**RULES for IaAHA HIGH POINT**

1. Entry into the IaAHA High Point is free to current Voting, Youth or Affiliate members of the Iowa AHA.

2. All horses must be owned/leased by a current Voting, Youth or Affiliate member of the Iowa AHA.

3**. The committee may cancel/combine/split any class it deems appropriate.**

4. Each class will receive an award for Champion, Reserve Champion and three Top Five ribbons in each class except for lead line where all placings are the same. Overall winners each receive an award. Awards will be ribbons only in classes with 3 entries or less.

5. All shows held from November 1st of the previous year to the end of US Nationals of the current year will be counted.

6. All placings in the Open Performance division class (class #42) must be sent in by the Exhibitor. All results must be submitted within 60 days or November 1st, whichever comes first. **No** **Exceptions to the November 1st deadline** due to the need to place the ribbon and trophy order. It is the sole responsibility of the exhibitor to send in placings.

7. To encourage participation in Our Association sponsored shows the overall rated high point awards will be from points accumulated from Iowa sanctioned AHA shows, Region XI Championship show, Youth, MSN, Ranch Horse Championships, Sport Horse Nationals, and US Nationals only. **Exhibitors must have shown in at least one IaAHA sponsored show.**

8. Your points are tracked at the time you (the exhibitor) sign up for High Point. You may sign up at any of our IaAHA shows. Be sure to sign up at your first show of the season for your points to be tracked.

9. All Exhibitors entering the IaAHA High Point Competition are assumed to have knowledge and understanding of the above rules, point system and class descriptions.

**RATED OVERALL HIGH POINT CHAMPIONS/RESERVES:** Points will be accumulated from Iowa AHA Sanctioned shows, Region XI Championship show, Youth Nationals, MSN, Ranch Horse Championships, Sport Horse Nationals, and US Nationals.

 High Point Champion & Reserve Champion Over All Purebred

 High Point Champion & Reserve Champion Over All Half Arabian

 High Point Champion & Reserve Champion Over All Adult Exhibitor

 High Point Champion & Reserve Champion Over All Junior Exhibitor

**NON-AHA SANCTIONED OVERALL HIGH POINT CHAMPION/RESERVES:** Points will be accumulated from IaAHA Spring Fling, Summer Spectacular, Iowa State Fair, Spooktacular Open Classes, and any show listed in the description of class #42 (USEF, USDF, NRHA and etc). Don’t forget it’s the exhibitor’s responsibility to send in those placings by November 1st.

 High Point Champion & Reserve Champion Over All Purebred

High Point Champion & Reserve Champion Over All Half Arabian

High Point Champion & Reserve Champion Over All Horse (Not limited to PB/HA)

High Point Champion & Reserve Champion Over All Adult Exhibitor

High Point Champion & Reserve Champion Over All Junior Exhibitor

**Point System**

Unrated Shows 1ST 2ND 3RD 4TH 5TH 6TH 7TH 8TH

 Regular Classes 6 5 4 3 2 1

 Championships 10 8 6 5 4 3 2 1

Sanctioned Shows 1st 2nd 3rd 4th 5th 6th 7th 8th

 Regular Classes 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3

 Halter Championships 10 9

 Championships 20 18 16 14 12 10 8 6

Gold Star Class CH 6 RES. 5 TOP FIVE 3 TOP TEN 2

\*\*UPHA classes DO NOT count in any division except walk-trot where entry is not restricted.

 REGIONALS CH 40 RES 30 TOP FIVE 20

 NATIONALS CH 60 RES 50 TOP TEN 40