

- (d) No person may judge more than two (2) approved closed (POR, State Show) shows for the same club during one calendar year.
- (e) No judge shall determine the eligibility for registration of any entry in the ring and shall at all times refrain from making comments regarding such.
- (f) It is recommended that a judge shall not attend a show or an exhibitors party, or any other activity in the general location that is connected with a show on the day previous to the show at which he/she is officiating.

216. EXHIBITOR CONDUCT

When an exhibitor is guilty of unsportsmanlike or improper conduct, failure to pay when due any obligation owing to the Association, giving a worthless cheque for entry fees, stall fees, office charges, stock charges or any other fees or charges connected with the exhibition of horses, The Paint Horse Association of Australia may suspend such exhibitors rights to participate in future approved shows for such a period as judged appropriate.

217. CATEGORIES AND CONTEST LIST

- (a) The following performance contests are divided into categories, including racing, have been approved for award points.
- (b) In order to obtain points in the categories and contests listed below, a correctly filled out Official points card should be returned to the PHAA office after any show holding these classes, duly signed by the judge or stewards and the exhibitor, within thirty (30) days of the show or contest to be eligible to obtain points. Refer to rules 203 and 204.

CATEGORY 1 - ARENA PERFORMANCE

- Trail
- Western Riding
- Reining
- Western Horsemanship

CATEGORY 2 - ARENA PLEASURE

- Western Pleasure
- Bridle Path Hack
- English Pleasure
- Hunter Under Saddle

CATEGORY 3 - ARENA COW

Working Cowhorse
Cutting
Calf Roping
Bulldogging
Campdrafting

CATEGORY 4 - COMPETITIVE SPEED

Cow Pony Race
Barrel Race
Rope Race
Camas Prairie Stump Race
Pole Bending
Steer Daubing
Keyhole Race

CATEGORY 5 - RACING

Sprint racing
Thoroughbred racing
Picnic racing

CATEGORY 6 - ENGLISH PERFORMANCE

Led Hack
Hacking
Jumping
Dressage
Three and One-Day-Events.

CATEGORY 7 - SPORTING EVENTS

All sporting and novelty events, excluding events in Category 4.

CATEGORY 8 - HUNTER CLASSES

Hunting
Hunter Hack
Working Hunter
Hunter In Hand

CATEGORY 9 - GENERAL PERFORMANCE

Competitive Trail Riding
Paint Horse Under Saddle
Paint Bred Under Saddle
Stock Horse Under Saddle
Working Stockhorse
Harness Classes
Ridden Stallion / Stallion Under Saddle
Colourama Under Saddle

(ROM AND SUPERIOR AWARDS ONLY - Events not eligible for PHAA Champion, Supreme awards, All Round Horse or High Point Performance.)

CATEGORY 10 - EQUITATION / RIDER / HANDLER

(This is a special category for Youth and Amateur Owners only)

Adult Rider Classes

Western Equitation

English Equitation

Reining Control

Bareback Equitation

Western Riding Control

Rider (as per pony club, gymkhanas and agricultural show classes)

Showmanship

CATEGORY 11 - LED PERFORMANCE

Lungeline

Led Trail

- (c) All approved performance and halter classes will be awarded full points as set out in rules below. Points can be obtained in any event as approved or recognised by the HSAA, AQHA, EFA or other recognised body. Points will also be awarded to horses competing at approved shows of the following recognised organizations National Reining Horse Assn (NRHA), National Cutting Horse Assn (NCHA), Australian Professional Rodeo Assn (APRA), Australian Bushman's Campdraft & Rodeo Assn (ABCRA) or international equivalent. Rules for competition will be the recognised rules of the individual association. It will be the responsibility of the competitor to supply the rules of the other Association to the PHAA if requested."
- (d) In all approved "Open Breed" performance classes, points will be awarded to Regular registered Paint Horses and to Paint Bred Registered horses (who have at least one parent regular registered.)
- (e) Paint Bred horses must have a regular registered parent to be eligible to be shown in Paint Bred Classes.
- (f) Only registered Paint Horses may compete in Paint Horse classes.
- (h) Points earned by Paint Bred Horses do not count toward Honour Roll or High Point Performance Horse awards other than those specified for Paint Bred Horses, Amateur Owner Paint Bred horses and Youth Paint Bred horses.
- (i) Points earned on Paint Bred Horses remain in their own Honour Roll standings.
- (j) Futurity classes, halter or ridden, are not approved as point earning classes.

218. POINTS SCORE SYSTEM

No. In										
Class	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th	7 th	8 th	9 th	10 th
1	0.5									
2-4	1	0.5								
5-8	2	1	0.5							
9-11	3	2	1	0.5						
12-14	4	3	2	1	0.5					
15-17	5	4	3	2	1	0.5				
18-30	6	5	4	3	2	1	0.5			
31-45	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0.5		
46-65	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0.5	
66-90	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0.5
91-100 *	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1

* In classes with more than 100 entries, the present scale is to be continued in increments for each 10 horses.

