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# New Hampshire Quarter Horse Association

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Schedule For Year  
End Awards

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### **Eligibility for NHQHA Open Show Circuit**

- A The exhibitor/rider must be a paid NHQHA member before points can be accumulated.
- B Horses must be registered with American Quarter Horse Association (AQHA)
- C All points will be accrued by the same horse/rider combination.
- D A minimum of two (2) points must be accumulated by the end of the year to qualify for Championship awards and one (1) point must be accumulated by the end of the year to qualify for Reserve Championship awards in any division shown in.
- E If a show elects to combine any classes, points will be given to horses in their respective divisions. Example If Youth 13 and Under and Youth 14-18 are combined points earned in Youth 13 and Under will accrue towards the Youth 13 and Under and points earned in Youth 14-18 will accrue towards Youth 14-18.
- F Points will begin to accrue when the membership is paid.
- G Any discrepancies should be directed to the Points Secretary.
- H Pointed shows held between January 1<sup>st</sup> and December 31<sup>st</sup> of the current year are eligible.
- I Any exhibitor earning a year end award in lead line or walk trot, may not qualify for any other award that requires additional gaits (i.e. lead liners cannot earn awards in both lead line and walk trot, and walk trot exhibitors may not earn awards in any class requiring a canter. If an exhibitor wishes to move up into a higher division during the same show season, the lower division awards will be forfeited.
- J If there is a tie for year-end awards, the Points Secretary will take the exhibitor with the highest point average per class to break the tie, (i.e. 10 points in 10 classes vs. 10 points in 5 classes, the person with the 5 classes will win because the person with the highest average points per class breaks the tie).
- K The Open Show Circuit participants will be required to submit the appropriate form to the Points Secretary by the 15<sup>th</sup> of the following month.

## NHQHA OPEN SHOW CIRCUIT

Horses must be a Quarter Horse registered with American Quarter Horse Association.

**Eligible Divisions** - The following 15 divisions will be eligible for year-end awards.

**Eligible Classes** are listed below the Divisions.

- 1      Lead Line age 8 and under  
        Lead Line Pleasure, Lead Line Equitation and Lead Line Trail
- 2      Walk Trot 18 & Under  
        Walk Trot Pleasure, Walk Trot Equitation, Walk Trot Trail and Walk Trot Showmanship
- 3      Walk Trot 19 & Over  
        Walk Trot Pleasure, Walk Trot Equitation, Walk Trot and Walk Trot Showmanship
- 4      English Events 18 & Under  
        English Halter, English Pleasure, English Equitation, English Trail and Showmanship
- 5      English Events 19 & Over  
        English Halter, English Pleasure, English Equitation, English Trail and Showmanship
- 6      Western Events 18 & Under  
        Western Halter, Western Pleasure, Western Equitation, Western Trail and Showmanship
- 7      Western Events 19 & Over  
        Western Halter, Western Pleasure, Western Equitation, Western Trail and Showmanship
- 8      Walk Trot Gymkhana 18 & Under  
        Barrel Racing, Pole Bending, Stake Race, Egg and Spoon and Command
- 9      Walk Trot Gymkhana 19 & Over  
        Barrel Racing, Pole Bending, Stake Race, Egg and Spoon and Command
- 10     Gymkhana 18 & Under  
        Barrel Racing, Pole Bending, Stake Race, Egg and Spoon and Command
- 11     Gymkhana 19 and Over  
        Barrel Racing, Pole Bending, Stake Race, Egg and Spoon and Command
- 12     Ranch Horse Division – All ages  
        Halter, Pleasure, Riding and Trail

Year-end awards for Lead Line and Walk Trot will be pinned 1<sup>st</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> place

### Pointed Shows

- Open/fun shows are defined as any horse show, taking place in the State of NH that is not already included in our NHQHA/AQHA Show circuit. Includes but is not limited to 4-H shows, Silver Heels, NHHTA, local barn shows and series.
- You may show in up to 10 (ten) open/fun shows of your choice. **IF** you show in any of the NHQHA sponsored open shows listed below, your points for that particular NHQHA show will be tripled.

