



Wisconsin Arabian Horse Association

Points System Program

#	Division Name	Type of Classes Included
1.	PB/HA/AA Breeding In-Hand	(Mares, Stallions & Geldings) Halter, Performance Halter, Sport Horse In Hand
2.	PB/HA/AA Western Pleasure	Western Pleasure
3.	PB/HA/AA Hunter Pleasure	Hunter Pleasure
4.	PB/HA/AA Sport Horse Under Saddle	Sport Horse Under Saddle
5.	PB/HA/AA Dressage	Classical Dressage, Western Dressage
6.	PB/HA/AA Working Horse	Reining, Roping, Cutting, Reined Cow Horse, Three-Day Eventing, Hunter Hack, Jumper, Working Hunter, Working Western, Ranch Riding, Ranch Sorting, Herd Work
7.	PB/HA/AA English	English Pleasure, Country Pleasure, Park
8.	PB/HA/AA Specialty	Show Hack, Mounted Native Costume, Sidesaddle, Pleasure Driving, Informal Combination, Country Pleasure Driving, Carriage Driving, Parade Class
9.	PB/HA/AA Miscellaneous	All disciplines Walk/Trot, Speed/Timed Events, Fun Classes, Novelty Classes, Versatility Classes, Bareback Classes, Leadline
10.	PB/HA/AA Competitive Trail / Endurance	Competitive Trail, Endurance
11.	PB/HA/AA Trail Riding	Trail Riding - Awarded Based on Miles Logged
12.	PB/HA/AA Showmanship <i>* Does not apply to Legion of Merit</i>	Showmanship (All Ages, All Types)
13.	PB/HA/AA Equitation, Horsemanship <i>* Does not apply to Legion of Merit</i>	Equitation, Horsemanship (All Ages, All Types)
14.	Youth Exhibitor <i>* Does not apply to Legion of Merit</i>	Exhibitors who haven't reached their 19th birthday as of December 1st of the current year. Points earned in Divisions 1-13 will count.
15.	Senior Exhibitor <i>* Does not apply to Legion of Merit</i>	Exhibitors who have reached their 19th birthday as of December 1st of the current year (Amateurs Only). Points earned in Divisions 1-13 will count.



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Type of Competition	Placing:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
National Shows											
National Top 10		64	60	56	56	56	56	56	56	56	56
National Top 20		(11th - 20th place) - 40 points									
Regional Shows											
Regional Classes		48	44	40	40	40					
Sweepstakes Halter		48	44	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40
AHA Recognized Shows											
Regular Rated Shows		10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
WAHA Rated Shows (Doubled Points)		20	18	16	14	12	10	8	6	4	2
Top 10 (Scottsdale, Buckeye)		14	12	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
High Point		14	12								
WAHA Rated Show High Point (Doubled Points)		28	24								
Open Shows											
Open Show Classes		10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
WAHA Open Show Classes (Doubled Points)		20	18	16	14	12	10	8	6	4	2
High Point		14	12								
WAHA Open Show High Point (Doubled Points)		28	24								
Championships											
USEF Recognized Shows		14	12	10	8	6	4	2	1		
Open Shows		14	12	10	8	6	4	2	1		
Endurance/Competitive Trail											
		1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	Completion			
	25 Mile Ride	28	24	20	16	12	8	4			
	50 Mile Ride	56	48	40	32	24	16	8			
	75 Mile Ride	84	72	60	48	36	24	12			
	100 Mile Ride	112	96	80	64	48	32	16			
	* 5 additional points for the best conditioned horse of the ride										
	* 10 additional points for the overall winning horse of the ride										

Trail Riding Division

Trail riding miles are self-reported. 1 point will be earned for every mile logged. Miles must be logged within 15 days after the ride. All miles must be turned in before the October 31st cut-off date to be counted.

WAHA Shows Count for Double Points!



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GENERAL

1. WAHA Membership Guidelines:
 - ❖ All participants in this program must be members of WAHA (full membership or associate) in order to compete and receive awards. This includes the owner of the horse being enrolled in program.
 - ❖ WAHA Members are able to enter their age category (divisions 14 & 15) free of charge provided they submit necessary entry forms.
 - ❖ Only one (1) horse owner is required to be a WAHA member to enter the program and track points for their horse.
 - ❖ Points earned in divisions 1 - 11 carry with the horse and shall count towards horse divisions, Legion of Merit (LOM), or Supreme Legion of Merit (SLOM) depending on what division(s) the horse is entered in. Points will be accumulated regardless of the rider/handler being a WAHA member as long as the owner of the horse is a member.
 - ❖ Points earned in divisions 12 and 13 carry with the exhibitor ONLY and DO NOT count towards Legion of Merit (LOM), or Supreme Legion of Merit (SLOM) as these divisions are based on handler/rider.
2. Horse(s) must be registered Arabian, Half-Arabian, or Anglo-Arabian (AHA) OR must be pending registration and able to provide copies of registration papers by October 31st of the current enrolled year.
3. Points will accumulate from November 1st to October 31st of the current year. You must submit all points, trail rides, and endurance ride points by the cut off of October 31st to count for current year awards.
4. The point system, LOM and SLOM programs can be entered at any point during the year, however, you must be entered prior to shows being counted.

