



# **Sendera Show Program**

2020 Edition



# Rules and Regulations

The rules and regulations contained in this rulebook of the Sendera Draft Horse Registry (previously the Sugarbush Draft Horse Registry) are in full force and effect beginning January 1, 2019. Rules and regulations contained in any Sendera Draft Horse Registry or Sugarbush Draft Horse Registry rulebook published before January 1, 2019 are hereby repealed.

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# BREED STANDARD

**TYPE AND CHARACTER:** The Sendera Draft Horse is a medium-sized draft horse built for riding and light carriage work. These horses are of quiet mind and, while docile-natured, are neither slow nor dull in their actions. They exemplify the best of both the gentle giant draft horse and the quality light riding horse.

**HEIGHT:** 15.2 h.h. to 16.2 h.h., but height should not disqualify an otherwise good example of type.

**HEAD:** The head should be no longer than the length of the scapula, with a noble bearing and a flat or slightly convex profile. Eyes should be large, well set, and kindly in expression. The ears should be proportionate to large, and should be finely shaped.

**NECK AND SHOULDER:** The neck should be long but proportionate, measuring 1.3 to 1.5 times the length of the head as measured from poll to muzzle (head) and poll to the point of the withers (neck). The shoulders should be sloping, deep, and muscular. The angle of the shoulder should be between 45 and 48 degrees from the horizontal, as measured from the point of shoulder to the withers.

**BODY:** The body should be wide and deep. The back should be of moderate length in proportion to the overall size of the horse, and should be strong with muscular loins. The quarters should be level, powerful, long, and oval. The tail should spring well from the quarters, and should be set neither high nor low. The back should be approximately 35% of the horse's total body length, with ranges from 33% to 40% currently seen in the breed. The hip should fall at a more shallow angle than the shoulder, and when measured from the wing of the pelvis to the point of buttocks should be equivalent to the length of the scapula.

**LIMBS:** Arms, thighs, and gaskins should be muscular. The forelegs should be between 1.2 and 1.3 times the depth of the horse's body, as measured from withers to elbow and from elbow to the hairline of the hoof. The hind legs should be between 1.3 and 1.5 times the depth of the hip, as measured from the point of croup to the stifle and from the stifle to the hairline at the hoof. The lower legs should be dry and tight, without excessive padding or skin.

The knees and hocks should be large and well closed. There should be 7" upwards of good flat bone below the knee measured at the nearest point on a tight tape.

The pasterns should be strong and sloping. The pasterns should be approximately 33% of the length of the cannon bone, and at an angle matching that of the horse's shoulder.

Longer hair along the back of the leg, from knee to hoof, is permitted; the absence of such hair is not a defect and should not be penalized. The ideal Sendera Draft should not have long hair across the front of the leg from knee to hoof, nor should any long hair from knee to hoof be long enough to hide the hoof.

**FEET:** Hooves should be large, well balanced to the size of bone in the leg, and have an angle complementary to the angle of pastern. Hooves can be either dark, light, or a combination of dark and light pigmented. Feet that are shallow or narrow are undesirable.

**ACTION:** Action must be true, straight, and free. High action is not characteristic of the breed, but expressive motion is desired. The horse will move freely from the shoulder and will flex his knees and hocks sufficiently. The action should be ground-covering and have some degree of suspension.

**COLOR:** Any base color is accepted. Leopard complex (LP) characteristics - striped hooves, mottled skin, or white sclera around the eye - and spotted patterns are common and encouraged, but absence of these spots or characteristics should not be penalized. While the SDHR prohibits pinto patterns, there is no rule governing the expression of white markings; pinto patterning is determined by genetic testing and should not be judged in the show ring. Prohibited genes are listed in the SDHR genetic testing policy.



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# SENDERA SHOW PROGRAM

## WHAT DOES THE PROGRAM COST?

A fee for each horse will be charged the first time you send in results; this fee will go towards the year-end awards. Leftover funds for each year after the awards are distributed will go to the Sendera Draft Horse Registry itself.

Fees are listed in form **SF.1601 - DOCUMENTS AND SCHEDULE OF FEES**, found in the Forms section of the SDHR website.

## WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

The Sendera Show Program tracks only the horses for the show program, not the riders; as such, there are no specific divisions for amateur vs pro riders.

All registered Sendera Drafts, Sendera Sporthorses, and all documented Approved Cross horses are eligible for the program. Horses of any age may participate in any discipline or event, but the SDHR does not recognize under saddle points for animals younger than 4 years of age.

## DIVISIONS

Year-end awards will be given out to the top horses for each division. The divisions are as follows:

**Division 1: Registered Sendera Draft.** These are horses registered as Sendera Draft Horses with the SDHR. This includes Foundation-registered and Auxiliary-registered horses. Awards are given for the top mare, gelding, and stallion in each category.

- **Division 1A:** Horses ages 3 and under. No under saddle classes count for this division.
- **Division 1B:** Horses ages 4 to 17. All classes count for this division.
- **Division 1C:** Horses ages 18 and up. All classes count for this division.

**Division 2: Sendera Sporthorses.** These are horses that have been registered as Sendera Sporthorses with the SDHR. Awards are given for the top mare, gelding, and stallion in each category.

- **Division 2A:** Horses ages 3 and under. No under saddle classes count for this division.
- **Division 2B:** Horses ages 4 to 17. All classes count for this division.
- **Division 2C:** Horses ages 18 and up. All classes count for this division.

**Division 3: Approved Crosses.** These are horses that have been granted Approved Cross status. All Approved Cross horses are eligible for these divisions; awards are given for the top mare and stallion in each category.

- **Division 3A:** Horses ages 3 and under. No under saddle classes count for this division.
- **Division 3B:** Horses ages 4 to 17. All classes count for this division.
- **Division 3C:** Horses ages 18 and up. All classes count for this division.

## WHAT YOU'LL RECEIVE

All participants in each division will receive a certificate of completion.

The top 25% of the participants in each division will receive a keychain engraved with the year along with their certificate. If the number of participants can't be evenly divided into 4, we will err on the side of including more people rather than less.

The top horses of each gender in each division will receive a medallion engraved with the horse's name and the year along with their certificate.

## Special Awards For Approved Cross Horses

Approved breeding crosses who achieve one of the top 10 places in their division may be awarded the opportunity to become Auxiliary-registered Sendera Drafts. See [SDHR RULEBOOK - APPROVED CROSS SHOW UPGRADE](#) (page 74) for details.

### CHANGE OF DIVISION

Horses that change divisions mid-year will fall under the division that they spend the most time in over the course of the year, and all points earned throughout the year will count for that division. Horses born on or before June 30 will be considered to have spent the bulk of their year in the division they graduated to, and horses born on or after July 1 will be considered to have spent the bulk of their year in the division they graduated from.

In other words, a horse that turns 4 in May will count as Division 1B; a horse that turns 4 in October will count as Division 1A. A horse that turns 18 on July 15 will count as Division 1C; a horse that turns 18 on July 4 will count as Division 1B.

