

WPCSA Ranch Pony Scorecard

Judge: _____ Pattern: _____

MANEUVER SCORES: -1 1/2 Extremely Poor -1 Very Poor -1/2 Poor 0 Average +1/2 Good +1 Very Good +1 1/2 Excellent

1/2 Point Penalties: A. Each tick or light touch of an obstacle.	1 Point Penalties: A. Both front/hind feet in a single-stride space at walk or trot/jog. B. Break gait at walk or trot/jog for 2 strides or less. C. Each hit, bite, or step on an obstacle. D. Incorrect number of strides (if specified). E. Skipping over/failing to step into required space. F. Splitting a log at lope (log between 2 front or 2 hind feet). G. Wrong lead/out of lead for 2 strides or less.	3 Point Penalties: A. Break of gait at canter/lope (except to correct a lead). B. Break of gait at walk or trot/jog for more than 2 strides. C. Holding the saddle with either hand (except for drag or jump). D. Missing/evading part of an obstacle with 1 foot. E. Severely disturbing an obstacle. F. Stepping out/falling off the obstacle with 1 foot. G. Use of either hand to instill fear or praise.	5 Point Penalties: A. 1st or 2nd refusal per obstacle. B. Blatant disobedience. C. Dropping an object required to be carried. D. Failure to open/shut or otherwise complete gate, or letting go of the gate. E. 5 or more steps in dismount/remount or ground tie. F. Incomplete/failed attempts at a maneuver. G. Cueing or spurring in front of cinch/girth. H. Stepping out/falling off of the obstacle with more than 1 foot. I. Knocking over an obstacle.	Zero (0) Score (eligible for placing, but not above those who were correct): A. 3rd refusal per obstacle. B. Failure to enter/exit/work obstacle from correct side or direction. C. Changing hands (except to negotiate the obstacle). D. Dropping a rein that contacts the ground while the pony is in motion. E. Eliminating/adding a maneuver. F. Failure to complete a pattern. G. Failure to get correct lead or gait (if specified). H. Repeated blatant disobedience. I. Running away/failing to guide. J. Failure to wear appropriate attire.	Disqualification (DQ) Score (not eligible for placing): A. Abuse of an animal (including excessive spurring or whipping). B. Fall to the ground by pony or rider. C. Lameness. D. Major disobedience. E. Leaving the arena before the pattern is complete. F. Excused by the judge. G. Disrespect or misconduct by the exhibitor. H. Equipment failure that delays course completion. I. Illegal equipment. J. Attachment that alters movement of or circulation to the tail. K. Carrying a whip/bat/crop.
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