



49th AUSTRALIAN APPALOOSA NATIONAL SHOW

10 – 13 March 2021 | K-Ranch Arena, Mount Hunter NSW

Judge: Craig Rath (NSW) & Jeff Hall (QLD) | Hosted by AAA Ltd

2021 AUSTRALIAN APPALOOSA NATIONAL SHOW RULES

1. General Show Rules

- a. The 49th National Appaloosa Championships will be run under AAA Ltd and HSAA Rules, unless otherwise stated.
- b. No Member will consume alcohol or drugs at the show or attend a show or event under the influence of alcohol or drugs and behave so as to bring the Association into disrepute or endanger themselves, any competitor, show official or member of the public.
- c. A member will always conduct themselves in a sportsman like manner and obey all instructions and directions given by any show official or judge.
- d. Animal Welfare
 - i. No Person may treat a horse, including breeds other than Appaloosas, in a manner considered to be inhumane.
 - ii. This prohibition against cruelty includes, but is not limited to, AAA member and/or owners of Appaloosas, their agents, representatives, and employees, the actions for which a member or owner are also responsible.
 - iii. For violation of the AAA Ltd Animal Welfare Rule, a AAA Member may be disciplined, suspended, fined and/or expelled from the Association.
- e. Smoking is not permitted in any buildings, including the arena at K-Ranch Arena.
- f. Only Strappers, Riders/Handlers will be permitted in the Marshalling Arena during the Show, so long as an insurance fee has been paid and you are wearing the appropriate attire.
- g. It is Mandatory for all Youth to wear a Safety Helmet, of Approved Australian Standard, and appropriate riding boots to be worn at all times, with the exception of Western Events.
- h. Youth are NOT permitted to handle/ride/exhibit colts/stallions at any AAA Ltd Approved show. This rule will be strictly enforced.
- i. Youth are to have a parent/guardian present in the Marshalling areas at all times.
- j. Minimum age for a youth competing in Youth Walk/Jog-Trot, Youth Showmanship or Youth In Hand Events is 5yrs. EXCEPT Leadline which is 3 to 10yrs.
- k. Minimum age for a youth competing in ANY Open Events is 7yrs.

2. Biosecurity

- a. Biosecurity measures will be implemented in the case of a suspected and/or confirmed case of any notifiable disease.
- b. Movements of your horse(s) must be listed on the form in the entry pack and lodged with your entries. Entries will not be accepted without it.

3. Right of Change

- a. The Show Committee reserves the right to alter the program and/or order of events, show committee and judges if required.

4. Drug Testing

- a. The Show Committee reserves the right to carry out Drug Testing at its discretion.

5. Photography

- a. All exhibitors are required to cooperate with the Official Photographer.
- b. All winners must have their photos taken by the Official Photographer in the designated area.
- c. The Official Photographer will be under the direction of Show Management and any photos taken may be used at the discretion of the Association for promotional purposes This will also include exhibitor's cooperation for Sponsors Requirements.
- d. No photography may be taken and sold/used for profit by any other person then the Official Photographer – Ace Photography



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6. Eligibility for Entry

- a. All horses must be registered with the Australian Appaloosa Association Ltd, in the appropriate registry, to be eligible to be shown.
- b. All Owners/Competitors/Strappers/Riders and/or Handlers must be current financial members of the AAA Ltd to compete at the National Show. These memberships must be current at the closing date of entries for your entries to be accepted.

