

# The Georgia National Fair

in conjunction with the  
**Spalding Co. 4-H and Sanctioned by USEDA**

Presents the

## GEORGIA NATIONAL FAIR GEORGIA OPEN DRILL TEAM EVENT

October 6-7, 2017

Georgia National Fairgrounds

Exits 134 & 135, I-75

Perry, GA

[www.gnfa.com](http://www.gnfa.com) or [www.georgianationalfair.com](http://www.georgianationalfair.com)



Spalding County 4-H would like to invite you to our 4th Annual Georgia Open Drill team event at the Georgia National Fair in Perry, GA on October 6th & 7th. This is a USEDC sanctioned event, and USEDC Rules will apply. You must be a USEDA member to receive points towards Nationals. We are trying to put on a Low cost event so we can attract more teams and maybe encourage new teams to join our sport on Drill.

Entry fees are \$25 for Color Guard, \$45 per class for all Quad classes & \$80 per class for all others.

Make checks payable to:  
**Spalding Co. 4-H**  
835 Memorial Dr.  
Griffin, GA 30224  
Fax # 770-467-4239  
or email: [uge2255@uga.edu](mailto:uge2255@uga.edu)

**ENTRY DEADLINE IS SEPTEMBER 7TH. ALL FEES MUST BE PAID AT TIME OF ENTRY.**

Contact Info: Cary Chasteen 770-584-2839 or  
[cchasteen@mindspring.com](mailto:cchasteen@mindspring.com)

### Negative Coggins required

1. **ARRIVAL & DEPARTURE:** Check-in for stalls will begin at 10am on Thursday 10/6 and must be vacated by 11:00am on Sunday 10/9.
2. **HEALTH REQUIREMENTS:** Original or notarized copy of current negative Coggins test results must be provided for all horses.

**Georgia Department of Agriculture**  
Agriculture Building Capitol Square  
Atlanta, Georgia 30334-2001 USA  
(404)656-3667  
FAX (404)656-9380

3. **LIABILITY:** The Georgia National Fair will not be responsible for any loss, personal injury or damage to horses exhibited or for any article of any kind or nature that may be lost or destroyed or in any way damaged. Each exhibitor will be responsible for any injury that may be occasioned to any person or any animal or damage to any property while on the grounds by any horse owned or exhibited by him/her and shall indemnify the management against all while on the grounds by any

horse owned or exhibited by him/her and shall indemnify the management against all legally established claims to damages of any kind or nature that may grow out of any injury occasioned by any horse owned or exhibited by him/her.

4. **PARKING & PASSES:** All vehicles pulling trailers with horses aboard will be allowed to enter the East Gate.

Vehicle and admission passes will be issued upon arrival at the barn when stalling horses. One complimentary vehicle pass and two complimentary admission passes will be issued per exhibitor and must be picked up at the barn. Vehicles with vehicle passes may park in Lot 5 or 6. All other vehicles must park outside gates and all other personnel must purchase admission tickets at gate.

When leaving the grounds, be sure to have your hand stamped at the gate to be able to return the same day without an additional charge.

**Stalls will be open @ 10am on Thursday, October 5th to check in. Stalls are \$70 per stall and include one-time bedding. For ease of check-in and coordination with the fair staff, all stalls will have bedding in the stalls. If tack stalls are needed, just move the bedding to another stall. Additional bedding can be purchased for \$7 per bag at the show office in the barn.**

Campsite reservations are can be made through the fairgrounds @ [www.georgianationalfair.com](http://www.georgianationalfair.com).

Hotel information can be found @ [www.perryga.com](http://www.perryga.com). Hotels are filling up quickly due to the fair. (Stalls available October 6) Bedding included  
**(All horses must be stalled and pay stall fee to participate in this show)**

R.V. Hookups: .....\$30.00/day\*

\* R.V. hookup reservations must be made with and fees paid directly to the Georgia National Fair. Reservations made only upon receipt of R.V. space fees and are dependent on availability.

**WARNING:** Under Georgia law, an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for any injury to or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities, pursuant to Chapter 12 of Title 4 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated.

Practice times will be on a first come, first served basis and will be held in Practice Ring #2. This is also the competition arena and will be open for practice from 12pm – 10pm on Thursday. The arena size is 110' x 220'. Practice times are limited to 20 minutes. Additional 20 minute practice times can be used if there is not a team waiting for arena use.

A coaches/judges meeting will be held Friday morning at 9:00 am in the stands by the arena and will be followed by an 9:30 competition start.

Competition music will need to be in on a cd. Music/team introductions must be recorded on the cd or double-space typed for the announcer to read. All music and introductions must be turned in by 9:00 am coaches meeting on Friday morning.

Each team will be responsible to have someone from their team to open and close the gates.

In addition, there will be a concert in Reaves Arena Saturday night; therefore, a heavier volume of patrons is expected. Tickets to the concert are not included in the drill competition costs.

For the Region 7 Champions. Points will be awarded for each day for the following classes:

- Colorguard Open
- Quad Open
- Patriotic Div. Open
- Theme Open
- Div. 1 Freestyle Open

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### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6TH - 9:30AM

#### DIVISIONS:

- 1 COLOR GUARD YOUTH
- 2 COLOR GUARD OPEN
- 3 QUAD NOVICE
- 4 QUAD THEME YOUTH
- 5 QUAD THEME NOVICE
- 6 QUAD THEME OPEN
- 7 QUAD YOUTH
- 8 QUAD OPEN

#### LUNCH BREAK

- 9 PATRIOTIC DIV.
- 10 THEME NOVICE
- 11 THEME YOUTH
- 12 THEME OPEN
- 13 FREESTYLE NOVICE
- 14 FREESTYLE YOUTH
- 15 DIV. 1 FREESTYLE OPEN

### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7TH - 9:30AM REGION 7 CHAMPIONSHIPS

#### DIVISIONS:

- 1 COLOR GUARD YOUTH
- 2 COLOR GUARD OPEN
- 3 QUAD NOVICE
- 4 QUAD THEME YOUTH
- 5 QUAD THEME NOVICE
- 6 QUAD THEME OPEN
- 7 QUAD YOUTH
- 8 QUAD OPEN

#### LUNCH BREAK

- 9 PATRIOTIC DIV.
- 10 THEME NOVICE
- 11 THEME YOUTH
- 12 THEME OPEN
- 13 FREESTYLE NOVICE
- 14 FREESTYLE YOUTH
- 15 DIV. 1 FREESTYLE OPEN

The theme for the Georgia National Fair this year is "Family, Traditions & Memories". Since they are our sponsor, let's try to work around this concept for our theme.

#### 2017 Georgia National Fair Horse Show Schedule

Ga. Open Drill Team Event.....	Fri., Oct. 6, 9:30 am
.....	Sat., Oct. 7, 9:30 am
Sport Horse .....	Thur., - Sat., Oct 5-7, 10 am
Saddlebred Horse .....	Sun., Oct. 8, 10 am
Miniature Horse Demo.....	Mon. & Tues, Oct. 9-10, 10 am
Feathered Horse.....	Tues., Oct. 10, 9 am
.....	Wed., Oct. 11, 9 am
.....	Thurs., Oct. 12, 9 am
Draft Horse .....	Thurs., Oct. 12, 10am
.....	Fri., Oct. 13, 10am & 6 pm
.....	Sat., Oct. 14, 11am & 6 pm