

2019 Pinto Horse Association of NYS Year-End Award Rules and Show Rules

Weekend Show & Weekend High Point Award Rules:

1. The rules of the PtHA of America will be followed. Additional club rules will be incorporated into the show rules below. It is your responsibility as a member/owner/exhibitor to know the club show/national rules.
2. In order to qualify for weekend division awards EXHIBITORS, all OWNERS listed on registration papers and LESSEE must be a member of the PtHA of NYS **prior** to the start of the show.
3. All Amateurs/Novice Amateurs showing in AM/Novice AM classes and all Youth/Novice Youth showing in Youth/Novice Youth classes MUST own (or be owned by an immediate family member as defined in the PtHA rulebook) or lease the Pinto they show through the official PtHA Lease program(exception YA Lead Line are not required to lease). All Lessees must present to the horse show office a copy of the official lease agreement issued by the National Pinto Office.
4. Show management will automatically combine any class with less than five (5) entries with the appropriate class regardless of the number of entries in that class. Example; Jr. Amateur English showmanship with 3 entries would be combined with Sr. AM English showmanship no matter the number of entries in the Sr. AM class.
5. In order to receive a show high point or reserve high point in any division the exhibitor must show in one halter class and at least two performance classes in that division (showmanship may count as performance classes for youth, amateur and all breed divisions), with the exception of open pony/mini only one performance class is required. W/T and lead-line exhibitors may show in YA halter, but are not required to show in YA halter to qualify for weekend division award.
6. All classes entered in a division will count towards the Overall Division High Point with the exception of Halter champion/reserve and Color classes. These will not be counted for Weekend or Year End Awards.
7. Weekend Champion and reserve high points may be offered for the following divisions. All above requirements must be met in order to qualify for a weekend award:
 - a. PtHA Open English
 - b. PtHA Open Western
 - c. PtHA Youth 13 & Under English
 - d. PtHA Youth 13 & Under Western
 - e. PtHA Youth 14-18 English
 - f. PtHA Youth 14-18 Western
 - g. PtHA Novice Youth 18 & Under
 - h. PtHA Walk/Trot 11 & Under
 - i. PtHA Walk/Trot 12 - 18
 - j. PtHA Youth Solid Bred
 - k. PtHA Jr. AM English
 - l. PtHA Jr. AM Western
 - m. PtHA Sr. AM English
 - n. PtHA Sr. AM Western
 - o. PtHA Elite AM English
 - p. PtHA Elite AM Western
 - q. PtHA AM Pony/Mini
 - r. PtHA Novice AM
 - s. PtHA AM Walk/Trot
 - t. PtHA AM Solid Bred
 - u. PtHA Open Solid Bred
 - v. All-Breed Division
 - w. All- Breed Walk/Trot All-ages
8. Classes that can be show English or western (halter and trail) will be included in the appropriate division that the horse/unit is shown.
9. Open Lead Line is for exhibitors that cannot enter any other riding class. Lead line riders may ride a combination of horses. They must be members of PtHA of NYS to qualify for Year-end awards.

10. PtHA YA Walk/Trot is for riders 11 years and under. Walk/Trot riders may not return to Lead Line after showing in Walk/Trot nor can they enter any riding classes that require a canter or lope. One rider/pinto combination and exhibitors must be members of the PtHA of NYS either as a junior membership or as part of a family membership in order to receive any Walk/Trot weekend division award. They must also be National PtHA member.
11. Halter exhibitors must dress according to horse "type" or lose all state points in that class for the show and Year-End awards.
12. No logos or advertising is allowed on exhibitor numbers. (National logo or otherwise)
13. By participating in a PtHA of NYS horse show and/or event, the member/exhibitor and all persons associated and affiliated with the entrant agrees to fully comply with all applicable state and local laws as well as all rules and the Bylaws/Constitution of the PtHA of NYS and further agrees to hold the PtHA of NYS, its members, directors and officers harmless and indemnify them from any harm or injury which result from failing to comply with the above mention.
14. All Show high points will be calculated using the following scale. (National Point Scale is Different)

# In class	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th
6 or more	6	5	4	3	2	1
5	5	4	3	2	1	-
4	4	3	2	1	-	-
3	3	2	1	-	-	-
2	2	1	-	-	-	-
1	1	-	-	-	-	-

Year-End Award Rules:

1. The rules of the PtHA of America will be followed. Additional club rules will be incorporated into the year-end rules below. It is your responsibility as a member/owner/exhibitor to know the club show/national rules. There will be no changes at the end or during the show season due to not knowing the rules.
2. In order to qualify for year-end overall awards (class and division) EXHIBITOR, all OWNERS listed on registration papers and LESSEE must be a member of the PtHA of NYS **prior** to the start of the first show for which you want points to count for PtHA of NYS Year-End Awards and for Show Day-End High Points.
3. All Amateurs/Novice Amateurs showing in Amateur/Novice Amateur classes and all Youth/Novice Youth showing in Youth/Novice Youth classes MUST own (or be owned by an immediate family member as defined in the PtHA rulebook) or lease the Pinto they show (exception YA Lead Line).
4. The only shows to count towards PtHA of NYS Year-end awards are the Club Sponsored shows. For 2019, they are the Spring Fling Horse Show held May 4th & 5th ****THIS SHOW IS DOUBLE POINTED****, The Lots of Spots Horse Show held June 1st & 2nd, The Summer Spectacular Horse Show held August 2nd, 3rd, & 4th, The Fall Fling held September 7th & 8th and the Fall Fling Horse show held October 12th and 13th.
5. Year-End class High Point and Reserve High Point awards may be given in each class offered at our club sponsored shows if all other requirements are met.
6. A \$30.00 sponsorship for the first horse/pony/mini, with a \$15 sponsorship for each additional horse/pony/mini owned by the same person. The sponsorship is due no later than August 1st to qualify for Year-End Awards. There are many ways to qualify for this without just "writing a check". Please see anyone on the show committee for further information.

