

BIG WYOMING APPALOOSA HORSE CLUB

SHOW HANDBOOK

The purpose of the Big Wyoming Appaloosa Horse Club is to:

- 1. Maintain an organization of cooperation that will support the programs and functions of the Appaloosa Horse Club, Inc.**
- 2. To promote interest in the Appaloosa breed through shows and sanctioned events.**
- 3. To stimulate interest in the Appaloosa breed through Youth and Adult events and other equine activities.**
- 4. To work in concert with our parent organization, The Appaloosa Horse Club, Inc., who is responsible for registration of animals, show records and national points.**
- 5. To make an annual report to The Appaloosa Horse Club, Inc. by the time of their annual meeting.**
- 6. Provide a club approved point system which shall be used for the determination of show and year-end awards.**
- 7. All shows and events shall be held in accordance with The Appaloosa Horse Club, Inc. rule book.**

MEMBERSHIP

Membership in the Big Wyoming Appaloosa Horse Club shall be open to all persons interested in Appaloosa horses and their promotion. Memberships will be accepted any time during the fiscal year.

Adult members shall be defined as 19 years of age and over. Couples shall be defined as

those married or otherwise legally recognized as common-law married; youth members are defined as being 18 years of age and under on January 1 of the current membership year; family members are defined as parents/guardians and their children or legal dependants who are residing in the same home and who have not reached 19 years of age on January 1 of the current year. All paid members are eligible to earn year-end awards presented by the club. Those members abusing or misusing their privileges of membership will have their memberships revoked after an appropriate hearing by the club's board of directors. Said meeting shall be closed to the general membership if so requested at the commencement of the meeting by the party subject to disciplinary action.

Membership may be terminated for the following reasons:

- 1. Resignation of the member**
- 2. Default in the payment of dues or other monies owed to BWApHC.**
- 3. A flagrant bad act has been committed against officers, directors or other members of the BWApHC.**

4. **Suspension by The Appaloosa Horse Club, Inc. or any other regional affiliate of the ApHC or disciplinary suspension by another breed organization.**
5. **By conduct or behavior prohibited by the current ApHC rules.**
Suspension for valid cause will occur after an appropriate hearing by the board of directors, giving the member involved a 30 day notice of the hearing and an opportunity to be present , upon the affirmation vote of the majority of the Board of Directors. The notice may be sent by either Registered Mail or Electronic Mail (e-mail).

Reinstatement: Members may upon application be reinstated at the discretion of the Board of Directors.

Membership Fees: Family	\$20.00 per year
Single Adult	15.00 “ “
Youth	5.00 “ “

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

SAFETY to the members, spectators and animals will be kept foremost in mind. **UNSPORTSMANLIKE** conduct will not be tolerated during any of our functions. The exhibitor, owner or participant may be dismissed from the show or activity should this conduct be displayed.

NO horse shall at any time be treated in an inhumane manner, according to Wyoming Statues. This will be enforced by BWApHC President, Show Manager(s), and the Board of Directors. This Handbook follows the Rules and Regulations of the BWApHC By-Laws.

ALL patterns will be selected by the Board of Directors.

The Tie-Breaker Judge will be selected by the Board of Directors in a random drawing.

SHOW AWARDS

HIGH POINT HALTER HORSE – Open Classes Only

Any horse with the most points in any of the following classes:

Halter Stallions	All age divisions
Halter Mares	“ “ “
Halter Geldings	“ “ “

Grand and Reserve Halter (points will be calculated using Rule 701.E in the 2009 ApHC handbook)

