

WELCOME to the 2025 season for the Show Hors-e Association!

We are very excited to bring you a new format, designed to increase education and promote achievement without breaking the bank.

The following date(s) will be observed, in order to provide ample opportunity to all participants:

- **1st of the Month: Entries open, patterns released**
- **20th of the Month: Entries closed, videos can be submitted at any time between entries opening and closing, but must be submitted prior to 11:59 PM CST on the 20th**

All entries must be uploaded via YouTube and granted appropriate viewing permissions for our judge(s) to access (instructions at back of show bill, if needed).

- **Last day of the Month: Results announced, feedback provided to exhibitors.**

OPEN: For those of all ages, professional and non-professional.

AMATEUR (AM): For adults 19 & over who are non-paid exhibitors (they may not train, give lessons or receive remuneration for such).

YOUTH (YA): For those of all ages 18 & Under. *If there are less than two in a division, 14-18 and 13 & Under may be combined.

GENERAL INFORMATION

There are no ownership or breed requirements to participate. We ask that attire is kept clean and professional, though show clothes and show tack are not required. Any youth exhibitor and all exhibitors showing over fences must wear an approved ASTM helmet.

For the purposes of year end awards, points received will follow specific horse/rider combinations, except in the equitation over fences and on the flat, which will follow the rider. To be eligible for year end awards, exhibitors must purchase an annual membership prior to points being earned. Exhibitors must show a minimum of four times in a division during the year to be eligible for year end awards.

Horse/rider combinations may not cross enter between the W/T and W/T/C divisions within any specific discipline. There is no restriction regarding riders with different horses.

Management reserves the right to change, cancel, or combine classes, alter courses, and do all things necessary to compensate for excessive or inadequate entries.

WARNING UNDER TEXAS LAW (CHAPTER 87, CIVIL PRACTICE AND REMEDIES CODE), A LIVESTOCK SHOW SPONSOR IS NOT LIABLE FOR AN INJURY TO OR THE DEATH OF A PARTICIPANT IN A LIVESTOCK SHOW RESULTING FROM THE INHERENT RISKS OF LIVESTOCK SHOW ACTIVITIES.

DIVISIONS

DRESSAGE

*As our association expands, we intend to be welcoming to all riders. For dressage, we've elected to have that mean – you can choose your own test. Please indicate which test you are riding in the title of your video, from the selections/links in our pattern book – all tests should be **filmed from C**.*

- Classic Dressage
 - Open
 - Amateur
 - Youth (14 - 18)
 - Youth (13 & Under)
- Western Dressage
 - Open
 - Amateur
 - Youth (14 - 18)
 - Youth (13 & Under)
- Eventing Dressage
 - Open
 - Amateur
 - Youth (14 - 18)
 - Youth (13 & Under)

HALTER

Instructions for submitting entries for this division are included in our pattern book. Please refer to them for directions.

- Open Geldings
- Amateur Geldings
- Youth Geldings

- Open Mares
- Amateur Mares
- Youth Mares

- Open Stallions
- Amateur Stallions
- Youth Stallions

HUNT SEAT EQUITATION (PATTERN CLASS)

Instructions for submitting entries for this division are included in our pattern book. Please refer to them for directions.

- Open
- Amateur
- Youth (14 - 18)
- Youth (13 & Under)

HUNT SEAT EQUITATION ON THE FLAT

The rider must be filmed from the profile approximately 40 ft away on primarily straight line passes as if in the showpen. Must show at a minimum of 15-30 seconds in the walk, trot, and canter from each direction.

Include the following transitions: walk to trot, trot to canter, canter to walk, reverse at the walk, walk to trot, trot to canter, canter to walk, halt.

**If showing W/T, simply show both gaits in the order of walk - trot - walk, reverse, walk - trot - walk, halt.*

- Open
- Amateur
- Youth (14 - 18)
- Youth (13 & Under)

HUNT SEAT EQUITATION OVER FENCES

Instructions for submitting entries for this division are included in our pattern book. Please refer to them for directions.

- Open 2'6"
- Amateur
 - 2'6"
 - 2'0"
 - Crossrails
- Youth (14 - 18)
 - 2'6"
 - 2'0"
 - Crossrails
- Youth (13 & Under)
 - 2'6"
 - 2'0"
 - Crossrails

HUNTER UNDER SADDLE

The horse must be filmed from the profile approximately 40 ft away on primarily straight line passes as if in the showpen. Must show at a minimum of 15-30 seconds in the walk, trot, and canter from each direction as well as a stop and back.