*For example: Theresa's Sendera filly Latte competes in some in-band classes in the spring, earning a total of 6 points in Division 1A. She turns 4 on June 3rd; her 6 points and any points she earns for the rest of the year will count for Division 1B.*

### Special Rule - Approved Cross Upgrades

Approved Cross horses who are granted an upgrade through the Approved Cross Show Upgrade (see [SDHR RULEBOOK - APPROVED CROSS SHOW UPGRADE](#), page 74) will be transferred to their new division once registration is complete, along with any points accumulated since January 1.

### CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP

In general, year-end awards are considered to belong to the horse. If a horse changes ownership mid-year and both owners earned points with the horse, the award will go to the current owner, as that person owns the horse.

*For example: Theresa spends late winter and early spring showing Tornado. They average 1 show a month, and earn 4-10 points per show. In May, she sells Tornado to John. John takes Tornado to a show a month for the rest of the year, earning 4-10 points per show. In this case, the award would go to John.*

However, an exception will be made if the new owner has earned significantly less points than the previous owner. In this case, the owner that earned the most points will receive the award.

*For example: Theresa spends all spring and summer showing Tornado. They average 1 show a month, and earn 4-10 points per show. In October, she sells Tornado to John. John takes Tornado to a show and earns 5 points, but he lives in a different area of the country than Theresa and can't find any shows after November. In this case, the award would go to Theresa.*

### LEASING

In general, year-end awards are considered to belong to the horse. However, a show lease (see [SDHR RULEBOOK - LEASING](#), page 76) provides extra challenges when distributing awards. In the case of a show lease, the following rules for awards will apply:

- If the horse is leased for the entire year, the awards will go to the lessee.
- If the horse changed hands, then the same rules as [CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP](#) (page 10) will be used: the award will go to the owner or lessee, depending on where the showing rights are at the end of the year. If the individual who earned significantly more points is not the one with showing rights at the end of the year, they will still get the awards.
- **Exception:** the Approved Cross Show Upgrade can only be awarded to the owner of the horse, regardless of whether the lessee or owner earned the points.

# SPECIAL RULES

## ODD NUMBERS OF PARTICIPANTS

Many of our point awards are based on percentages of a class or group of participants - generally 25% or 50%. When the number of participants cannot be evenly divided into 25% and 50% quantities, we will err on the side of generosity; if 101 horses or teams participated, then horses 1-26 count as the top 25% and horses 27-51 count as the top 50%.

## TEAM CLASSES AND EVENTS

Team classes and events count! Each horse registered as a Sendera Draft, Sendera Sporthorse, or Approved Cross that participates in a team event will be awarded points according to their achievement. If multiple horses in the Sendera Show Program compete as part of the same team, each horse will have its own point total - although if they all participated in the same classes throughout the show, those point totals may be identical.

## AWARDS OUTSIDE THE SHOW/EVENT SYSTEM

### *Very Special Recognition*

If anyone competes in the Olympics or Paralympics, they will be awarded points as appropriate for the discipline. However, additional points will be awarded regardless of how well you do!

### *Association Awards*

Association awards are eligible for additional point rewards in the Sendera Show Program. The Director of Operations should be informed of any such awards as soon as possible so that they count towards the intended year. The deadline for these submissions is January 31; association awards received after this date count for the current year, regardless of which year they were awarded for.

*For example: Theresa wins an award with her local dressage association for best scores at Training Level in 2019. The year-end awards banquet where she gets the award is in December, and she submits the award to the Director of Operations on December 29th. It counts for 2019.*

*If she'd waited and submitted the award to the Director of Operations on February 1st, it would instead count for 2020.*

These awards should be for the horse or horse and rider pair, not the rider, and will be granted the following point totals:

Award Type	Examples	Points Awarded								
Annual award with only one prize level	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>USDF Horse Performance Certificates</li><li>USEF Horse of the Year</li></ul>	3 points								
Annual award with multiple prize levels	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>NRHA Year-End Awards</li><li>AERC Regional Awards</li></ul>	<table border="1"><thead><tr><th>Prize</th><th>Award</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>1st</td><td>5 points</td></tr><tr><td>2nd</td><td>4 points</td></tr><tr><td>All others</td><td>3 points</td></tr></tbody></table>	Prize	Award	1st	5 points	2nd	4 points	All others	3 points
		Prize	Award							
		1st	5 points							
2nd	4 points									
All others	3 points									
Lifetime or career awards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>USDF bronze, silver, or gold medals</li><li>Lifetime achievement awards</li><li>AERC Equine Mileage awards</li></ul>	5 points								

## PENALTIES TO YOUR SCORE

### *Cruelty and Abuse of Animals*

If a member or non-member has knowledge of an incident of animal cruelty or abuse that has been proven to the satisfaction of the show(s) at which it occurred, please file charges with the Registry (see [SDHR RULEBOOK - DISCIPLINARY HEARINGS](#), page 23). As part of the disciplinary process, any disqualifications and suspensions by a show or organization due to animal cruelty or abuse shall be reviewed. Owners found guilty of the charges through the normal disciplinary process may face penalties specific to the Sendera Show Program, as per [SDHR RULEBOOK - SECTION 234. SPECIFIC ACTIONS RELATING TO THE SDHR SHOW PROGRAM](#) (page 31).

### *Drugging Charges*

If a member or non-member has knowledge of a drugging incident that has been proven to the satisfaction of the show(s) at which it occurred, please file charges with the Registry (see [SDHR RULEBOOK - DISCIPLINARY HEARINGS](#), page 23). As part of the disciplinary process, any disqualifications and suspensions by a show or organization due to drugging shall be reviewed. Owners found guilty of the charges through the normal disciplinary process may face penalties specific to the Sendera Show Program, as per [SDHR RULEBOOK - SECTION 234. SPECIFIC ACTIONS RELATING TO THE SDHR SHOW PROGRAM](#) (page 31).

# SHOW-BASED DISCIPLINES

Show-based disciplines are events that feature shows as the primary competition environment, including most traditional English and Western disciplines, vaulting, and driving. A non-comprehensive list of disciplines is available in **AWARDS FOR SPECIFIC SHOW TYPES** (page 22).

## GENERAL RULES FOR SHOW-BASED DISCIPLINES

### ***Per-Class Point Awards***

Each class at each show is worth a certain number of points, depending on placement in the show:

Placement	Points Awarded
1st place	3 points
Top 50% of class	2 points
All other places	1 points

That means that every class that the horse participates in will earn them at least one point towards year-end awards, regardless of where they place in the class itself. A horse can earn multiple points per show.

The points are not cumulative! You get awarded either 1, 2, or 3 points for each class, not all three.

*For example: Theresa takes her horse Tornado to a show jumping competition. She wins her first class handily, earning Tornado 3 points, but in the second class, Tornado spooks and runs through a couple of fences; they come in last place and earn 1 point. In the final class of the day, they do well, but come in 8th in a class of 20. This earns them an additional 2 points.*

*Tornado's points earned for the show day is 6 points.*

### **MULTI-ROUND CLASSES**

For classes that are multi-round - typically due to the sheer quantity of entries - or that require tie-breaker rounds, each round that you participate in counts as a class.

