

**THE 99TH
ANNUAL
CAPE BRETON
COUNTY
FARMER'S
EXHIBITION**

**105 REGENT ST.
NORTH SYDNEY, NS
B2A 3M6
902-794-7633**



August 17th-22nd, 2015 ... 11:00am 11:00pm

Children 6 to 13 (under 5, free)	-	\$5.00
Seniors	-	\$5.00
Teen & Adults	-	\$7.00
Six(6) Entry Pass	-	\$36.00 (for adults/teenagers)
Parking Pass for the week	-	\$10.00

Only Seeing Eye Dogs permitted on Property

Arena and Entertainment Schedule Times and Schedule May Vary



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NS Dept of Agriculture Ag Awareness Interactive Display at

MacIntyre Family Farms;

Livestock Displays: Twin light House Farm;

Landscape Farms;

Hilltop Dairy; MacIntyre Family Farms; Lewis Family Farm;

Christensen's Family Farm and Circle H Farm

Check them out.....



Mayor Cecil Clarke and CBRM Council wish the Cape Breton County Farmer's Exhibition best of luck on their 99th annual event.

History of the Cape Breton County Exhibition 1936

The Lieutenant Governor opened the First Cape Breton County Exhibition at the Strathcona Rink on Blowers Street in North Sydney on October 13, 1908. It later moved to Sydney where the Farmers put up a permanent building on what later became the site of St. Rita's Hospital. Eventually the Sydney property was sold and the Exhibition returned to North Sydney for its 21st Annual Exhibition on September 6, 1936. With the exception of a few missed dates during the Second World War the Exhibition has been held at the Regent Street location for every year since 1936.

Harry Huntington remembers that there were teepees and wigwams in this area occupied by the Native Canadians. He would take a pair of market lambs and a dairy calf to the Exhibition. The cost of a ride on the merry-go-round was 5 cents. Years later on Sept 1st – 5th 1936 the exhibition was moved to the Regent Street location in North Sydney where it remains today. In the Daily Newspaper on September 2, 1936, it was stated that the Exhibition Committee including the 1st Exhibition Manager was Charles Munn from Leitches Creek. Munn planned from scratch to revive the annual exhibition in Cape Breton and with only a few dollars garnered, the committee set about to carry out the project. They acquired a 99 year lease on a large plot of land adjoining the Trotting Park. They erected a main building and a livestock shed as well as arranging proper shelter for the various other branches of livestock and agricultural products. They also enclosed the entire property with a seven foot board fence. There were many operating family farms in those days with a large variety of exhibits. All were eager to show off their exhibits for the glory not the money. They didn't have big motor homes or trailers at that time therefore they slept in the loft above their animals or on a bale of hay. They all had a great sense of humor, which made the event pleasurable. Harry stated some of the people he competed against were Wharton Ross, Sid Jackson, Mully Hood and the (George) Young's all competitors in the Cattle division. Harry had competed for over 50 years. There were plenty of exhibits, various farm animals, birds, vegetables, flowers, home cooking, preserves and fancywork.

The horse classes were Light and Heavy draft; mixed breeds matched teams in harness and mare with foals. There were all workhorses. At this time, there were no saddle horses exhibited.

Hinchey's Rides & Amusements We've got "Star Trooper, Tornado, Octopus, Rocko, Tilt a Whirl, games, cotton candy and best of all for the wee ones we have the merry go round!"

Dairy Farmer's of Canada – Moonica, Dairy Farmers of Canada's life-size mechanical cow, is a hit with kids and unlike any other program.

The From Farm to Table Crew engages with children by allowing them to 'milk' the cow and receive a sticker as well as hand out colouring sheets as a fun activity The Crew consists of three specially trained individuals Families can also enjoy a short video on milk production and life on a farm.

Tess Carrigan is a young singer/songwriter from Port Caledonia, Nova Scotia Tess performs a blend of Celtic, Folk, and Country Music with Mallery Williams. Mallery is a signer songwriter from Edwardsville and also a cousin to Tess.

The Men of The Deeps is a choir of working and retired coal miners from the Cape Breton. Organized in 1966 as part of Cape Breton's contribution to Canada's Centennial Year 1967, the group's inception was an effort by the people of Cape Breton to preserve in song some of the rich folklore of the islands coal mining communities.

