

2023 WSQHA General Show Rules

Pre-Entries—A pre entry constitutes an entry that has been processed online with all the information complete. Registration paper must be presented to the secretary at the time of entry. Papers and memberships must be uploaded on line to be considered a pre entry. Pre-entries dates are listed on the class list. The office fee shall be charged at time of entry and is non refundable. FAXES AND MESSENGER ARE NOT ACCEPTED.

Post-Entries—A \$25 one time post entry fee will be added if entries are received after the entry date. Post entry fee does not apply to pre-entered horses who add classes at the show.

AQHA Performance Halter—You must provide proof of eligibility ROM in order to participate in Performance Halter or show in one performance class under the same show number

APHA Performance Halter—Horses one year of age and older. Horses are not eligible to compete in other classes as listed in APHA Rule SC-175 at the same show or contest. Horses must compete in a minimum of one performance class other than showmanship at the same show to be eligible. APHA Rule SC170 M1

AQHA Membership—Anyone wishing to show in an AQHA class must present a current AQHA membership card at the time of entry. Membership can be purchased at the office. An internet receipt from AQHA will NOT be accepted as proof.

APHA Membership—the rule state that all exhibitors must be current members of APHA: with the exception of All Breed, Champs and leadline classes which are not approved by APHA

Adds and Scratches—Scratches may only be made through the on line app and must be at least three classes prior to the class you are scratching. All other scratches will be charged. All closed accounts will not receive a refund. You must add your classes for each day online at the show app.

Stall Reservations—Stalls are not guaranteed or assigned if not done in line with complete payment. Groups wishing to be stabled together **MUST PAY FOR ALL STALLS**. Please upload a stall list form with everyone wishing to be stabled together. Please no phone reservations. Stalls must be vacated and left in a reasonable manner. Any paraphernalia left in stall assigned to you shall constitute a \$100.00 fine. **Stall fees are non refundable.**

Refund of Entry—Refunds are only granted if an official Veterinary slip is presented before the start of the first class of the entire show to the show office. Once the Vet slip is received, a \$40.00 office fee per entry and stall shall be deducted and a refund shall be mailed. Stalls are non refundable.

Fines Levied—Please be aware that exhibitors are responsible for fines levied against the show caused by exhibitor. See Rule 414c in the AQHA Handbook.

NSF Fees—A \$35.00 NSF fee shall be added to all payment that are not sufficient.

Open Accounts—Accounts that are not settled before the end of the show shall incur an additional **\$25.00 collection fee**. Please be sure all accounts are settled within 30 minutes of the last class of the show or the office will settle your account for you.

Accounts—All accounts are considered final after 7 days. Any question on charges must be presented within 7 days of the shows completion.

Draws—All class draws shall be done at least two classes prior and posted on line. All late entries shall be placed at the end of the draw.

Drug Testing—All horses entering AQHA classes and Futurities are subject to approved drug testing.

Awards—Spin the Wheel will take place at the No Silver No Sequins. Trophy Circuit—Circuit awards and show bucks shall be given through 5 places in all classes. Trophy Circuit show bucks may be used like cash at the on-site vendors at this show. Show bucks will not be applied to your show bill. April and June Ranch show class awards shall be given and ribbons to fifth. August Fiesta Circuit awards will be given. NW Emerald Circuit Buckles, Reserve Circuit coats and show bucks shall be awarded.

Walk/Trot—No cross entry into lope classes per Division; i.e. if you show in Walk Trot Horsemanship you are not eligible to show in Walk Jog Lope Horsemanship. This does not effect showmanship or all breed. ALL BREED 11 and UNDER can not cross enter into lope classes at the same show. Please note that no cross entry is allowed between APHA Walk Trot and All Breed Walk Trot Canter.

All Breed—These classes are meant to encourage and bring new members to our association.

AQHA All-Around—Trophy, and NW Emerald- Scores must be under all judges and shall use the AQHA point system. Exhibitors must show in three categories. Ties will be broken by the horse earning the most points in the greatest number of events, then the horse earning the greatest number of first places, then the winner over the greatest number of horses. High points are calculated on a one horse one rider combination except for Open Horse, multiple handlers are allowed. Walk Trot shall not require 3 categories and will be awarded to the rider with the most points and shall be a different award than the All Arouns. **TROPHY CIRCUIT REQUIRES HALTER UNDER BOTH CIRCUITS FOR THE HARRIS SADDLE AWARDS.** Any questions on high point standings must be addressed at the show within an hour of the last class, after that time all standings will remain as presented.

APHA High Points—All classes in your division including halter will count towards the Performance High Points listed on the show schedule. Ties will be broke by the horse with the most first, then the horse that places the most times and if still tied by coin toss. You must show in 3 classes to be eligible for a high point in both circuits. Any questions on high point standings must be addressed at the show within an hour of the last class, after that time all standings will remain as presented.

Circuit Awards—Trophy Circuit, August Fiesta and Emerald- you must compete under all judges offered at a show to be eligible for a circuit award. Two entries must show in a class at least one day for the award to qualify for circuit awards.

Right to Service - The show management reserves the right to refuse service for any reason. This is a closed event and the management reserves the right to remove anyone from the grounds for any reason. Dogs are not allowed in the arena and schooling areas due to the extreme danger to injury to horse and riders.

Futurities—Futurities shall follow NSBA rules **but shall not be approved by NSBA, 80% Payback on entry fees for all futurities**—Open and Non Pro futurities are 125.00 The owners membership must match the name on the registration papers presented. Non Pro exhibitors must possess Non Pro or Amateur cards in their respective Divisions. WSQHA membership is required for owner and rider to compete in all Futurities. Membership may be purchased at the show office. All prize money is subject to placing audits and clearing of method of payment. Checks will be disbursed after 21 days and only with receipt of a Social Security number. Checks will be held until all information and payment is in order. The futurities are open to registered Paints, Pintos, Buckskin, Palomino, Appaloosas and Quarter Horses. All exhibitors, trainers and staff associated with the futurity horse will abide will abide by the show and WSQHA rules. Futurity entries close at 10:00a.m. on the day of futurities. All Entries must be paid on line including the required WSQHA membership for the owner and rider. Once entered, no refunds will be granted.

Conditions—The conditions of submitting entries or the first entry into the show ring of a horse or exhibitor shall be deemed as acceptance of the AQHA, APHA, WSQHA and SWWPHC general rules. The final right to settle all questions or disputes is reserved for the show management. Exhibitors, Trainers, Riders or any other participant gives unqualified consent to such methods of settlement and agrees in advance to be bound thereby.

APHA Amateurs and Novice Amateurs must present current year APHA AM or Nov Am cards or complete an application for same and submit to the show secretary before entry into the class is allowed. A reminder that APHA rules state that only horses owned by the Am or Nov Am can be shown, Rule AM-020. Amateurs 19 and over are allowed to exhibit multiple horses in group classes APHA AM –085