NHQHA Novice/All Breed Show—**OPEN SHOW PORTION ONLY—June 2, 2018**

NHQHA AQHA/All Breed Show—**OPEN SHOW PORTION ONLY—August 24-26, 2018**

NHQHA All Breed Show—**OPEN SHOW PORTION ONLY—September 16, 2018**

## **Eligibility for NHQHA All Breed Show Circuit**

- A The exhibitor/rider must be a paid NHQHA member before points can be accumulated.
- B Open to All Breeds of horses, **EXCLUDES REGISTERED QUARTER HORSES.**
- B All points will be accrued by the same horse/rider combination.
- C You must show under a minimum of one (1) NHQHA judges to qualify.
- D A minimum of two (2) points must be accumulated by the end of the year to qualify for Championship awards and one (1) point must be accumulated by the end of the year to qualify for Reserve Championship awards in any division shown in.
- E If a show elects to combine any classes, points will be given to horses in their respective divisions. Example If Youth 13 and Under and Youth 14-18 are combined points earned in Youth 13 and Under will accrue towards the Youth 13 and Under and points earned in Youth 14-18 will accrue towards Youth 14-18.
- F Points will begin to accrue when the membership is paid.
- G Any discrepancies should be directed to the Points Secretary.
- H Pointed shows held between January 1<sup>st</sup> and December 31<sup>st</sup> of the current year are eligible.
- I Any exhibitor earning a year end award in lead line or walk trot, may not qualify for any other award that requires additional gaits (i.e. lead liners cannot earn awards in both lead line and walk trot, and walk trot exhibitors may not earn awards in any class requiring a canter. If an exhibitor wishes to move up into a higher division during the same show season, the lower division awards will be forfeited.
- J If there is a tie for year-end awards, the Points Secretary will take the exhibitor with the highest point average per class to break the tie, (i.e. 10 points in 10 classes vs. 10 points in 5 classes, the person with the 5 classes will win because the person with the highest average points per class breaks the tie).
- L The All Breed Show Circuit participants will be required to submit the appropriate form to the Points Secretary by the 15<sup>th</sup> of the following month.

## **NHQHA ALL BREED SHOW CIRCUIT**

Any breed of horse is eligible, **EXCLUDES REGISTERED QUARTER HORSES.**

**Eligible Divisions** – The following four (4) divisions will be eligible for year-end awards.

NHQHA All Breed Walk Trot (18 and Under)

NHQHA All Breed Walk Trot (19 and Over)

NHQHA All Breed Youth (18 and Under)

NHQHA All Breed Adult (19 and Over)

### **Eligible classes**

Halter, Pleasure, Equitation, Trail, Showmanship, Ranch Horse Halter, Ranch Horse Pleasure, Ranch Horse Riding, Ranch Horse Trail, Barrel Racing, Pole Bending, Stake Race, Egg and Spoon, and Command

### **Pointed Shows**

NHQHA Novice/All Breed Show – June 2, 2018

NHQHA AQHA/All Breed Show – August 24-26, 2018

NHQHA All Breed Show – September 16, 2018

## Eligibility for NHQHA AQHA Show Circuit

- A The exhibitor/rider must be a paid NHQHA member before points can be accumulated.
- B Horse must be registered with American Quarter Horse Association (AQHA)
- C All points will be accrued by the same horse/rider combination. Horse/Rider combination does not apply to AQHA Open Classes. In the open division, only horses owned by NHQHA members are eligible for NHQHA points.
- D You must show under a minimum of two (2) NHQHA judges to qualify for each class.
- E A minimum of two (2) points must be accumulated by the end of the year to qualify for Championship awards and one (1) point must be accumulated by the end of the year to qualify for Reserve Championship awards in any division shown in.
- F If a show elects to combine any classes, points will be given to horses in their respective divisions. Example If Youth 13 and Under and Youth 14-18 are combined points earned in Youth 13 and Under will accrue towards the Youth 13 and Under and points earned in Youth 14-18 will accrue towards Youth 14-18.
- G Points will begin to accrue when the membership is paid.
- H Any discrepancies should be directed to the Points Secretary.
- I Pointed shows held between January 1<sup>st</sup> and December 31<sup>st</sup> of the current year are eligible.
- J Any exhibitor earning a year end award in lead line or walk trot, may not qualify for any other award that requires additional gaits (i.e. lead liners cannot earn awards in both lead line and walk trot, and walk trot exhibitors may not earn awards in any class requiring a canter. If an exhibitor wishes to move up into a higher division during the same show season, the lower division awards will be forfeited.
- K If there is a tie for year-end awards, the Points Secretary will take the exhibitor with the highest point average per class to break the tie, (i.e. 10 points in 10 classes vs. 10 points in 5 classes, the person with the 5 classes will win because the person with the highest average points per class breaks the tie).
- L **IF** you show in any of the NHQHA sponsored shows listed below, your points for that particular NHQHA show will be tripled.

