

## Checklist for Horse Owners

### Before the event:

- ✓ Make sure Coggins is up to date.
- ✓ Arrange for health certificate if traveling out of state.
- ✓ Contact EqMIC to let them know you're bringing a horse.
- ✓ Check if the event requires any additional paperwork (proof of shots, etc)
- ✓ Find out if there is a stall available or if you need to bring a pen for your horse.
- ✓ Print & fill out the Emergency Contacts form.

### Remember to bring with you:

- ✓ Sufficient hay for the event, plus the ride to and from, plus a little extra just in case
- ✓ Grain, if you feed it.
- ✓ Buckets for water and food.
- ✓ Whatever you need to stable your horse (electric fence, portable pen, stall guard, etc.)
- ✓ A few gallons of water from your horse's barn
- ✓ Manure fork & bucket
- ✓ Spare halter, lead rope
- ✓ Fly spray
- ✓ Grooming tools
- ✓ Tack (don't forget girths!)
- ✓ Equine first aid kit
- ✓ Your vet's phone number & your boarding barn's number if you board.
- ✓ Paperwork (filled out emergency contact form, proof of coggins, and health certificate if applicable)

### At the event:

- ✓ Keep an eye on your horse's water intake if it's especially warm.
- ✓ Watch out for curious visitors who like to feed/pet the horses.
- ✓ Do NOT leave site without making sure that the EqMIC knows that you're leaving, who is responsible for your horse while you're gone, and when you expect to return.
- ✓ Remember that you must either remain sober enough to care for your horse, or you must designate a willing substitute BEFORE you get drunk.