CHAPTER 21: HORSE AND AMATEUR ACHIEVEMENT AWARD PROGRAMS (Res. 13-10 for Horse) (BOD 8/01 for Amateur)

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All AHA program and event deadlines must be met as specified, whether submitted by hand delivery, postal service, fax, e-mail, internet or other electronic means.

ACH 101. ACHIEVEMENT AWARD PROGRAMS - GENERAL RULES

1. For all membership requirements refer to Chapter 7. All horses must be enrolled by the current recorded owner Points or placings for AHA Programs will only be recorded for horses owned and shown by participants who hold an AHA Competition Card.
2. The AHA Awards Committee shall resolve any questions concerning the application of these rules, subject to ratification by the AHA Board of Directors. Horse program effective January 1, 1960. Amateur Effective November 19, 2008, rules for the Amateur Achievement Award Program be modified to mirror the changes to the Horse Achievement Award Program. (BOD 11/08). Amateur Achievement Award Program effective January 1, 2002.
3. All horses must be registered by the Arabian Horse Registry of America, Inc., the Canadian Arabian Horse Registry, the Half-Arabian Registry, or the Anglo-Arabian Registry or the Canadian Partbred Arabian Register.
4. The titles or terms "Legion of Honor Champion," "Legion of Supreme Honor Champion," "Legion of Excellence Champion," "Legion of Merit Champion," "Legion of Supreme Merit Champion" and "Legion of Masters Champion" will be awarded to individual stallions, mares, and geldings, which meet the requirements, set out in the following sections. These titles are reserved by AHA for its express use.
5. The Amateur Achievement Awards program is open to adult amateurs and junior exhibitors 18 and under, which are referred to as "amateurs" in these rules. Riders/Drivers/Handlers will be referred to as "riders" in these rules.
6. Amateurs must be current AHA members and must ride horses registered by the Arabian Horse Association, the Canadian Arabian Horse Registry, or the Canadian Partbred Arabian Register.
7. The titles or terms "Rider of Honor Champion", "Rider of Supreme Honor Champion", "Rider of Excellence Champion" "Handler of Honor Champion" Handler of Supreme Honor Champion", "Handler of Excellence Champion", "Horseman of Merit Champion", "Horseman of Supreme Merit Champion" and "Master Horseman Champion" will be awarded to individuals who meet the requirements set out in the following sections. These titles are reserved by AHA for its express use.
8. Participation in the Amateur Achievement Award program is limited to junior members or adult amateur individual members of AHA.
9. Deceased horses/riders/drivers/handlers may receive awards for which they are eligible, providing all applicable fees are paid.
10. Arabians, Half-Arabians, and Anglo-Arabians may compete together in classes/disciplines that have a A/HA/AA class code assigned to it. (BOD 3/15)
11. Horse/Amateur Achievement Award presentation guidelines:
    a. If the presentation is to be made at a competition, it may only be made after the conclusion of a session or during a break in the schedule. The Judge(s) must not be present. (Refer to ACH 101.7.c) (BOD 1/02 Amateur)
    b. If an Achievement Award is to be presented to a horse or rider entered in the competition, no advance publishing or advertising of the Achievement Award can be included in the show's prize list or used in show or event publicity.
    c. Horse/Amateur Achievement Awards may not be presented at the National Shows within the show arena.
12. References to "Breeding" and "In-Hand" include Sport Horse In-Hand, Performance Halter and Ranch Horse Conformation classes.

ACH 102. ENROLLMENT

1. Initial enrollments are effective as of the date they are postmarked/electronic transaction dated to the AHA office.
2. Renewals are effective as of the date they are postmarked/electronic transaction dated to the AHA office. This renewal is the sole responsibility of the horse owner/individual member.
3. Retroactive fees must be paid for each year to pick up points earned prior to the horse's/individual's initial enrollment or prior to the annual renewal fee being paid to the AHA office. Points are earned (verified and recorded), based on these dates. Any points accrued prior to said dates require the retroactive fee. (BOD 11/04) For Amateurs, retroactive points will not be permitted prior to the initial starting date of the program, i.e., January 1, 2002.
4. Horses who are presented Legion of Honor and Legion of Merit Champions may proceed in the program for further awards but must continue to pay the annual renewal fee.
5. Amateurs who are presented Rider or Handler of Honor, Rider or Handler of Supreme Honor and Rider or Handler of Excellence Champions may proceed in the program for further awards but must continue to pay the annual renewal fee before the participant's first show or event of each year.
6. There will be a transfer fee for horses registered with CAHR or CPAR, who are enrolled in the Horse Achievement Awards Program and change ownership. (Refer to fee schedule)
7. Owners of horses currently enrolled in the Horse Achievement Awards Program/Amateurs currently enrolled in the Amateur Achievement Awards Program can view their horse's/their points on the web. Physical copies of Event Records can be purchased. (See fee schedule)

