



2024 GENERAL RULES FOR NCAHA AWARDS PROGRAM

NCAHA requires no nomination fee for participation in its year end awards program. However, complete information on horse(s), rider(s), handler(s) and owner(s) must be provided. (Exception: Lessee rather than owner must sign a form on horses which have valid leases.) Point submissions that do not contain complete and accurate information will not be processed. All point forms MUST be signed by the exhibitor or owner to be accepted and AHA membership information supplied.

****OWNER OR LESSEE, RIDER, AND HANDLER MUST BE PAID NCAHA MEMBERS IN GOOD STANDING AT THE TIME POINTS ARE EARNED.****

*All Points must be submitted to qualify for awards. ALL POINTS SUBMISSIONS MUST BE TYPED AND POSTMARKED/EMAILED NO LATER THAN November 1, 2024. All Shows after the postmarked date may be counted for the following year end awards. (Form is in fillable PDF on NCAHA website)

*Open Show (Local, all others not AHA rated or recognized) and Rated (AHA Rated and Recognized) Show points for each horse and rider combination must be submitted on separate forms. Shows must be AHA Rated and Recognized or they count as an Open show (including non-All Arabian breed shows).

*Documentation (AHA/Open Show Point Sheets or form signed by a show secretary must be included with ALL submitted forms.

*Awards for Open and Rated (AHA recognized) shows will be separated for point tabulation. Awards for Purebreds and Half-Arabians.

*To enable the NCAHA to recognize a greater number of members and horses, multiple awards for individual classes/divisions for the same horse/rider may be recognized with one award per horse/rider combination.

Top 5 (if applicable) for Purebreds and Half or Anglo-Arabians are offered in the following divisions and categories/classes. **High Point Youth, Adult Amateur and Horse** are awarded to Champions ONLY. Horses, riders, or handlers must have a minimum of 15 points to be eligible for a class or another award.

BREED/AHA Recognized/Rated SHOWS

- Halter
- English/Country Pleasure
- Western Pleasure
- Ranch Riding/Working Western
- Hunter Pleasure
- Specialty (Costume, Sidesaddle, Show Hack, Driving)
- Showmanship/Equitation
- Trail (English/Western/In-hand)
- Dressage
- Western Dressage
- Sport Horse In-Hand
- Sport Horse Under Saddle
- Sport Horse Specialty (Show Hack, Driving, Hunter/Jumper)
- High Point Youth
- High Point Adult Amateur
- High Point Horse

OPEN SHOWS (All shows not AHA rated or recognized)

- Halter
- Saddleseat Pleasure
- Western Pleasure
- Ranch Riding/Working Western
- Hunter Pleasure
- Specialty (Costume, Sidesaddle, Show Hack, Driving)
- Showmanship/Equitation
- Trail (English/Western/In-hand)
- Dressage
- Western Dressage
- Sport Horse In-Hand
- Sport Horse Under Saddle
- Sport Horse Specialty (Show Hack, Driving, Hunter/Jumper)
- High Point Youth
- High Point Adult Amateur
- High Point Horse

OVERALL NCAHA HIGH POINT CHAMPIONS

- High Point Youth
- High Point Adult Amateur
- High Point Horse

POINTS COMPUTATION: All points will be computed as follows:

REGULAR CLASSES (Open and AHA Recognized Shows): 1st=5, 2nd=4, 3rd=3, 4th=2, 5th=1

CHAMPIONSHIPS (Open and AHA Recognized Shows): 1st=7, 2nd=6, 3rd=5, 4th=4, 5th=3

*****NCAHA April Show and NCAHA June Rated/Open Show points counted 1.5 times*****

AHA REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS: Champion=12, Reserve Champion=10, Top Five=8
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NATIONAL SHOWS: Champion=30, Reserve Champion=25, Top Ten=20

POINTS ARE NOT AFFECTED BY NUMBER OF ENTRIES IN A CLASS. ALL POINTS EARNED WILL BE COUNTED IN THE EXACT AMOUNT EARNED. All points submission forms will be kept by the Awards Secretary for a minimum of one year.