NHQHA Novice/All Breed Show – June 2, 2018

NHQHA AQHA/All Breed Show – August 24-26, 2018

## **NHQHA/AQHA SHOW CIRCUIT**

Eligible classes:

Any AQHA classes offered at any AQHA shows in NHQHA, MassQHA, VtQHA, CQHA, MeQHA and R6AQHA, including Novice Shows.

### **High Point Awards**

Awarded to the horse and rider combination that has earned the highest amount of total points, with a minimum of 5 points in each of the following categories:

NHQHA High Point Amateur Select  
NHQHA High Point Amateur Horse  
NHQHA High Point Level 1 Amateur Horse  
NHQHA High Point Youth Horse 13 & Under  
NHQHA High Point Youth Horse 14-18  
NHQHA High Point Level 1 Youth Horse  
NHQHA High Point Open Horse  
NHQHA High Point Level 1 Amateur Walk Trot Horse  
NHQHA High Point Level 1 Youth Walk Trot Horse

## **NHQHA Quarter Horse of the Year**

### **Eligibility**

1. Horse must be a Quarter Horse registered with American Quarter Horse Association.
2. Must be owned by a New Hampshire resident.
3. Points will start to accrue once your membership has been paid in full.
4. Points on the horse will be counted from the Open Show Circuit and AQHA Circuit.
5. Must show under a minimum of two (2) NHQHA judges.
6. A minimum of two (2) NHQHA points must be accumulated by the end of the year to qualify for this awards.
7. Total points accrued by any exhibitor will be counted, whether it be youth, amateur or open.

### **Eligible Shows**

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**New Hampshire Quarter Horse Association  
Points Schedule for Year End Awards**

Horses in class	1 <sup>st</sup> Place Points	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place Points	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place Points	4 <sup>th</sup> Place Points	5 <sup>th</sup> Place Points	6 <sup>th</sup> Place Points	7 <sup>th</sup> Place Points	8 <sup>th</sup> Place Points	9 <sup>th</sup> Place Points	10 <sup>th</sup> Place Points
1	1									
2	2	0								
3	3	1	0							
4	4	2	1	0						
5	5	3	2	1	0					
6	6	4	3	2	1	0				
7	7	5	4	3	2	1	0			
8	8	6	5	4	3	2	1	0		
9	9	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
10 Or more	10	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0

\*\*If there are twenty five or more horses in a class an additional two points will be given to the first through ninth place.

**Suggested Ribbon Colors**

Blue Ribbon	Red Ribbon	Yellow Ribbon	White Ribbon	Pink Ribbon	Green Ribbon	Purple Ribbon	Brown Ribbon
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**\*\*POINT REPORT FORM FOR OPEN SHOW AND ALL BREED CIRCUITS\*\***  
**NEW HAMPSHIRE QUARTER HORSE ASSOCIATION**

**\*\*All sections of the form must be completed. Any sections left blank will render this form Null and Void.**

Horse Name \_\_\_\_\_

Owner \_\_\_\_\_

Exhibitors Name \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

**SHOW NAME** \_\_\_\_\_

Circle one	All Breed (non QH Circuit)	Open Breed (QH Circuit)
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

- Only one (1) form will be provided, please make additional copies.
- If not signed by the Show Secretary the points will not be counted.
- If possible provide a class list for the shows listed.
- This form is due on the 15<sup>th</sup> of the month. Any forms postmarked after the 15<sup>th</sup> of the following month will be Null and Void (i.e. March points due 15<sup>th</sup> of April)

Send this completed form to Natalie McGowen PMB 106 75 South Main St Concord NH 03307. If you have any general questions you can call Natalie at 603-369-1305 or email at lenamecg04@comcast.net.

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