ACH 103. ACHIEVEMENT AWARD PROGRAMS' SHOWS AND EVENTS

1. A class that is USEF/EC rated and/or AHA Recognized.
2. Classes must use USEF or EC class specifications.
3. Shows must also meet all other requirements for AHA Show or Division Recognition. (Refer to Chapter 11)
4. An AHA Recognized Competitive Trail Ride or Endurance Ride sanctioned by AERC (American Endurance Ride Conference), USEF or an AHA approved Competitive Trail Ride Association as listed in Competitive Trail Ride Chapter. An official of the competitive or endurance ride must send a signed copy of the ride results on official AHA ride completion forms to AHA. (BOD 1/22)
5. An AJC (Arabian Jockey Club) Recognized race.
6. Points are awarded for AHA Dressage and Western Dressage Divisions and Dressage and Western Dressage Open Shows in USEF, USDF, and/or the Canadian equivalent system in EC for:
    a. Dressage Training Level through Grand Prix and
    b. Western Dressage Basic Level through Level 5 according to ACH 106.
    c. Introductory Dressage/Western Dressage (including 10 & Under Walk/Trot) awards points according to the point table in ACH 105.

Indicates rule change

d. All open Dressage and Western Dressage report forms must be postmarked/electronic transaction dated to the AHA office within 30 days of the competition. (Refer to Chapter 15, ACH 106.) (BOD 3/15)

7. AHA accepts USEF/EC Recognized Dressage Competitions and USEF/EC Recognized Western Dressage Competitions retroactively for the purpose of accumulating points as follows: (BOD 3/15)
   a. The competitor must submit the retroactive fee. (Refer to ACH 102.3.)
   b. Dressage scores not currently recorded by the AHA, regardless of the year in which they were earned, may be submitted to the AHA for the Achievement Award program by one of the following means:
      1) Submission of the AHA Open ~~Qualifying~~ Recognition ~~Show/Event Results~~ Program Form signed by the show manager or secretary; or
      2) Submission of the AHA Open ~~Qualifying~~ Recognition ~~Show/Event Results~~ Program Form (unsigned and without copy of prize list) accompanied by a printout from the USEF or USDF or EC or Dressage Canada websites of the horse's competition record with Dressage scores listed; (BOD 3/15) or
      3) Submission of the AHA Open ~~Qualifying~~ Recognition ~~Show/Event Results~~ Program Form (unsigned and without copy of prize list) accompanied by a copy of the Dressage test score sheet with attached verification of show recognized by USEF, USDF or EC. (Res. 6-05)
   c. It is the sole responsibility of the horse's owner and/or Amateur to provide proof of those scores not recorded by AHA in accordance with the Achievement Award rules and fees in place at the time of submission. (Res. 6-05)
8. Gymkhana Classes. The following classes are eligible for points:
   a. Pole-bending (See USEF Arabian, Half-Arabian/Anglo-Arabian Rules)
   b. Barrel Competition (See USEF Arabian, Half-Arabian/Anglo-Arabian Rules)
9. Events/Trials must be recognized by USEA (United States Eventing Association), EC or USEF. (Res. 5-03)
10. Combined Driving Events/Trials must be recognized by EC or USEF. (Res. 5-03)
11. Carriage Pleasure Driving must take place in competitions recognized by EC or USEF. (Res. 5-03)

ACH 104. IN-ELIGIBLE CLASSES

1. Futurity, Maturity, Derby, Jackpot, and restricted Sweepstakes classes.
2. Showmanship, Equitation and Walk-Trot/Jog Equitation classes **do not count for Horse**. (**Exception:** These classes are eligible for Amateur Achievement Awards)
3. No points will be awarded to mixed gender Breeding or In-Hand classes and/or mixed gender Breeding or In-Hand Championships. (**Exception:** Arabian Most Classic and Arabian Most Classic Head.)
4. Gymkhana (Except barrels and poles in AHA Recognized Shows – see ACH 103.8).
5. Get of sire, produce of dam.
6. Pro/Am.
7. Local classes.
8. Restricted classes (except classes restricted to Maiden, Novice, and Limit Rider/Driver/Horse and Leveled classes).
9. Mixed breed classes that include breeds other than Arabians, Half-Arabians, and Anglo-Arabians (**Exception:** Open Events for Dressage, Western Dressage, Endurance Rides, Competitive Trail Rides, Eventing/Trials, Carriage Pleasure Driving, Combined Driving, Hunter/Jumper, and Working Western). (BOD 3/15)
10. "Fun" classes.