When a member requires a copy of his/her horses show points, then a lifetime points listing will be sent. All requests must be accompanied by a fee.

That from the beginning of the show year August 1st 2003 and thereafter, competitors in all PHAA approved State Championship Shows for PHAA affiliated associations be awarded double the normal points for placing's in classes. The National Show shall award triple points.

219. AWARDING OF SHOW AND PERFORMANCE POINTS

Points can only be awarded to PHAA registered horses whose recorded owner/lessee is a current financial member of the PHAA. Transfer of ownership is not effective for point tabulation until recorded by the PH.A.A. Office. Points will be credited to the recorded owner only. In order for points to be awarded the owner and exhibitor (if different to the owner) must be current PHAA members.

Separate cards must be used for Halter/Open classes, Youth or Amateur classes. Results of Youth or Amateur classes must not be recorded on the same sheet as any other rider or horse.

- (a) Show result cards are submitted to the PHAA correctly filled in within 30 days of the said show.
- (b) Cards arriving late - ie. after thirty (30) days but before sixty (60) days - may be counted if a penalty fee is paid.
- (c) Registered shows - points will be allocated to all qualifying horses from organising body (ie registered shows including State Championships, Paint O Ramas and National Show) and other registered shows approved by the Board of Directors.
- (d) Incorrect points cards: A penalty will apply to all incorrect point cards. Same to be returned to registered owner of the horse giving owner 14 days to return corrected card to the office with a fine before points will be allowed.
- (e) A copy of the show programme for the show attended must be included with all points cards sent in. For shows where the same programme is used for that series of shows and the show dates are printed on the programme, a copy of the programme may be sent in once only at the time of the initial submission of points cards.

SHOW POINTS - Show Result cards.

In a case where "spot checks" are done on show results and entries are shown to be incorrect by the exhibitor, all points won by the horse in question at that show will be cancelled. All cards must show the full registered name of the horse. All points must be submitted on official show result forms.

The Judge, Steward or Secretary is to delete the excess lines on the result card before signing. If this is not done, your points may not be accepted. Points cards received without date, correct name of horse, or registration number on wrong card (ie youth on horse card) the cards may be cancelled. Number pending will not be accepted.

Year End High Point Awards are tabulated to 31st July each year and must be received by 14th August of each year.

220.PAINT HORSE ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALIA SUPREME CHAMPION

The title PHAA Supreme Champion will be awarded to any stallion mare or gelding which has been issued a

numbered regular registry certificate by the PHAA, provided the said horse meets the following requirements.

- (a) Has been named at an approved show, National or State Champion at halter.
- (b) Has won a total of at least eighty (80) points in halter and performance shows.
- (c) At least thirty (30) of those points must have been won in halter classes.
- (d) And at least fifty (50) of those points have been won in performance events approved by the PHAA.
 1. No more than ten (10) points won in any one performance event will be counted.
 2. Horse must have earned at least one Register of Merit in each of Categories 1, 2, 3 and 4 of performance events as listed above.
 3. And must have earned at least one (1) Register of Merit in either category 6 or 8 as set out in Performance events above.
 4. And must have earned at least fifty (50) points as indicated under category 6.

In the event that this title is awarded, a special and engraved trophy shall be prepared and presented to the owner of the said horse at the next annual general meeting of the PHAA. A proper notation shall be made in an applicable Stud Book and other records of the PHAA.

The title of "PHAA Supreme Champion" is hereby, from this date and in the future, reserved by the Paint Horse Association of Australia for its express use. The registration certificate of any horse shall be revoked permanently by the Association if the owner thereof fraudulently advertises, claims or holds forth that this certain horse is entitled to the title "PHAA Supreme Champion" prior the title being officially awarded by the Association.

221. PHAA SUPERIOR ALL ROUND HORSE

The title "PHAA Superior All Round Horse" will be awarded to any stallion, mare or gelding which has been issued a regular registry certificate by the PHAA provided the said horse meets the following requirements:

1. Must have a superior rating in halter, having earned fifty (50) or more points.
2. Must have one superior rating in one performance class having earned at least fifty (50) points in one of the categories 1,2,3,4,5,6 and 8.
3. Must have earned at least one register of merit in at least four (4) of the performance contest categories 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 8.

In the event that this title is awarded, a special and properly engraved trophy shall be prepared and presented to the owner of the said horse at the next annual general meeting of the PHAA. A proper notation shall be made in the applicable Stud Book and other records of the PHAA.

