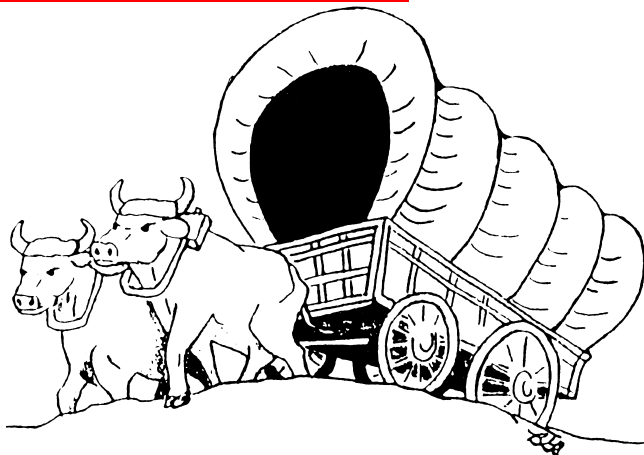
Please be ready for your turn in each class; we expect arena classes to take 15 minutes each (Turnout, Working Pleasure and Reinsmanship); Timed classes will run as ready on a 1st come/1st serve basis.

Awards for arena classes: Turnout, Working Pleasure, Carriage Dog, Reinsmanship will be awarded in arena. Timed event ribbons given at awards celebration.

Overall Division Championship Ribbons will be after show conclusion on Sunday.

**Emergency Numbers:** 911 for Emergency

Nebraska Equine Veterinary Clinic, (402)408-6777



**ENDS Pioneer Pleasure Driving Show: Entry form**  
**Entries open April 15, 2024, Entries close May 17, 2024**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Horse Name \_\_\_\_\_ Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Mail to Show Secretary: ENDS c/o Barb Simmons, 1124 Kingston Ave, Bellevue, NE 68005

CT: Dressage Training or Preliminary (Circle One) and cones (\$75) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

***Division (Circle One):*** VSE/pony must provide ADS Pony Measurement form.

Youth, VSE/Small Pony, Pony, Multiples, Horse, Special Needs, Novice

\$90 for all 6 classes in Division; see page 1 for division classes \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Extra classes(circle): Carriage Dog, Pick Your Route, Reverse Psychology \$15/each \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Primitive Camping (\$50) for show \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Stalls \$75.00/horse X \_\_\_\_\_ horses \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Working from Trailer (\$25/trailer/day) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Administrative Fee \$25/entry \$ 25.00 \_\_\_\_\_

American Driving Society, member fee (\$5/entry) ADS number \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

American Driving Society, non-member fee \$30/entry \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Youth Scholarship Application Credit (-\$60) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsorship (Gold \$200, Silver \$100, Bronze \$75) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Division Sponsorship \$50, Special or Breed Awards \$30.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

***Late Fee \$50.00 (postmarked after May 20, 2023)*** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

***Competitors lunch & dinner 6/11/22 \$35.00/person X \_\_\_\_\_ people*** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Payment made to ENDS** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

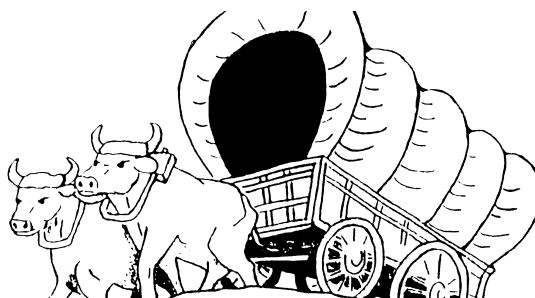
**Stall Deposit (\$50) made to ENDS—separate check, returned when clean** \$ 50.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Send payment to ENDS, c/o Barb Simmons, 1124 Kingston Ave, Bellevue, NE 68005



## Eastern Nebraska Driving Society

*Pioneer Pleasure Driving  
Show June 8-9, 2024  
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Elkhorn, Nebraska*



### Sponsorships Available:

<b>Gold Level</b>	\$200.00	Center Fold (Double ) page program ad
<b>Silver Level</b>	\$100.00	1 page ad in Program
<b>Bronze Level</b>	\$ 75.00	1/2 page ad in Program
<b>Division Sponsor</b>	\$50.00	1/4 page ad in Program
<b>Special Awards</b>	\$30.00	Program Acknowledgement Youth Sportsmanship, Spirit Award, Youth Volunteer
<b>Breed Awards</b>	\$30.00	Program Acknowledgement (AMHR, ASPC, Welsh, Morgan, Arabian, Draft, Gypsy Vanner, Friesen Sporthorse)