ACH 105. POINT TABLE FOR SHOWS

1. Points shall be awarded on the following basis:

Number of Horses in Class	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
2-3	1/2				
4-7	1				
8-11	2	1			
12-15	3	2	1		
16-19	4	3	2	1	
20 +	5	4	3	2	1

(Res. 4-03 for Horse) (BOD 12/03 for Amateur)

2. No class of fewer than 2 horses/riders shall receive points. (**Exception:** ACH 105.7, 105.8)
3. Points for Championship Breeding, In-Hand, and Performance classes (Equitation and Showmanship for Amateur) of a show shall be awarded on the basis as above but doubled. In Championship Breeding, In-Hand, and Performance classes of 4-7 horses, the Reserve Champion shall receive one point (Effective 12/3/89 for Horse). (Note: Sport Horse In-Hand Championships and Reserve Championships will have the number in the class determined by two horses in each lead-in class to that Championship. **Example:** 2 & Under Filly class, 3 through 5 yr. Mare class, and 6 & Over Mare class will have 6 horses in the Championship & Reserve Championship class. 3 & Under Stallion class and 4 & Over Stallion class will have 4 horses in the Championship and Reserve Championship class.) (BOD 1/03)
4. Horse show Working Hunter or Jumper Championships are not actual classes and do not count toward Horse Achievement Awards. These Championships are an accumulation of points from the regular classes. These Championships are actually a "high point" award. If a specific Hunter or Jumper Championship Class were offered, then it would receive points for Riders.
5. In Amateur, Breeding and In-Hand classes, "Grand Champions" that are chosen by the Champion mare competing against the Champion stallion and/or gelding will receive no additional points. No points will be awarded to handlers in mixed sex Breeding and In-Hand classes. (An exception is made when considering Most Classic Arabian and Classic Head classes.)
6. In Amateur, Junior Champion handlers will receive points, as indicated above (3). Junior, in this case, refers to the horse, not the handler.
7. In Amateur, Senior Champion handlers will receive points, as indicated above (3). Senior, in this case, refers to the horse, not the handler.
8. In Amateur, no points will be awarded to handlers in mixed gender Breeding/In-Hand classes. **Exception:** Showmanship.
9. Model and Most Classic Arabian and Classic Arabian Head classes shall be given points as in ACH 105 and shall be considered Breeding and In-Hand classes.
10. At least 50% of the Breeding and In-Hand points earned for Legion of Merit, Legion of Supreme Merit, and Legion of Masters awards must be earned in AHA Recognized regular Breeding and In-Hand classes which fall within the Horse Achievement Awards guidelines.
11. **AHA Regional Championships**, Pacific Slope Championships, East Coast Championships, East and West Canadian Breeders Championships shall receive the following points (Refer REQ 201.2.b):
    a. 12 points, Champion.
    b. 6 points, Reserve Champion.
    c. 4 points, remaining of Top Five or Top Six.

    Scores will not count; only final placings will determine points. If a regional show places a full Top Five or Top Six, then points will be awarded to 50% of the class not to exceed five or six. (i.e., If 6 horses are in the class, points will be awarded to the Champion, Reserve Champion, and the highest placing Top Five horse)
12. **AHA National Championship points:**
    a. 30 points, Champion.
    b. 20 points, Reserve Champion.
    c. 10 points, remaining eight of the Top Ten or remaining four of the Top Six at CNAC.

    Scores will not count; only final placings will determine points. If a national show places a full Top Ten, then points will be awarded to 50% of the class not to

exceed ten. (i.e., If 7 horses are in the class, points will be awarded to the Champion, Reserve Champion and two of the highest placing Top Ten horses) Canada's National Arabian Championship will be adjusted for a Top Six and the 50% rule applies.

13. When the final placings result in a tie, points will be awarded for the highest place in the tie situation to each of those tied for the same places.

ACH 106. POINT TABLES FOR DRESSAGE AND WESTERN DRESSAGE (BOD 3/15)

1. For all Regional & National Competitions, points shall be accumulated pursuant to ACH 105. Introductory Dressage/Western Dressage (including 10 & Under Walk/Trot) will have points accumulated according to the point table in ACH 105.
2. For all other shows, (Refer to ACH 103.6.) points shall be accumulated as follows: **(**Res. 5-07 for Horse) (BOD 11/08 for Amateur)

DRESSAGE (includes Musical Freestyle):

a. USEF/EC Training Level (BOD 3/24)

60 % - 63.999%:	1 point
64% - 67.999%	2 points
68% - 70.999%	3 points
71% & above	4 points

b. USEF/EC First Level (BOD 3/24)

60 % - 63.999%:	1 point
64% - 67.999%	2 points
68% - 69.999%	3 points
70% & above	4 points

c. USEF/EC Second & Third Levels

58% - 60.999%	1 point
61% - 63.999%	2 points
64% - 66.999%	3 points
67% & above	4 points

d. USEF/EC Fourth Level

55% - 57.999%	1 point
58% - 60.999%	2 points
61% - 63.999%	3 points
64% & above	4 points

e. Prix St Georges & Int. I

55% - 56.999%	1 points
57% - 58.999%	2 points
59% - 60.999%	3 points
61% & above	4 points

f. Int. II, & Grand Prix

55% - 55.999%	1 point
56% - 56.999%	2 points
57% - 57.999%	3 points
58% & above	4 points