*For example: Theresa takes her horse Tornado to a show jumping competition. The class she enters has 40 competitors, where most other classes at the show only have 20. To keep the show flowing smoothly, the show secretary splits Theresa's class into two groups. The top 10 places in each group are brought together for the final placings in the late afternoon.*

*Theresa and Tornado win their group, earning 3 points; in the final placings later that day, they end up third (earning 2 points). Tornado earns a total of 5 points for the class.*

### **WHAT IF MY DISCIPLINE DOESN'T HAVE CLASSES?**

In general, if you compete in a discipline that doesn't have classes, you probably have something like a class - a test, for instance, or a race. Please refer to **AWARDS FOR SPECIFIC SHOW TYPES** (page 22) for specific disciplines and how they'll be handled, or contact the Director of Operations for clarification.

### ***Per-Show Point Awards***

Each show attended is also worth points. As with the class awards, only one point value will be assigned to each show. If you are competing at a show that has multiple divisions at different levels - such as a show that holds national and international competitions side-by-side on the same day - your show will be awarded points based on which division you entered. If multiple divisions were entered, then you will be awarded per-show points for the highest level entered.

*For example, Theresa takes her horse Tornado to a local dressage show. She enters into the local level, but when one of her two tests doesn't go as planned, she takes an option to transfer that class to a schooling class. She will be awarded 2 points for the show anyway.*

If there aren't specific rules listed for the type of show you're attending, or if the listing in **AWARDS FOR SPECIFIC SHOW**

**TYPES** (page 22) refers to the general rules, then you will earn points for the show according to the following table:

Show Type	Definition	Points Awarded
Schooling show	An informal show that often includes fun games as well as serious events or classes, generally sponsored and hosted by one barn or a small group of barns. The show name may include “Schooling Show.” You typically do not earn points in national organizations, but may earn points or count towards awards with a local organization or show series.	1 point
Local, area, district, state, zone, or regional shows	More formal than schooling shows, these shows are typically recognized by a local organization, a national one, or both.	2 points
National shows	These are the top-level shows in your country; this may include association championships or simply very prestigious shows within an association.	3 points
International shows or world championships	These are shows recognized by the Fédération Equestre Internationale (FEI). World Championships will qualify as international shows for disciplines that are not recognized by the FEI.	4 points

If your show association or country show system does not match up to one of the schemes of shows listed, contact the Director of Operations to have the information reviewed; we may need to add additional categories or clarify in **AWARDS FOR SPECIFIC SHOW TYPES** (page 22).

## SHOW-LEVEL AWARDS

Earning champion, reserve champion, or high point for your division at a show will earn you an additional 1 point (reserve champion) or 2 points (champion). Additional show-level awards may be submitted and may be awarded 1-2 points per award at the Director of Operations’ discretion.

## *Special Show Types*

### MULTI-DISCIPLINE SHOWS

If you attend a multi-discipline show and only compete in a single discipline, you will earn points as though competing in a show only of that single discipline. For example, if you go to a breed show and only do halter classes, you would earn points according to the halter and showmanship points.

If you attend a multi-discipline show and compete in multiple disciplines, please report the event with the class so we know how to award you points.

### VIDEO SHOWS

Video shows are shows held entirely online; participants take photos or video of themselves and their horses and submit them to the show’s website for judging in classes.

Video shows may be submitted as part of the Sendera Show Program. In general, video shows will follow the same rules as multi-discipline shows, but as there are not individual shows, a “show” will be the submission period for each group of classes (often a month). Additionally, classes that do not feature the horse (such as pet photo classes) will not count towards an individual horse’s showing record.

## *Completion Awards*

For disciplines based around multiple phases of competition for a single final placement - such as eventing - horses who complete all required phases will be awarded 1 point extra, in recognition of the effort required.

## *Eliminations*

We will still award points for having taken part in a class or phase of competition despite eliminations, unless the elimination was for rider/driver/handler misconduct (for instance, dangerous riding or abuse).

## SUBMITTING SHOWS TO THE SENDERA SHOW PROGRAM

All show results for the year are due by January 31 of the following year.

### ***Method 1: By Email***

Each show for each horse must be submitted to the Sendera Show Program; we suggest you do this as soon as you can so all the details are fresh. Submitted entries will be reviewed weekly. If show results are not available online, then the Director of Operations will contact the show secretary to verify the results. Once the submitted entry has been reviewed, you will receive a reply to your email. If the show and placements have been verified, this reply should just be a simple confirmation; if there were any issues, the email will review those issues with you.

Submitting a show is as simple as sending an email to the SDHR Show Program ([Awards@Senderadraft.com](mailto:Awards@Senderadraft.com)) with the following information:

1. Horse name *as recorded with the Sendera Draft Horse Registry*, along with the name the horse competed under (if different from the registered name)
2. Horse's registration number with the Sendera Draft Horse Registry
3. Owner name, along with rider, driver, or exhibitor name (if different from the owner)
4. Show name
5. Show date
6. Show discipline (dressage, reining, Pony Club certification, etc)
7. Show secretary's name and contact information (email/phone/etc), or website URL for online show results
8. Entry number (the number you pinned on your back to compete!)
9. Classes entered
10. For each class:
  - a. Name of class
  - b. Number of horses in the class, if known
  - c. Final position in class (1st, 5th, 8th, etc) if known
  - d. If the class was a championship, please note this

Please send one email per horse, per show!

### **EXAMPLES**

Theresa competes in a show over the weekend with her two horses, Tornado and Shadow. On Monday, she sits down with her results and sends in two emails:

Email 1:

*Tornado, SDHR reg F751302006, owned and ridden by Theresa Sample  
Generic Star Ranch Spring Fling, 4/15/2014  
Discipline: reining  
Show secretary: Steve King, [steve@genericstarranch.com](mailto:steve@genericstarranch.com)  
Entry 261  
Classes: Futurity, 1st of 16*

Email 2:

*Shadow competing as Shadow Stepper, SDHR reg F75302009, owned and ridden by Theresa Sample  
Generic Star Ranch Spring Fling, 4/15/2014  
Discipline: reining  
Show secretary: Steve King, [steve@genericstarranch.com](mailto:steve@genericstarranch.com)  
Entry 261  
Classes: Futurity, 9th of 16*

A few weeks later, a friend takes Tornado to a dressage show. Theresa sends the following email:

*Tornado, SDHR reg F751302006, owned by Theresa Sample and ridden by Morgan Harper  
Generic Stables Dressage Under the Stars, 4/30/2014  
Discipline: dressage  
Show secretary: Mary Contrary, 940-867-5309  
Show results available at <http://www.horseshowsonline.com>  
Entry 984  
Classes:  
    *Training level test 1, 9th of 24*  
    *Training level test 2, 3rd of 16**

## **Method 2: Alternate Logging**

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# NON-SHOW-BASED EVENTS

Non-show-based events are events that take place outside of a formal show structure, such as endurance competitions. These events do not typically have a class-based structure, may or may not have divisions, may not be held in an arena, and are often difficult or impossible for a single rider to complete on multiple horses.