The title of "PHAA Superior All Round Horse" is hereby, from this date and in the future, reserved by the PHAA for its express use. The registration certificate of any horse shall be revoked permanently by the PHAA if the owner thereof fraudulently advertises, claims or holds forth that this certain horse is entitled to the title "PHAA Superior All Round Horse" prior to the title being officially awarded by the PHAA.

222. PHAA CHAMPION

- (a) In regard to all horses registered by the PHAA, the title or term PHAA Champion is hereby, from this date and in the future reserved by the said PHAA for its express use and awarded to any individual stallion, mare or gelding, . . .which meet the requirements set out in the following section.
- (b) The title "PHAA Champion" may be awarded to any individual stallion, mare or gelding registered in the regular or Paint Bred registry after it has won a total of fifty (50) or more points in official shows and contests recognised by the PHAA provided:
 - (i) That the points have been won in five (5) or shows and under five (5) or more judges.
 - (ii) TThat at least sixteen (16) of the points have been won in halter classes.
 - (iii) That as least 5 points have been won at PHAA State or National Shows or at Royal Shows.

- (c) That at least twenty-five (25) of these points have been won in performance classes or contests and with a minimum of ten (10) points each having been earned in at least two (2) categories, from 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 8 of the performance events.
- (d) The title of "PHAA Champion" is hereby from this date and in future, reserved by the PHAA for its express use. The registration certificate of any horse shall be revoked permanently by the PHAA if the owner thereof fraudulently advertises, claims or holds forth that this certain horse is entitled to the PHAA Champion prior to the title being officially awarded by the PHAA.

These ten (10) points in at least two (2) categories cannot be earned in a combination of classes.

- (e) In the event the title is awarded, a proper certificate shall be prepared and awarded to the owner of the said horse, and also, a proper notation shall be made in an applicable Studbook, other records of the PHAA, and the Paint Horse Journal.

222A. PHAA CENTURY AWARDS - PHAA Century awards will be included in the PHAA awards categories.

PHAA Bronze Century - 100pts
PHAA Silver Century - 200pts
PHAA Gold Century - 300pts

PHAA CENTURY AWARDS - The title of PHAA Century (event) will be awarded to any stallion mare or gelding provided the said horse has earned 100 or more points in a PHAA approved event. A horse may receive this title for each separate event in which it has earned 100 or more points to earn the relevant Century award.

When the title of PHAA Century is awarded, a proper certificate shall be prepared and sent to the recorded owner or lessee of the horse. Also a proper notation shall be made in the applicable Stud Book and records of the PHAA.

223. PHAA SUPERIOR (Event) HORSE

- (a) The title "PHAA Superior Event Horse" will be awarded to any stallion, mare or gelding which has been issued a Regular or Paint Bred registration certificate by the PHAA provided said horse has earned fifty (50) or more points in one PHAA approved event.

(Examples: A horse which earns a minimum of fifty (50) points in cutting will be designated as a PHAA Superior Cutting Horse, with fifty (50) points at halter, it will be listed as a PHAA Superior Halter Horse).

A horse may receive this title for each separate event in which it has earned fifty (50) points.

- (b) When the title of PHAA Superior (event) Horse is awarded, a proper certificate shall be prepared and sent to the recorded owner of the said horse. Also, a proper notation shall be made in the applicable Studbook and records of the Association.
- (c) The registration certificate of any horse shall be revoked permanently by the Association if the owner thereof fraudulently advertises, claims or holds forth that this certain horse is entitled to the title PHAA Superior (event) Horse prior to the title being officially awarded by the Association.

224. REGISTER OF MERIT

- (a) The purpose of the Register of Merit is to establish a record of performance.
- (b) Each stallion, mare or gelding registered in the Regular or Paint Bred Registry of the PHAA can qualify for the title "Register of Merit" in halter and individual performance events when they have won ten (10) or more points in that event, as outlined in the Points Score System.
- (c) Points accumulated as a colt will be continued on when gelded.

226. HONOUR ROLL & YEAR END AWARDS

An Honour Roll (Event) Horse of the Year Award will be given to the horse in each individual event listed in Categories 1 to 9 that has the most points in that event for the year.

- (a) Minimum points to be five (5).
- (b) There is no limit on the number of half points gained towards Honour Roll yearly awards.
- (c) A trophy or something similar should be given to the high point runner up in youth and amateur each year.

227. HIGH POINT HALTER & HIGH POINT PERFORMANCE HORSE OF THE YEAR

- (a) The High Point Performance Horse of the Year Award will be given to the horse that has recorded the highest total of points - provided that:
 - 1) The points are earned in at least five (5) events.
 - 2) These five (5) events cover at least two (2) . . . categories from categories 1 to 6 and 8 inclusive.
- (b) The High Point Halter Horse of the Year Award will be given to the horse that has recorded the highest total of halter points from any division.

The recipient of these awards will receive a suitable trophy at the annual general meeting of the PHAA. This will be noted in the applicable Studbook and other records of the PHAA, as will the runners-up.