(**Note:** That points earned beginning December 1, 2008 will be accumulated with the above listing. Points earned prior to December 1, 2008 will remain as awarded. Points earned in Musical Freestyle Dressage from Open Competitions in 2015 and 2016 will be grandfathered in with a 2017 Achievement Award enrollment or renewal.) (BOD 8/16)

WESTERN DRESSAGE: (BOD 3/15)

g. USEF Basic Level (BOD 3/24)

60 % - 63.999%:	1 point
64% - 67.999%	2 points
68% - 70.999%	3 points
71% & above	4 points

h. USEF Level 1 (BOD 3/24)

60 % - 63.999%:	1 point
64% - 67.999%	2 points
68% - 69.999%	3 points
70% & above	4 points

i. USEF Level 2 and 3

58 % - 61.999%:	1 point
62% - 65.999%	2 points
66% - 68.999%	3 points
69% & above	4 points

j. USEF Level 4 and 5

58% - 60.999%	1 point
61% - 63.999%	2 points
64% - 66.999%	3 points
67% & above	4 points

THE FOLLOWING POINT TABLE APPLIES FOR ENDURANCE RIDES, COMPETITIVE TRAIL RIDES, COMPETIVE TRAIL DRIVING, EVENTING, COMBINED DRIVING, CARRIAGE PLEASURE DRIVING, AND HUNTER/JUMPER COMPETITIONS

*	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	6TH	7TH	8TH	9TH	10TH
2-3	1									
4-7	2	1								
8-11	4	2	1							
12-15	6	4	2	1						
16-19	8	6	4	2	1					
20-23	10	8	6	4	2	1				
24-27	12	10	8	6	4	2	1			
28-31	14	12	10	8	6	4	2	1		
32-35	16	14	12	10	8	6	4	2	1	
36-39	18	16	14	12	10	8	6	4	2	1
40+	20	18	16	14	12	10	8	6	4	2

* Number of Horses/Riders Starting Event (Res. 5-03 for Horse) (BOD 12/03 for Amateur) – for Distance Rides, count all breeds participating when reporting results from Open Rides.

ACH 107. ENDURANCE RIDE POINTS

Note: Limited Distance Rides of 25 - 49 miles and Endurance Rides of 50 miles and more are eligible to count for Horse Achievement Award Points. (Res. 7-05) Amateur Achievement Award Points. (BOD 5/05)

1. Six points for winning "Best Condition."
2. Four points for "Completion."
3. Figuring Point Value: Placing points from the above table are added to six "Best Condition" points and four "Completion" points and then are multiplied by the mileage percentage: the product is your point score for that ride. (See example below.) (Refer to ACH 107.5 and 107.6 for Regional and National Championship Rides.)

   Example: 1st place on a 50-mile endurance ride with seven horses; the horse also won "Best Condition" on the same ride.

Placing Points from Table	2
Completion Points	+ 4
Best Condition	+ 6
Total Points for Ride	12
50 Mile Ride = 50% or 0.5	x 0.5
Point Score	= 6

   Note: 100 Mile rides will not need to be multiplied.
   65 Miles = 65%, etc.
   25 Miles =25%, etc. (Res. 7-05 for Horse) (BOD 5/05 for Amateur)

Indicates rule change

4. Points for Endurance Rides are earned by placing in the Top Ten, winning "Best Condition" and/or by "Completion" of a ride (fulfilling the requirements of the ride; i.e., time, veterinarian, parameters, etc.). (Refer to ACH 103.4)

5. **AHA Regional Championship Endurance Ride** winners shall receive points equal to the amount of Regional Championship Performance class winners, (Refer to ACH 105.11) plus, all horses/Amateurs who have completed a Regional Championship Endurance Ride will receive two completion points.

   When an AHA Regional Championship Endurance Ride is held with an AERC/FEI Open ride, both rides are eligible for achievement award points. Refer to END 115 for procedures for Endurance Ride results reporting. (Res. 8-02 for Horse) (BOD 11/08 for Amateur)

6. **AHA National Championship Endurance Ride** winners shall receive points equal to the amount of National Championship Performance class winners, (Refer to ACH 105.12) plus all horses/Amateurs who have completed a National Championship Endurance Ride will receive four completion points.

