

AHANY HIGH SCORE RULES

GENERAL RULES:

Eligibility:

- Horse must be registered in the Arabian Horse Registry or the AHA.
- The owner or lessee of the horse must be a member in good standing of the Arabian Horse Association of New York State, Inc

Earning points:

- A-Rated Categories: Points must be earned in AHA or CHSA recognized Purebred or Half Arabian classes. (Exception of Scottsdale Halter classes and North American World Championships)
- **For horses enrolled in the AHA Open Enrollment Program, points earned at USEF Rated Open all breed shows will count in the Rated Show Division. Placings must be listed on the AHA DataSource website.**
- Open Horse Show Categories: Points for Open, 4-H, Non-Arab, Hunter/Jumper shows and Competitive Trail or Competitive Endurance are only counted in the Open Categories (Adult Open or Junior Open).
- A paid nomination means that the nomination form and payment in full were received by the High Score Administrator or postmarked before the start of the first class in which the horse is shown.
- Horses may be nominated for the High Score Awards at any time during the calendar year.
- No points will count that were earned at shows previous to the paid nomination.
- Horses will score points in the category in which they are nominated to be eligible to win a high score prize.
- Points will be accumulated only in classes that correspond to the division entered.
 - Examples: amateur points do not count under open categories and open points do not count under amateur categories. Junior horse points may only be accumulated from Junior Horse classes,
- For Open categories, show results must be sent to the High Score Administrator within 30 days from the last day of the show on the High Score Results Form.
- For Trail and Recreational Ride/Drive categories, the log of hours must be submitted no later than November 15.
- In the event of a tie, awards will be determined first by the number of First Place ribbons, then by the number of Second Place ribbons, etc., until the tie is broken.
- Points for horses sold during the show season may be transferred to the new owner if both are members of AHANY.
- Points earned at the AHANY Eastern Classic Horse Show will be doubled.
- AHANY reserves the right to delete, add or combine divisions or categories for awards, as determined by the participation.
- Results forms need only be completed for the Open Show, Trail Riding and Recreational Riding/Driving Division. For all Rated Show Nominations, results will be taken directly from the AHA DataSource website.

Nominating Fees Per Horse:

- \$15.00 per Division for the first class and \$12.00 for each additional class in that division.
- Overall high point awards do not have a nomination fee. Entries are automatically entered in the appropriate overall class without additional charge.
- The Nomination Forms and Show Result Forms are available at www.ahany.net

Awards:

- Plaques, ribbons, and all other awarded prizes are permanent awards to be kept by the Winner.
- Silver Trophies are perpetual awards and must be returned to the High Score Committee by October 1 of the following year. Silver pieces will be engraved with the previous year's winner's names.

Disputes:

- Any disputes must be submitted in writing and referred to the Board of Directors.
- The Board of Directors will appoint a committee (not to include anyone involved in the dispute)
- Committee will be approved by the members.
- All decisions of the committee will be final.

RATED SHOW DIVISION

Main Ring Open Division :

_____ Halter	_____ Hunter
_____ Specialty	_____ Western
	_____ English

These classes will count toward Overall High Score Main Ring Horse.

Sport Horse Open Division :

_____ In Hand	_____ Under Saddle
_____ Specialty	_____ Dressage
	_____ Hunter/Jumper

These classes will count toward Overall High Score Sport Horse.

JUNIOR EXHIBITOR DIVISION

- A Junior exhibitor must be less than 19 years of age in accordance with USEF rules Article 115.
- Points will be earned by winning a ribbon in an A Rated show in a Junior division class in which the horse and rider/handler is nominated for halter or performance classes.
- Points will be earned by winning a ribbon in an A Rated show in a Junior Division class in which the rider/handler is nominated for Equitation and Showmanship classes. - The Junior Exhibitor may ride/handle more than one horse with no extra charge in Equitation and Showmanship.

Junior Exhibitor Division :

_____ Halter	_____ Hunter
_____ Specialty	_____ Western
_____ Showmanship/Equitation	_____ English
_____ Sport Horse Under Saddle	_____ Walk Trot

These classes will count toward Overall High Score Junior Exhibitor Horse and Overall High Score Junior Exhibitor

ADULT AMATEUR DIVISION

- An Amateur Owner must be a member of AHANY in good standing over 18 years of age and hold an Amateur card.
- Any horse shown in the Amateur category does not need to be owned by the exhibitor. Horse may be leased, borrowed, or otherwise loaned to the exhibitor.
- Points will be earned by winning a ribbon in an A Rated show in which the horse and rider/handler is nominated.

Main Ring Amateur Division :

<input type="checkbox"/> Halter	<input type="checkbox"/> Hunter
<input type="checkbox"/> Specialty	<input type="checkbox"/> Western
<input type="checkbox"/> Showmanship/Equitation	<input type="checkbox"/> English

These classes will count toward Overall High Score Amateur Exhibitor Main Ring Horse and Overall High Score Main Ring Horse Amateur Exhibitor.

Sport Horse Amateur Division :

<input type="checkbox"/> In Hand	<input type="checkbox"/> Under Saddle
<input type="checkbox"/> Specialty	<input type="checkbox"/> Dressage
	<input type="checkbox"/> Hunter/Jumper

These classes will count toward Overall High Score Amateur Exhibitor Sport Horse and Overall High Score Sport Horse Amateur Exhibitor.

OPEN SHOW DIVISION

- Open Show division points do not count toward Overall High Score Awards.
- Points for Open competition may be earned from any class halter, performance, jumper, games, rides, etc., that are open to all breeds at Open, 4-H, Non-Arab and Hunter/Jumper shows.
- Adult Open category is open to Adult riders only.
- Junior Open category is open to Junior riders only, aged 18 and under.
- Open Competition points will be earned in any class or ride open to all breeds, including Open, 4H, or rated all breed shows. Equitation classes open to all breeds will be counted in the Open Competition, not in the A Rated Division.
- Trail Riding and Recreational Ride/Drive Categories will receive recognition for hours ridden. The High Point Award will go to the rider/driver with the highest cumulative hours in each category.
- The Recreational Ride/Drive Category INCLUDES riding or schooling hours in an indoor/outdoor arena, riding lessons, parades and other non-competitive events.
- Trail Riding DOES NOT include riding in an indoor/outdoor arena, for lessons or in a competitive trail competition.

Open Horse Show Division :

<input type="checkbox"/> Junior Exhibitor	<input type="checkbox"/> Adult Exhibitor
<input type="checkbox"/> Trail Riding	<input type="checkbox"/> Recreational Ride/Drive

END OF SEASON HIGH SCORE AWARDS

High Score Main Ring Horse
High Score Sport Horse
High Score Amateur Exhibitor Main Ring Horse
High Score Amateur Exhibitor Sport Horse
High Score Main Ring Horse Amateur Exhibitor

High Score Sport Horse Amateur Exhibitor
Supreme Champion Performance Horse
Supreme Champion Halter Horse
High Score Junior Exhibitor
High Score Junior Exhibitor Horse