

POINTS AND YEAR-END AWARDS

SECTION III

1. Points that are earned throughout the show season shall apply to year-end awards. Awards are given for both individual classes and for horses of the year. Points can be earned only at approved MSHSA shows and only in classes approved by MSHSA for awards.
2. Individual class awards are given in both equitation/showmanship and pleasure/performance classes. For equitation/showmanship points to count the exhibitor must be a member of the MSHSA. For pleasure/performance classes, the horse must be nominated (without charge) and must be owned by a member of MSHSA. Ownership by a non-MSHSA member is allowed if the exhibitor is an MSHSA member and the horse is owned by an immediate family member who is defined as a parent, grandparent, guardian, sibling, spouse, or child. It must be entered under the name(s) of its owner(s) or the stable name. If a horse that is nominated for year-end awards transfers owners during the year, the new owner must be or become a member of MSHSA and must notify the association by renominating the horse in order for the horse to continue to accumulate points for awards under the new owner.
3. Only those points won after membership dues are paid and horses are nominated will count toward year-end awards.
4. In order for points to count and to qualify for judging, each exhibitor must appear in the ring with the correct number clearly visible, either on the exhibitor's back or saddle pad visible from both sides of the horse. The exhibitor is responsible for providing the second number.
5. Show scores will be obtained only from the show secretary's officially marked class sheets.
6. **High point scoring tables are at the end of this section:**
7. The MSHSA secretary or person assigned by the MSHSA board of directors is responsible for tabulation of points from all shows. At the end of the show season all members will be notified of their accumulated points for the year. They are asked to review the point totals and to respond if there is any discrepancies within a time limit determined by the secretary. Upon expiration of this time period, the secretary will finalize the totals and results become official.
8. Awards shall be presented to the champion and reserve champion horses or exhibitors in designated high point categories.
9. In case of a tie for any award, the horse or the exhibitor with the most first (1st) placings will break the tie. If a tie persists, the horse or exhibitor with the most second (2nd) placings, then third (3rd) placings and so on down to sixth (6th) placings will break the tie. If a tie still persists, the horse or exhibitor beating the most competitors will break the tie.
10. Individual classes that are approved for year-end awards are listed in the required classes for shows. Classes split differently or offered other than as specified in the list below will not be counted for points toward year end awards. Both the general membership and the board of directors must approve classes

selected for these awards. Show economics should be considered when adding or deleting established classes.

11. Year end awards will be presented in the following categories to include both a junior and senior horse award.

YEAR END AWARDS

JUNIOR HALTER HORSE:

Halter Junior Mares
Halter Junior Geldings & Stallions

SENIOR HALTER HORSE:

Halter Senior Mares
Halter Senior Geldings & Stallions

WESTERN TEAM JUNIOR/SENIOR:

Western Pleasure Open
Western Pleasure Junior Horse
Western Pleasure Senior Horse
Western Seat Equitation 13 & Under
Western Seat Equitation 14 – 17
Western Seat Equitation 18 & Over
Western Pleasure 13 & Under
Western Pleasure 14-17
Western Pleasure 18 & Over

HUNT SEAT TEAM JUNIOR/SENIOR:

Hunt Seat Open
Hunt Seat Junior Horse
Hunt Seat Senior Horse
Hunt Seat Equitation 13 & Under
Hunt Seat Equitation 14 – 17
Hunt Seat Equitation 18 & Over
Hunt Seat Pleasure 13 & Under
Hunt Seat Pleasure 14 - 17
Hunt Seat Pleasure 18 & Over

SADDLE SEAT TEAM JUNIOR/SENIOR:

Saddle Seat Open
Saddle Seat Junior Horse
Saddle Seat Senior Horse
Saddle Seat Equitation 17 & Under
Saddle Seat Equitation 18 & Over
Saddle Seat Pleasure 17 & Under
Saddle Seat Pleasure 18 & Over

DRIVING HORSE TEAM:

Pleasure Driving Open
Pleasure Driving Mares
Pleasure Driving Stallions/Geldings

TRAIL HORSE TEAM:

Trail Horse Open

WORKING WESTERN TEAM:

Western Horsemanship
Western Control
Open Reining (using an NRHA pattern)

WALK/TROT TEAM (open to all green & maiden horses)