   When an AHA National Championship Endurance Ride is held with an AHA/AERC/FEI Open ride, both rides are eligible for achievement award points (Refer to END 115.b.). Open ride report forms are not required if the open portion is recognized by AHA. (Res. 8-02 for Horse) (BOD 11/08 for Amateur)

7. To earn points for Open endurance rides, either the Open Qualifying Ride Results Form must be completed and returned to AHA within 90 days of the ride date, or the Official AERC Horse Record must be submitted along with the AHA Open Qualifying Ride Results Form to AHA by **January 31** for rides completed the prior year. (BOD 5/02) (Refer to Chapter 15)

ACH 108. COMPETITIVE TRAIL RIDE OR DRIVE POINTS (BOD 8/11)

Note: Ride must be minimum of 25 miles to count for Competitive Trail/Drive points. Refer to ACH 103.4.

1. Four points for "Completion."
2. Figuring Point Value: Placing points from the above table are added to four "Completion" points and then are multiplied by the mileage percentage: the product is your point score for that ride. (See example below.) (Refer to ACH 108.5 and 108.6. for Regional and National Championship rides.)

   Example: 1st place on a 50-mile Competitive Trail Ride/Drive with 10 horses in the division.

Placing Points from Table	4
Completion Points	+ 4
Total Points for Ride/Drive	8
50 Mile Ride/Drive = 50% or 0.5	x 0.5
Point Score	= 4

   Note: 100 Mile rides will not need to be multiplied.
   65 Miles = 65%,
   25 Miles = 25%, etc.

3. Points for Competitive Trail Rides/Drives are earned by placing in a division, winning "Grand Champion" or "Reserve Champion" on a ride/drive, and/or by "Completion" of a ride/drive (fulfilling the requirements of the ride as to time, veterinarian parameters, etc.). If placed in a division and also placed as Champion or Reserve Champion on the same ride, ONLY the Championship placing will be counted.

   a. Points for divisions are based on the number of horses starting in the division, by using the competitive point table. Some examples of divisions are: Light Weight, Middle Weight, Heavy Weight.

   b. Points for Grand and Reserve Champion are based on the total number of horses starting on the ride/drive, by using the competitive point table.

4. To earn points for Open Competitive Trail/Drive, the proper AHA report forms must be completed and returned to AHA within 90 days of the ride date. (Refer to Chapter 15)

5. **AHA Regional Championship Competitive Trail** winners shall receive points equal to the amount of Regional Championship performance class winners, (Refer to ACH 105.7) plus, all horses/Amateurs who have completed a Regional Championship Competitive Trail Ride will receive 2 (two) completion points. (ACH 108.1 - 3 and chart not applicable for AHA Regional Championship Competitive Trail Rides).

   When an AHA Regional Championship Competitive Trail Ride is held with an 'Approved Ride Organization' Open ride, both rides are eligible for achievement award points.

6. **AHA National Championship Competitive Trail** winners shall receive points equal to the amount of National Championship performance class winners, (Refer to ACH 105.8) plus, all horses/Amateurs who have completed the National Championship Competitive Trail Ride will receive 4 (four) completion points." (ACH 108.1 - 3 and chart not applicable for AHA National Championship Competitive Trail Rides.)

ACH 109. EVENTING POINTS FROM ALL BREED COMPETITIONS

1. Eventing:
   a. For successful completion of all phases of an event or trial (Dressage, Cross Country, Stadium Jumping). For points to be awarded, horses shall not have been eliminated, retired or withdrawn.
      1) Beginner Novice Level = 1 point (BOD 8/11)
      2) Novice Level = 2 points
      3) Training Level = 3 points
      4) Preliminary or Intermediate Level = 4 points (BOD 8/11)
      5) Advanced or FEI Levels = 5 points
   b. In addition, points for placing from the above table (all horses/riders entered and shown to be counted).
   c. Percentage of points given per level:
      1) Beginner Novice Level 15% of points on table (BOD 8/11)
      2) Novice Level 25% of points on table
      3) Training Level 50% of points on table
      4) Preliminary or Intermediate Level 75% of points on table (BOD 8/11)
      5) Advanced and/or FEI Levels 100% of points on table

ACH 110. COMBINED DRIVING POINTS FROM ALL BREED COMPETITIONS

1. Combined Driving:
   a. For successful completion of all phases of a competition (Dressage, Marathon, Obstacles). For points to be awarded, horses/drivers shall not have been eliminated, retired or withdrawn.
      1) Training Level = 3 points
      2) Preliminary Level = 4 points
      3) Intermediate/Advanced or FEI Levels = 5 points
   b. In addition, points for placing in the above table. (All horses/drivers entered and shown to be counted.)
   c. Percentage of points given per level:
      1) Training Level 50% of points on table
      2) Preliminary Level 75% of points on table
      3) Intermediate/Advanced or FEI Levels 100% of points on table

