



PERTH REGIONAL APPALOOSA CLUB HI POINT HANDBOOK

This handbook has been issued as a guide for all Perth Regional Appaloosa Club members to be able to keep a tally of their points and understand what awards are available and the criteria's that need to be met.

Our show season runs 1st August to 31st July. The Perth Regional Appaloosa Club endeavour to bring to you, our members, the best and most versatile range of competition, clinics and practice shows we can. We aim to encourage members at every level from Improvers to Select Amateurs.

To be in the running to receive a Perth Regional Appaloosa Club End of Year High Point Award, you must be a financial member of the Perth Regional Appaloosa Club and compete at a minimum of 3 Perth Regional Appaloosa Club shows including State Show or Post State Show.

. Perth Regional Appaloosa Club have also included awards to recognise Appaloosa's that are showcasing our breed in disciplines outside the Western Show Arena. Refer to the qualifying criteria for more information.

Perth Regional Appaloosa Club are also offering end of year Hi Point awards to Non-Appaloosa horses, in order to earn points you MUST be a Perth Regional Appaloosa Club financial Member, and submit your points by filling in our Non-Appaloosa horse points sheet, which can be found on the Perth Regional Appaloosa Club website.

The Perth Regional Appaloosa committee reserves the right to change or alter awards or eligibility criteria throughout the season at our discretion. As our association continues to grow, we will review the awards offered.

AAA approved show points are submitted to the AAA by the Perth Regional Appaloosa Club on your behalf by the club secretary.

For any questions, please email perthappaloosa@outlook.com.au

HALTER

1	Filly Weanling
2	Filly 1 yr
3	Filly 2 yr
OVERALL HI POINT FILLY	
4	Mare 3yr
5	Mare 4yrs and over
OVERALL HI POINT MARE	
6	Colt Weanling
7	Colt 1 yr
8	Colt 2 yr
OVERALL HI POINT COLT	
9	Stallion 3yr
10	Stallion 4yrs and over
OVERALL HI POINT STALLION	
11	Gelding Weanling
12	Gelding 1yr
13	Gelding 2yr
OVERALL HI POINT JR GELDING	
14	Gelding 3 yrs
15	Gelding 4 yrs and over
OVERALL HI POINT SNR GELDING	
OVERALL HI POINT HALTER HORSE	
16	WA Bred Appaloosa
17	Eastern State/ AI Bred Appaloosa

LED

18	Yearling Lunge line
19	2 y/o Lungeline
20	3 y/o and over Lungeline
OVERALL LUNGELINE	

LED TRAIL

21	Yearling Led Trail
22	2 y/o Led Trail
23	3 y/o and over Led Trail
OVERALL LED TRAIL	

24	<u>Yearling Hunter In Hand</u>
25	<u>2 years and over Hunter In hand</u>

HI POINT HUNTER IN HAND

WESTERN PERFORMANCE HORSE

26	Junior Horse Western (W/P, Trail, Reining, Western Riding & Ranch)
27	Senior Horse Western (W/P, Trail, Reining, Western Riding & Ranch)

ENGLISH PERFORMANCE HORSE

28	Junior English Horse (Hunter under Saddle, Hack, Dressage, Jumping/ Eventing)
29	Senior English Horse (Hunter under saddle, Hack, Dressage, Jumping/Eventing)

****OVERALL HI POINT PERFORMANCE HORSE****

SHOWMANSHIP

30	Overall Hi Point Youth (Jnr Youth, Snr Youth, Novice Youth)
31	Overall Hi Point Amateur (Novice Amateur, Amateur, Select/ Masters)
32	Overall Hi Point Beginner/ Improver

HI POINT RIDER

This award consists of points gained in Hunt Seat Equitation & Horsemanship Classes

33	Overall Hi Point Youth (Jnr Youth, Snr Youth, Novice Youth)
34	Overall Hi Point Amateur (Novice Amateur, Amateur, Select/ Masters)
35	Overall Hi Point Beginner/ Improver
36	Overall Hi Point Any Handed W/J/L

37	Western Dressage – Sponsored by WDWA
38	Encouragement Award
39	Appreciation Award

OTHER BREEDS

40	Hi Point Halter Horse
41	Hi Point English Horse
42	Hi Point Western Horse
43	Hi Point Performance Horse

NOTES FOR MEMBERS

1. HIGH POINT AWARDS – END OF YEAR

The following system will be used to determine High Point End of Year Awards

6 or more entries in a class, points to be awarded = 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1

5 or more entries in a class, points to be awarded = 5, 4, 3, 2, 1

4 or more entries in a class, points to be awarded = 4, 3, 2, 1

3 or more entries in a class, points to be awarded = 3, 2, 1

2 or more entries in a class, points to be awarded = 2, 1

1 entry in a class, points to be awarded = 1

2. SHOW POINT ALLOCATION

Points will be granted at the following shows;

State Championship Show = Double Points

(Must be approved by AAA Ltd)

(ALL owners/ Handlers/ Riders must be AAA Members)

All horses must be registered with AAA Ltd

All handlers/riders must be members of **P.R.A.C**

“AA” Approved Show

(Must be approved by AAA Ltd) refer to program

“A” Pre or Post State Show

(Must be approved by AAA Ltd)

“A” Approved Show

(Must be approved by AAA Ltd)

“A” Class Shows

Official and associate days run by affiliates of Equestrian Australia and approved by EA. Show programs must be sent with point recording sheets.