7. Stabling/Camping/Parking

- a. Entry to ground is from Tuesday 9th March from 2 pm Only. No entry is permitted before as stables will not be ready from the previous event
- b. Stables and Camping must be booked directly through K-Ranch arena via nominate. This is a ground requirement and there are no exceptions.
- c. Stables and Camping open 1st February 2020, unless advertised earlier by the AAA Ltd
- d. Book online at <https://www.nominate.com.au/stables/> Select K-Ranch.
- e. All stables and camping must be paid at the time on booking online.
- f. The AAA Ltd are not responsible for any stables and camping at our event – Please Contact K-Ranch arena directly.
- g. All fees are set by K-Ranch grounds.
- h. All Stable and camping rules are controlled by K-Ranch Arena Staff
- i. Stables include shavings – See K-Ranch rules when booking
- j. Marshalling Areas – Directly at the end of the arena, inside the shed. Will be marked with bunting and bollards.
- k. Closed shoes and appropriate clothing must be worn in stable areas, on washbays, in marshal areas and the arena at all times.
- l. Working areas- No horses to be worked anywhere on grounds outside the marshalling area, outdoor and indoor arena. Times for indoor arena use will be announced.
- m. Don't tie horse to fronts of stables or leave unattended on wash bays. Please tie in stables or to trailers only if you are day parking.
- n. Do not black or lacquer horses hooves on any cement areas. Us any rubber matting available or bring your own.
- o. Dogs are not recommended on the grounds but will be permitted in the CAMPING AREA ONLY and must be secured at all times. Dogs are NOT ALLOWED in the arena areas or grandstands.
- p. NO Bikes, Skateboards, Scooters, etc are permitted on the grounds or within the stable, bar or arena areas.

8. Fees

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| a. Horse Entry | \$35.00 |
| b. Classic Entry | \$100.00 |
| c. Showcase Entry | \$100.00 |
| d. Amateur Entry | \$35.00 |
| e. Amateur Showcase Entry | \$50.00 |
| f. Youth Entry | \$25.00 |
| g. Youth Showcase Entry | \$50.00 |

9. Entries

- a. Entries and Full Payment MUST be received by **Monday the 22nd February 2021.**
- b. Extra entries will only be accepted from horses entered by the closing date and must be submitted and paid in full at the Show Office no later than 10am Wednesday 10th March 2020.
- c. **Late Fees** – A late fee penalty per horse entered after the closing date will apply. A \$20 penalty fee per horse + entries, office and insurance fees required.



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10. Refunds

- a. Office and Program Fees are NON REFUNDABLE.
- b. On or Before Closing Date – Class Entry Fees MAY be refunded upon Death or Severe Injury of a horse, less 25% of the Entry Fees. Written Requests MUST be accompanied by a Veterinarian Certificate and must be received by 5.00pm on the closing date. NO EXCEPTIONS.
- c. After the Closing Date – Class Entry fees MAY be refunded upon Death of a horse ONLY, less 25% of the Entry Fees. Written Requests MUST be accompanied by a Veterinarian Certificate and must be received 24hrs prior to the start of the Show. NO EXCEPTIONS.
- d. Written requests and Veterinarian Certificates will be tabled at the next Board Meeting after the National Show.

11. Protests

- a. Protests must be lodged within one (1) hour of the completion of the event or class and must be accompanied by \$50.00 cash payment, which is refundable if the Protest is upheld.
- b. Only Competitors or Exhibitors in the disputed class or any Show Official may lodge a Protest.
- c. All Protests will be adjudicated by the Disputes Committee, which will be made up of one (1) Committee Member, the Show Manager and one (1) Competitor.

12. Prizemoney

- a. **Hunter Under Saddle Classic** prizemoney will be Jackpotted from entries less 20% and then paid 1st 50%, 2nd 30%, 3rd 20%
- b. **Champagne Western Pleasure** prizemoney will be Jackpotted from entries less 20% and then paid 1st \$50%, 2nd 30%, 3rd 20%
- c. **Halter Classic** prizemoney will be jackpotted from entries less 20% and then paid 1st 50%, 2nd 30%, 3rd 20%
- d. **Amateur Showcase** prizemoney will be jackpotted from entries, less 20% and then paid, 1st 50%, 2nd 30%, 3rd 20%
- e. **Youth Showcase** prizemoney will be jackpotted from entries, less 20% and then paid, 1st 50%, 2nd 30%, 3rd 20% .
- f. **Showcases prizemoney** will be Jackpotted from entries less 20% and then paid 1st 50%, 2nd 30%, 3rd 20%.