228. AWARDS FOR PAINT BRED HORSES

- (a) To be eligible for these awards, a Paint Bred Horse must have at least one parent in the PHAA Regular Registry or overseas Regular Registry.
- (b) These are available only in performance events in open breed competition (ie no points would be awarded for a class restricted to any other breed for which the individual may be eligible for registration with) or closed Paint Bred performance and/or halter classes including Paint Bred A/O classes and/or Paint Bred Youth classes. Points would be awarded on the same basis as all other PHAA points. Six awards will be available (ie ROM, Superior, Champion, Century, Annual High Point Paint Bred Performance Horse, Annual High Point Paint Bred Halter Horse).
 - 1) Register of Merit - Paint Bred Horse:
May be earned when a horse has won ten (10) or more points in any particular performance event.
 - 2) Superior (Event) Paint Bred Horse:
May be earned when a horse has won fifty (50) or more points in any particular performance event.
 - 3) Paint Bred Champion as per Rule 222 (b)
 - 4) Century Award - Paint Bred as per Rule 222A.

- 5) Annual High Point Paint Bred Performance Horse as per rule 227 (a)
- 6) Annual High Point Paint Bred Halter Horse as per rule 227 (b).

228A SPECIAL AWARDS

Special awards may be awarded to PHAA registered horses exhibited by disabled persons who are PHAA members and are unable to compete in certain classes specified for Awards such as PHAA Champion etc.

229. HIGH POINT HORSE OF SHOW

It is not mandatory for a High Point Award to be made at an approved show, however, if such an award is designated, the following scoring system shall be used to determine the winner.

- (a) To be eligible for all round honours, a horse must compete in at least three (3) approved performance events.
- (b) Horses placing in the top six will be allotted points as set out in the HSAA Rule Book.
- (c) No points are to be awarded to a disqualified horse regardless of the number in the class.

230. ADDITIONAL CONTEST RULES

Most of the recognised PHAA events as listed on the Categories and Contest list (Rule 217) have rules detailed in the rule book. Below are listed additional Contest rules, which were not covered in the HSAA Rulebook.

CATEGORY 3. ARENA COW

Bull Dogging - timed rodeo event as per any recognised Rodeo Association.

CATEGORY 4. COW PONY RACE

This contest is a race to simulate the common practice of cowboys who often settled arguments of who owned the fastest cow horse by holding impromptu races on the ranges. Horses with racing plates shall not be allowed in an approved cow pony race.

- (a) Shank bits with curb must be used. No "D" bits shall be allowed. Only two reins can be used. The interpretation of questionable equipment shall be left to the discrimination of the official judge.
- (b) If warranted, two divisions may be run - "bridle horses" and "snaffle bit/hackamore horses".

A walking start must be used and the starter's word shall be official.

The official judge of the show must select one or more assistants to help judge the race. The judges must be positioned at opposite sides of the finish line. All ties must be run off.

The judge or any appointed assistant may disqualify any horse which he feels has interfered with another horse or whose rider interferes with another horse/rider.

A western or Australian Stock saddle must be used.

The distance of the race will be up to the discrimination of the show committee. However, the distance of the race(s) must be listed on the show programme.

Preliminary heats should be run where track conditions do not permit all horses to run at one time. The track size should allow at least six (6) feet per horse in each race.

Points shall be awarded under PHAA point system. Times will not be recorded by the PHAA. If more than one heat is required, points will not be awarded in each heat, but in the finals only. Points will be awarded on the basis of total number of competing entries in the race.

Drug rules shall be the same as in other classes and events.

A minimum age limit for individuals competing in the cow pony race shall be sixteen (16) years of age.

COMPETITIVE TRAIL RIDING.

To be run under the rules of the Australian Trail Horse Riders Association.

All registered Paint and Paint Bred Horses satisfactorily finishing (without being pulled out by the ride vet for physical reasons) but not finishing in the top six places shall receive one point toward their ROM in this event.

All registered Paint and Paint Bred Horses placing in the top six (6) places of the trail ride will receive the points in accordance with the points score system.

ENDURANCE RIDING

An accredited ride is one held over the minimum accredited distance under AERA, FEI and Pony Club rules. This distance at the time of printing is 40km.

All registered Paint and Paint Bred Horses satisfactorily finishing (without being pulled out by the ride vet for physical reasons) but not finishing in the top six places shall receive one point toward their ROM in this event.

All registered Paint and Paint Bred Horses placing in the top six (6) places of the endurance ride will receive the points in accordance with the points score system.

CATEGORY 5 - RACING:

Thoroughbred racing:

Racing over distances from and including 800 metres. To be organised by an AJC recognised Jockey Club or Race Club.

Sprint Racing:

Racing under 800 metres organised by a recognised Jockey Club or Racing Body (GTC, AQHA, DSRC, WASHC etc.)

