

2011 YEAR END AWARDS PROGRAM GENERAL RULES

- 1) Both the owner(s) and all exhibitor(s) of an animal must be members of the Pinto Horse Association of Ohio (PtHAO) in order for points to be counted for year-end awards. This rule applies to all divisions—open, amateur, youth, pony & miniatures. Amateur and Novice exhibitors must hold a current PtHA amateur card in order to accumulate points for year-end awards. Exhibitors and owners need to be PtHA members in good standings.
- 2) An animal must be nominated and the nomination fees sent to the Point Secretary in the Ohio Year End award system. Points earned before the nomination and fees are submitted will not count toward year-end awards unless additional fees are paid.
- 3) To be eligible for year end high point awards and overall high point trophies, an animal must be show in at least 2 PtHAO qualifying shows and in division or category 2 times. The qualifying shows that have been approved for 2011 are:
A) PtHAO April 30-May 1, 2011 B) PtHAO July 23-24, 2011
C) PtHAO August 27-28, 2011 D) PtHAO September 24-25, 2011
- 4) All Youth, Open, Pony, Miniature and Amateur Division year end awards will be based on the qualifying shows listed above.

Leadline and Walk-Trot Youth need to be nominated, please check show information sheet/summary sheet for class entry fee information.

- 5) Points for year-end awards may be accumulated in five divisions. The awards in each division are explained in the specific rules for that division. These divisions are as follows:
Open Division Pony/miniature Division Amateur Division Youth Division Am Pony/Mini Division
- 6) **The fee for 2011 is \$30.00 for any or all divisions, for the first animal and \$20.00 for each additional animal with same owner. All exhibitors must be on nomination form.**
- 7) **Points are as of when form and fee is paid. New for 2011—An animal can be entered in the program at anytime during the show season and have their points count for previous shows for \$20.00 per show exhibited in. The fee must be paid for each show shown in. There will be no extra fee for shows where animal did not compete.**
- 8) Points earned in the Open, Youth, Pony/Miniature and Amateur Divisions will be awarded according to the table below. Grand and Reserve Halter points will be awarded according to PtHA National rules. Grand=4 points, Reserve = 3 points. For Grand/Reserve with 3 entries: Grand=4 points, Reserve=.5 point, 2 entries: Grand= .5 point, Reserve=.25 point. One entry Grand=.25 point

		Placing in class					
		1	2	3	4	5	6
No. in class	8	6	5	4	3	2	1
No. in class	7	5	4	3	2	1	.5
No. in class	6	4	3	2	1	.5	.25
No. in class	5	3	2	1	.5	.25	
No. in class	4	2	1	.5	.25		
No. in class	3	1	.5	.25			
No. in class	2	.5	.25				
No. in class	1	.25					

- 9) Point standings will be made available for viewing at the PtHAO shows and online by the exhibitor, it is up to the exhibitor to notify the Point Secretary in writing within 30 days after the last qualifying show of any discrepancy.
- 10) Year End Awards to six places, including Grand and Res. Champion will be presented at the annual Pinto Horse Association of Ohio Awards Banquet. Ties in any division will result in both horse/exhibitors receiving an award for the tied placing. Each category will have no more than six horses/exhibitors receiving an award with the exception of a tie for 6th place. (Example: if there is a tie for 3rd place both horses/exhibitors will receive an award for their placing and the next horse will receive 5th place award. As follows: Grand Champion, Reserve Champion, 3rd, 3rd, 5th, 6th).
- 11) Overall High Point Trophies: Horseshoe Acres, Ferrell, Carl Caldwell Memorial, Open Performance Trophy, Pony, Go For Gold Amateur, KC's Training Center Amateur Performance Trophy, High Point Novice Amateur, High Point Miniature Horse, Youth Showmanship Trophies (peewee, 13 & under, 14-18), Youth Equitation/Horsemanship trophies (13 & under, 14-18), Youth Pleasure Trophies (13 & under, 14-18) Crabtree Trophies (13 & under, 14-18), Wittensoldner Trophy & Walk-Trot Trophy, and Color Trophy
- 12) Recipients of each of the trophies listed above are responsible for their care for the period of time that the trophy is in their possession. These trophies cannot be retired (unless otherwise noted) and must be returned to Pete Thornton or a current director on or before the Annual Awards Banquet. **An amount up to \$5.00 per trophy will be reimbursed by PtHAO to defray the cost of engraving.** Receipts should be presented to the Treasurer for reimbursement.