7. Amateur awards will be divided by the three age groups (Jr., Sr. and Elite) and the Amateur Pony/Mini division even though the classes are run together on the show bill.
8. To qualify for a Year-End award (excluding lead line) you must show in a minimum of 4 out of the 6 (May counting twice) shows listed above in rule 4. Pony, Mini and Long Ear exhibitors are only required to show in 2 out of the 3 shows listed above (no Pony/Mini classes in September). Lead-Line and PtHA W/T divisions are also required to be members of PtHA of NYS.
9. If an Open PtHA class is combined more than one half of the shows, the Year-End Awards will be combined. This applies to all open halter and all open performance classes. Youth and Amateur classes will not be combined for Year-End awards.
10. If no national points (at least 3 entries) are received for more than half the shows, no Year-End class awards will be given; Year-end overall awards may still be given.
11. In order to receive any division Year-End Overall award you must qualify for year-end awards in 2 same performance classes in the division (Pony/Mini only need 1 performance class). For Amateur and YA exhibitors, showmanship may be used for performance classes.
12. A separate 13 & Under and 14-18 YA Year-End class award will be given in YA age-divided classes regardless of whether the classes are run separate or combined during the year.
13. Open YA Lead Line may ride a combination of horses. Year-End awards will be based on the exhibitor. They must be members of PtHA of NYS to qualify for Year-End awards.
14. Year-End YA Division Overall Awards may be awarded for the following divisions as long as the exhibitor/pinto qualified under all the other rules:
 - a. PtHA YA 13 & Under English
 - b. PtHA YA 13 & Under Western
 - c. PtHA YA 14-18 English
 - d. PtHA YA 14-18 Western
 - e. PtHA YA Novice 18 & Under
 - f. PtHA YA Walk/Trot 11 & Under
 - g. PtHA YA Walk/Trot 12 - 18
 - h. PtHA YA Solid Registry
 - i. PtHA YA Pony/Mini
 - j. Lead-Line 8 & Under
15. All classes entered in a division will count towards a Year-End Overall Division High Point award even if shown only once, as long as the horse/unit has qualified in 2 same performance classes in the division (Pony/Mini only need 1 performance class). Per year-end rule #11.
 - a. example: Open division – if you showed halter, Hunter under saddle and English pleasure under the qualifying number of shows, but only showed English disciplined rail under two (2) shows, the English disciplined rail points would be added in for your total points for the Year-End Overall High point Open English Division. Halter champion/reserve points and Color points will not be counted for Year-End Awards.
16. Year-End Overall divisional and class awards may be awarded for each of the following divisions as long as the exhibitor/pinto qualified under all the other rules:

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. PtHA Jr. Am English b. PtHA Jr. Am Western c. PtHA Sr. Am English d. PtHA Sr. Am Western e. PtHA Elite AM English 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> f. PtHA Elite AM Western g. PtHA AM Pony/Mini h. PtHA Novice AM i. PtHA Am Walk/Trot j. PtHA Open Jr. English Horse
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- k. PtHA Open Sr. English Horse
- l. PtHA Open Jr. Western Horse
- m. PtHA Open Sr. Western Horse

- n. PtHA Open Solid Bred

17. Only Year-End Overall division Awards may be given for the following divisions:

- a. All-Breed Division
- b. All- Breed Walk/Trot All-ages
- c. PtHA YA Solid Bred
- d. PtHA AM Solid Bred
- e. All Long Ear and Donkey

No class High Points will be awarded for these divisions.

18. One rider/one Pinto combination for Amateur and Youth awards. Open division points will be based on the horse, no matter the exhibitor. All exhibitors must be members of the PtHA of America for Open, Youth and Amateur Classes.

19. Halter class points will count towards overall divisional awards, except for all novice divisions and YA W/T. The exhibitor/Pinto must qualify under all rules in order to receive the award.

20. Classes that can be shown English or western (halter, trail and color) will be included in the appropriate division based on attire. For example, if an AM shows trail English, points will count towards the Amateur English year-end high point.

21. All regular amateur classes will count towards the Year-End Overall Amateur divisional awards. Novice Amateur classes will only count towards the Novice AM divisional awards.

22. In the event of a tie for a Year-End class High point, no reserve class high point will be awarded.

23. All Year-End high points will be calculated using the following scale. (National Point Scale is Different)

# In class	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th
6 or more	6	5	4	3	2	1
5	5	4	3	2	1	-
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3	3	2	1	-	-	-
2	2	1	-	-	-	-
1	1	-	-	-	-	-

24. In the event a stallion is gelded during the show season, his stallion halter points will be combined with his gelding points for the gelding awards.

25. In order to receive a Year-End Award in the Lead-Line division, exhibitors MUST be members of the PtHA of NYS Mother Club either as a junior membership or part of a family membership. They DO NOT need to be members of the PtHA of America to receive an award.

26. PtHA YA Walk/Trot riders must be members of National PtHA and the PtHA of NYS either as a junior membership or as part of a family membership in order to receive a Walk/Trot Year-End Division award.

27. All Breed Walk/Trot is for ALL AGES (includes adults). They may NOT enter any riding classes that require a canter or lope. One rider/One Pinto combination, National membership is not required but State membership is required in order to receive year-end overall (there is no class awards) awards. They must meet all other requirements listed above. All Breed Walk/Trot All Ages is open to all breeds.

Any questions regarding the above Year-End/Show rules or clarification please contact Priscilla Nisiewicz at pnisiewicz@yahoo.com or 315-727-1910