Picnic racing:

Unregistered races organised by charitable or similar community bodies.

CATEGORY 6 - ENGLISH PERFORMANCE

All events to be run under EFA, EFI or HSAA rules. Events included but not limited to may be Jumping, Dressage, One and Three-Day-Event and Hacking.

CATEGORY 7 - SPORTING EVENTS

This category has been especially included for all those registered Paint and Paint Bred Horse owners who enjoy the sporting and novelty events. Points will be awarded toward Register of Merit, Superior and Year End High Point awards only, the reason being that there is no standard set of rules governing these many and varied events.

CATEGORY 10 - EQUITATION / RIDER / HANDLER.

Rider Class:

To be judged as customary for Pony Club, Gymkhanas and Agricultural shows.

231. HALTER CLASSES

(1) A horse is only eligible to obtain points from one point earning halter class. This does not prohibit a horse from being shown in a youth or amateur halter class in addition to regular age-group halter class of the show. (With the exception of Champion, Reserve Champion and Supreme Champion). Use of the lead chain over the horses nose or through the mouth is permitted. However, excessive use may be severely penalized. Please refer to HSAA rules 61 & 53.

(2) The following classes are recommended for shows:

Veteran Halter Classes for 10 year old and over may also be held.

Halter classes to be judged:

- 40% - Conformation
- 20% - Suitability
- 20% - Soundness
- 20% - Action

Stallion classes:

Weanling Colts

Yearlings

Two Year Olds

Junior Champion Colt & Reserve Junior Champion Colt

Three Year Olds

Four Year Olds and Over

Champ. and Reserve Champion Stallion

Mare classes:

Weanling Fillies

Yearlings

Two Year Olds

Junior Champion Filly & Reserve Junior Champion Filly

Three Year Olds

Four Years and Over

Champion and Reserve Champion Mare.

Gelding Classes:

Weanling Geldings

Yearlings

Two Year Olds

Junior Champion Gelding & Reserve Junior Champion Gelding

Three Year Old

Four Year Olds and Over

Champion and Reserve Champion Gelding

Champion Gelding (chosen from first place winners in classes indicated above).

Reserve Champion Gelding (chosen from second place winner in the Champion gelding's class and first place winners in other classes.

Grand champion may be awarded for each sex division. The Junior and Senior Champion are eligible for the Grand Champion award.

Colts and geldings must be exhibited as per their gender on the registration papers. Colts may not be registered as geldings without a gelding certificate.

Geldings which are still listed as colts / stallions according to PHAA records at the time the show results are processed, will be disqualified.

Colts which are registered as geldings according to PHAA records at the time the show results are processed, will be disqualified.

Brood Mares:

(1) Three Year Old and Over.

(2) Entries limited to mares visibly in foal or have a foal at their side; mares entered in either the three year old or four year old and over mare classes are ineligible to enter the broodmare class. If Brood Mare has a foal at foot, foal is not to be shown with mare in Brood Mare Class.

NOTE: Spayed mares are prohibited in Brood Mare Class.

(3) The use of whips or bats of any type shall not be permitted in halter classes.

(4) It is mandatory that all approved shows select Champion and Reserve Champions in each sex division (Exception: National Show).

- (5) Mixed sex halter classes are not permissible as point earning halter classes, with the exception of Supreme Paint Exhibit and Supreme Paint Bred Exhibit.
- (6) When colts or stallions are gelded, their points will continue as lifetime points.
- (7) Weanlings can not be shown before the 1st of January of their weanling year and must have reached a minimum of 18 weeks of age.

232. GROUP HALTER CLASSES

The following are additional classes that are recommended if interest or entries justify them, but no points will be awarded. Horses shown in a group class must be eligible to show at their individual halter class at that show:

- (a) Produce of Dam: Two produce, either sex can show. Dam must be Regular or Paint Bred Registered with the PHAA but need not be shown nor produce need be owned by the owner of the dam. Horses actually shown as the Produce of Dam will be limited to horses four years old and younger.
- (b) Get of Sire: Three get, either sex can be shown. Sire must be Regular or Paint Bred Registered with the PHAA, but need not be shown nor get need be owned by owner of sire. Horses actually shown as the Get of Sire will be limited to horses four years old and younger.
- (c) Mare and Foal: Mare with one of her foals to be shown. Foal must have been foaled within the current horse year. Mare and foal do not have to be owned by the same owner. Mare must have a number in the Regular Registry.
- (d) Sire and Get: Sire with two get to be shown. Sire and get do not have to be owned by the same owner. Horses shown as the get in this class will be limited to horses four years old and younger. Sire must have a number in the Regular Registry.
- (e) Exhibitors Group: Group of four head, any age or sex, all owned by the exhibitor and recorded in the Association office to that one ownership.
- (f) The Regular Registry progeny of Paint Bred Horses will be eligible to be nominated for Produce of Dam and Get of Sire Classes providing the Paint Bred horse has one Regular Registered parent.