13. Showcase Events

- a. Prizemoney will be jackpotted from entries less 20% and paid 1st 50%, 2nd 30%, 3rd 20%
- b. Winners of Halter Showcase events will receive an award, Garland and Prizemoney.
- c. Winners of the Hunter Under Saddle and Western Pleasure Showcase events will receive an Award, Garland and Prizemoney.

14. Weanlings, 2 & 3 Year Old horses

- a. A Weanling may only enter Halter events and are not permitted to enter any other Led or Performance events.
- b. A 2yo horse may only enter a maximum of Five (5) Ridden Events per day.
- c. A 2yo horse that is competing in the 2yo Led Versatility Events cannot enter any Ridden Event at this show.
- d. A 2yo horse competing in Ridden events is not eligible to enter any 2yo Led Versatility Events at this show.
- e. A 2yo or 3yo horse entering a Junior Horse event cannot enter a 2yo or 3yo event in that discipline. E.g. A 3yo entering the Junior Horse Trail cannot enter the 3yo Trail and Vice Versa.

15. Substitution of Horses

- a. Should an entered horse be vetted out, it shall remain ineligible for further competition for the duration of the Show.



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- b. **YOUTH** – If a Ridden horse (including Showmanship) is vetted out, and it had been entered for competition in a Youth Event, then that Youth can use a replacement Ridden horse so long as the replacement ridden horse has been previously entered in the Show.
- c. **AMATEUR** – If an Amateurs Ridden horse (including Showmanship) is vetted out, they will be permitted to use a replacement ridden horse so long as the replacement ridden horse has been previously entered in the Show. The Replacement ridden horse must be Owned/Leased by the Amateur or their Immediate Family as per the AAA Ltd Rules.
- d. An Amateur Junior horse cannot replace an Amateur Senior Horse and Vice Versa.
- e. A Horse competing in Halter that has been vetted out **cannot** be replaced in that halter event by another horse.
- f. All horse substitutions, as set out above, must be made to the Show Office no later than 1 hour prior to the Commencement of the respective class.

16. Events, Attire & Tack Appointments

- a. Any Competitor/Horse **NOT** wearing the approved Attire/Tack will be refused entry to the Class.
- b. **Suitability For Dressage**
 - i. A Competitor may show more than one horse in a class. In this case, all horses must have handlers and handlers must have appropriate attire.
 - ii. Personal Attire
 - 1. Jodhpurs – White, Off-White, Light Canary, Fawn or Beige colour ONLY.
 - 2. Riding/Hacking Jacket – Conservative Colour.
 - 3. Tie, Stock or Ratcatcher.
 - 4. Boots – Long Boots, Jodhpur Boots or Running Shoes are acceptable.
 - 5. Headwear – Helmet with safety harness meeting recognised Safety Standards.
 - iii. Tack Appointments
 - 1. A Bridle is Mandatory on horses 2yrs & over with the exception of 2yo's competing in the 2yo Led Versatility events only, where a bridle is optional. A Halter is Mandatory on Yearlings.
 - 2. 'Y' Leads and Reins are acceptable.
 - 3. Use of a Dressage Whip is optional (Max Length including tassel – 1.2m)
 - 4. Chains under the jaw ONLY.
 - 5. Snaffle Bits ONLY – Loose Ring, Egg-butt, D-Ring and Full Cheek Snaffle Bits.
 - iv. Tack Appointments – Prohibited
 - 1. Kimblewicks (Spanish Snaffle Bits)
 - 2. Pelhams
 - 3. Full Bridles (Bit & Bradoon)
 - 4. Decorative Bridles and Halters (Silver)
 - 5. Chains over the nose or through the mouth
- c. **Dressage**
 - i. A horse can only compete in two consecutive levels, e.g. Prelim/Novice.
 - ii. One rider per horse only is permitted, exception to this rule is the Amateur and Youth Dressage tests, however a horse cannot compete in the same Amateur or Youth Dressage test with different riders.
 - iii. Personal Attire - Mandatory
 - 1. Jodhpurs – White, Off-White, Light Canary, Fawn or Beige colour ONLY.
 - 2. Riding/Hacking Jacket – Conservative Colour.
 - 3. Tie, Stock or Ratcatcher.
 - 4. Boots – Long Boots or Jodhpur Boots are acceptable.
 - 5. Headwear – Helmet with safety harness meeting recognised Safety Standards.
 - 6. Gloves, Tie, Stock or Ratcatcher (Colour Optional).
 - iv. Personal Attire – Optional