DEFINITION OF DIVISIONS

REG. PINTO OPEN DIVISION RULES

This division is designated to recognize accomplishments in open Pinto classes at qualifying shows. Open Pinto Division classes are defined as those classes in which there are no restrictions regarding age or status of the rider. Amateur and Youth classes are not considered to be Open Pinto Division classes.

Awards will be made to the owner of the animal. The owner(s) and all exhibitor(s) must be members of the Pinto Horse Association of Ohio. More than one individual may exhibit the horse. To qualify for an Award, an animal must be exhibited in division at 2 shows. Awards will be presented in each of the following:

Reg. Pinto Halter – Stock (divided by Mares and Stallions/Geldings)
Reg. Pinto Halter – Hunter (all sexes)
Reg. Pinto Pleasure/Saddle Overall
Reg. Pinto English Pleasure – Stock/Hunter
Reg. Pinto Western Pleasure – Stock/Hunter
Reg. Pinto Open Horse – Stock/Hunter
Reg. Pinto Overo Color Horse
Reg. Pinto Tobiano Color Horse
Reg. Pinto Pony/Miniature Overall
Reg. Pinto Breeding Stock Overall

- 1) **Reg. Pinto Halter Stock, Hunter** Points earned in Reg. Pinto Halter classes not restricted by age or status of the exhibitor are to be counted. Grand, Reserve points are to be counted towards this award. Animal must be exhibited in Halter class at 2 shows to qualify for award.

- 2) **Reg. Pinto English Pleasure Stock/Hunter** Points from any Open Reg. Pinto English Pleasure class are to be counted. Points from Pinto English pleasure classes designated by age, type, or sex of the horse are to be included. Animal must be exhibited in an English Pleasure class at 2 shows to qualify for award.

Example classes included:

English Pleasure Jr Horse
English Pleasure Sr Horse
English Pleasure Stallions/Geldings
English Pleasure Mares
English Pleasure S/H

Example classes NOT included:

Hunter Under Saddle
3 Gaited and Park Horse
Ideal Pinto
Youth or Amateur English Pleasure
Disciplined Rail English

- 3) **Reg Pinto Western Pleasure Stock/Hunter.** Points from any Open Reg. Pinto Western Pleasure class are to be counted. Points from Pinto Western pleasure classes designated by age, type, or sex of the horse are to be included. Animal must be exhibited in an English Pleasure class at 2 shows to qualify for award.

Example classes included:

Western Pleasure Jr Horse
Western Pleasure Sr Horse
Western Pleasure Stallions/Geldings
Western Pleasure Mares
Western Pleasure S/H

Example classes NOT included:

Reining
Trail
Ideal Stock Seat
Youth or Amateur Western Pleasure
Disciplined Rail Western

- 4) **Reg. Pinto Open Horse, Stock/Hunter.** All Points earned in Reg. Pinto classes with the exception of Halter, Color, English Pleasure, and Western Pleasure are to be counted. Classes in which there are restrictions regarding the age or status of the rider will not apply. Animal must be exhibited in an Open class at 2 shows to qualify for award. Examples of classes which will apply include:

Longe Line	Pleasure Driving	Dressage	Trail Horse	Ideal Pinto	Trail Horse
Disciplined Rail	Hunter Under Saddle		Reining		

- 5) **Reg. Pinto Overo Horse and Reg. Pinto Tobiano Horse.** All Points earned in Reg. Pinto Color classes are to be counted. Animal must be exhibited in the Color class at 2 shows to qualify for award. These are two separate divisions with awards to 6th place in each.

- 6) **Reg. Pinto Pleasure/Saddle Type.** All Points earned in Pleasure/Saddle Type classes. This includes: Halter, Park Horse, English Pleasure Pleasure/Saddle Type, Western Pleasure Pleasure/Saddle Type, Ideal English and Western Ideal Pinto. Animal must be exhibited in Pleasure/Saddle class at 2 shows to qualify for award.

7) **Reg. Pinto Breeding Stock.** All points earned in Breeding stock classes. This includes: Halter, English Pleasure and Western Pleasure. Animal must be exhibited in a Breeding stock class at 2 shows to qualify for award.