Hunter in Hand – All ages – Stallions, Mares, and Geldings

Most colorful at halter

HIGH POINT FOUNDATION HALTER HORSE

FPD Stallions
FPD Mares
FPD Geldings

HIGH POINT WESTERN HORSE – Open Classes Only

Jr. & Sr. Western Pleasure

2 Yr. Old Snaffle Bit Western Pleasure

3 Yr. Old Snaffle Bit Western Pleasure

Jr. & Sr. Trail

Heritage All Ages

Western Riding “ “

Hackamore/Snaffle Bit Reining All Ages

Jr. & Sr. Reining

HIGH POINT CATTLE HORSE – Open Classes Only

Jr. & Sr. Cutting

Jr. & Sr. Working Cow Horse

Judged Calf Roping All Ages

Timed Calf Roping “ “

Steer Daubing “ “

Judged Heading “ “

Judged Heeling “ “

Timed Heading & Heeling All Ages

HIGH POINT REINING HORSE – Open Classes Only

Hackamore/Snaffle Bit Reining All Ages

Jr. & Sr. Reining

HIGH POINT ENGLISH HORSE – Open Classes Only

Saddle Seat Pleasure All Ages

Jr. & Sr. Hunter Under Saddle

2 Yr. Old Snaffle Bit Hunter Under Saddle

3 Yr. Old Snaffle Bit Hunter Under Saddle

Hunter Hack All Ages

Pre Green Hunter “ “

Green Working Hunter “ “

Working Hunter “ “

Preliminary Hunter “ “

Jumping “ “

Pleasure Driving “ “

HIGH POINT GAMES HORSE – Open Classes Only

Nez Perce Stake Race All Ages

Camas Prairie Stump Race “ “

Keyhole Race “ “

Figure 8 Stake Race “ “

SUPER HORSE SADDLE AWARD – Open Classes Only

1 Horse – 1 Rider

Must be a BWApHC member in Good Standing

**Must compete in ALL 5 categories listed under World's Best Appaloosa
(Rule 1000) in the ApHC Rule Book**

BWApHC points system will be used to calculate the Points.

Must have at least 1 point in each category

Only the 2 highest scores in each category will count towards the award.

HIGH POINT EXHIBITOR - Total points in all Open Classes per exhibitor.

HIGH POINT NON PRO

	Non Pro Halter Stallions	All Ages			
“	“	“	Geldings	“	“
“	“	“	Mares	“	“
”	“	“	Most Colorful	“	“
“	“		Showmanship At Halter		
“	“		Hunter in Hand Stallions	All Ages	
“	“		Hunter in Hand Geldings	“	“
“	“		Hunter in Hand Mares	“	“
Non Pro	Saddle Seat Equitation				
“	“		Saddle Seat Pleasure		
“	“		Hunt Seat Equitation		
“	“		Hunter Under Saddle		
“	“		Hunter Hack		
“	“		Working Hunter		
“	“		Jumping		
“	“		Cutting		
“	“		Working Cow Horse		
“	“		Judged Calf Roping		
“	“		Breakaway Roping		
“	“		Steer Daubing		
“	“		Judged Heading		
“	“		Judged Heeling		
“	“		Bareback Equitation		
“	“		Western Equitation		
“	“		Western Pleasure		
“	“		Trail		
“	“		Western Riding		
“	“		Reining		
“	“		Nez Perce Stake Race		
“	“		Camas Prairie Stump Race		
“	“		Keyhole Race		
“	“		Figure 8 Stake Race		

HIGH POINT NOVICE NON PRO

	Novice Non Pro Western Equitation	
“	“	“ Western Pleasure
“	“	“ Showmanship
“	“	“ Trail
“	“	“ Reining
“	“	“ Hunt Seat Equitation
“	“	“ Hunter Under Saddle

HIGH POINT MASTERS NON PRO

Masters Non Pro Western Equitation

“ “ “ **Western Pleasure**
“ “ “ **Showmanship**
“ “ “ **Hunt Seat Equitation**
“ “ “ **Hunter Under Saddle**

HIGH POINT NON PRO 35 & Over

Non Pro 35 & Over Western Equitation

“ “ “ “ “ **Western Pleasure**
“ “ “ “ “ **Showmanship**
“ “ “ “ “ **Hunt Seat Equitation**
“ “ “ “ “ **Hunter Under Saddle**