“B” Show

All recognized Agricultural Shows

Annual Horse Shows

Show program must be sent with point recording sheets and signed by club secretary or show judge.

Champion Appaloosa Exhibit = 2 points

Reserve Champion Appaloosa Exhibit = 1 point

Supreme Champion Appaloosa = 4 points

ELIGIBILITY AND REGULATIONS

To be eligible for End of Year High Point Awards you must.

- a) Be a full financial member of **Perth Regional Appaloosa Club**. Points will not start to be accrued until membership is paid for current season. Any points earned prior to this will not be counted.
- b) Compete at three approved Perth Regional Appaloosa Club shows including the State Show or Post State Show, Weanlings are excluded from the 3-show rule to be eligible.
- c) 5 Minimum point requirement applies.

- d) Competitors must remain in the same category for the whole show season e.g., Amateur, Masters, Novice Amateur etc.
- e) Points must be recorded on the approved Points Recording Sheet. (Appendix A)
- f) Competitor show points must be lodged with Perth Regional Appaloosa Club Points Collator within 60 days of the show. After this time result point sheets will be invalid.
- g) Points will not be accepted unless the points recording sheets are correctly completed, signed and readable, must be 1 sheet per horse/ rider.
- h) For "A" Class Equestrian Australia and "B" Class shows, a copy of the show program must accompany show results sheets.
- i) The Show Secretary or the Show Manager must delete the excess lines on the points recording sheets before signing. Exhibitors are to request this if this has not been done.
- j) Youth events: Show points for Youth Events must be clearly marked "Youth Events" on a separate sheet.
- k) Amateur events: Show points for Amateur Events must be clearly marked "Amateur" on a separate sheet.
- l) Show point scores will not be given to anyone other than the owner or properly authorized person
- m) Any other Registered Breed, Best Presented or Color Classes at breed shows are non-point scoring classes. To gain points in HALTER, the classes must be designated Appaloosa classes.
- n) WA BRED and EASTERN STATES/ AI BREED classes with PRAC have strict rules. WA BRED is where a registered Appaloosa Stallion resides in Western Australia at the time of mating. EASTERN STATES/ AI BRED is where a registered Appaloosa Stallion resides outside of Western Australia at the time of mating. The OPEN WA and OPEN EASTERN STATES BRED classes, which are open to recognized AAA Ltd approved stallions, gain points.
- o) Perth Regional Appaloosa Club has discretion to alter or change any award or eligibility criteria.
- p) Protests are to be made in writing accompanied by a \$50 deposit and lodged with the Secretary no later than 24 hours after the Awards evening.

***If competing at the Perth Regional Appaloosa Club State Championship show (if being run by the Perth Regional Appaloosa Club) In the event of a tie breaker, it will go on the number of first places, then second if that can't be determined. Awards will be presented to the winner only*.**

QUALIFYING CRITERIA

FOR HI POINT AWARDS

OVERALL HI POINT HALTER HORSE:

The horse with the most Halter points from filly/mare, colt/stallion and junior/senior gelding

OVERALL HI POINT HUNTER IN HAND:

HI POINT JNR ENGLISH PERFORMANCE HORSE

HI POINT SNR ENGLISH PERFORMANCE HORE

HI POINT JNR WESTERN PERFORMANCE HORSE:

HI POINT SNR WESTERN PERFORMANCE HORSE:

OVERALL HI POINT PERFORMCE HORSE:

The horse with the highest total of points from junior/senior horse English, junior/ senior horse western.

SHOWMANSHIP

Handler with the highest total of points from each category Youth, Amateur, Beginner/ Improver

Hi Point Rider

Rider with the highest total points of all Hunt Seat Equitation, Horsemanship classes for Each Category of Youth, Amateur, Beginner/ Improver.

Hi Point Western Dressage

Rider with highest total points form all Western Dressage Classes – Sponsored by the Western Dressage Association.

****POINTS WILL NOT BE CALCULATED UNTIL YOU ARE A FINANCIAL MEMBER OF PERTH REGIONAL APPALOOSA CLUB****

