




# Calaveras County Fair & Jumping Frog Jubilee

## Hide Race



### Event Details:

-  **Date:** May 15, 2026. Beginning at 12pm.
-  **Location:** Calaveras County Fairgrounds – Frogtown Arena
-  **Entry Fee:** \$50 per team (three-person team)

 **Buckles will be awarded to the winning team.**

### Hide Race – (Must be 9 years old as of January 1, 2026)

Three-person team, one mounted rider and two hide riders. Safety helmets, safety glasses/goggles, gloves and coveralls are suggested but optional for all riders. Mounted rider starts behind designated start line with hide dallied to horn. Hide rider #1 will be in prone position on the hide. Time will begin once the horse's nose crosses the start/finish line. Team will race to the other end of the arena past the first barrel and must stay outside of the barrel. Hide rider #1 will dismount the hide and hide rider #2 will then get in prone position on the hide. Hide rider #2 must be in position before passing on the outside of the second barrel to race back to the start/finish line.

Arena Committee Members:  
Ace Anderson, Clinton Brownlie, Joe & Suzanne Butler, Aaron Cole, Krista Delgado, Tim Folendorf, Shane Lucore,  
Chris Markus, Kelsey Markus, Nikole Tippit, Lyle Vandeburgh.  
Arena Director: Tillie Mann

The Calaveras County Fair & Jumping Frog Jubilee is May 14-17, 2026.  
For additional information contact [tillie.frogtown@gmail.com](mailto:tillie.frogtown@gmail.com) or visit [frogtown.org](http://frogtown.org).

## **General Guidelines:**

**Residency Requirements:** Open to Calaveras, Amador, Tuolumne and Alpine counties. Annually the Calaveras County Fair is homecoming for many people who grew up in Calaveras County and attended the Fair. We would like to encourage participation from cowpokes whose western roots are steeped in Calaveras County. These out of the area riders may participate in events if 50% of their team is a resident or producer in Calaveras County.

Residency shall be determined by a valid Driver's License, physical address, address of brand registration, or address of property used for grazing cattle.

**Entry Deadline:** If events have not been filled by April 10, 2026, contestants may enter a second team.

**Final Deadline:** May 1, 2026.

**Entry Limit:** 10 teams.

A release of liability signed by the contestant or contestant & parent/guardian is required.

**Admission:** (Hide Race Contestants) The entered contestant will be allowed free admission to the Fair on Friday, May 15, 2026. All other individuals in the vehicle will need admission passes. Contestant names will be on a list at the lower gate.

**Age Restrictions:** Age is determined by the contestant's age on January 1, 2026.

To compete in the **Hide Race**, a contestant must be at least 9 years old as of January 1, 2026.

All contestants are encouraged to wear a helmet during the competition.

Contestants may choose to dress in a costume theme but must wear a cowboy hat or helmet.

Contestants may not ride more than once on the same team in this event. The second entry must be with a different partner or partners. Please make any substitutions to the secretary prior to the event.

Once a team or individual is called to enter the arena, they have one minute to get into the arena. If they do not respond, the team/individual will be disqualified.

Buckles will be awarded at the conclusion of the event.

No outside alcohol is permitted past the holding area. Violation may result in disqualification.

The judge's decisions are final.

# Hide Race Entry Form

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone# \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Team Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Entry Fee \$50**

Contestant Name #1	
_____	Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____ Email _____
Contestant Name #2	
_____	Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____ Email _____
Contestant Name #3	
_____	Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____ Email _____

**RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY AGREEMENT**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ A HIDE RACE ENTRANT ("PARTICIPANT") ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE VOLUNTARILY APPLIED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES ON THE GROUNDS OF THE 39TH DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION. (CALAVERAS COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS) (FROGTOWN) – HIDE RACE.

**I AM AWARE THAT THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED ACTIVITIES ARE HAZARDOUS ACTIVITIES, AND I AM VOLUNTARILY PARTICIPATING IN THESE ACTIVITIES WITH KNOWLEDGE OF THE DANGER INVOLVED AND AGREE TO ASSUME ANY AND ALL RISKS OF BODILY INJURY, DEATH OR PROPERTY DAMAGE.**

The exhibitor agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the fair, the county and the State of California from and against any liability, claim, loss or expense (including reasonable attorneys’ fees) arising out of any injury or damage which is caused by, arises from or is in any way connected with participation in this program or event, excepting only that caused by the sole active negligence of the Fair. The fair management shall not be responsible for accidents or losses that may occur to any of the exhibitors or exhibits at the fair. The exhibitor (or parent or guardian of a minor) is responsible for any injury or damage resulting from the exhibitor’s participation in the program or event. This includes any injury to others or to the exhibitor or to the exhibitor’s property. I certify that these entries comply with Local, State and Department Rules contained in these rules. I certify that I have read the statement listed above.

As consideration for being permitted by the Fair and the State of California to participate in these activities and use their facilities, I hereby agree that I, my assignees, heirs, distributees, guardians, next of kin, spouse and legal representatives will not make a claim against, sue, or attach the property of the Fair or the State of California or any of their affiliated organizations as a result of my participation in the activities described above. I forever release the Fair and the State of California and any of their affiliated organizations from any and all action, claims, or demands that I, my assignees, heirs, distributees, guardians, next of kin, spouse and legal representatives now or hereafter have for injury or damage resulting from my participation in the activities described above.

**I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS AGREEMENT AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENTS. I AM AWARE THAT THIS IS A RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND A CONTRACT BETWEEN MYSELF AND THE FAIR, AND THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA AND/OR THEIR AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS AND SIGN IT OF MY OWN FREE WILL.**

EXECUTED AT ANGELS CAMP, CA ON \_\_\_\_\_

**ALL PARTICIPANT SIGNATURES:**

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CONTESTANT SIGNATURE

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PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

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PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

**IF YOU ARE UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE, YOU AND YOUR PARENT/GUARDIAN MUST SIGN THIS FORM WHERE INDICATED.**