HIGH POINT WALK TROT 10 & UNDER

Western Equitation

Western Pleasure

Trail

Nez Perce Stake Race

Camas Prairie Stump Race

Keyhole Race

Figure 8 Stake Race

Showmanship 13 & Under

Youth Mares

Youth Geldings

Hunt Seat Equitation

Hunter Under Saddle

HIGH POINT NOVICE YOUTH 18 & UNDER

Western Equitation

Western Pleasure

Showmanship

Hunt Seat Equitation

Hunter Under Saddle

HIGH POINT YOUTH 14 – 18

Cutting 18 & Under

Judged Calf Roping “ “ “

Breakaway Roping “ “ “

Steer Daubing “ “ “

Judged Heading “ “ “

Judged Heeling “ “ “

Bareback Equitation “ “ “

Western Equitation 14 – 18

Western Pleasure 14 – 18

Trail 18 & Under

Western Riding “ “ “

Reining “ “ “

Nez Perce Stake Race “ “ “

Camas Prairie Stump Race 18 & Under

Keyhole Race	“ “ “
Figure 8 Stake Race	“ “ “
Youth Geldings	“ “ “
Youth Mares	“ “ “
Showmanship	14 – 18
English Showmanship	18 & Under
Hunt Seat Equitation	14 – 18
Hunter Under Saddle	14 – 18
Hunter Hack	18 & Under
Working Hunter	“ “ “
Jumping	“ “ “

HIGH POINT YOUTH 13 & UNDER

Cutting	18 & Under
Judged Calf Roping	“ “ “
Breakaway Roping	“ “ “
Steer Daubing	“ “ “
Judged Heading	“ “ “
Judged Heeling	“ “ “
Bareback Equitation	“ “ “
Western Equitation	13 & Under
Western Pleasure	13 & Under
Trail	18 & Under
Western Riding	“ “ “
Reining	“ “ “
Nez Perce Stake Race	18 & Under
Camas Prairie Stump Race	“ “ “
Keyhole Race	“ “ “
Figure 8 Stake Race	“ “ “
Youth Geldings	18 & Under
Youth Mares	18 & Under
Showmanship	13 & Under
English Showmanship	18 & Under
Hunt Seat Equitation	13 & Under
Hunter Under Saddle	13 & Under
Hunter Hack	18 & Under
Working Hunter	“ “ “
Jumping	“ “ “

YEAR END AWARDS

Year end awards will be given in each of our show classes where there was participation. Points are gathered by showing at point approved shows throughout the show season, October 1 to Sept. 30. Approved shows are as follows:

**Mountain & Plains Shows in Colorado
Nebraska Shows at Grand Island, NE
Wyo-Mont Shows, Montana
Big Wyoming Shows**

You must show at the BWApHC show(s) to qualify for year end awards and show in each class that you wish to win a year end award in. If you win year end awards and can not attend the awards banquet, you must make arrangements & pay to have them sent to you.

Big Wyoming Point System

Number of Entries

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1st Place	1	2.5	4	5.5	7	8.5	10	11.5
2nd Place		1	2.5	4	5.5	7	8.5	10
3rd Place			1	2.5	4	5.5	7	8.5
4th Place				1	2.5	4	5.5	7
5th Place					1	2.5	4	5.5
6th Place						1	2.5	4

Number of Entries

	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1st Place	13	14.5	15	15.5	16	16.5	17	17.5
2nd Place	11.5	13	13.5	14	14.5	15	15.5	16
3rd Place	10	11.5	12	12.5	13	13.5	14	14.5
4th Place	8.5	10	10.5	11	11.5	12	12.5	13
5th Place	7	8.5	9	9.5	10	10.5	11	11.5
6th Place	5.5	7	7.5	8	8.5	9	9.5	10

Number of Entries

	17	18	19	20
1st Place	18	18.5	19	19.5
2nd Place	16.5	17	17.5	18
3rd Place	15	15.5	16	16.5
4th Place	13.5	14	14.5	15
5th Place	12	12.5	13	13.5
6th Place	10.5	11	11.5	12