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1. Spurs – Dummy or Rowels (rowels must be blunt/smooth & free to rotate) Max Length 2”.
2. Whip – Max Length 1.2m (including tassel).
- v. Tack Appointments
 1. Snaffle Bits Only – Loose Ring, Egg-Butt, D-Ring and Full Cheek Snaffle Bits.
 2. Straight or Forward Cut Show Saddle.
- vi. Tack Appointments – Prohibited
 1. Kimblewicks (Spanish Snaffle Bits)
 2. Pelhams
 3. Full Bridles (Bit & Bradoon)
- d. **Led Hack**
 - i. All Entrants will be lined up in the ring and will be judged on a workout.
 - ii. A Competitor may show more than one horse in a class. In this case, all horses must have handlers and handlers must have appropriate attire.
 - iii. Personal Attire – Recommended
 1. Long sleeve, collared shirt, colour should be chosen to compliment the horse, but should be conservative.
 2. Trousers/Skirt should be loose enough to run in, **Jeans are forbidden.**
 3. Long or Short Boots or Running Shoes.
 4. Traditional English attire is also acceptable.
 - iv. Tack Appointments
 1. A Bridle is Mandatory on horses 2yrs & over with the exception of 2yo’s competing in the 2yo Led Versatility events only, where a bridle is optional. A Halter is Mandatory on Yearlings.
 2. ‘Y’ Lead or Reins are acceptable.
 3. Chains under the Jaw ONLY.
 4. Snaffle Bits (Loose Ring, Egg-Butt, D-Ring and Full Cheek), Pelhams and Full Bridles (Bit & Bradoon) ONLY.
 5. Use of a Dressage Whip is optional (Max Length including tassel – 1.2m)
 - v. Tack Appointments – Prohibited
 1. Kimblewick (Spanish Snaffle Bits)
 2. Chains over the nose or through the mouth.
- e. **Hacking**
 - i. Personal Attire
 1. Jodhpurs – Canary, Fawn, Beige or Banana in Colour.
 2. Hacking Jacket – Conservative Colour.
 3. Boots – Either Long or Short are acceptable.
 4. Headwear – Helmet with safety harness meeting recognised Safety Standards.
 5. Collared Shirt and Tie, Stock or Ratcatcher (colour Optional).
 - ii. Personal Attire – Optional
 1. Spurs – Dummy or Rowels (rowels must be blunt/smooth & free to rotate) Max Length 2”.
 2. Cane, Crop, Vest or Gloves.
 - iii. Tack Appointments
 1. Snaffle Bits (Loose Ring, Egg-Butt, D-Ring, Full Cheek Bits), Pelhams and Full Bridles (Bit & Bradoon) ONLY.
 2. Curb Chain (with or without covers).
 3. Lip Strap Optional.
 4. Straight or forward Cut Show Saddle.



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f. Hunter Hack

- i. Minimum age of a horse is 3 years.
- ii. Personal Attire
 1. Jodhpurs – Canary, Fawn, Beige or Banana in Colour.
 2. Hacking Jacket – Conservative Colour.
 3. Boots – Either Long or Short are acceptable.
 4. Headwear – Helmet with safety harness meeting recognised Safety Standards.
 5. Collared Shirt and Tie, Stock or Ratcatcher (Colour Optional)
- iii. Personal Attire – Optional
 1. Spurs – Dummy or Rowels (rowels must be blunt/smooth & free to rotate) Max Length 2”.
 2. Cane (Max length 2ft, with no attachments), Vest or Gloves.
- iv. Tack Appointments
 1. Snaffle Bits (Loose Ring, Egg-Butt, D-Ring, Full Cheek Bits), Pelhams and Full Bridles (Bit & Bradoon) ONLY.
 2. Curb Chain (with or without covers).
 3. Lip Strap Optional.
 4. Straight or forward Cut Show Saddle.

