CHATHAM-KENT PLOWMEN'S ASSOCIATION

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 $Chatham\text{-}Kent\ Queen\ of\ the\ Furrow\ 2018\ -\ 2020:$

Lauren McKerrall, Chatham

Chatham-Kent Princess of the Furrow 2018 - 2019:

Hanna Reid, Ridgetown

Good luck to Lauren as she represents Chatham-Kent at the 2019 International Plowing Match & Rural Expo in Verner (West Nipissing) this September! Thank you Hanna for your year as the Chatham-Kent Princess of the Furrow!



4-H Leaders: Brandon Crow & Bailey Pool

HOST FARMER: Peter Fisher

9974 Gregory Line, Chatham, ON, NOP 2M0

STEWARDS: Morley Clark and Judy Clark

PLOW JUDGES: Bryan Bertrand with 2 others TBA.

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Thank you to everyone for their generous contributions, which help make the Chatham-Kent Plowing Match possible.

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CHATHAM-KENT PLOWING MATCH

Saturday, August 10th, 2019

9:30 am to 3:00 pm

*Plow lands to be drawn at 9:30am

9974 Gregory Line Chatham, ON, NOP 2M0

Banquet and Awards 5:00 pm

Eben-Ezer Christian School 485 McNaughton Ave E., Chatham, ON, N7L 2H2

It is mandatory that each contestant provide evidence of at least 2 million dollars liability insurance. The Chatham-Kent Plowmen's Association is not responsible for any accidents.

Questions? ckplowing@outlook.com 519-365-5952



RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 1. All competitors using tractors equipped with front-end loaders will remove all loader attachments prior to entering the competition area. Loader frames will be in a lowered position while the tractor is being operated. The Chatham-Kent Plowmen's Association reserves the right to disqualify a competitor who operates a loader-equipped tractor in an unsafe manner.
- 2. **No off-road vehicles are allowed** at the plowing match site the day of the match, unless a handicap sticker can be presented. A service vehicle, driven by the steward or CKPA Member, will be available if needed.
- 3. An **entry fee of \$15.00 per contestant**. Each contestant will receive one banquet ticket. All residents of Chatham-Kent who plow or pay a \$15.00 membership fee by the day of the match will be eligible to vote at the annual meeting.
- 4. No more than 2 people may use the same tractor and plow on match day.
- 5. All entries for classes 1-12 must be made by <u>9:30 a.m.</u> and drawing for lands begins at 9:30 a.m. Late entries will be subject to availability of land. Plowing should be completed by 3:30 p.m.
- 6. All entries must be made at the Secretary's table.
- 7. All plowmen must be 10 years of age by the day of the match.
- 8. In Tractor Classes the Crown shall consist of four rounds for two furrow plows and three rounds for 3 or more furrow plows after which the contestant shall commence to cast off to higher number which must be completed by 1:00 p.m. Maximum penalty 10 points.
- 9. All boards must be down and in plowing position other than opening split and 1st or 2nd draw on the cast-off only.
- 10. After setting and removing stakes, no assistance or coaching will be allowed on the competitor's land during plowing, EXCEPT in the Novice Class. Competitors in the Novice Class are permitted **ONE** assistant on the land during plowing.
- 11. Average depth of furrows to be six inches unless otherwise indicated, width of furrow to measure no less than 12 inches.
- 12. No handling allowed except in Horse Class.
- 13. Parents are responsible for children plowing under the age of 16.
- 14. Contestants limited to one class.
- 15. Any contestant, assistant, coach or spectator breaking any rules shall result in the relevant contestant receiving one warning from the Steward. A second warning will result in a penalty of 10 points against the relevant contestant, and the third warning will result in disqualification from that day's competition.
- 16. For any rules not covered here, please refer to the IPM prize list.

PRIZE MONEY FOR ALL CLASSES

1st - \$60.00	$4^{th} - 45.00
2 nd – \$55.00	$5^{th} - 40.00
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3rd - \$50.00 Remainder - \$30.00

TRACTOR PLOWING

*Open split required in all tractor plowing classes below

Class 1 - Open to all women of Ontario

Class 2 - Antique tractor class - open to Ontario - senior & junior classes

2A-S Trail Plow 2B-S Mounted Plow 2A-I Trail Plow 2B-I Mounted Plow

Class 3 - open to Chatham-Kent - 2 furrow plows 10 to 20 years

Class 4 - open to Chatham-Kent - 2 furrow plows 21 and older

Class 5 - open to Ontario - 2 or 3 furrow plow - senior & junior classes

5-S 2 or 3 Furrow 5-J 2 or 3 Furrow

Class 6 - open to Chatham-Kent - 3 furrow plow - 10 to 20 years

Class 7 - open to Chatham-Kent - 3 furrow plows 21 and older

Class 8 - open to Ontario - 4 + furrow- not less than 12", 10 to 20 years

Class 9 - open to Ontario - 4 + furrows - not less than 12", 21 or older

Class 10 - open to Ontario - Reversible

Class 11 – NOVICE CLASS - Open to all first time plowmen from Chatham-Kent. Must supply own tractor and plow. Open split required.

Class 12 – HORSE PLOWING - open to Ontario, Sulky and Walking
Class 12A – Sulky
Class 12B – Walking

SPECIAL CLASSES

Media and Government Officials – 1:00 pm Queen of the Furrow Plowing – 2:00 pm

SPECIAL PRIZES (\$5.00 each)

Best Finish in Classes: 1, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 and 9
Best Crown in Classes: 3, 6 and 8
Youngest & Eldest Plowman
Best Plowed Land by a Lady

JUNIOR SPECIAL - For the Best Plowed Land by a Junior Member 15 and under. Open to Chatham-Kent. Novice Class not eligible.

PLOWING SPECIAL - For the Best Plowed Land at the match. A competitor may receive this special only once every five years. Open to Chatham-Kent. Novice Class not eligible.

CHATHAM-KENT PRINCESS OF THE FURROW

- Contestants must be 11-16 years of age as of Jan 1/19
- No entry fee, but contestants must register by July 30/19*
- Required to give 1-2 minute speech on any topic related to agriculture and interview with a panel of 3 judges

* To register, please contact Stephanie Campbell at 519-365-5952 or ckplowing@outlook.com.

CHATHAM-KENT QUEEN OF THE FURROW

• Lauren McKerrall, 2018-2020 Chatham-Kent Queen of the Furrow will continue her 2 year rein

UPCOMING IPM LOCATIONS:



2019 WEST NIPISSING OUEST VERNER, Ontario • SEPT. 17-21 International Plowing Match & Rural Expo Concours international de labour et exposition rurale