Since these events do not rely on the show/class format, points are accumulated in a different way.

## APPROVED EVENTS

The following types of events have been approved for submission to the Sendera Show Program. More in-depth descriptions of each type of event and what is and is not awarded points can be found in [AWARDS FOR SPECIFIC EVENTS](#) (page 29).

- Distance riding and some types of competitive trail riding
- Organized benefit rides
- Expositions (expos) such as state fairs
- Clinics
- Recreational driving with ADS or CAA (or similar organizations)
- Polo and polocrosse
- Society for Creative Anachronism (SCA) equestrian events

## OTHER EVENTS

### *Rules for Events Not Listed*

Many other types of equestrian events exist, and we'd like to award you points for taking part in them! However, we do need to be able to verify that you *did* participate. Non-show events not explicitly listed in either the Approved Events section or in the Non-Qualifying Events section need to meet the following criteria:

- The event must have some sort of official in charge of participants, such as a show secretary, ride organizer, etc.
- That official must be able to say specifically that you and your horse were at the event on the date in question, no matter the number of attendants, with a minimal amount of description or explanation. The most common - and preferred - way to do this is via paperwork, such as registration forms or release paperwork; we need something more specific than "yeah, I know so-and-so and they were there."
- The event should be open to the public in some fashion, even if it isn't necessarily explicit. This can include:
  - General admission of the public
  - Paid admission to the public
  - Limited admission (such as to a performance or clinic)
- What this can't include is events held privately, one-on-one or in a very small group, in a closed setting where spectators are not generally encouraged - in other words, lessons and general riding.
- For competitive events, the rulebook for the event **MUST** be available online or on request to the organization so that we can review it.

Where possible, we prefer events under the banner of some organization that will act to monitor and watch over the events, especially where it comes to the health of the animals and conduct of the riders. This can be something as simple as the management at a State Fair or a barn owner and staff at a clinic, or something as large and complex as a regional, national, or international organization whose members are running the event.

### *Non-Qualifying Events*

Certain events will not be accepted as point-earning events for the Sendera Show Program. These events are ones where the logistics of the event itself makes it unlikely that the event organizers kept track of individual horse/rider combinations. That makes it almost impossible for the Director of Operations to verify whether the event was actually attended.

These events include, but are not limited to:

- Parades
- Hunts
- Non-organized trail rides, including casual rides with friends

However, we do recognize that there are exceptions to the rule, and we're happy to work with you if you have one! If you participate in an event listed here that does actually follow our general rules for events we award points to and you would like to get a point award for it, please contact the Director of Operations with information.

Other events are excluded either because they are common enough to not warrant points, or because they do not further an overall goal of showing off the abilities of the Sendera breed.

These events include, but are not limited to:

- Riding lessons
- Driving lessons
- Participation in a carriage horse industry or lesson horse program
- Birthday parties
- Summer camps

## SUBMITTING EVENTS TO THE SENDERA SHOW PROGRAM

All event reports for the year are due by January 31 of the following year.

### ***Method 1: By Email***

Each event for each horse must be submitted to the Sendera Show Program; we suggest you do this as soon as you can so all the details are fresh.

Submitted entries will be reviewed weekly. If event results are not available online or the event is not one with results to post, then the Director of Operations will contact the event organizer to verify results or attendance as appropriate to the event.

Once the submitted entry has been reviewed, you will receive a response to the email. If the event has been verified, this reply should just be a simple confirmation; if there were any issues, the email will review those issues with you.

Submitting an event is as simple as sending an email to the SDHR Show Program ([Awards@Senderadraft.com](mailto:Awards@Senderadraft.com)). The "Basic Information" section is required for all events; individual events will have additional requirements, which are listed below under the appropriate heading. Please send one email per horse, per event!

### **BASIC INFORMATION**

1. Horse name *as recorded with the Sendera Draft Horse Registry*, along with the name the horse competed under (if different from the registered name)
2. Horse's registration number with the Sendera Draft Horse Registry
3. Owner name, along with rider, driver, or exhibitor name (if different from the owner)
4. Event name and location
5. Event date(s)
6. Event type (benefit ride, endurance ride, etc)
7. Event organizer's name and contact information

## EXAMPLES

Theresa takes her horse Tornado to an endurance ride one weekend. She's never done endurance before, so she takes an introductory ride with her local endurance group; the ride ends up being 15 miles. On Monday, she sends the following email:

*Tornado, SDHR reg F751302006, owned and ridden by Theresa Sample  
Dallas Local Endurance Group intro ride, 1/15/2014  
Event: endurance ride  
Event organizer: Mark Stone, mark@stonearabians.com*

A week or so later, she takes part in the breed expo at a local stock show. Tornado is stalled at the stock show barns for three days. She sends the following email after the event:

*Tornado, SDHR reg F751302006, owned and ridden by Theresa Sample  
Local Stock Show breed expo, 1/17/2014-1/19/2014  
Event: expo  
Event organizer: Steve Smith, events@localstockshow.com  
Stall reserved by Theresa Sample*

A month or so later, she lets a friend borrow her horse to take part in a Susan G. Komen Ride for the Cure. Their team wins the top fundraising team award, thanks to some generous donations. Theresa sends the following email after the event:

*Tornado, SDHR reg F751302006, owned by Theresa Sample and ridden by Morgan Harper  
Susan G. Komen Ride for the Cure, 2/14/2014  
Event: benefit ride  
Event organizer: Maria Stark-Hill, maria@hilltopstables.com  
200 riders  
part of Team Guardian Angel  
Awards: Golden Horseshoe Award (top fund-raising team)*

She attends a three-day clinic at the end of that month with a local trainer. She sends the following email after the event:

*Tornado, SDHR reg F751302006, owned and ridden by Theresa Sample  
Merry May clinic, 2/28/2014-3/2/2014  
Event: clinic  
Event organizer: Jimmy Buchanan, clinics@merrymayfarm.com  
Clinician: Merry May  
Single session*

Near the end of the year, Theresa is feeling brave and decides to enter an LD ride run by the local AERC group. She sends the following email after the event:

*Tornado, SDHR reg F751302006, owned and ridden by Theresa Sample*

*Autumn Harvest LD, 10/15//2014*

*Event: endurance ride*

*Event organizer: Mark Stone, mark@stonearabians.com*

*Final vet check vet: Dr. Kevin Dennis, 940-867-5309*

*Distance: 30 miles*

*Entry number 16, 35 total riders*

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## ADDING A NEW EVENT/SHOW TYPE

Submission of a new type of event or a show discipline not covered in the existing rules should be handled with an email to the SDHR Show Program ([Awards@Senderadraft.com](mailto:Awards@Senderadraft.com)) *separate from the any submission of shows or events for a horse*. These should be sent, reviewed, and either approved or declined before you submit any entries for the new event or show type.