g. Hunter In Hand

- i. Personal Attire
 1. Long or Short sleeved collared shirt, white or black, no Patterns.
 2. Dress pants must be cream, brown, blue or black no patterns should be loose enough to run in. Jodhpurs can be worn. Jeans are forbidden.
 3. Vests, ties, gloves and hats are optional
 4. Running Shoes, elastic sided Paddock Boots or top boots are acceptable.
 5. If belt worn must be plain.
- ii. Tack Appointments
 1. Dressage Whips are allowed (Max Length including tassel – 1.2m)
 2. A Bridle is Mandatory on horses 2yrs & over with the exception of 2yo's competing in the 2yo Led Versatility events only, where a bridle is optional. A Halter is Mandatory on Yearlings.
 3. 'Y' Lead or Reins are acceptable.
 4. Snaffle Bits Only – Loose Ring, Egg-Butt, D-Ring and Full Cheek Snaffle Bits.
 5. Chains under the jaw only.
- iii. Tack Appointments – Prohibited
 1. Chains over the nose or through the mouth.
 2. Decorative Bridles and Halters (Silver).
 3. Kimblewicks (Spanish Snaffle Bits)
 4. Pelhams
 5. Full Bridles (Bit & Bradoon)

h. Ranch Riding – Please See AAA Rule Book for entire Ranch Riding Rule.

- i. Minimum age of a horse is 3 years.
- ii. No horse can cross enter a Western Pleasure and Ranch Riding at the same show regardless of division (Youth, Amateur or Open).
- iii. Personal Attire
 1. A Shirt with long sleeves and a collar. NO BLING
 2. Jeans.
 3. Western Boots.
 4. Well shaped western hat.
 5. Chaps and Chinks are optional.



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- iv. Equipment
 - 1. No hoof polish.
 - 2. No braided or banded manes or tail extensions.
 - 3. Trimming inside ears is discouraged.
 - 4. Trimming of bridle path, fetlocks or excessive (long) facial hair is allowed.
 - 5. Silver on bridles and saddles is discouraged. Equipment with silver will not count over a good working outfit.
 - 6. It is suggested that competitors use a breast collar and a rear cinch.
- i. **Ranch Trail** – *Please See AAA Rule Book for entire Ranch Trail Rule.*
 - i. Minimum age of a horse is 3 years.
 - ii. No horse can cross enter a Trail and Ranch Trail at the same show regardless of division (Youth, Amateur or Open).
 - iii. Personal Attire
 - 1. A Shirt with long sleeves and a collar. NO BLING
 - 2. Jeans.
 - 3. Western Boots.
 - 4. Well shaped western hat.
 - 5. Chaps and Chinks are optional.
 - iv. Equipment
 - 1. No hoof polish.
 - 2. No braided or banded manes or tail extensions.
 - 3. Trimming inside ears is discouraged.
 - 4. Trimming of bridle path, fetlocks or excessive (long) facial hair is allowed.
 - 5. Silver on bridles and saddles is discouraged. Equipment with silver will not count over a good working outfit.
 - 6. It is suggested that competitors use a breast collar and a rear cinch.
- j. **Halter**
 - i. All Halter Events at this Show will be Western Attire Only.
- k. **Most Colourful at Halter**
 - i. Judged 60% on Colour, 40% on Conformation, Action, Substance, Quality and Manners.
 - ii. Only Adult colour registered horses are eligible to enter this class. Not B, BR, BT.
- l. **Performance Halter**
 - i. Minimum age of a horse is 2 years.
 - ii. Horses must have a Register of Merit Award in a recognised RIDDEN event.
 - iii. **No horse can cross enter its normal Halter Class and the Performance Halter at the same show.**
 - iv. Equipment, Attire and Class procedure will be as per Halter.
- m. **Ranch Confirmation**
 - i. Minimum age of a horse is 2 years.
 - ii. Plain leather Halter or Rope Halter are permitted
 - iii. No horse can cross enter Ranch Halter and any other halter event at this show, except for the Most Colourful at halter.
 - iv. Equipment attire as per Ranch events.
- n. **Youth Leadline 3 – 10yrs**
 - i. Any Rider entering event Youth Leadline cannot enter any other RIDDEN event at the Show, with the Exception of Youth Showmanship.
 - ii. Horses must be controlled by an Adult (over 18yrs of age).
 - iii. **Minimum age of a horse used in Youth Leadline is 4 year old.**