REG. PINTO AMATEUR DIVISION RULES

This Division is designed to recognize the accomplishments of individuals who show in Reg. Pinto Amateur Classes at qualifying shows. The Amateur must be a member of the Pinto Horse Association of Ohio and hold an Amateur card(or Novice Amateur card) from the National Pinto Horse Association. **Only animals owned or officially leased by the amateur exhibitor are eligible to be shown in this division.** Awards will be given to the animal/rider combination. If classes are split according to type, then points revert to the combined class. Junior amateurs are 19-39 years of age and senior amateurs are 40-54 years of age and Elite 55 and older. Awards will be presented in each of the following categories:

Reg. Pinto Jr. Amateur Open	Reg. Pinto Novice Amateur Open
Reg Pinto Amateur Pony/Miniature Overall	Reg. Pinto Sr. Amateur Open
Reg. Pinto Amateur Halter, Mares	Reg. Pinto Amateur Halter, Stallions/Geldings
Reg. Pinto Jr. Amateur English Performance	Reg. Pinto Sr. Amateur English Performance
Reg. Pinto Jr. Amateur Western Performance	Reg. Pinto Jr. Amateur Western Performance

- 1) **Reg. Pinto Amateur Halter.** Points earned by the horse/exhibitor combination in Reg. Pinto Amateur Halter classes will be counted. Animal must be exhibited in Halter class at 2 shows to qualify for award.
- 2) **Reg. Pinto Amateur English Performance.** Points earned by the horse/exhibitor combination in Reg. Pinto AM English Showmanship, AM English Pleasure, and AM English Equitation are to be counted. Animal and exhibitor must be exhibited in this division at 2 shows to qualify for award.
- 3) **Reg. Pinto Amateur Western Performance.** Points earned by the horse/exhibitor combination in Reg. Pinto AM Western Showmanship, AM Western Pleasure, and AM Western Equitation are to be counted. Animal and exhibitor must be exhibited in this division at 2 shows to qualify for award.
- 4) **Reg. Pinto Amateur Open.** Points earned by the horse/exhibitor combination in all other Reg. Pinto Amateur classes are to count. These include Disciplined Rail, Park, Pleasure Driving, Ideal Pinto, Hunter Under Saddle, Trail, Dressage, Western Riding, etc. Animal/exhibitor combination must be shown in this division at 2 shows to qualify for award.
- 5) **Reg. Pinto Novice Amateur Open.** Points earned by the horse/exhibitor combination in all Novice AM classes are to be counted. Examples of the classes that may apply include: AM Novice Showmanship, AM Novice English Pleasure, AM Novice Western, Pleasure, and AM Novice Walk-Trot. Animal /exhibitor combination must be shown in this division at 2 shows to qualify for award.
- 6) **Reg. Pinto Amateur Pony/Miniature Overall.** Points earned by the pony or miniature/exhibitor combination in AM Pony/Miniature performance and Halter classes are to be counted. Examples of the classes that may apply are: AM Pony/Miniature Halter, AM Pony/Miniature Western Showmanship, AM Pony/Miniature English Showmanship, AM Pony/Miniature Horse Pleasure Driving, AM Pony Miniature Trail In Hand, AM Pony/Miniature Jumping In Hand. Animal/exhibitor combination must be shown in this division at 2 shows to qualify for award

REG. PINTO PONY DIVISION RULES

This division is designated to recognize the accomplishments of individuals who exhibit registered Pinto ponies at qualifying shows. Awards will be made to the owner of the animal. The owner and exhibitor(s) must be a member of the Pinto Horse Association of Ohio. More than one individual may exhibit the pony, but all must be members of the Pinto Horse Association of Ohio in order for points to count. Awards will be presented in the following categories:

Reg. Pinto Pony Halter & Open Performance

- 1) **Reg Pinto Pony Halter & Open Performance.** All points in Reg. Pinto Pony classes including Halter are to be counted. Examples of classes which will apply include Halter, Trail In Hand, Jumping In Hand, Driving, Pony Pleasure, Ideal Pinto, Barrels, and any other pony class. Grand & Reserve points are to be counted towards this award. Classes in which the rider rather than the pony is judged are not to count. Animal must be shown in this division at 2 shows to qualify for award.