- (g) Paint Bred horses are ineligible to compete as the progeny of the sire or dam in these group classes

233. CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION

The Champion of each division will receive at least one (1) point more than any other horses, provided that at least 2 horses were exhibited in that sex division. If necessary, additional points will be added to the points the Champion won in its age class to give it this total. The Champion will always receive a minimum total of two (2) points in any show where at least five (5) horses have competed in that sex division.

Example: If the Reserve Champion stallion received three (3) points, then the Champion stallion will be given one (1) point more so that it will have a point more than any other horse in its sex division.

Or: If the Champion stallion received three (3) points for being first in its class, and no other stallion received more than two (2) points in its class, then no additional point will be awarded to the Champion stallion.

The Reserve Champion of each sex division will receive as many points as any horse in its sex division except the Champion. If necessary, additional points will be added to the points to give it this total. The Reserve Champion will always receive a minimum total of of one (1) point in any show where at least five horses have competed in that sex division.

Example: If the Reserve Champion stallion received two (2) points in its class and another stallion which was not the Champion stallion received three (3) points in its class, then the Reserve Champion stallion will be given one (1) more point so that it will have as many points as any other horse in its sex division except the Champion stallion.

Or: If the Reserve Champion stallion received two (2) points in its class and no other stallion except the Supreme Champion stallion received more than two (2) points, then no additional points will be awarded to the Reserve Champion stallion.

The Grand Champion Stallion, chosen from the winner of the Junior and Senior Champion classes, will receive one more point than any other male exhibited.

Supreme Paint Exhibit and Supreme Paint Bred Exhibit will receive 1 point, but only if 4 or more horses are contesting the award, and at least one horse from another sex division contested the award.

234. DRESS FOR HALTER CLASSES

While the recommended dress for Paint Horse at Halter is western, English attire is acceptable. Always ensure you dress in accordance with one style and not a combination.

Western Halter Dress

Handler:

1. Western Hat
2. Long-sleeved collared shirt with sleeves to the wrist.
3. Dress pants or jeans
4. Tie, bandanna or brooch
5. Western Boots
6. Long hair should be neatly pinned, tied or gathered up (men and ladies both)
7. Other appointments as per HSAA Rulebook.

Optional:

1. Western Cut Jacket
2. Western Cut Suit
3. Equitation Suit
4. Gloves

Horse: Western style halter (silver, buckstitched or plain optional)

English Halter Dress

Handler:

1. English Riding Coat (colour optional)
2. Breeches or jodhpurs and long or short English riding boots.
3. Hard hunting cap or bowler
4. Shirt with tie or stock
5. Gloves optional

Horse: English style halter (plain, leather or silver optional)

235. ASSOCIATION AWARD CERTIFICATES

- (a) Duplicate certificates for Association awards will be available to part owners, owners, lessees and trainers at a cost per certificate.
- (b) The new owner of a horse can request a duplicate of the horse's certificate.

- (c) If a horse is leased, the lessees get the certificate so the owners or part owners may get duplicates if requested.
- (d) Trainers may get duplicates only upon receipt in the PHAA office of written permission of the owner, part owners or lessee.
- (e) No award certificate will be awarded to any person not in good financial standing even if he or she owns the horse. (Note: Owners or lessees must be financial in order for a horse to gain show points).
- (f) The PHAA reserves the right to revoke or amend any awards.

236. PHAA YOUTH ACTIVITY PROGRAMME

- (i) Only points gained in youth classes are eligible, and youth must be financial members of the PHAA in order to have points tabulated.
- (ii) A separate points sheet for youth is to be used. Youth competing with a Rider Exemption Card will be eligible to obtain the following awards.
- (iii) Youth points earned on Paint Bred Horses remain in their own Honour Roll standings.
- (iv) Refer also rules 217(h) and 228(b)

SUPERIOR ALL- ROUND YOUTH AWARD

- (a) The youth must have won a total of 300 points. All categories excluding 5, 7, 9 and 11 are eligible to gain points for this award.
- (b) A superior must be earned from five of the seven remaining categories.
- (c) Five ROMs must also be earned other than that in which the qualifying Superiors were won.

PHAA YOUTH CHAMPION:

To win a PHAA Youth Champion Award, a youth must win fifty (50) or more points in .competition in official shows and contests recognised by the PHAA provided;

- (a) That the points have been won in five (5) or more shows under five (5) or more judges.

