## **3D SPEED HORSE CLASS**

For all our WSC age class competitors we have an extra class just for you!! You won't need to run another pattern. You simply enter speed horse and your recorded time from your age class will be carried over to the ONE pattern chosen as the Speed Horse pattern at each gymkhana. It's that simple!!

## There are just a few rules.

- 1) OPEN is what it means all riders will compete together. You must run in all 4 events to be eligible.
- 2) There will be one event chosen for the speed horse class at each gymkhana and that same event will NOT be chosen twice in the same series.
- 3) Multiple horses (same rider, more than one horse) must ride in all 4 events of the day. 2<sup>nd</sup> horse will be ridden in the non-point class in all 4 events of the day
- 4) You have to enter in more than half (6) of the speed horse classes to qualify for the Speed Horse year-end awards.
- 5) All entry money paid into Speed Horse will go toward Speed Horse awards to be given out at the yearend banquet.
- 6) Points follow the horse/rider combo. A substitute horse is allowed with vet letter. The substitute horse should be the same horse until the original horse can compete.
- 7) 3D means 3 divisions with one and one half second splits between each division. For example: If the fastest time out of all the entries in the 3D Speed Horse event is 18.365, then that would be first place in the 1st division or 1D. So, 2nd division would start at 19.865, then the 3rd division would start at 21.365.
- 8) Points: 1st 10 points, 2nd 9 points, 3rd 8 points, 4th 7 points, 5th 6 points, 6th 5 points, 7th 4 points, 8th 3 points, 9th 2 points, 10th 1 point
- 9) Ties will be broken by a runoff of the affected parties present. Parties not present will default. If one rider wants to run and the other rider does not, the rider that does not will default. If both riders agree, they can also flip a coin to break a tie.

## Why We Have a 3D Speed Horse

The speed horse event gives the "not fastest riders" a chance for buckles and other awards. If you're not the FASTEST in your age group, then you may not have a chance for the top prizes. The 3D Speed Horse event opens doors for those riders who are several seconds off the fast times....and because the speed horse events are not barrels and poles.... It opens up opportunities for riders who don't ride seasoned barrel/rodeo horses.