REG. PINTO YOUTH DIVISION RULES

This division recognizes accomplishments in classes specifically designated for riders 18 years of age and younger in Reg. Pinto Youth Activity classes at qualifying shows. Each youth must be a member of the Pinto Horse Association of Ohio. For purposes of awards, three age groups will be recognized-Peewee Rider (8 & under), 13 years and under, and 14-18 years. Awards will be given to the horse/pony and rider combinations as follows:

Reg. Pinto YA Halter, Mares 18 & under	Reg. Pinto YA Halter, Geldings 18 & under	Reg. Pinto YA English 14-18
Reg. Pinto YA English 13 & Under	Reg. Pinto YA Western 14-18	Reg. Pinto YA Western 13 & under
Reg. Pinto YA Open 14-18		Reg. Pinto YA Open 13 & Under
Reg. Pinto Peewee Rider Leadline, 8 and under		Reg. Pinto YA Walk-Trot, 18 and under

- 1) **Reg. Pinto YA Halter.** Points earned by the horse/pony and exhibitor combination in Reg. Pinto YA Halter classes are to be counted. Animal /exhibitor combination must be shown in Halter class at 2 shows to qualify for award
- 2) **Reg. Pinto YA English.** Points earned by the horse/pony and youth exhibitor combination in Reg. Pinto YA English Showmanship, YA English Pleasure, and YA English Equitation are to be counted. Animal/exhibitor combination must be shown in this division at 2 shows to qualify for award
- 3) **Reg. Pinto YA Western.** Points earned by the horse/pony and youth exhibitor combination in Reg. Pinto YA Western Showmanship, YA Western Pleasure, and YA Stock Seat Equitation are to count. Animal/exhibitor combination must be shown in this division at 2 shows to qualify for award
- 4) **Reg. Pinto YA Open.** Points earned by the horse/pony and exhibitor combination in all other Reg. Pinto YA classes are to count. These include YA Disciplined Rail, Pleasure Driving, Ideal Pinto, Hunter Under Saddle, Trail, and Reining. Animal /exhibitor combination must be shown in this division at 2 shows to qualify for award
- 5) **Reg. Pinto Walk-Trot Rider.** Points earned by the horse/pony and exhibitor combination 18 & under in Reg. Pinto Walk-Trot Showmanship, Walk-Trot Pleasure, Walk-Trot Equitation and Walk-Trot Trail are to be counted. Exhibitors may NOT cross enter Leadline or Canter classes. Exhibitors also may not show Leadline once they have entered a Walk-Trot class. Walk-Trotter must be shown in this division at 2 shows to qualify for award
- 6) **Reg. Pinto Peewee Rider 8 & Under.** Points earned by the exhibitor in Reg. Pinto Leadline Class (8 & under) is to be counted. Exhibitor must show a nominated animal in the Year End Awards program for points to count. Exhibitors may NOT cross enter Walk-Trot or Canter classes. Exhibitor must be shown in this class at 2 shows to qualify for award

REG. PINTO MINIATURE HORSE DIVISION RULES

This division is designed to recognize the accomplishments of individuals who exhibit Reg. Pinto Miniature Horses at qualifying shows. Awards will be made to the owner of the animal. The owner and exhibitor(s) must be a member of the Pinto Horse Association of Ohio in order for points to be counted. Awards will be given in the following category:

Reg. Pinto Miniature Horse

- 1) **Reg. Pinto Miniature Horse.** Reg. Pinto Miniature Horse Halter and/or performance classes not restricted by age or status of the exhibitor are to be counted. Grand & Reserve Championships at Halter points are to be counted towards this award. Examples of classes which will apply include Trail In Hand, Driving, Halter, and Jumping In Hand. Classes in which the exhibitor rather than the horse is judged are not to be counted. Animal must be shown in this division at 2 shows to qualify for award

OVERALL HIGH POINT TROPHIES

Crabtree Trophies 13 & Under and 14-18(Youth Division) These high point trophies will be awarded to the horse/pony and rider combination earning the highest number of points in Reg. Pinto YA classes for youth 13 and under and 14-18 at qualifying shows. For purpose of this trophy, Walk-Trot and Leadline(Peewee Division) are considered to be 13 and under classes. The animal/rider combination must be entered in the Youth Division. These Trophies were made available through the generosity of Karen Crabtree and Jim Coughlin.

The Wittensoldner Trophy – (Youth Division) This high point trophy will be awarded to the horse/pony and rider(8 years and under) combination earning the greatest number of points in Reg. Pinto YA Leadline classes at qualifying shows. Once the exhibitor enters a walk-trot class or a canter class, points may no longer be counted for Leadline classes. The horse/pony and rider combination must be entered in the Youth Division in order to be eligible for this trophy. This trophy was donated by Joe and Patti Wittensoldner.