FEES

1. There are several fee options for entering the point system:
 - ❖ Flat Rate - Exhibitors can pay a flat rate of \$150 to enroll a horse/rider in the point system, LOM/SLOM, AND enter unlimited divisions. (Divisions 1 – 13)
 - o Exhibitor divisions 14 and 15 are FREE for WAHA members. Members must submit the necessary paperwork to enroll and report their points in order to receive awards.
 - ❖ Non-Flat Rate - Annual nomination fees will be \$15 per division or \$40 for any three (3) divisions.
 - ❖ LOM/SLOM Program - The initial nomination into the WAHA LOM/SLOM Program is \$50, followed by a \$40 renomination fee for every subsequent year (LOM/SLOM entry is included in Flat-Rate option).
 - ❖ Achievement Awards Buyback (For LOM/SLOM) - \$200 fee per buyback year, plus nomination/renomination fee and any applicable division fee(s) for buyback year.
 - ❖ **NEW FOR 2024** – For a \$25 one-time optional annual convenience fee the Points Program Secretary will pull your show results. With this option there is no need for you to track and submit points. **Please note this should ONLY be for those that join the Point System and show at Rated shows and/or WAHA open shows only** as these are public records that will be pulled.
 - ❖ Entry fees will not be refunded except for the following reason: If a horse is entered in the point system and has not sent in any points due to injury, illness, or death. In this case the owner may request a full refund upon presentation of a vet certificate. Any horse withdrawn from the point system in this manner may not re-enter the point system for that year. Once points have been sent, no refunds will be given.

POINT TRACKING

1. Points will be counted only from the divisions entered.
 - ❖ Note: You must enter the division for the classes you want to earn points in – if you are not entered in the division, you cannot count the points.



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2. There are three options for point reporting:

- ❖ Paper Form Reporting - Point forms must be completely filled out along with an official class list provided. Point reporting forms must be mailed to the appropriate Point System Secretary within 15 days of the last date of the show (enforced by US Postmark; postage meters are not acceptable).
- ❖ Pay the \$25 annual convenience fee to have your AHA and/or WAHA Open show points tracked automatically for you. There would be no need to report points unless you showed at a non-AHA/WAHA Open show.
- ❖ Paperless Online Point Reporting - Online point submission forms are available at the links below. Points must be accurately reported within the google form(s) and submitted within 15 days of the last date of the show. A digital copy of the show bill must be uploaded within the form for the submission to count. One online form contains up to 8 classes. If additional room is necessary - enter an additional form and submit it.
 - ANY Horse Show Reporting Form: <https://tinyurl.com/sk5f93e>
 - Trail Riding / Competitive Trail / Endurance Ride Reporting: <https://tinyurl.com/rl9v4dl>

For point reporting assistance, please contact Amber Severson at doeke10@gmail.com

3. Points earned in closed shows, such as 4-H or restricted breed shows and classes (National Show Horse, MAHB Fall Festival, Pinto, Palomino, etc.), WILL be counted. Points earned at these shows will count as regular rated/open show points and may be recorded on those forms.
4. Only one set of points can be counted per class. For example, in a Regional class where a Top Five and a Reserve Champion or Champion is received, only the highest placing may be counted.
5. All points for all divisions will be based on the type of show in which they were held (for example, National level competition vs. Open show competition vs. Regional level competition).
6. AHA Regional Sweepstakes halter classes points will count the same as regional classes.
7. Any competitor may check their points with the Point System Secretary at any time during the year. No questions regarding other competitors will be answered. Contact Amber Severson at doeke10@gmail.com with inquiries.
8. All WAHA competition placings count for double points within the WAHA Point System (See point chart for details).

Exhibitor Divisions

1. Exhibitor divisions 14 & 15 are open only to youth and adult amateurs. Submit one form per horse per show.

Awards

Awards will be given in each division, 1st through 6th. The awards will be either large rosette ribbons or WAHA Show Bucks (please specify on entry form what you would prefer).

1. An additional award will be given to the champion of each division.
2. Awards will be presented in January at the annual WAHA meeting and awards banquet. Winners will be notified via email. Please plan to attend or send a representative as awards will not be mailed.

High Point

1. Three overall High Point awards will be awarded to the following:
 - ❖ Youth WAHA Exhibitor (Division 14)
 - ❖ Senior WAHA Exhibitor (Division 15)
 - ❖ Super Horse (Horse with the most points out of Divisions 1-11)
2. Only points earned in Divisions 1 – 11 will be counted towards the Youth and Senior WAHA Exhibitor high point categories. For the Super Horse high point divisions 1-13 will be counted. *Horse must be enrolled/paid for each category to count.



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LEGION OF MERIT AWARD

Open to Purebreds, Half-Arabians, and Anglo Arabians. Horse may earn LOM only once. New points required for the WAHA Legion of Merit. An appropriate trophy will be given to all horses earning 1,000 points in the point system. Horses that have been entered in the program (in 2002 & prior years) will be grandfathered and only require 750 points to win this award. Any horse entering the program for the first time in 2003 & after, would be required to earn 1,000 points. A \$50 entry fee is required for the first year. Thereafter, an additional \$40 renomination fee will be required for each succeeding year. An additional bronze (WAHA LOM) can be ordered (for the rider of the horse if different than the owner) provided the owner fills out the required form and pays the additional fee for the cost of the bronze.

SUPREME LEGION OF MERIT AWARD

Open to Purebreds, Half-Arabians, and Anglo Arabians. Horses may earn SLOM only once. Horses that have earned the WAHA Legion of Merit may continue in the WAHA Point System. Starting in 2004, horses earning 1,000 additional points in the WAHA system will receive an award for WAHA Supreme Legion of Merit. The nomination fee will be \$50 the first year and \$40 for each year thereafter. All rules are the same for the Supreme Legion of Merit as the Legion of Merit award. An additional bronze (WAHA LOSM) can be ordered (for the rider of the horse if different than the owner) provided the owner fills out the required form and pays the additional fee for the cost of the bronze.

Divisions 12 – 15 DO NOT count towards Legion of Merit or Supreme Legion of Merit Awards



Point System Secretary

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