- (b) That at least sixteen (16) of the points have been won in showmanship at halter classes.
- (c) That at least twenty-five (25) of these points have been won in performance classes with a minimum of ten (10) points, each having been earned in at least two (2) categories of the performance events, except categories 5, 7 and 9. These ten (10) points in at least two (2) categories cannot be earned in a combination of categories.
- (d) Youth competing with a Rider Exemption Card will be eligible if they obtain the total number of points required for this award in at least two (2) categories excluding Categories 5 & 9.

Youth Versatility Award

To earn this title five (5) ROMs from categories 1 to 6, 8 and 10 must have been earned, one being earned in Youth Showmanship at halter. A superior rating must also have been earned in one of these 5 events.

Youth competing with a Rider Exemption Card must earn five (5) ROMS from categories 1 to 6, 8 and 10. A superior rating must also have been earned in one of these 5 events.

Youth Century Award

A youth may receive this award for each separate event in which he/she has earned 100 points or more for the relevant Century award.

Youth Superior

A youth may receive this award for each separate event in which he/she has earned fifty (50) points.

Youth Register of Merit

A youth can qualify for a youth register of merit in showmanship and individual performance events when they have won ten (10) or more points in that event.

Note: Points are accumulative towards Youth Champion, Versatility, ROM and Superior awards on any number of horses.

High Point Awards at Approved Shows

High Point Youth Awards at PHAA approved shows must be based on a one horse/one rider basis.

The contestant to be eligible must show in at least three (3) classes over two (2) categories.

Points towards TOP TEN, youth Honour Roll and High Point Awards at approved shows are calculated on a one horse/one rider basis. Where a youth shows different horses, then those horses will be tallied individually. Youth need not own the horses they show to gain points for any other PHAA Youth Award.

Top Ten

Year End awards will be given to the ten (10) youth who earn the most points in showmanship and performance events in categories 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 and 10 provided that -

- (a) Points are compiled on a one horse / one youth basis in youth events.
- (b) Points must have been earned in at least three (3) classes over two categories.
- (c) A minimum of one point must have been earned in either Showmanship At Halter, English Equitation or Western Equitation.

High Point Youth of Each State

Year End awards will be given to the youth who earns the most points in showmanship and performance events in categories 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 and 10 of each State / Territory provided that -

- (a) Points are compiled on a one horse / one youth basis in youth events.
- (b) Points must have been earned in at least three (3) classes over two categories.
- (c) A minimum of one point must have been earned in either Showmanship At Halter, English Equitation or Western Equitation.
- (d) A minimum of 5 points (any combination of events) must have been earned.

High Point Youth of the Year

A Year End award will be given to the Youth who earns the most points in showmanship and performance events in categories 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 and 10 provided that -

- (a) Points are compiled on a one horse / one youth basis in youth events.
- (b) Points must have been earned in at least three (3) classes over two categories.
- (c) A minimum of one point must have been earned in either Showmanship At Halter, English equitation or Western Equitation.
- (d) A minimum of ten (10) points (any combination) must have been earned.

Youth Honour Rolls

The youth earning the most points with any one horse in each of the approved PHAA events during one year (August 1 to July 31) will be awarded a Youth Honour Roll certificate.

A minimum of 5 points is required for an Honour Roll Award.

PHAA Youth Champion Horse

PHAA Champion Youth Horse may be awarded to any horse registered in the Regular Registry or Paint Bred Registry who has won fifty (50) or more points in Youth Events, provided that:

- (a) The Points have been won in five (5) or more shows under five (5) or more judges;
- (b) At least sixteen (16) of these points have been won in showmanship classes.
- (c) At least twenty-five (25) of these points have been won in performance classes with a minimum of ten (10) points each having been earned in at least two (2) categories, except categories 5,7 and 9. These ten (10) points in at least two categories cannot be earned in a combination of categories.

Youth age divisions:
13 and under, and 14 to 18 years computed from August 1 of each year.

YOUTH COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Youth may hold positions on the youth council while they are eligible for youth membership. Elections are to be held with one position in each state. The number of positions available will be determined by the current number of youth memberships at the time of the

election. All youth are to be nominated and seconded by youth members. Criteria for a youth council representative is:

- (a) A youth council representative is to organise meeting of the youth in their state, with minutes taken or a report, and this is to be forwarded to the youth coordinator. Youth members unable to attend these meetings may correspond in writing or by phone.
- (b) They should attend the annual youth meeting at the National Show.
- (c) Co-ordinate fund raising and general promotion of PHAA registered horses in their state.

237. AMATEUR ACTIVITY PROGRAMME

Only current financial members are eligible for PHAA amateur status. All exhibitors in amateur classes are required to hold a PHAA amateur card. All horses shown in amateur classes must be registered with the PHAA. All horses shown in amateur classes must be registered with PHAA in order to obtain association points and awards. The horse or horses used by an amateur participant must be owned or leased and registered wholly or in part by the participant and their name must appear on the horses registration certificate.