ACH 111. CARRIAGE PLEASURE DRIVING POINTS FROM ALL BREED COMPETITIONS

1. Carriage Pleasure Driving:
   a. Completion and placing in Carriage Pleasure Driving classes will be awarded points from table in ACH 107.
      1) Classes include, but are not limited to:
         a) Pleasure Driving, Turnout
         b) Pleasure Driving, Working
         c) Drive & Ride
         d) Obstacle Driving, Pick Your Route
         e) Obstacle Driving, Double Jeopardy
         f) Obstacle Driving, Fault & Out
         g) Obstacle Driving, Progressive
         h) Obstacle Driving, Gambler's Choice
         i) Obstacle Driving, Cross Country
         j) Timed Obstacles

k) Pleasure Marathon, Turnout
l) Pleasure Marathon, Timed
m) Pleasure Marathon, Pace
n) Pleasure Driving, Reinsmanship

ACH 112. HUNTER/JUMPER POINTS FROM ALL BREED COMPETITIONS

1. Hunters: (Res. 8-08 for Horse) (BOD 11/08 for Amateur)
   a. Points for placings from the above table (all horses entered and shown to be counted).
   b. Exhibitor will send a completed form with proper information and signature for record keeping to the AHA office.
2. Jumpers: (Res. 8-08 for Horse) (BOD 11/08 for Amateur)
   a. Points for placings from the above table (all horses entered and shown to be counted).
   b. Exhibitor will send a completed form with proper information and signature for record keeping to the AHA office.

ACH 113. RACING TABLE (for Horse)

Racing Points shall be awarded to horses three years old or older on the following table. No race of fewer than four horses shall receive points. Points will be awarded based on distance and number of horses in a race in order of finish.

Number of Starters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
Fewer than 4 furlongs				
4-10+	0	0	0	0
4 to fewer than 5 furlongs				
4-6	3	2	0	0
7-9	4	3	2	1
10+	5	4	3	2
5 to fewer than 6 furlongs				
4-6	4	3	0	0
7-9	5	4	3	2
10+	6	5	4	3
6 to fewer than 7 furlongs				
4-6	5	4	0	0
7-9	6	5	4	3
10+	7	6	5	4
7 to fewer than 8 furlongs (1mi.)				
4-6	6	5	0	0
7-9	7	6	5	4
10+	8	7	6	5
1 mi. to fewer than 1-1/8				
4-6	7	6	0	0
7-9	8	7	6	5
10+	9	8	7	6
1-1/8 mi. to fewer than 1-1/4 mi.				
4-6	8	7	0	0
7-9	9	8	7	6
10+	10	9	8	7
1-1/4 mi. to fewer than 1-3/8 mi.				
4-6	. 9	8	0	0
7-9	10	9	8	7
10+	11	10	9	8
1-3/8 mi. to fewer than 1-1/2 mi.				
4-6	10	9	0	0
7-9	11	10	9	8
10+	12	11	10	9
1-1/2 mi. & Over				
4-6	11	10	0	0
7-9	12	11	10	9
10+	13	12	11	10

ACH 114. POINT TABLE FOR WORKING WESTERN (BOD 11/15)

Achievement Award points at AHA Recognized ~~qualifying~~ shows (USEF/EC/AHA One Day Shows/AHA Value Shows/Open Results Reporting) will accrue points either by the number of horses in the class, as presently designated (50% rule applies) or by points using the following tables for both Horse and Amateur. (Points will be awarded by whichever system is higher)

REINING/RANCH REINING, WORKING COW HORSE/RANCH COW HORSE, CUTTING, HERD WORK, RANCH TRAIL

68 - 68 ½	½ point
69 – 69 ½	1 point
70 – 71 ½	2 points
72 – 73 ½	3 points
74 – 75 ½	4 points
76 +	5 points

REINED COW HORSE

136 – 137 ½	½ point
138 – 139 ½	1 point
140 – 143 ½	2 points
144 – 147 ½	3 points
148 – 151 ½	4 points
152 +	5 points

TRAIL, RANCH RIDING

70 – 71 ½	½ point
72 – 73 ½	1 point
74 – 75 ½	2 points
76 – 77 ½	3 points
78 – 79	4 points
80+	5 points

