

2012 POINTS RULES

Divisions & Classes

Youth Halter	1, 4, 7
Junior Halter	2, 5, 8
Senior Halter	3, 6, 9, 10
Gaited	13, 14, 15
Novice English	17, 21, 25
Youth English	18, 22, 26
Junior English	19, 23, 27
Senior English	20, 24, 28
Novice Western	36, 40, 44
Youth Western	37, 41, 45
Junior Western	38, 42, 46
Senior Western	39, 43, 47

Trophy Classes

Hunter Jumper	29, 30
Lead Line Pleasure	32
Reining	49

Points: 1st place = 6 points, 2nd place = 5 points, 3rd place = 4 points, 4th place = 3 points, 5th place = two points, 6th place = 1 point

Points are added together to calculate **Champion, Reserve Champion, and 3rd place awards** at the end of the year for **each** division.

Versatility Champion: The horse/rider combination **must compete in at least two divisions for the year to qualify**. Divisions included for this award are Halter, Gaited, English, and Western.

Trophy classes do not count towards this award. The horse/rider combination with the most points accumulated in two or more divisions throughout the year will receive the versatility award.

TO QUALIFY FOR END OF YEAR HIGH POINT AWARDS:

Must pay dues and meet meeting attendance requirements

Must complete six (6) show work hours during January through May

Must complete six (6) show work hours during June through November

Must compete in a minimum of five (5) point shows during the year

MEETING ATTENDANCE:

Each membership (family or individual) must attend the number of meetings required in the By-Laws each year. Attendance at a meeting by a member of a family counts as attendance for the entire family. Dues must be current. Exceptions to this requirement may be requested from the Board because of employment, education, distance from the clubhouse, or other extenuating circumstances.

SHOW WORK HOURS:

Six (6) hours **per competing member** must be worked for each half year (1st half is January through May and 2nd half is June through November). **Show work hours must be logged on the sign-in sheet at the registration booth.** Family members and other persons (non-members) may complete show work hours on behalf of a competing member. The proxy designation **MUST** be made before the work hours are completed. **“After the fact” transfer of points in order to qualify for awards is not permitted.**

SHOW PARTICIPATION:

Points are earned by horse/rider combinations. Each horse/rider combination must compete in a minimum of five (5) points shows each year in the same division. For example, to be eligible for a Junior High Point Western award, the horse and rider must compete in Junior Western Classes in at least five (5) point shows. There are no substitutions for the horse/rider combo, except for the death of or permanently disabling injury to the point earning horse.

NON-WORKING COMPETITORS:

Pay non-working competitors fees by the March membership meeting **(additional \$75.00)**. Must attend meetings as required in the By-Laws. Show work hours are not required.