Discipline or event submissions should include the following information:

1. Category of event (show-based or not)
2. Name of event
3. Brief description of event - we just need a few sentences to explain what the event is and, if it's not clear, how horses factor into it
4. For show-based events and competition-based events (such as endurance): website for an organization or host for the event that contains a set of rules or a rulebook
5. For non-show-based events: website for the event

The website information is very important! We need something to review to see if the event is something we already have covered in the rules, if it's something we need to add specific information to the rules for, or if it's something that we don't feel should be awarded points at this time. If no website is available but printed rules are, a full copy of the printed rules may be scanned and emailed to the SDHR Show Program ([Awards@Senderadraft.com](mailto:Awards@Senderadraft.com)) or mailed to the Registry for review.

## ADDING A NEW ORGANIZATION

If your preferred event lists specific organizations and the organization you participate under is not listed, please contact the SDHR Show Program ([Awards@Senderadraft.com](mailto:Awards@Senderadraft.com)) with the following information:

1. The name of the organization
2. The type of event
3. Website for the organization

The website information is very important! We need something to review to see if the event is something we already have covered in the rules, if it's something we need to add specific information to the rules for, or if it's something that we don't feel should be awarded points at this time. If no website is available but printed rules are, a full copy of the printed rules may be scanned and emailed to the SDHR Show Program ([Awards@Senderadraft.com](mailto:Awards@Senderadraft.com)) or mailed to the Registry for review.

# AWARDS FOR SPECIFIC SHOW TYPES

## 4-H

Showing as part of the 4-H program will earn points according to the level of the show (note differences in level names from our standard chart):

Show Level	Points Awarded
Local or county	1 point
District	2 points
State	3 points
National	4 points

Points will be awarded for individual classes according to the appropriate discipline for that class.

## BARREL RACING

Points will be awarded for the level of the show (note differences in level names from our standard chart):

Show Level	Points Awarded
Local or county	1 point
State	2 points
National	3 points
World	4 points

Divisions (1D, 2D, 3D, 4D, etc) will count as classes and will have points awarded per **PER-CLASS POINT AWARDS** (page 13). If multiple races are held and scored separately for each division, or if multiple races are held and scored separately without divisions, they will be awarded points as classes instead of the division counting as a class.

## BREED SHOWS

Sendra Drafts, Sendra Sporthorses, and Approved Cross horses are of course welcome to attend any breed-specific show at which they are welcome. Since many breed shows offer a variety of disciplines, points will be awarded for the level of show per **PER-SHOW POINT AWARDS** (page 13) and per class according to **MULTI-DISCIPLINE SHOWS** (page 14) unless the show concentrates on a single discipline. For breed shows that concentrate on a single discipline, please refer to that discipline for specific notes.

## COMBINED DRIVING (CDE)

### *General Rules*

Points will be awarded for each show per **PER-SHOW POINT AWARDS** (page 13). However, because combined driving is not modeled on a class event, the additional points will be distributed differently.

### LENGTH OF EVENT

Points will be awarded according to the length of event as follows:

Length of Event	Points Awarded
One day event	1 point
Two day event	2 points

Length of Event	Points Awarded
Three day event	3 points

## COMPLETION

See **COMPLETION AWARDS** (page 14).

## PLACEMENT

Overall placement in a division is worth points per **PER-CLASS POINT AWARDS** (page 13).

### ***Special Rules For the Cones Phase***

In the following circumstances, the cones phase shall be awarded points as a multi-round class (see **MULTI-ROUND CLASSES**, page 13):

- There is a drive-off
- The cones phase is run as a two-phase competition
- The cones phase is run as a competition with a winning round

### ***Multi-Horse Teams***

See **TEAM CLASSES AND EVENTS** (page 11).

## CUTTING, TEAM PENNING AND SORTING, AND WESTERN PLEASURE

Points will be awarded for the level of the show and for individual classes per **GENERAL RULES FOR SHOW-BASED DISCIPLINES** (page 13).

### ***Team Events***

See **TEAM CLASSES AND EVENTS** (page 11).

## DRESSAGE (INCLUDING COWBOY, DRIVEN, GAITED, AND WESTERN DRESSAGE) AND REINING

Points will be awarded for the level of the show per **PER-SHOW POINT AWARDS** (page 13). Each test ridden will be awarded points as though it were a class, with points awarded per **PER-CLASS POINT AWARDS** (page 13).

### ***Suitability, In-Hand, and Partnership on the Ground Classes***

If you participate in one of these classes as well as tests or liberty classes, the classes will be awarded points per **MULTI-DISCIPLINE SHOWS** (page 14).

Participation in only suitability under saddle classes (with no other classes) will be awarded points per **GENERAL RULES FOR SHOW-BASED DISCIPLINES** (page 13).

Participation in suitability in-hand, in-hand, or partnership on the ground classes only will be awarded points per **HALTER, SHOWMANSHIP, AND INSPECTIONS** (page 25).

### ***Liberty Classes***

If you participate in one of these classes as well as tests or in-hand classes, the classes will be awarded points per **MULTI-DISCIPLINE SHOWS** (page 14).

Participation in liberty classes only will be awarded points per **LIBERTY** (page 26).

## ENGLISH PLEASURE

Per the USEF rules, English Pleasure includes English Pleasure Saddle Seat, English Pleasure Hunter Seat, English Pleasure Driving, English Pleasure Under Saddle, and English Pleasure Horsemanship. These events typically take place as part of breed shows or part of other show types and should be reported as per **MULTI-DISCIPLINE SHOWS** (page 14); in the event that you attend an English Pleasure-only show or only take part in English Pleasure classes, please refer to **GENERAL RULES FOR SHOW-BASED DISCIPLINES** (page 13).

## EQUITATION AND HORSEMANSHIP

Per the USEF rules, “equitation” covers Hunter Seat Equitation, Saddle Seat Equitation, Western Seat Equitation, Reining Seat Equitation, and Western Horsemanship. Many equitation events take place at other discipline shows - for instance, Hunter Seat Equitation appears at many Hunter shows - and should be reported as classes at those shows per **MULTI-DISCIPLINE SHOWS** (page 14). In the event that you attend an equitation-only show or participate only in equitation classes, please refer to **GENERAL RULES FOR SHOW-BASED DISCIPLINES** (page 13).

## EVENTING

### General Rules

Points will be awarded per show level per **PER-SHOW POINT AWARDS** (page 13). However, because eventing is not modeled on a class event, additional points will be distributed as follows.

### TYPE AND LENGTH OF EVENT

Points will be awarded according to the type of event as follows:

Type of Event	Description	Points Awarded
Combined Test	Competition that consists of two of the three phases of eventing, such as dressage and show jumping.	1 point
One day event	Competition that consists of all three phases of eventing, where the competitors run all three phases on the same day.	2 points
Three day event, short format	Competition that consists of all three phases of eventing, where competitors run each phase on a different day. Some shows may run over four days instead of three, but competitors only compete on three of those days.  A short format three day event is one that consists of only dressage, show jumping, and cross-country.	3 points
Three day event, long format	Competition that consists of all three phases of eventing, where competitors run each phase on a different day. Some shows may run over four days instead of three, but competitors only compete on three of those days.  A long format three day event is one that consists of dressage, show jumping, cross-country, a steeplechase, and road and track phases.	4 points

### COMPLETION

See **COMPLETION AWARDS** (page 14).