ACH 115. HORSE AWARDS AND THEIR SYMBOLS

1. In the event the title Legion of Honor, Legion of Supreme Honor, Legion of Excellence, Legion of Merit, Legion of Supreme Merit, Legion of Masters is awarded, a proper letter of certification and a plaque shall be prepared and forwarded to the owner of that horse and also a proper notation shall be made on the records of AHA and published. To receive an award and symbol, the horse must be currently enrolled in the Achievement Awards program and the owner must be a current AHA member.
2. The following are the awards and their symbols. These symbols should be written after the horse's name.
   a. Legion of Honor = "+"
   b. Legion of Supreme Honor = "+/"
   c. Legion of Merit = "++"
   *d. A horse that wins a Legion of Supreme Honor and a Legion of Merit = "++/"
   e. Legion of Supreme Merit = "+++"
   *f. A horse that wins a Legion of Supreme Honor and a Legion of Supreme Merit = "+++/"
   g. Legion of Excellence = "+//"
   *h. A horse that wins a Legion of Merit and a Legion of Excellence = "++//"
   *i. A horse that wins a Legion of Supreme Merit and a Legion of Excellence = "+++//"
   j. Legion of Masters = "++++"
   *k. Legion of Masters and a Legion of Supreme Honor = "++++/"
   *l. A horse that wins a Legion of Masters and a Legion of Excellence = "++++//"
   m. No horse may use any designated award symbol until verified by AHA. All offenders will be published.

   * No additional plaque awarded for this symbol level.

Indicates rule change

ACH 116. LEGION AWARDS AND REQUIREMENTS (BOD 11/23)

Refer to ACH 103 for additional information.

1. Legion of Honor Champion.

   Awarded to any individual Arabian/Half-Arabian/Anglo-Arabian Horse after it has won a total of 75 or more points.

   Points must be earned in any one or more of the following: Breeding and/or In-Hand, Performance classes, Dressage, Western Dressage, Combined Driving, Eventing, Carriage Pleasure Driving, Racing, Competitive Trail, or Endurance rides.

2. Legion of Supreme Honor Champion.

   Awarded to any individual Arabian/Half-Arabian/Anglo-Arabian Horse after it has won a total of 150 or more points.

   Points must be earned in any one or more of the following: Breeding and/or In-Hand, Performance classes, Dressage, Western Dressage, Combined Driving, Eventing, Carriage Pleasure Driving, Racing, Competitive Trail, or Endurance rides.

3. Legion of Excellence Champion.

   Awarded to any individual Arabian/Half-Arabian/Anglo-Arabian Horse after it has won 300 or more points.

   Points accumulated in any combination of Breeding and/or In-Hand classes, Performance classes, Dressage, Western Dressage, Combined Driving, Eventing, Carriage Pleasure Driving, Racing, Competitive Trail, or Endurance rides. Included within these points must be two quality achievements (quality achievement is defined as the top 50% of the class, see ACH 105.11) which are an AHA Regional Top Five (or better) or an AHA National Top Ten (or better) in any combination of Breeding and In-Hand, Performance classes, Dressage, Western Dressage, Racing, Competitive Trail, or Endurance rides. One of these two quality achievements (quality achievement is defined as the top 50% of the class, see ACH 105.12) must be at the AHA National level.

4. Legion of Merit Champion.

   Awarded to any individual Arabian/Half-Arabian/Anglo-Arabian Horse after it has won a total of 75 points. At least 30 of the points must have been won in Breeding and/or In-Hand classes, and 30 of the points must have been won in any one or more of the below list of classes.

   Performance classes, Dressage, Western Dressage, Combined Driving, Eventing, Carriage Pleasure Driving, Racing, Competitive Trail, or Endurance rides.

5. Legion of Supreme Merit Champion.

   Awarded to any individual Arabian/Half-Arabian/Anglo-Arabian Horse after it has won a total of 150 points. Sixty (60) of the points must have been won in Breeding and/or In-Hand classes, and 60 of the points must have been won in any one or more of the below list of classes.

   Performance classes, Dressage, Western Dressage, Combined Driving, Eventing, Carriage Pleasure Driving, Racing, Competitive Trail, or Endurance rides.

6. Legion of Masters Champion.

   Awarded to any individual Arabian/Half-Arabian/Anglo-Arabian Horse after it has won 300 or more points. At least 120 points in Breeding and/or In-Hand classes, and at least 120 points in any combination of the below list of classes. Performance classes, Dressage, Western Dressage, Combined Training, Racing, Competitive Trail, or Endurance rides. Included within these points must be two quality achievements (quality achievement is defined as the top 50% of the class, see ACH 105.11) which are an AHA Regional Top Five (or better) or an AHA National Top Ten (or better) in Breeding and/or In-Hand, and a Regional Top Five (or better) or National Top Ten (or better) in Performance classes, Dressage, Western Dressage, Combined Driving, Eventing, Carriage Pleasure Driving, Competitive Trail, or Endurance rides. One of these two quality achievements (quality achievement is defined as the top 50% of the class, see ACH 105.12) must be at the National level.

