

General Rules

1. The following rules shall apply to all departments of the Fair. It shall be the responsibility of all exhibitors, food vendors, and concessionaires to abide by these rules.
2. All property brought upon the Fairgrounds by any person and for any purpose is subject to these rules.
3. All persons entering the Fairgrounds or while on the road leading to the Fairgrounds, with or without permission and for any purpose, agree to hold the North Haverhill Fair Association and its officers, directors, agents, employees, and volunteers harmless from any loss, damage, injury, death, or dismemberment from any cause whatsoever to any person or property.
4. All property brought upon the Fairgrounds shall be the sole responsibility of the owner, and the North Haverhill Fair Association assumes no responsibility for its safety. The Association will employ watchmen on the grounds at night and exercise due care, but said Association will assume no responsibility for any damage from any cause that may occur to any animal or article on exhibition, and upon this condition only are entries received.
5. As a part of the consideration for permission to be upon the Fairgrounds, all claims for damage to property or for personal injury are specifically waived; and no claim or suit shall in any way be commenced or maintained against the North Haverhill Fair Association and its officers, directors, agents, employees, and volunteers. North Haverhill Fair Association, Inc., will not be responsible for any accident or damage that may occur to persons or property while on the road leading to the Fair Grounds, or while on the Fair Grounds. All stock and articles entered for premiums must be under the care and control of the owner at his risk during the Fair.
6. No vehicles of any sort shall be permitted to park or stand in any road or walkway of the Fairgrounds. Such vehicles may be towed at the owner's expense.
7. Commercial delivery trucks and exhibitor vehicles may not move on the main road of the Fairgrounds between 10am and 10pm. Noncompliance with this regulation may result in the loss (without compensation) of Fairground admittance privileges and/or exhibit spaces.
8. No firearms or open containers of any alcoholic beverage shall be carried on the Fairgrounds.
9. No dogs shall be permitted on the Fairgrounds except for seeing eye dogs. This includes during set-up and take-down of exhibits.
10. Any exhibitor bringing chemicals onto the Fairgrounds must have a Material Safety Data Sheet for each chemical in the booth at all times.
11. All renters, exhibitors, and concessionaires agree to obtain and maintain in force, at their own expense, during the term of their contract the North Haverhill Fair Association, and any extension thereof, liability insurance with insurers approved by the North Haverhill Fair Association. Such coverage shall be adequate to protect against liability for damage claims through public, private, or sublease use of, or arising out of accidents occurring in or around the premises, in a minimum amt. of \$500,000 for any one accident, and \$500,000 for property damage. Each of the aforesaid insurance policies shall name the North Haverhill Fair Association, Inc. as an additional insured party, and the North Haverhill Fair Association, Inc. shall be furnished with a certificate of insurance from the insurer which certifies that the foregoing insurance is in effect.
12. All camping is by permit only, in specified areas. A fee shall be charged. Some electrical, water, and AC hookups are available. The running of unauthorized extension cords or the use of unauthorized electrical connections shall be cause for immediate removal of the offender from the grounds and forfeiture of all fees. Reservations for specific spots will be arranged, prior to the fair, with the designated fair official. Tenting will be by permission of the fair camping official.
13. All overnight campers must be registered with the fair camping official and must display the tags on their vehicle. TRAILER FEES - \$25.00 per night per trailer or 24 hour period. A/C \$5.00 additional per night.
14. All livestock trailers, after unloading, must be parked in the designated area.
15. No commercial exhibitor or concessionaire may dig holes, pound stakes or poles, or mount antennas or satellite dishes without obtaining permission of the designated fair official.
16. Any electrical wiring must be done by the North Haverhill Fair Association electrician and may involve additional expense to the requester of such wiring.
17. The North Haverhill Fair Association is not responsible for damage caused by power outages.

18. The exhibit buildings will be open to the public from 10:00 AM to 10:00 PM.
19. All permanent buildings owned by the North Haverhill Fair Association and used by other personnel must have current, negotiated, and signed contracts prior to any occupancy.
20. All exhibits and entries must remain intact until 7:00 PM Sunday, or as specified within each department. Failure to comply with this rule will result in forfeiture of all premiums and ribbons or trophies won in all departments. Commercial exhibits must not begin dismantling until after 7:00 PM on Sunday.
21. The Directors of the North Haverhill Fair Association reserve the right to reassign any space not occupied by an exhibitor by the specific date and time. No exhibitor is permitted to sublet or assign his/her space without prior written approval of the director(s) in charge of space.
22. The Association reserves the right to limit entries in any department as space in tents and buildings is limited.
23. The Directors of the North Haverhill Fair Association have the right to remove from the Fairgrounds any exhibit, animal, concession, show, sign, banner, or advertising matter of any kind which is unsuitable or objectionable to them, without assigning any reason thereto.
24. Exhibitors and concessionaires shall keep their space(s) and stall(s) clean at all times. All waste and litter shall be placed in appropriate containers.
25. Each exhibitor and concessionaire shall confine his/her activities to the space assigned.
26. Tent stakes, exhibitor vehicles, etc., must stay within the boundaries of the space actually rented.
27. Concessionaires and food vendors may sell ONLY those items specifically listed on the contract signed with and submitted to the North Haverhill Fair Association. The directors in charge of the food vendor/exhibit/concession areas have the sole right to limit items which may be sold by any vendor.
28. Advertising material shall be distributed from, and displayed in, an authorized exhibit space only. Begging, soliciting, singing, public speaking or creating a general nuisance is prohibited. Any person violating this rule is subject to expulsion from the grounds.
29. All space allotted may be appropriately decorated by the exhibitor or concessionaire at their own expense. Said decorations shall be subject to the approval of the North Haverhill Fair Association Board of Directors. There will be ribbons awarded each year, to the neatest, best kept, most appropriately decorated of the indoor and outdoor exhibits/concessions; to be judged by the Board of Directors.
30. Exhibitors will have the right to sell their exhibits, but the same must not be removed during the Fair.
31. Any person objecting in an ungentlemanly or public manner to the judgment or ruling of an awarding committee, judge, department superintendent, or any official of the North Haverhill Fair Association may be excluded by the Board of Directors from further competition or exhibition until such time as he/she has been reinstated by decision of a majority of the entire Board of Directors.
32. Any exhibitor making or causing to be made, any false statement regarding an animal or article, or attempting to interfere with any judge in the performances of his/her duty, shall be excluded from the competition or exhibition.
33. Department superintendents shall appoint judges when not otherwise named.
34. Where there are fewer animals or articles shown in a class than the number of premiums offered, the judges may or may not award a prize or prizes, or may combine a class or classes, at their sole discretion.
35. Premiums shall be paid by the treasurer at the close of the exhibition.
36. Premiums shall be awarded only in accordance with the entry book which has been properly signed by the judge(s).
37. The management does not anticipate that it will be necessary to prorate or defer premiums, but if on account of weather, or other causes beyond its control, there are not sufficient funds available, the Association reserves the right to do so.
38. In the event of a conflict between these Rules and Regulations and special department rules, the special rules shall govern.
39. The North Haverhill Fair Association Board of Directors reserves the right to amend these rules from time to time, as they see fit.
40. **Please Note: No refunds will be given due to inclement weather.**