### PLACEMENT

Overall placement within divisions is worth points per **PER-CLASS POINT AWARDS** (page 13).

## ***Young Event Horse Series***

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Points will be awarded for each show as follows:

Show Level	Points Awarded
Young Event Horse Show	1 point
Young Event Horse Championship	2 points

### **COMPLETION**

See **COMPLETION AWARDS** (page 14).

### **PLACEMENT**

Overall placement is worth points per **PER-CLASS POINT AWARDS** (page 13).

## ***Future Event Horse Series***

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Horses participating in these classes will earn points per **HALTER, SHOWMANSHIP, AND INSPECTIONS** (page 25).

## ***New Event Horse Classes***

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As there is no championship for the New Event Horse series, points will be awarded as follows:

### **ENTERED IN NEW EVENT HORSE CLASS ONLY**

If the horse is entered only into the New Event Horse portion of the show, then they will earn 1 point per section completed - to a maximum of 3 - as well as points according to overall placement in the class per **PER-CLASS POINT AWARDS** (page 13).

### **HORSES ENTERED IN NEW EVENT HORSE CLASS AND ANOTHER DIVISION AT THE SAME SHOW**

These horses will be awarded points appropriate to the regular eventing rules above. They will also be awarded 1 point for participation in the New Event Horse class and additional points for placement in that class per **PER-CLASS POINT AWARDS** (page 13).

## **HALTER, SHOWMANSHIP, AND INSPECTIONS**

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Halter and showmanship will cover any class where the horse is shown in a halter or bridle, but without a rider. Inspections include a halter/showmanship phase, but may also feature a ridden phase.

Points will be awarded for the level of the show and for individual classes per the general rules. If the event does not offer placement out of the group, 1 point will be awarded for each phase (halter/showmanship and ridden) completed.

## **HUNTERS AND SHOW JUMPERS**

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This includes not only classes over fences, but also pole classes held at Hunter/Jumper shows. Points will be awarded according to the level of the show and for individual classes per **GENERAL RULES FOR SHOW-BASED DISCIPLINES** (page 13).

## **LEAD-LINE CLASSES**

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Points will be awarded according to the level of the show and for individual classes per **GENERAL RULES FOR SHOW-BASED DISCIPLINES** (page 13). For instances where riders are not placed, 1 point will be awarded for the class.

## LIBERTY

Liberty work is considered to be any class where the horse is neither haltered nor bridled, and is not otherwise performing a specific discipline while ridden. It also includes shows that adhere to the rules of one of the local, national, or international sponsoring organizations. These organizations include (but are not limited to):

- International Liberty Horse Association

Points will be awarded per **GENERAL RULES FOR SHOW-BASED DISCIPLINES** (page 13). Classes where multiple horses participate in the class will be awarded points per **TEAM CLASSES AND EVENTS** (page 11).

If you participate in one of these classes as well as other classes at a show, the liberty classes will be awarded points per **MULTI-DISCIPLINE SHOWS** (page 14).

## MOUNTED GAMES AND GYMKHANAS

Points will be awarded per **GENERAL RULES FOR SHOW-BASED DISCIPLINES** (page 13). Each game counts as a class.

## PARA-EQUESTRIAN EVENTS

Para-equestrian events will earn points according to the discipline of the events run: para-equestrian dressage will count as dressage, etc.

## PLEASURE DRIVING

Points will be awarded for the level of the show per the general rules. Points will be awarded for individual classes per **PER-CLASS POINT AWARDS** (page 13) as well, with specific exceptions called out below.

However, please note that *each Sendera Draft, Sendera Sporthorse or Approved Breeding Cross horse* in a multi-horse hitch will be eligible for their own point totals, per **TEAM CLASSES AND EVENTS** (page 11).

### ***Specific Exceptions to the General Point Awards***

#### **COMBINATION CLASSES (DRIVING)**

Since the Combination Classes are multi-phase events, points will be awarded for each class as follows:

- 1 point per phase completed (see **COMPLETION AWARDS**, page 14)
- Points for overall placement per **PER-CLASS POINT AWARDS** (page 13)

#### **CONCOURS D'ELEGANCE**

This will be treated as an ordinary class and will receive points per **PER-CLASS POINT AWARDS** (page 13).

#### **CARRIAGE DOG CLASSES**

Since the majority of the points in these classes come from the dog, not the horse, a simple 2 point award will be given to each horse participating.

#### **CONTINUOUS DRIVING**

Each competition class in a CD will be awarded points per **PER-CLASS POINT AWARDS** (page 13). An additional 1 point will be awarded for each competition class in the series completed without elimination. Overall standings in the CD once all competition classes are complete will be awarded points per **PER-CLASS POINT AWARDS** (page 13).

## pony club

### Tests

Participation in the Pony Club testing process will earn points according to the following table:

Test Level	Points Awarded
D-level	1 point
C and H-B levels	2 points
B and H/H-A levels	3 points
A levels	4 points

### Rallies

Pony Club rallies must include a horse to be eligible for the Sendera Show Program. This means that quiz rallies, “everything but the horse” rallies, and model horse rallies do not count towards year-end awards with the SDHR; modified rallies will be accepted on a case-by-case basis.

The shows will be awarded points according to the following table:

Rally Level	Points Awarded
Club rallies	1 point
Inter-club rallies	2 points
Regional rallies	3 points
World Championships and international rallies	4 points

Individual classes will be awarded points according to the type of rally; for example, an eventing rally will earn points per the eventing rules, a dressage rally according to the dressage rules, etc. Multiple Sendera Draft, Sendera Sporthorse, and Approved Cross horses participating in the same rally team will earn points per **TEAM CLASSES AND EVENTS** (page 11).

## TETRATHLON AND MODERN PENTATHLON

Points for the competition will be awarded per **PER-SHOW POINT AWARDS** (page 13). However, since the horses only participate in a single phase of the competition, they will be awarded 1 point for each rider and no points for overall placement in the competition.

## TRAIL CLASSES

Trail classes that take place in an arena as part of a show will be awarded points per **GENERAL RULES FOR SHOW-BASED DISCIPLINES** (page 13). Trail classes that take place outside of a show framework, in a field or trail, will be awarded points per **JUDGED TRAIL EVENTS** (page 32).

## VAULTING

Points will be awarded according to the level of the show, per **PER-SHOW POINT AWARDS** (page 13). Note that the horse earns the point total, not the individual vaulters.

### Tests Within the Competition

Each test completed by the horse will earn 1 point.

### Overall Placement

Overall placement for each competition is worth points per **PER-CLASS POINT AWARDS** (page 13).

## WORKING COW HORSE/REINED COW HORSE

Points will be awarded for the level of the show per **PER-SHOW POINT AWARDS** (page 13). Divisions will be treated like classes; each division is worth 2 points.

### ***Completion***

See **COMPLETION AWARDS** (page 14).