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- iv. Competitors may dress in either Western or English Attire and the adult leading the horse is to be dressed in accordance with the exhibitor.

o. Youth Walk/Jog-Trot Events

- i. Minimum Age of a Walk/Jog-Trot competitor is 5 years of age.
- ii. Youth entering Events 22, 29, 48, 82, 103, 120 cannot enter any other events at the Show with the exception of Youth Halter.
- iii. Youth competing in Walk/jog-trot events may use two (2) hands on the reins irrespective of the age of the horse.
- iv. Minimum age of a horse used in Youth Walk/Jog-Trot events is 4 year old.
- v. Spurs are optional in all Walk/Jog-Trot events.
 - 1. Western Spurs – Must be of western style with a blunt end, ball or small blunt rowel with the shank pointing to the rear only, and must be no longer than 3.5cm.
 - 2. English Spurs – Must be of English style with a blunt end or ball with the shank pointing to the rear only, and must be no longer than 3.5cm.
- vi. The Trail gate is optional, but only at the discretion of the Judge.

p. Sporting Events

- i. Competitors are to be dressed in appropriate western attire. Helmets with safety harness meeting recognised Safety Standards may be worn.
- ii. Horses may compete in any type of legal bit regardless of age.

q. Walk & Trot Hunter Under Saddle & Walk & Jog Western Pleasure

- i. Eligibility - Professional trainers are not eligible for these two events.

r. Show Hunter

- i. A show Hunter creates the impression that it is capable of hunting over a variety of terrains all day
- ii. A horse that competes in led or ridden show hunter cannot compete in any other Hack event
- iii. Show Hunter events are not eligible for Grand Champion Led or Ridden Hack
- iv. Run the same way as a show hack event, although an extended trot and flying changes are not required.
- v. Attire and Tack as per Hack events.

17. High Point Awards

- s. All High Points will be calculated on the 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1 System.
- t. Tie Breakers will be as per AAA Ltd Rule Book.
- u. **Youth**
 - i. Minimum Age of a Competitor in Youth Showmanship/Youth In Hand is 5 years of age. Minimum Age of a Competitor in Any Open Events is 7 years of age.
 - ii. Any Youth who is competing on more than one (1) horse in Youth Events, may nominate a maximum of two (2) horses whose points will be counted towards their High Point Award of the Show.
 - iii. The owner of any Youth horse entered, must be a financial member of the AAA Ltd.
 - iv. Nominations must be made prior to the commencement of the show with the Show Secretary.
 - v. Only the Highest Placing from Youth Events will count towards High Point Awards.
 - vi. Ranch Riding (Event 130) - A Horse competing in Ranch Riding cannot cross enter Western Pleasure in any division (Youth, Amateur & Open) at the same show.
 - vii. Ranch Trail (Event 114) – A Horse competing in Ranch Trail cannot cross enter Trail in any division (Youth, Amateur or Open) at the same show.
 - viii. **Youth High Point Awards will be:**
 - 1. Youth 13yrs & Under Walk/Jog: 22, 29, 48, 82, 103, 120



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2. *Youth 13yrs & Under: 5, 14, 24, 32, 39, 45, 84, 105/117, 123/132, 132, 136, 139*

