

SHOW RULES

EVERY CLASS WILL BE CONDUCTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH CURRENT APHA RULE BOOK

1. Entry forms (provided by APHC/show secretary must be completed accurately & legibly with all requested information. Registration number, horse & owner name exactly as they appear on the registration papers. Exhibitor name, address (City/State) & ID number. Owner/agent signature, birth date of Youth/Amateur & relationship of Youth/Amateur exhibitors to owner of horse. Signature of parent or guardian for youth entry. Late fees will be assessed for incomplete or illegible entry forms.
2. The show is being held in two (2) different years. Please check classes carefully for any age classification or division changes for Horses, Novice Youth, Youth, Amateur & Novice Amateur. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to enter the correct class.
3. Youth/ Amateur age as of January 1, 2008 determines the age group (class) they can show in the Dec. POR. Youth/Amateur age on January 1, 2009 determines the age group (class) they can show in the Jan. POR.
4. We request that all horses be pre-entered. Payment is not required at time of entry except for Futurities & Maturities.
5. Adjustments in fees will be made with a refund or bill for amounts of ten dollars (\$ 10.00) or more.
6. Owners/exhibitors will be assessed a twenty five dollar (\$ 25.00) penalty for returned checks.
7. Owners/exhibitors will be assessed a twenty five dollar (\$25.00) penalty for failure to check out of the office without leaving an open check.
8. Registration papers or copy must be checked by Show Secretary prior to receiving entry numbers. Sending of copies of registration papers with pre-entries is REQUIRED.
9. Current Amateur, Novice Amateur & Novice Youth membership cards must be checked by Show Secretary prior to receiving entry numbers. Sending copies of card(s) with pre-entries is required. NOTE: Cards will expire December 31, 2008. 2009 cards are necessary for the January 2009 show.
10. Current APHA membership card for *all* categories must be checked by Show Secretary prior to receiving entry numbers. Sending copies of card (s) with pre-entries is required. NOTE: Some cards will expire December 31, 2008. 2009 cards are necessary for the January 2009 show.
11. APHA rule states "Failure by exhibitor to display the correct entry number in a visible manner while being judged shall result in disqualification from the class" (SC-160H). Show Management requires entry numbers to be worn as follows: Halter/Longe Line/Showmanship - on exhibitor's back; Performance classes - on both sides of the saddle pad; Driving classes - on exhibitors back or back of cart. You may not enter the arena if entry numbers are not displayed in this manner.
12. Exhibitor(s), while showing in a class, will be disqualified if assisted by electronic audio aids. Exhibitors with special needs must present a letter (copy) from APHA when entering the show. (SC-160F)
13. Classes will run in order listed. Anyone requiring a tack change or possible class conflict with simultaneous classes being held must notify the gate person(s) at least one (1) class prior to change/conflict.
14. It is the responsibility of exhibitor to be at the entry gate when their class is called.
15. Course patterns will be posted near the entry gate a minimum of one (1) hour prior to the class or a pattern book will be available in show office.
16. Work orders will be determined by Show Management & posted as soon as possible. Exhibitors entering class after work order has been posted will be placed on the list at the discretion of the gate manager. No entries will be allowed after the class has begun. Exhibitors must notify gate person(s) of conflicts in work order.
17. The Southwestern Fair Commission holds a # 6 liquor license with the State of Arizona; therefore, alcoholic beverages may not be carried in or distributed by anyone on Pima County Fairgrounds.
18. Unlicensed drivers may not operate a motorized vehicle on the Fairgrounds.
19. ALL DOGS must be on leash or confined while on the Fairgrounds.
20. Areas will be designated for the parking of horse trailers, RVs, campers & cars. Parking in fire lanes will not be tolerated. Please check enclosed form for making RV & camper reservations.
21. Show Management will have the right to interpret and act on all questions & conditions during show.
22. The Show Office will not be able to cash personal checks.