- (i) Refer also rules 217(h) and 228(b)

Amateur eligibility: As per HSAA Rule Book, with the following exceptions:

- (a) A card will be conditionally issued on payment of fees any points earned from this date will remain valid, providing the application is approved.
- (b) Applicant's name will be printed in the journal following issue of card and will be approved if no protests are lodged within a four (4) week period after printing.
- (c) Protests will be heard by the Board of Directors and if successful, all points previously earned by the applicant will be forfeited.
- (d) Points are accumulative towards PHAA Amateur Champion, Superior All-Round Champion, Versatility, of Register Merit, Century and Superior awards on any number of horses over any length of time.

- (e) Points toward Top Ten Amateur, Amateur Owner Honour Rolls and High Point Awards at approved shows are calculated on a one horse/one rider basis. Where an amateur shows different horses, then those horses points will be tallied individually.
- (f) Amateur points earned on Paint Bred Horses will remain in their own Honour Roll Standings.

PHAA AMATEUR CHAMPION

To win a PHAA Amateur champion an amateur must win fifty (50) or more points in .competition in official shows and contests recognised by the PHAA provided:

- (a) The points have been won in five (5) or more shows under five (5) or more judges.
- (b) At least sixteen (16) of these points have been in showmanship at halter classes.
- (c) At least twenty-five (25) of these points have been won in amateur performance classes with a minimum of ten (10) points each having been earned in at least two categories, excluding Categories 5,7 and 9. These ten (10) points cannot be earned in a combination of categories.
- (d) Amateurs competing with a Rider Exemption Card will be eligible if they obtain the total number of points required for this award in at least two (2) categories excluding Categories 5 and 9.

PHAA Amateur Versatility

To earn this title, five (5) ROMS from all categories, but excluding 5, 7 and 9, must have been earned, one (1) being earned in Amateur Showmanship at halter. A superior rating must also have been earned in one of these five events.

Superior All- Round Amateur Award

- (a) The amateur must have won a total of 300 points. All categories excluding 5, 7, 9 and 11 are eligible to gain points for this award.
- (b) A superior must be earned from five of the seven remaining categories.
- (c) Five ROMs must also be earned other than that in which the qualifying Superiors were won.

Amateur Century Award

An amateur may receive this award for each separate event in which he/she has earned 100 points or more for the relevant Century award.

Amateur Superior

An amateur may receive this award for each separate event in which he/she has earned fifty (50) points.

Amateur Register of Merit

An amateur can qualify for an Amateur Register of Merit in showmanship and individual performance events when they have won ten (10) or more points in that event.

Amateur Top Ten Awards

Year End awards will be given to the ten (10) amateurs who earn the most points in showmanship and performance events in categories 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8 and 10 provided that -

- (a) Points are compiled on a one horse / one amateur basis in amateur events.
- (b) Points must have been earned in at least three (3) classes over two categories.
- (c) A minimum of one point must have been earned in either Showmanship At Halter, English Equitation or Western Equitation.

High Point Amateur of Each State

Year End awards will be given to the amateur who earns the most points in showmanship and performance events in categories 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8 and 10 of each State / Territory provided that -

- (a) Points are compiled on a one horse / one amateur basis in amateur events.
- (b) Points must have been earned in at least three (3) classes over two categories.
- (c) A minimum of one point must have been earned in either Showmanship At Halter, English Equitation or Western Equitation.
- (d) A minimum of 10 points (any combination of events) must have been earned.

High Point Amateur of the Year – Performance

A Year End award will be given to the Amateur who earns the most points in showmanship and performance events in categories 1 2 3 4 6 & 8 provided that -

- (a) Points are compiled on a one horse / one amateur basis in amateur events.
- (b) Points must have been earned in at least three (3) classes over two categories.
- (c) A minimum of one point must have been earned in either Showmanship At Halter, English equitation or Western Equitation.
- (d) A minimum of ten (10) points (any combination) must have been earned.

High Point Amateur of the Year – Halter

A Year End award will be given to the Amateur who earns the most points in Amateur Halter events provided that

- (a) points are earned on a one horse one exhibitor basis
- (b) a minimum of ten (10) points have been earned

Amateur Honour Rolls

The amateur earning the most points with any one horse in approved PHAA events during one year (August 1 to July 31) will be awarded an Amateur Honour Roll certificate. A minimum of five (5) points must be earned to qualify for the end of year awards.

High Points Awards at Approved Shows

High point PHAA Amateur awards, if any, at PHAA approved shows must be based on a one horse/one rider basis. To be eligible for this award, the contestant must show in at least three (3) classes over two categories.

PHAA Amateur Horse Champion

This may be awarded to any horse registered in the regular registry who has won fifty (50) or more points in amateur events provided that:

- (a) The points have been won in five (5) or more shows under five (5) or more judges:
- (b) At least sixteen (16) of these points have been won in showmanship classes.