3. *Youth 14 – 18yrs: 5, 14, 24, 34, 39, 43, 84, 107/117, 125/132, 136, 139*

v. Amateur

- i. Any Amateur who is competing on more than one (1) horse in Amateur Junior or Amateur Senior Horse Events, may nominate a maximum of two (2) horses per age group whose points will be counted towards their Amateur Junior or Amateur Senior Horse High Point Award of the Show.
- ii. Nominations must be made prior to the commencement of the show with the Show Secretary.
- iii. Only the Highest Placing from Amateur Junior or Amateur Senior Events will count towards High Point Awards.
- iv. Ranch Riding– A Horse competing in Ranch Riding cannot cross enter Western Pleasure in any division (Youth, Amateur & Open) at the same show.
- v. Ranch Trail– A Horse competing in Ranch Trail cannot cross enter Trail in any division (Youth, Amateur or Open) at the same show.
- vi. Novice Amateur
 1. Competitors must be eligible for Novice Amateur as per AAA Ltd Rule Book.
 2. Novice Amateur Competitors cannot cross enter Amateur Classes in the same discipline. Novice Amateur Competitors can compete in Amateur Classes if no Novice Amateur classes offered. Only the Novice Amateur Classes will be counted towards the Novice Amateur High Point Award.
- vii. Amateur Masters
 1. Competitors must hold the appropriate Amateur Card, which states they are eligible for “Masters” classes, to be eligible for these events.
 2. Competitors may enter other events on the program but only the Amateur Masters Classed will be counted towards the Amateur Masters High Point Award.
- viii. **Amateur High Point Awards will be:**
 1. *Amateur Junior Horse: 6, 15, 23, 37, 40, 46, 88, 111/116, 126/131, 135, 138*
 2. *Amateur Senior Horse: 6, 15, 23, 38, 40, 46, 88, 113/116, 129/131, 135, 138*
 3. *Amateur Masters High Point Classes are: 25, 35, 47, 90, 112/115, 128/133*
 4. *Novice Amateur High Point classes are: 26, 30, 44, 86, 109, 121*

w. Yearling Versatility

- i. Only those competitors competing for the Yearling Versatility are eligible to enter the versatility events.
- ii. Competitors must compete in a minimum of 4 of the 5 classes to be eligible for this Award.
- iii. *Yearling Versatility Hi Point Award Classes are: 4, 9, 21, 79, 100*

x. 2YO & over Led Versatility

- i. Only those competitors competing for the 2yo Led Versatility are eligible to enter the versatility events.
- ii. Horses competing in 2yo Led Versatility Events are not eligible to compete in any other ridden event at this show. Any 2yo competing in Ridden Events at this show are not eligible to enter the 2yo Led Versatility Events.
- iii. 2 yr old Horses competing in the 2yo Led Versatility Suitability for Dressage, Led Hack and Hunter in Hand events may be shown in a Bridle or a Halter. If the same horse is competing in any other age Suitability for Dressage, Led Hack and Hunter in Hand events they must be shown in a bridle.
- iv. Competitors must compete in a minimum of 4 of the 5 classes to be eligible for this Award.
- v. *2YO Led Versatility Hi Point Classes are: 3, 10, 20, 80, 101*



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y. 3YO & over Led Versatility

- i. Only those competitors competing for the 3yo & over Led Versatility are eligible to enter the versatility events.
- ii. Horses competing in 3yo& over Led Versatility Events are not eligible to compete in any other ridden event at this show. Any 2yo competing in Ridden Events at this show are not eligible to enter the 3yo & over Led Versatility Events.
- iii. Horses competing in the 2yo& over Led Versatility Suitability For Dressage, Led Hack and Hunter In Hand events must be shown in a Bridle. If the same horse is competing in any other age Suitability For Dressage, Led Hack and Hunter In Hand events they must too be shown in a bridle.
- iv. Competitors must compete in a minimum of 4 of the 5 classes to be eligible for this Award.
- v. *3YO & over Led Versatility Hi Point Classes are: 2, 11, 19, 81, 102*

z. 2yo Performance Horse

- i. Led 2yo's are not permitted to enter any 2yo Ridden Event at this show.
- ii. *2yo Performance Hi Point Classes are – 28, 83, 104, 119*