### ***Overall Placement***

Overall placement is worth points per **PER-CLASS POINT AWARDS** (page 13).

# AWARDS FOR SPECIFIC EVENTS

## ENDURANCE, CTRS, CDRS, AND RIDE AND TIES

### General Rules

Unless otherwise specifically documented, all distance riding disciplines (which include endurance, CTRs, CDRs, and ride and tie events) use the following general rules regarding point awards.

### HOW POINTS ARE AWARDED

Each horse will be awarded points according to the ride distance they are registered for with the organizer of the event, so long as they start the ride. The distance points are still awarded if the horse does not complete the ride, regardless of reason. However, they will receive 1 point for crossing the finish line, and can earn an additional 1 point for passing the final vet check.

Multi-day rides will award points according to how the ride organizers treat the event. If the rides on each day are considered separate events where horse and rider may compete in one or more days and earns separate completions for each day, then points will be awarded according to the distances covered each day. If the rides on each day are considered a single ride that horse and rider must participate in all parts of to earn a completion, then points will be awarded for a single event.

### Placement Awards

Some rides offer opportunities for horses and riders to earn specific placements within the field. This includes endurance rides where the rider chooses to register to race, CTRs and CDRs where the rider is riding for competition miles, and Ride and Ties. In these cases, additional points will be awarded according to placement:

Placement	Points Awarded
1st place	4 points
Top 25% of field	3 points
Top 50% of field	2 points
All other places	1 point

### Post-Ride Awards

For rides that offer it, earning the Best Conditioning award earns the horse 2 points.

Other ride awards may be eligible for an additional 1 point per award, at the Director of Operations's discretion. These awards must be given to the horse or horse and rider pair to be considered.

### A Note on Vet Checks

Competitors who complete three events in a row with failing scores for the final vet check or veterinary pulls will receive a warning from the Director of Operations. While the SDHR understands that sometimes you show up at an event and nothing goes right, we hope that this warning will remind riders that care of the horse comes first, and that a horse who consistently fails vet checks may not be ready for what it's being asked to do.

These warnings will be tracked by the Director of Operations; each warning will be removed from the system after 3 years. Although these warnings do not currently have escalating penalties, a consistent long-term pattern of failing vet checks may cause the Director of Operations to issue sanctions as laid out under the Special Rules > Penalties to Your Score > Cruelty and Abuse of Animals.

## Specific Rules By Event Type

### ENDURANCE

Qualifying endurance rides and races should adhere to the rules of AERC, USEF, or FEI endurance competitions. For the purposes of the Sendera program, these rides will be broken down into the following point categories:

Ride Type	Distances	Sanctioning Group(s)	Points Awarded
AERC Introductory Ride	No longer than 22.4 miles (36 km) in one day	AERC	1 point
Limited Distance (LD)	25 - 35 miles (40 - 56 km) in one day	AERC	2 points
CEI 1-star ride	50 - 74 miles (80 - 119 km) in one day	AERC*, USEF, FEI	3 points
CEI 2-star ride	One of the following options: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>74 - 86 miles (120 - 139 km) in one day</li><li>43 - 55 miles (70 - 89 km) over two days</li></ul>	AERC*, USEF, FEI	4 points
CEI 3-star ride	One of the following options: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>87 - 100 miles (140 - 160 km) in one day</li><li>55 - 62 miles (90 - 100 km) over two days</li><li>43 - 50 miles (70 - 80 km) over three or more days</li></ul>	AERC*, USEF, FEI	5 points
CEI 4-star ride	One of the following options: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Senior Championships division - a minimum of 99 miles (160 km) in one day</li><li>Young Horse Championships - a maximum distance of 80.8 miles (130 km)</li><li>Junior and Young Rider Championships - 74-80.8 miles (120-130 km) in one day.</li></ul>	FEI	6 points

\* Note that AERC does not list their rides based on the CEI scale; please refer to the distances listed to determine the appropriate level of the ride in those cases. (For instance, Tevis would be a 3-star ride and would award the horse 5 points.)

If you belong to a club that does endurance rides that is not listed, please contact the Director of Operations; we've tried to list the overarching organizations (AERC, USEF, FEI) whose rules most groups follow, but we're happy to clarify specific organizations and which rules they follow if you're not sure.

### COMPETITIVE TRAIL RIDES (CTRS) AND CONDITIONING DISTANCE RIDES (CDRs)

At this time, CTRs and CDRs do not have rules in the FEI rulebook, so these events should adhere to the rules of one of the local or national sponsoring organizations. These organizations include (but are not limited to):

- Eastern Competitive Trail Riding Association (ECTRA)
- North American Trail Ride Conference (NATRC)
- South Eastern Distance Riders Association (SEDRA)
- Upper Midwest Endurance and Competitive Rides Association (UMECRA)
- Middle of the Trail Distance Riders Association (MODTRA)
- British Columbia Competitive Trail Riding Association (BCCTRA)
- Northwest Competitive Trail Association (NWCTA)
- Ontario Competitive Trail Riding Association (OCTRA)
- Manitoba Trail Riding Club (MTRC)

- Trail Riding Alberta Conference (TRAC)
- Atlantic Canada Trail Riding Association (ACTRA)

If you compete with an organization that isn't listed and would like to see it here, please see [ADDING A NEW ORGANIZATION](#) (page 21).

For the purposes of the Sendera program, these rides will be broken down into the following point categories:

Ride Type	Points Awarded
Up to 15 mile (24 km) ride	1 point
16 - 25 mile (25 - 40 km) ride	2 points
26 - 40 mile (41 - 64 km) ride	3 points
41+ mile (65+ km) ride	4 points

Note that riders completing a ride as Distance Only will not be awarded placement points.

### **Outside Mileage and Volunteer Mileage**

Many of these organizations accept mileage from rides hosted by endurance groups or other organizations. Outside mileage reported through CTR organizations will NOT be accepted, as there is too much potential for double-reporting of events; these events should be reported under the correct event instead.

Since the points are awarded to the horse and not the rider, volunteer mileage - if awarded by the organization - is also not accepted.

### **DRIVEN CTRs AND CDRs**

For organizations that offer both riding and driving miles, the driving miles will be accepted and awarded points using the same rules for ridden miles.

### **RIDE AND TIES**

Ride and tie events should adhere to the rules of the [Ride and Tie Association](#). Other associations may be considered, particularly those following the same rule set; see [ADDING A NEW ORGANIZATION](#) (page 21).