Green Horse English Pleasure (Hunt or Saddle Type) Walk/Trot 1st yr.
Maiden Horse Walk/Trot English (Hunt or Saddle Type)
Green Horse Western Pleasure Walk/Jog 1st yr.
Maiden Horse Walk/Jog Western

10 & UNDER:

Showmanship 10 & Under
Walk/Trot English/Western Equitation 10 & Under
Walk/Trot English/Western Pleasure 10 & Under
Walk/Trot Trail 10 & Under

RIDER OF THE YEAR 13 years old and under:

Showmanship 13 & Under
Saddle Seat Equitation-17 & Under
Hunt Seat Equitation 13 & Under
Western Seat Equitation 13 & Under
Saddle Seat Pleasure 17 & Under
Hunt Seat Pleasure 13 & Under
Western Seat Pleasure – 13 & Under

RIDER OF THE YEAR 14 – 17 years old:

Showmanship 14 – 17
Saddle Seat Equitation 17 & Under
Hunt Seat Equitation 14 – 17
Western Seat Equitation 14 – 17
Saddle Seat Pleasure 17 & Under
Hunt Seat Pleasure 14 - 17
Western Seat Pleasure 14 – 17

RIDER OF THE YEAR 18 years old and over:

Showmanship 18 & Over
Saddle Seat Equitation – 18 & Over
Hunt Seat Equitation – 18 & Over
Western Seat Equitation – 18 & Over
Saddle Seat Pleasure 18 & Over
Hunt Seat Pleasure 18 & Over
Western Seat Pleasure – 18 & Over

12. All of the above mentioned awards shall be announced and presented at the annual awards banquet. Members receiving awards, or a person designated by them, must be present to accept the awards or make arrangements with a member attending the banquet to pick up your awards for you. No awards will be mailed.

Table A (Class A Shows)

Horses	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
P 1	2	4.5	7	7.5	12	14.5	15	15.5
L 2		2	4.5	7	9.5	12	12.5	13
A 3			2	4.5	7	9.5	10	10.5
C 4				2	4.5	7	7.5	8
E 5					2	4.5	5	5.5
S 6						2	2.5	3
Horses	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
P 1	16	16.5	17	17.5	18	18.5	19	19.5
L 2	13.5	14	14.5	15	15.5	16	16.5	17
A 3	11	11.5	12	12.5	13	13.5	14	14.5
C 4	8.5	9	9.5	10	10.5	11	11.5	12
E 5	6	6.5	7	7.5	8	8.5	9	9.5
S 6	3.5	4	4.5	5	5.5	6	6.5	7
Horses	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
P 1	20	20.5	21	21.5	22	22.5	23	23.5
L 2	17.5	18	18.5	19	19.5	20	20.5	21
A 3	15	15.5	16	16.5	17	17.5	18	18.5
C 4	12.5	13	13.5	14	14.5	15	15.5	16
E 5	10	10.5	11	11.5	12	12.5	13	13.5
S 6	7.5	8	8.5	9	9.5	10	10.5	11

Table B (Class B Shows)

Horses	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
P 1	1	2.25	3.5	3.75	6	7.25	7.5	7.75
L 2		1	2.25	3.5	4.75	6	6.25	6.5
A 3			1	2.25	3.5	4.75	5	5.25
C 4				1	2.25	3.5	3.75	4
E 5					1	2.25	2.5	2.75
S 6						1	1.25	1.5
Horses	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
P 1	8	8.25	8.5	8.75	9	9.25	9.5	9.75
L 2	6.75	7	7.25	7.5	7.75	8	8.25	8.5
A 3	5.5	5.75	6	6.25	6.5	6.75	7	7.25
C 4	4.25	4.5	4.75	5	5.25	5.5	5.75	6
E 5	3	3.25	3.5	3.75	4	4.25	4.5	4.75
S 6	1.75	2	2.25	2.5	2.75	3	3.25	3.5
Horses	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
P 1	10	10.25	10.5	10.75	11	11.25	11.5	11.75
L 2	8.75	9	9.25	9.5	9.75	10	10.25	10.5
A 3	7.5	7.75	8	8.25	8.5	8.75	9	9.25
C 4	6.25	6.5	6.75	7	7.25	7.5	7.75	8
E 5	5	5.25	5.5	5.75	6	6.25	6.5	6.75
S 6	3.75	4	4.25	4.5	4.75	5	5.25	5.5