aa. 3yo Performance Horse

- i. Ranch Riding (Event 130) - A Horse competing in Ranch Riding cannot cross enter Western Pleasure in any division (Youth, Amateur & Open) at the same show.
- ii. Ranch Trail (Event 114) - A Horse competing in Ranch Trail cannot cross enter Trail in any division (Youth, Amateur & Open) at the same show.
- iii. Horses competing in 3 yr & over led are not permitted to enter any Ridden Events at this show, with the exception of Leadline but then only if 4 yrs and over horses.
- iv. *3yo Performance Hi Point Classes are – 31, 85, 106/114, 122/130, 134, 137*

bb. Junior Performance Horse

- i. Ranch Riding (Event 130) - A Horse competing in Ranch Riding cannot cross enter Western Pleasure in any division (Youth, Amateur & Open) at the same show.
- ii. Ranch Trail (Event 114) - A Horse competing in Ranch Trail cannot cross enter Trail in any division (Youth, Amateur & Open) at the same show.
- iii. Horses competing in Led 3yrs & Over horses are not permitted to enter any Ridden Events at this show, with the exception of Leadline.
- iv. *Junior Performance Hi Point Classes are – 33, 87, 108/114, 124/130, 134, 137*

cc. Senior Performance Horse

- i. Ranch Riding (Event 130) - A Horse competing in Ranch Riding cannot cross enter Western Pleasure in any division (Youth, Amateur & Open) at the same show.
- ii. Ranch Trail (Event 114) - A Horse competing in Ranch Trail cannot cross enter Trail in any division (Youth, Amateur & Open) at the same show.
- iii. *Senior Performance Hi Point Classes are – 36, 89, 110/114, 127/130, 134, 137*

dd. English Performance Horse

- i. *English Performance High Point Classes: 1, 7, 8, 12/13, 16/17, 18, 28/31/33/36 41*

ee. Sporting Horse

- i. Will be calculated on all Sporting Events.
- ii. High Point Sporting Classes are:
 1. *Open Sporting: 91, 94, 97*
 2. *Youth Sporting: 92, 96, 99*
 3. *Amateur Sporting: 93, 95, 98*



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ff. Overall Performance Horse

- i. Will be calculated on all Open Performance Events excluding All Youth Events, All Amateur Events, All Showcases Events and Classic Events.
- ii. Ranch Riding - A Horse competing in Ranch Riding cannot cross enter Western Pleasure in any division (Youth, Amateur & Open) at the same show.
- iii. Ranch Trail - A Horse competing in Ranch Trail cannot cross enter Trail in any division (Youth, Amateur & Open) at the same show
- iv. Led Versatility horses not eligible for any performance awards.
- v. High Point Classes are: *1, 7, 8, 12/13, 16/17, 18, 28/31/33/36, 41, 83/85/87/89, 104/106/108/110/114, 119/122/124/127/130, 134, 137*

gg. High Point Sires

- i. National Halter Sire
 1. Appaloosa Sires Only - The owner of the winning sire must be a current Financial Member of the AAA Ltd.
 2. Will be calculated on all Halter Events with the Exception of Grand & Reserve Grand Champions, Supremes, Showcases and Classics.
- ii. National Performance Sire
 1. Appaloosa Sires Only - The owner of the winning sire must be a current Financial Member of the AAA Ltd.
 2. Will be calculated on all Performance and Led Versatility Events with the exception of Exception of Grand Champions, Showcases and Classics and Walk/Trot and Jog events.
- iii. Showcase/Classic Halter Sire
 1. Appaloosa Sires Only – The owner of the winning sire must be a current Financial Member of the AAA Ltd.
 2. Will be calculated on all Showcase & Classic Halter Events.
- iv. Showcase/Classic Performance Sire
 1. Appaloosa Sires Only - The owner of the winning sire must be a current Financial Member of the AAA Ltd.
 2. Will be calculated on all Showcase & Classic Performance Events