For the purposes of the Sendera program, these rides will be broken down into the following point categories:

Ride Distance	Points Awarded
Up to 10 mile (16 km) ride	1 point
11 - 20 mile (17 - 32 km) ride	2 points
21 - 40 mile (33 - 64 km) ride	3 points
41+ mile (65+ km) ride	4 points

### **Additional Submission Requirements**

In addition to the requirements for submission listed in [SUBMITTING EVENTS TO THE SENDERA SHOW PROGRAM](#) (page 18), participating riders should submit the following:

1. Website URL for online results, if available
2. Distance of the ride
3. Entry number
4. If the ride was completed.
5. Number of riders participating at the same mileage, if known (if not available, provide the total number of riders participating, if known)
6. If ridden as a competitor, final overall placement

7. Any awards - please include the name of the award and, if the name of the award does not explain, what it was awarded for

Riders who do not complete the ride distance should provide the following additional information:

8. Reason for not completing. Please use one of the following categories:
  - a. *Veterinary Pull* is any instance where a veterinarian does not permit a horse to continue or where a medical emergency causes the horse to be removed from the competition and placed into the care of a veterinarian.
  - b. *Disqualification* is any instance where the ride organizers and staff disqualify a horse and rider for any reason other than veterinary. If disqualified, please briefly state the reason given by ride organizers for the disqualification.
  - c. *Other* can be used to indicate any other reason for failure to finish not covered above; it is not necessary to specify the exact reason. This does include choosing to withdraw from the ride voluntarily (rider option).

Riders completing a ride with a final vet check should also include:

9. Photograph or scan of the final vet check paperwork. Photographs should be at a large enough size that the text is readable, either at full size or when zoomed in; we need the name and number of the rider and horse to be clearly visible as well as the scores for the horse, but other information may be obscured at the submitter's discretion.

## JUDGED TRAIL EVENTS

Judged trail events include events such as competitive trail challenges (CTCs) and ACTHA obstacle challenges (AOCs), where the rider is judged on completing certain tasks on a trail or in a field. These rides should adhere to the rules of one of the sponsoring organizations. These organizations include (but are not limited to):

- American Competitive Trail Horse Association (ACTHA)

If you compete with an organization that isn't listed and would like to see it here, please see [ADDING A NEW ORGANIZATION](#) (page 21).

For the purposes of the Sendera program, these rides will be broken down into the following point categories:

Ride Type	Points Awarded
Arena or field challenge	1 point
Trail challenge	2 points

Overall placement is worth points per [PER-CLASS POINT AWARDS](#) (page 13) in the show rules.

## ***Additional Submission Requirements***

In addition to the requirements for submission listed in [SUBMITTING EVENTS TO THE SENDERA SHOW PROGRAM](#) (page 18), participating riders should submit the following:

1. Website URL for online results, if available
2. Type of ride (trail or arena)
3. Number of riders participating, if known
4. Final placement

## BENEFIT RIDES

If the event is a benefit ride - such as a Susan G. Komen Ride for the Cure event - then 5 points will be awarded to each horse that attends the ride.

However, please note that substantiated reports of dangerous behavior may result in a reduction of the point reward.

## ***Additional Submission Requirements***

In addition to the requirements for submission listed in **SUBMITTING EVENTS TO THE SENDERA SHOW PROGRAM** (page 18), participating riders should submit the following:

1. Number of riders participating, if known
2. If you participated as part of a fundraising team, the name of the team
3. Any awards - please include the name of the award and what it was awarded for

## **EXPOSITIONS (EXPOS)**

Expositions (expos) are a broad category that include any type of event where participants are introducing their horse to the public in the stalls and may also enter the arena to demonstrate some skill or show off the horse or breed. Examples include state fairs, BreyerFest, and Equine Affair. The key point with these expos is that the horse is not competing against others; if a horse is competing against others, this is considered a show and should be reported as such.

Horses attending expos - but not participating in any competitions during the expo - will be awarded as follows:

Length of Expo	Points Awarded
One Day	5 points
Multi-Day	3 points per day

Travel days and days stabled at the venue before and after the expo itself do not count as part of the expo. Demos, such as a parade of breeds or an exhibition of skill, do not count as competitions.

Horses attending expos and participating in competitions will be awarded points as though attending a regular show (see **GENERAL RULES FOR SHOW-BASED DISCIPLINES**, page 13).

Please note that reports of dangerous behavior may result in a reduction of the point reward.

## ***Additional Submission Requirements***

In addition to the requirements for submission listed in **SUBMITTING EVENTS TO THE SENDERA SHOW PROGRAM** (page 18), participating riders should submit the following:

1. Name under which the stall(s) were reserved

## **CLINICS**

Horses taking part in clinics will be awarded as follows:

Length of Clinic	Points Awarded
One Day	3 points
Multi-Day	2 points per day

Please note that if you are ejected from the clinic for dangerous behavior, you will not be awarded points for that event.

## ***Additional Submission Requirements***

In addition to the requirements for submission listed in **SUBMITTING EVENTS TO THE SENDERA SHOW PROGRAM** (page 18), participating riders should submit the following:

1. Name of clinician
2. If the clinic had multiple sessions, which session and time of day (for example, Group A rode in the mornings, Group B in the afternoon). If there was only one session, please note that it was a single session.

## RECREATIONAL DRIVING (ADS OR CAA)

Recreational driving events appropriate for points in the Sendera Show Program must be organized events that conform to the rules of one of the following organizations:

- The American Driving Society
- The Carriage Association of America.

If you compete with an organization that isn't listed and would like to see it here, please see [ADDING A NEW ORGANIZATION](#) (page 21).

Participants in a recreational driving event will receive 2 points for attendance and an additional 1 point for any completed phases that involve the horse, such as Drive at Will or Organized Drive. Phases that involve only the rider will not receive points.

### ***Additional Submission Requirements***

In addition to the requirements for submission listed in [SUBMITTING EVENTS TO THE SENDERA SHOW PROGRAM](#) (page 18), participating riders should submit the following:

1. Number of phases in which the horse participated

## POLO AND POLOCROSSE

Horses participating in polo and polocrosse will receive 1 point for each period played by that horse, as well as 2 points for winning the game.

### ***Additional Submission Requirements***

In addition to the requirements for submission listed in [SUBMITTING EVENTS TO THE SENDERA SHOW PROGRAM](#) (page 18), participating riders should submit the following:

For each game:

1. Number of periods played
2. If the game was won or lost

## SOCIETY FOR CREATIVE ANACHRONISM (SCA) EQUESTRIAN EVENTS

Horses taking part in SCA equestrian events will receive 1 point for each activity that involves the horse and is under the jurisdiction of the Equestrian Marshalls. These activities may include (but are not limited to):

- Mounted games and jousting
- Mounted combat
- Mounted archery
- Processionals

If a horse is used by multiple riders over the course of the event, the horse will have one point total for all activities in which it participates.

Activities that take place off of the event site and training classes about horses that do not involve them will not accumulate points for the Sendera Show Program.

Reports of poor conduct on the part of owners/riders from the Equestrian Marshall may result in a loss of points from the point total for the event.

## ***Additional Submission Requirements***

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In addition to the requirements for submission listed in **SUBMITTING EVENTS TO THE SENDERA SHOW PROGRAM** (page 18), participating riders should submit the following:

1. Name and contact information of the Equestrian Marshall in Charge. *Note: while we would prefer the legal name of the Marshall, the SCA persona name and Kingdom is acceptable as long as the Marshall is able to be contacted by that method.*
2. For each rider:
  - a. Both legal name and SCA persona name
  - b. Equestrian activities attended