Include the following transitions: walk to trot, trot to canter, canter to walk, reverse at the walk, walk to trot, trot to canter, canter to walk, stop and back.

**If showing W/T, simply show both gaits in the order of walk - trot - walk, reverse, walk - trot - walk, stop and back.*

- Open
- Amateur
- Youth

LONGE LINE

Instructions for submitting entries for this division are included in our pattern book. Please refer to them for directions.

- Open
- Amateur
- Youth

PLEASURE DRIVING

The horse must be filmed from the profile approximately 40 ft away on primarily straight line passes as if in the showpen. Must show at a minimum of 15-30 seconds in the walk, park gait, and road gait from each direction as well as a stop and back.

Include the following transitions: walk to park gate, park gait to road gait, road gait to walk, reverse at the walk, walk to park gait, park gait to road gait, road gait to walk, stop and back.

- Open
- Amateur
- Youth

RANCH RAIL PLEASURE

The horse must be filmed from the profile approximately 40 ft away on primarily straight line passes as if in the showpen. Must show at a minimum of 15-30 seconds in the walk, jog, and lope from each direction as well as a stop and back.

Include the following transitions: walk to jog, jog to extended jog, extended jog to lope, lope to walk, reverse at the walk, walk to jog, jog to extended jog, extended jog to lope, lope to walk, stop and back.

**If showing W/T, simply show both gaits in the order of walk - jog - walk, reverse, walk - jog - walk, stop and back.*

- Open
- Amateur
- Youth

RANCH RIDING

Instructions for submitting entries for this division are included in our pattern book. Please refer to them for directions.

- Open
- Amateur
- Youth

REINING

Instructions for submitting entries for this division are included in our pattern book. Please refer to them for directions.

- Open
- Amateur
- Youth

SHOWMANSHIP

Instructions for submitting entries for this division are included in our pattern book. Please refer to them for directions.

- Open
- Amateur
- Youth (14 - 18)
- Youth (13 & Under)

WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP

Instructions for submitting entries for this division are included in our pattern book. Please refer to them for directions.

- Open
- Amateur
- Youth (14 - 18)
- Youth (13 & Under)

WESTERN PLEASURE

The horse must be filmed from the profile approximately 40 ft away on primarily straight line passes as if in the showpen. Must show at a minimum of 15-30 seconds in the walk, jog, and lope from each direction as well as a stop and back.

Include the following transitions: walk to jog, jog to lope, lope to walk, reverse at the walk, walk to jog, jog to lope, lope to walk, stop and back.

**If showing W/T, simply show both gaits in the order of walk - jog - walk, reverse, walk - jog - walk, stop and back.*

- Open
- Amateur
- Youth

How to Upload a Video to YouTube and Share a Public Link

What do I need to upload a video to YouTube?

You need:

1. A video file on your computer.
2. A Google account to sign in to YouTube.
3. An internet connection.

How do I sign in to YouTube?

1. Go to [YouTube.com](https://www.youtube.com).
2. Click the "Sign in" button at the top right.
3. Enter your Google account email and password.

How do I upload a video to YouTube?

1. Once signed in, click the camera icon with a plus sign (labeled "Create") at the top right.
2. Select "Upload video."
3. Click "Select files" and choose the video file from your computer.
4. Fill in the details for your video, such as title, description, and tags.
5. Choose the visibility option "Public" so anyone can view your video.
6. Click "Publish" or "Save" when you're done.

How do I get the public link to share my video?

1. After uploading, YouTube will provide a link to your video on the upload confirmation page.
2. Copy this link.
3. You can also find the link by going to "Your videos" under the profile icon, clicking on the video, and copying the URL from the address bar.

How do I share the video link?

1. Paste the copied link into your entry form under the "Video Link" section.
2. Anyone with the link will be able to view your public video.

Can I change the visibility of my video later?

1. Yes, go to "Your videos" under your profile icon.
2. Click on the video you want to change.
3. Click on "Details" and select "Visibility" to change it to Public, Private, or Unlisted.
4. Save your changes.