

# American Ranch Horse Association Showmanship Score Sheet

MANEUVER SCORES -1½ Extremely Poor, -1 Very Poor, -½ Poor, 0 Correct, +½ Good, +1 Very Good, +1½ Excellent

Class Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Class Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Judge: \_\_\_\_\_

**1 Point Penalties**

- A. Break of gait at a walk or jog for 1 stride.
- B. Sliding or lifting pivot foot and replacing in same place
- C. Crooked to judge depending on severity
- D. Stopping too close/far from judge
- E. Drifting
- F. Changing hands on lead except to show teeth
- G. Horse stopping crooked or drops hip when stopping
- H. Failure to perform maneuvers at designated markers but horse is on pattern
- I. Horse having to be pulled to trot or pushed to back
- J. Poorly groomed depending on severity

**3 Point Penalties**

- A. Break of gait at a walk or jog for more than 1 stride
- B. Picking up a pivot foot
- C. Horse biting at chain or exhibitor
- D. Over/under turning 1/8 to 1/4 of designated turn
- E. Starting on wrong side of horse
- F. Poor fitting halter

**5 Point Penalties**

- A. Exhibitor not in the required position during inspection
- B. Standing directly in front of the horse
- C. Exhibitor touching the horse, or kicking or pointing their feet at the horses feet during set up
- D. Loss of lead shank or holding chain or two hands on shank
- E. Causing the judge to move to avoid being bumped or stepped on.
- F. Horse in poor condition
- G. Jerking or snatching on horse
- H. Pivoting on wrong foot

**-0- Score**

- A. Loss of control of horse (Rulebook pg 54)
- B. Failure of exhibitor to wear correct number in visible manner
- C. Willful abuse
- D. Excessive schooling, training, or using artificial aids
- E. Off pattern, knocking over cones
- F. Never performing a specific gait
- G. Over turning more than 1/2 turn of designated turn
- H. Any inhumane treatment of horse
- I. Working on wrong side of cones
- J. Leading on wrong side of horse
- K. Severe disobedience (Pg 54)
- L. Any safety issue during the pattern
- M. Turning horse the wrong direction

Maneuver Description / / / / / / / / / /  
 Maneuver 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

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