Flower Arranging by the North Sydney Garden Club

Monday to Saturday at 7:00pm in the Commercial Building. Visit their website to see what great work this club does throughout the community. Go to www.nsgardenclub.wordpress.com

Rug Hooking is both an art and a craft where rugs are made by pulling loops of yarn or fabric through a stiff woven base such as burlap, linen or rug warp. The loops are pulled through the backing material by using a crochet type hook mounted in a handle. The following are some of the local rug hooking groups in Cape Breton.

Spanish Bay Friendship Matters; Down East Rug Hookers; Boulderarie; Old Schoolhouse Rug Hookers and Country Lane Studio

Cowboy Mounted Shooting (CMS) is a competitive equestrian sport regulated by the Chief Firearms Officer of Nova Scotia and Federal Firearms Regulations utilizing BLANK AMMUNITION. Mounted shooting is an exciting fast paced event that involves horsemanship and shooting skills. Two .45 single action revolvers with special BLANK ammunition are used to engage 10 balloon targets while riding your horse through over 50 predetermined courses. This is a timed event with penalties assessed for missed targets and overturned barrels. The Highland Highway Men is Nova Scotia's first CMS club both Men and Ladies, of all ages, compete often in 1800's costume.



Paul: Magician/escape artist/ illusionist

"The very young in the audience were enthralled by an hour-long magic show with illusionist Paul Naas of Sydney River."

Watch for : The Eagle and Destination Membertou **Summer Cruisers** on the grounds with Giveaways



4-H Day

4-H DAY SCHEDULE- MONDAY, AUGUST 17th, 2015

8:00 A.M.	Beef, Goat & Sheep Classes - in arena-
8:45 A.M.	RABBIT/ POULTRY /WATERFOWL/ CAVY CLASSES- <i>Industrial building stage</i> Scavenger Hunt -(See Host /Hostess at 4-H Canteen)
9:30 A.M.	LT. HORSE SHOWMANSHIP- in arena (only 4-H horse officials/ members in class or on deck will be in shoot area- for safety purposes)
10:00 A.M.	MINIATURE HORSE CLASSES - in arena
10:25 A.M.	LT. HORSE WESTERN & ENGLISH CLASSES - in arena
12:30- 1:15 P.M	GRAND CHAMPION SHOWMAN - <i>main ring</i>
1:30 - 3:30 P.M.	PROJECT COMPETITION RUN OFFS - Bake off, Cake Decorating, Crafts, Garden, Scrapbooking, and Woodworking competition – <i>Resource Building</i> (<i>roped area</i>)

1:00PM

1. Open Pony Mare Halter
2. Open Pony Gelding Halter
Champion Pony Halter
3. Open Horse Gelding Halter
4. Open Horse Mare Halter
Champion Halter Horse
5. Showmanship Senior
6. Showmanship 14-18
7. Showmanship 13 & under
8. Small fry Showmanship

3:00PM

9. Road Hack Jr. Rider
- Unicorn Clydesdale Hitch
10. Hunt Seat Equitation Senior Rider

- 11. Hunt Seat Equitation Junior Rider
- 12. Road Hack Senior Rider

SUPPER

6:00PM to 7:00PM

4-H Activities

PARADE OF CLUBS & PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

4-H TUG OF WAR PULLS *Arena*

13. Western Pleasure Senior Horse

14. Western Pleasure Junior Horse

8:30pm

Lt.Weight Belgian

Lt.Weight Percheron

15. Pony Under Barrels

16. Pony Over Barrels

17. Barrel Race Junior Rider #1

18. Down & Back Junior Rider #1

19. Pole Bending Horse Open #1 **STAKE**

Monday Entertainment Schedule:

3:30pm

Fashion Show Practice Resource Building

5:00pm

Fashion Show Resource Building

4:00& 8:00pm

Bottle feeding baby calves Livestock barn

4:30-5:30pm

4-H Fashion Show Resource Building

6:00pm-7:00pm

Newfie Sound featuring George Payne outdoor stage

7:00pm

Flower Arranging Commercial Building

8:00-10:00pm

Noah & Josh Resource Building

Tuesday

9:30am-12:00pm

Draft Line Classes

Percheron, Clydesdale, Belgian

Draft Jr. Showmanship

12:00pm

20. Horsemanship Senior Rider

21. Horsemanship Junior Rider

22. Pleasure Pony Under

Heavyweight Percheron

23. Pleasure Pony Over

24. Small fry Walk/Trot

Unicorn Percheron Hitch

25. English Pleasure Horse Junior Rider

26. English Pleasure Horse Senior Rider

27. Pony Hack **STAKE**

2:30pm to 3:00pm

Exhibition Games

3:00pm-4:30pm

Beef, Dairy and Sheep Showmanship

5:00pm

28. English Pleasure Horse Open **STAKE**

Heavyweight Belgian

29. English Pleasure Novice Horse

Unicorn Belgian Hitch

Lt. Weight Clydesdale

7:00pm to 830pm
9:00pm

30. Road Hack Horse Open **STAKE**
4-Horse Hitch Clydesdale
Highland Highwaymen Cowboy Shooting Club
31. Barrel Race Horse Open #1 **STAKE**
32. Down & Back Junior Rider #2
33. Pole Bending Jr Rider #1

Tuesday Entertainment:

3:00-4:00pm Star Lab Main Hall
4:00& 8:00pm Bottle feeding baby calves cowbarn
4:00-6:00pm Fred Stamper Outdoor Stage
7:00pm Flower Arranging Demonstration Commercial Building
6:00pm -7:00 Tri Town Boxing Club Demo ResourceBldg
7:00pm Paul's **Magic Show set up**
8:30-9:30 Paul's Magic and Illusion Resource Building

Wednesday

8:00am

34. Horse Trail **STAKE**
35. Pony Trail **STAKE**
36. Small Fry Trail
37. Horse Command
38. Pony Command
39. Smallfry Command
40. Maritime Bred Horse
41. Novice Horse Western Pleasure

LUNCH

1:00pm

Clydesdale Cart Class
Percheron Cart Class
Belgian Cart Class
42. Pleasure Pony Open **STAKE**
Ladies Driving Cart Class
Jr. Cart Class
43. Appaloosa / Paint / Pinto Pleasure
44. Morgan Horse Pleasure
45. Miniature Pleasure Driving
46. Pony Pleasure Driving
47. Western Pleasure Horse Go Round #1 **STAKE**
48. Rookie Reining

4:30-5:30pm Set up for Hunter /Jumper Classes

5:30 – 7:20pm Hunter/Jumper
Class 1 Baby Hunter
Class 2 Low Hunter
Class 3 Mid Hunter
Class 4 Open Hunter

7:40pm 4-Horse Hitch Belgian
4 -Horse Hitch Percheron
8:15 pm 49. Barrel Race Horse Open #2
50. Down & Back Horse Open #1
51. Pole Bending Horse Open #2 **STAKE**

Wednesday Entertainment :

1:00-2:00pm Flower Arrangement Demonstration Commercial Building
 2:00-4:00pm Star Lab Main Building
 2:00-4:00pm Fred Stamper Outdoor Stage
 4:00 & 8:00pm Bottle feeding baby calves cowbarn
 6:00- 7:00pm Beth Johnson's Highland Dancers /Erin, Evan and Josh
 All Day- Dairy Farmer's of Canada Moonica the Robotic Cow
 7:00pm Flower Arranging Demonstration Commercial Building
 7:00-8:00pm Tri Town Boxing Club Demonstration Resource Building
 8:15-10:30pm Noah & Josh Resource Building

Thursday

12:00pm - 2:00pm 52. Versatile Horse **STAKE**
 53. Pole Bending Horse Open #3 **STAKE**
 3:00pm to 3:30pm **Heavy Horse Obstacle Course**
 3:30-4:30pm Heavy Horse Demo
 4:30PM Railroad Recording Set Up for Men of the Deeps
 7:45pm Opening for the Men of the Deeps - Tess Carrigan/Mallery Williams
 8:00pm Men of the Deeps Concert
 54. RAM Barrel Race Horse Open #3 **STAKE**

Thursday Entertainment:

All Day Dairy Farmer's of Canada Moonica the Robotic Cow
 2:00-3:00 4-H Butter making/Grain Bracelets Resource Bldg
 2:00-4:00 Elsa and Olaf
 4:00& 8:00pm Bottle feeding baby calves Livestock Barn
 6:00-7:00pm Star Lab Main Hall
 6:30pm Rug Hooking Demonstration Commercial Building
 7:00pm Fencing Demonstration Resource Building
 7:00pm Flower Arranging Demonstration Commercial Building
 7:45pm Tess Carrigan / Mallery Williams Arena
 8:00pm Men of the Deeps Arena
 9:00-10:30pm Newfie Sound featuring George Payne Resource Building

Friday

8:30am 55. Youth Reining
 56. Western Pleasure Horse Junior Rider
 10:00am Best Maritime Bred Single Hitch
 57. English Pleasure Pony Open **STAKE**
 Clydesdale Tandem
 Percheron Tandem
 Belgian Tandem
 58. Western Pleasure Horse Senior Rider
 59. Beginners Pleasure
 60. 4-H Pleasure
 61. Children's Pet Pony
 12:30pm to 1:00pm *Exhibition Games*
 1:15pm 62. Reining Novice Horse
 63. Miniature Horse Barrel Race

- 64. Small Fry Barrel Race
- 65. Barrel Race Junior Rider #2
- 66. Down & Back Horse Open #2

SUPPER

5:00pm

Exhibition Games or TBA

6:00pm

67. Freestyle Reining **STAKE**

4-Horse Hitch Championship

4-Horse Hitch Driving Competition

8:00pm

68. RAM Barrel Race Horse Open #4 **STAKE**

69. Pole Bending Horse Open #4 **STAKE**

Friday Entertainment:

2:00-4:00pm

Human Hamster Ball Races Main Hall with Klutzy

All Day

Dairy Farmer's of Canada Moonica the Robotic Cow

4:00-6:00pm

Fred Stamper Outdoor Stage

4:00& 8:00pm

Bottle feeding baby calves Livestock Barn

7:00pm

Flower Arranging Demonstration Commercial Building

7:00-8:00pm

Beth Johnson Dance Resource Building/ Erin, Evan and Josh

8:00-10:00pm

Back in Time Resource Building

Saturday

8:30am

70. Pole Bending Pony Over

71. Pole Bending Pony Under

72. Small fry Pole Bending

73. Pole Bending Junior Rider #2

74. Down & Back Pony Over

75. Down & Back Pony Under

76. Small fry Down & Back

77. Miniature Horse Driving #2

78. Pony Pleasure Driving

79. English Pleasure Junior Horse

80. English Pleasure Senior Horse

1:00pm

Best Cape Breton Team

Ladies Team Driving

Junior Teamster Draft

Maritime Bred Team

81. Leadline

82. Adult Walk/Trot

83. Family Class

84. Western Pleasure Pony Open **STAKE**

85. Quarter Horse Pleasure **STAKE**

	86. Open Reining STAKE
	87. Costume Class
4:00-5:00pm	Highland Highwaymen Cowboy Show Demo
5:00pm to 6:00 pm	Exhibition Games
6:00pm to 7:00pm	Cape Breton Agility Club
7:00pm	6-Horse Hitch All Breeds
	6-Horse Hitch Championship
	Western Pleasure Horse Open Final Go Round
	8-Horse Hitch
8:00pm	88. RAM Barrel Race Horse Open #5 STAKE
	89. Pole Bending Horse Open #5 STAKE

Saturday Entertainment

All Day	Dairy Farmer's of Canada Moonica the Robotic Cow
1:00-3:00pm	Noah and Josh Outdoor stage
4:00& 8:00pm	Bottle feeding baby calves Livestock Barn
6:00-7:00pm	Set up Paul's Magic Show
7:00-8:00	Paul's Magic Show Resource Building
8:30-10:30pm	Back in Time Resource Building

Times and schedule may change
In the Livestock Barn we have calves that you can bottle feed,
Check out Macintyre Family Farms. ...

Food Court Concessions Include:

Subway



Bruce's Canteen

Scotsburn Ice Cream

Flurries, Slushies, Sundae's, Frozen Yogurt

Bianchini's Pizzeria



Mian's Delicious

East Indian Food!



4-H Canteen will be open for Breakfast 8:30AM



4-H Canteen open until 10:00PM Monday to Friday Saturday -9:00PM



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Thursday, Friday and Saturday

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