ACH 117. AMATEUR AWARDS

1. In the event the title Handler of Honor, Handler of Supreme Honor, Handler of Excellence, Rider of Honor, Rider of Supreme Honor, Rider of Excellence, Horseman of Merit, Horseman of Supreme Merit or Master Horseman is awarded, a proper letter of certification and a plaque shall be prepared and forwarded to the member/participant in the program. A proper notation shall be made on the records of AHA.
2. To receive an award, the participant must be current in the Amateur Achievement Awards program and must be a current AHA member.
3. The following are the awards contained within the Amateur Achievement Awards Program.
   a. Handler of Honor Champion
   b. Handler of Supreme Honor Champion
   c. Handler of Excellence Champion
   d. Rider of Honor Champion
   e. Rider of Supreme Honor Champion
   f. Rider of Excellence Champion
   g. Horseman of Merit Champion
   h. Horseman of Supreme Merit Champion
   i. Master Horseman Champion

ACH 118. AMATEUR ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS AND REQUIREMENTS (BOD 3/15)

1. **Handler of Honor Champion**: Awarded to any amateur individual AHA member participant who has accumulated 75 or more points exhibiting in Showmanship, Breeding and/or In-Hand classes.
2. **Handler of Supreme Honor Champion**: Awarded to any amateur individual AHA member participant who has accumulated 150 or more points exhibiting in Showmanship, Breeding and/or In-Hand classes.
3. **Handler of Excellence Champion**: Awarded to any amateur individual AHA member participant who has accumulated 300 or more points exhibiting in Showmanship, Breeding and/or In-Hand classes. Included within these 300 points must be two quality achievements, (quality achievement is defined as the top 50% of the class, see ACH 105.11) which are a Regional Top Five (or better) or a National Top Ten (or better) in Showmanship, Breeding and/or In-Hand class. One of these two quality achievements (quality achievement is defined as the top 50% of the class, see ACH 105.12) must be at the AHA National level. (BOD 3/06)
4. **Rider of Honor Champion**: Awarded to any amateur individual AHA member participant who has accumulated 75 or more points exhibiting in Performance classes (includes Driving), Dressage, Western Dressage, Equitation, Combined Driving, Eventing, Carriage Pleasure Driving, Racing, Competitive Trail rides/drives or Endurance rides.
5. **Rider of Supreme Honor Champion**: Awarded to any amateur individual AHA member participant who has accumulated 150 or more points exhibiting in Performance classes (includes Driving), Dressage, Western Dressage, Equitation, Combined Driving, Eventing, Carriage Pleasure Driving, Racing, Competitive Trail rides/drives or Endurance rides.
6. **Rider of Excellence Champion**: Awarded to any amateur individual AHA member participant who has accumulated 300 or more points exhibiting in Performance classes (includes Driving), Dressage, Western Dressage, Equitation, Combined Training, Racing, Competitive Trail or Endurance rides. Included within these 300 points must be two quality achievements, (quality achievement is defined as the top 50% of the class, see ACH 105.11) which are a Regional Top Five (or better) or a National Top Ten (or better) in Performance classes, Dressage, Western Dressage, Equitation, Combined Driving, Eventing, Carriage Pleasure Driving, Racing, Competitive Trail rides/drives or Endurance rides. One of these two quality achievements (quality achievement is defined as the top 50% of the class, see ACH 105.12) must be at the AHA National level. (BOD 3/06)
7. **Horseman of Merit Champion**: Awarded to any amateur individual AHA member participant who has accumulated 75 or more points. At least 30 of the points must have been won in Showmanship, Breeding, and In-Hand classes and 30 of the points must have been won in any one or more of the following: Performance classes (includes Driving), Dressage, Western Dressage, Equitation, Combined Driving, Eventing, Carriage Pleasure Driving, Racing, Competitive Trail rides/drives or Endurance rides.
8. **Horseman of Supreme Merit Champion**: Awarded to any amateur individual AHA member participant who has accumulated 150 or more points. At least

60 of the points must have been won in Showmanship, Breeding, and In-Hand classes and 60 of the points must have been won in any one or more of the following: Performance classes (includes Driving), Dressage, Western Dressage, Equitation, Combined Driving, Eventing, Carriage Pleasure Driving, Racing, Competitive Trail rides/drives or Endurance rides.

9. **Master Horseman Champion**: Awarded to any amateur individual AHA member participant who has accumulated 300 or more points. At least 120 of the points must have been won in Showmanship, Breeding and In-Hand classes and 120 of the points must have been won in any one or more of the following: Performance classes (includes Driving), Dressage, Western Dressage, Equitation, Combined Training, Racing, Competitive Trail or Endurance rides. Included within these 300 points must be two quality achievements (quality achievement is defined as the top 50% of the class, see ACH 105.11) which are a Region Top Five (or better) or a National Top Ten (or better) in Showmanship, Breeding and In-Hand and a Regional Top Five (or better) or a National Top Ten (or better) in Performance classes, Dressage, Western Dressage, Equitation, Combined Driving, Eventing, Carriage Pleasure Driving, Racing, Competitive Trail rides/drives or Endurance rides. One of these quality achievements (quality achievement is defined as the top 50% of the class, see ACH 105.12) must be at the National level.