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**Horse of the Americas, Inc.
Endurance Award**

Definition: Long Distance rides over natural terrain running against time and other horses entered in the ride. Two categories are recognized by the AERC (American Endurance Ride Conference). Limited Distance (LD) 25 – 49 miles and Endurance 50+ miles.

- 1) Horses must be registered with Horse of the Americas Registry, Inc. during the entire point season for which points are submitted. If more than one horse is ridden, make a sheet for each horse.
- 2) The owner of the horse must be an up-to-date member of the organization and any points earned during a period in which the owner is not a member will not be utilized in the compilation of points for the season.
- 3) The person named as the owner on the point form must be the person who is named as owner on the horse's registration per official HOA records.
- 4) Riders do not need to be members of the organization.
- 5) All points accumulated must be in rides sanctioned by the AERC. Occasionally, a mini-ride of under 25 miles may be held in conjunction with an AERC sanctioned ride. Mini-ride points (less than 25 miles) accumulate toward the Individual Riding Award.
- 6) AERC awards Best Conditioned (BC) in both LD and Endurance rides.
- 7) Placings are based on the entire group. Weight categories are not recognized.
- 8) Ride Official must sign form if there is no AERC printout of results.
- 9) Points may be earned towards Buckaroo, Sundance, Legends, and Corazon Awards.

Note: In lieu of ride management signature on the Endurance point form, AERC official printouts are accepted as proof of performance.

Name of Horse: _____

HOA#: _____ AERC #: _____

Rider's name: _____ Junior Yes ___ No ___

Owner of Horse: _____ HOA member Yes ___ No ___

Signature of Owner: _____

Signature of Ride Official: _____

(Note: AERC ride result printout is recognized in lieu of signature)

Event Name: _____ Date: _____

Location: _____

Type of Ride: (circle one) Limited Distance Endurance

Distance: _____ miles

Is this a multi-day ride? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, # of days completed: _____

Points Description	Points
Distance (miles x 0.2)	
Placing (see instructions)	
Best Condition? (10 points)	
Completion Points (see chart)	
TOTAL POINTS	

Points Are as follows: Distance: Miles x 0.2 points per mile

1 st Place	6 points
2 nd Place	5 points
3 rd Place	4 points
4 th Place	3 points
5 th Place	2 points
6 th – 10 th	1 point
Best Condition	10 points

Completion points:

LD multi-day rides	2 points per day
Endurance 50 miles	3 point
Endurance 75 miles	4 points
Endurance 100 miles	5 points
Multi-Day Endurance	5 points per day