



2024 LCHA General Grounds Rules and Regulations

- Current Annual Negative Coggins Required (originals) and must be available to present at registration at every show.
- **Every participant** must sign a liability release form prior to showing at LCHA. • No alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs are allowed on the show grounds.
- Anyone exhibiting disruptive or inappropriate behavior will be asked to leave the show grounds.
- Unsportsmanlike conduct can result in loss of points earned daily/yearly and possibly be removed from the show grounds.
- If at any time you have any questions or concerns on show day please bring them to our Officers attention.
- The judge's decisions are final; please show respect for their decisions at all times.
- Stall reservations for LCHA Open Shows will be first come first serve with an online reservation and payment. Payment must be completed for stalls to be reserved. 2024 fees are \$35 with \$10 being returned when the stalls are cleaned.

LCHA Open Show Class Information

- We will observe a 2 minute Gate/Tack Hold between classes. The time starts when the class is called.
- LCHA reserves the right to add/cancel or combine classes. Large classes may be split into heats based on show committee/judge's discretion.
- Class fees will be \$10.00 per class for 2024.
- To secure a tab a check must be left at the registration office at the time of class signup (No exceptions)
- Class registration may be completed in person at the registration office the day of the show or by an early online class registration through our website. You have the option to pay online ahead of the show but it is not required. It is required that you check in at the office prior to any participation on show day.
- Classes added or scratched must be completed at the show office prior to the class start. The new add/scratch form copy must be given by the rider/trainer/parent to the gate person prior to the class start. Added classes must be paid at time of add if not securing a tab.

LCHA Open Show Age Groups and Divisions

- For horse show purposes, the age of the individual on January 1st of that year shall be maintained throughout the entire year. (Example: An individual with a birthday in July, and is 10 years of age on January 1st, must show throughout the entire year as a 10 yr. old)
- Age/Points groups:
 - Pee Wee (10 and Under), Youth 1 (11-13), Youth 2 (14-18), Adult (19 & up), Open (11 & up) • In order to be eligible for year end awards, the exhibitor must be a member of LCHA in good standing and show the same horse in (3) shows per division at the Ponderosa. Points start accumulating from the date membership is paid.
- Year end category awards for 2024 will include:
 - English (Adult 1st-3rd, Youth 1 1st-3rd, Youth 2 1st-3rd, Pee Wee 1st-3rd)
 - Jumper (Overall 1st-3rd)
 - Western (Adult 1st-3rd, Youth 1 1st-3rd, Youth 2 1st-3rd, Pee Wee 1st-3rd)
 - Ranch (Adult 1st-3rd, and Youth 1st-3rd)
 - Speed Events (Adult 1st-3rd, Youth 1st-3rd, Pee Wee 1st-3rd)

LCHA Open Show Riding Attire requirements for Riding Disciplines

- Proper show attire and tack required unless specified by the judge.
- Helmets are required for all over fences classes, practice, and riders under the age of 18 for barrels and games.

English – Riders should wear riding boots, breeches or jodhpurs, show shirt and jacket (unless jackets are excused by show management due to excessive heat) and an ASTM approved helmet for Hunter Class. Other English classes may show in a Suit with riding boots, hat, or ASTM approved helmet. Other attire deemed appropriate for English by USEF guidelines may also be worn.

Ranch – Western attire including boots, long pants, western shirt and hat. ASTM helmets are encouraged in place of the western hat.

Western – Western attire including boots, western hat, long pants, long sleeve shirt with collar. ASTM helmets are encouraged in place of the western hat. Other attire deemed appropriate for the Western by USEF guidelines may also be worn.

Games – Long pants, western button shirt with collar, and riding boots must be worn. ASTM approved Helmets must be worn by all competitors in the Youth and Pee Wee divisions.