**Sponsorships payable to ENDS:** Send checks to Secretary:  
Barb Simmons, 1124 Kingston Ave, Bellevue, NE 68005 Send  
advertisements to [garnetblat@gmail.com](mailto:garnetblat@gmail.com)



# ENDS Pioneer Pleasure Driving Show Liability Release

## Liability Release – must sign!

Under Nebraska Law, an equine professional is not liable for an injury or death of a participant in equine activities resulting from inherent risks of equine activities, pursuant to sections 25-21,249 to 25-21,253, Nebraska Revised Statutes. I AGREE to release, indemnify and hold harmless Eastern Nebraska Driving Society their officers, directors, instructors and volunteers from and against any and all loss, liability or damage arising from , because of or in connection to my participation in this competition.

**American Driving Society DISCLAIMER and HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT:** This form must be signed by every Competition participant or if a minor, their consenting parent, including each person who rides with a driver on a carriage not only during the actual Competition but including any time from arrival at the Competition to departure. I understand and agree that neither the American Driving Society (“ADS”) and its officers, the Driving Event Competition (“Competition”), Competition judges, officials, workers, volunteers or organizing committee nor the property owners accept or shall have any responsibility of any nature whatsoever for accidents, damage, injury or illness to the horses, owners, riders, drivers, grooms, passengers, attendants, spectators or any other person or property in connection with this Competition.

I hereby expressly agree without any limitation or condition for myself and my principals, representatives, employees and agents: (1) to be bound by the rules and by-laws of the ADS and any local rules of this Competition; (2) that every horse, driver, attendant, groom and/or passenger is eligible as entered; and (3) to accept as final any decision of the Competition officials on any question arising under the ADS rules and by-laws or any local rules of the Competition. I also agree, without any limitation or condition, to hold the ADS, its officers, directors, employees and agents, and Competition judges, officials and organizing committee, harmless from any and all liability, loss, claims or actions, causes of action, judgments or demands of any nature whatsoever. I am fully aware and appreciate that equine sports, including driving in this particular Competition involve inherent dangerous risk of serious injury or death. By participating I do so voluntarily and expressly assume any and all risks of injury to me or loss of my horse(s) or equipment. I agree to release and voluntarily waive the right to sue the ADS, its officers, directors, employees, and agents, stewards, Competition judges, personnel, volunteers, officials, and organizing committee, including their agents and employees from and against all claims for damages, including money damages, for any action taken or otherwise any harm caused by me or my horse to others, including whether arising from directly or indirectly from the negligence of the ADS or the Competition.

I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the ADS its officers, directors, employees, clinicians, members, volunteers, coaches, representatives, assigns, Competition judges, officials and organizing committee, their agents and employees from any and all claims for loss or injury caused by me or my horse that occur during or in conjunction with this Competition.

I also agree that as a condition of and in consideration of acceptance of entry, the ADS and/or the Competition may use or assign photographs, videos, audios, cable - casts, broadcasts, internet, film, new media or other likenesses of me and my horse taken during the course of the Competition for the promotion, coverage or benefit of the Competition, sport, or the ADS.

BY SIGNING BELOW, I AGREE to be bound by all applicable ADS rules and all the terms and conditions of this AGREEMENT .

Driver Signature (parent or guardian must sign if under 18) : \_\_\_\_\_

Print Driver name above \_\_\_\_\_

Groom/Navigator/Passenger/Attendant \_\_\_\_\_ Groom/Navigator/Passenger/Attendant \_\_\_\_\_

Print name above \_\_\_\_\_ Print name above \_\_\_\_\_

Groom/Navigator/Passenger/Attendant \_\_\_\_\_ Groom/Navigator/Passenger/Attendant \_\_\_\_\_

Print name above \_\_\_\_\_ Print name above \_\_\_\_\_

Notes: (If you require special dispensation at the above competition please state your need below)

**NOTE:** At all ADS approved competitions, the driver is required to be a member of the ADS or pay a non-member fee of \$30.00. Remember to include your current ADS number. You will be asked to present a copy of your current membership card to the Secretary.

## ENDS Pioneer Pleasure Show Youth Scholarship Application Form

Open to all Youth Entries 18 years of age and under (Jan. 1, 2023). A \$60 credit to your Entry Fees (to be deducted on the Entry Form)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe what you have learned about your relationship with your horse as you have trained for this event (in the space provided below).

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**\*\* Also required is 2 hrs of service during show clean-up and on Sunday as a thank you to ENDS for this Scholarship, must sign up with show secretary for duties at check-in**

Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Youth Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_