Walk-Trot Trophy-(Youth Division) This high point trophy will be awarded to the horse/pony and rider combination(11 years and under) earning the greatest number of points in Reg. Pinto YA Walk-Trot classes at qualifying shows. Once the exhibitor enters a canter class, points may no longer be counted for Walk-Trot classes. The horse/pony and rider combination must be entered in the Youth Division in order to be eligible for this trophy. This trophy was donated by J & K Paint Shop.

Youth Showmanship Trophies(Youth Division, Peewee rider, 12 & under, 14-18) These trophies will be awarded to the horse/pony and exhibitor combinations earning the greatest number of points in Registered Pinto Youth Activity Showmanship (English and Western) classes at qualifying shows. The trophies will be awarded to the following age divisions: 14-18 years, 13 & under, and 11 & under—not to canter. For the purpose of the 11 & under not to canter division, once the exhibitor enters a canter class, points may no longer be counted in this division. These trophies were donated by the Ohio Pinto Youth Group.

Youth Equitation/Horsemanship Trophies (Youth Division, 13 and under, 14-18) These high point trophies will be awarded to the horse/pony and rider combinations earning the greatest number of points in Registered Pinto Youth Activity Equitation/Horsemanship (English & Western) classes at qualifying shows. The trophies will be awarded to both age groups: 13 & under and 14-18. The horse/pony and rider combination must be entered in the Youth Division in order to be eligible for these trophies. These trophies were donated by the Ohio Pinto Youth Club and Bonnie Minor.

Youth Pleasure Trophies (Youth Division, 13 & under, 14-18) These high point trophies will be awarded to the horse/pony and rider combinations earning the greatest number of points in Registered Pinto Youth Activity Pleasure (English & Western) classes at qualifying shows. The trophies will be awarded to both age groups: 13 & under and 14-18. The horse/pony and rider combination must be entered in the Youth Division in order to be eligible for these trophies. These trophies were donated by the Ohio Pinto Youth Club and Nancy Bredemeier.

Ferrell Trophy – (Open & Pony Divisions – Stock/Hunter Horse or Pony) This high point trophy will be awarded to the Stock/Hunter type horse or pony earning the greatest number of points at qualifying shows in Reg. Pinto classes not restricted by age or status of the rider. The animal must be entered in the Pony or Open divisions in order to qualify for this award.

The Carl Caldwell Memorial Trophy-(Open Division, Pleasure/Saddle Horse) This high point trophy will be awarded to the Pleasure/Saddle type horse earning the greatest number of points in Reg. Pinto classes not restricted by age or status of the rider at qualifying shows. The animal must be entered in the Open Division in order to qualify. This trophy was donated by Jim Coughlin and Jan Perram in memory of Carl Caldwell.

Horseshoe Acres Trophy – (Open Division and Pony Division) This high point trophy will be awarded to the horse or pony earning the greatest number of points at qualifying shows in Reg. Pinto classes not restricted by age or status of the rider. The animal must be entered in the Pony or Open Division in order to qualify for this trophy. This trophy was donated by Sue Loshark and Family.

Open Performance High Point Trophy – (Open Division) This high point trophy will be awarded to the horse (S/H and P/S) earning the greatest number of points at qualifying shows in Reg. Pinto classes not restricted by age or status of the rider. Classes which are to count toward this trophy are any open class with the exception of –halter, color, hunter under saddle, 3 gaited and park horse, English pleasure, Western pleasure classes. In order to qualify for this trophy, the animal must be entered in the Open Division. This trophy may be permanently retired if won by the same horse for three consecutive years. If retired, the trophy will be given to the owner of record. This trophy was donated by Leonard Truck and Trailer who will provide a replacement for any retired trophies.

High Point Pony Trophy-(Pony Division) This high point trophy will be awarded to the pony earning the greatest number of points in Reg. Pinto Pony classes at qualifying shows. The pony must be entered in the Pony Division in order to be eligible for this trophy. This trophy was donated by Leonard Truck and Trailer.

The Go For Gold Pinto Amateur High Point Trophy – (Amateur Division) This high point trophy will be awarded to the horse/pony and rider combination earning the highest number of points in Reg. Pinto Amateur classes at qualifying shows. The exhibitor must hold a current amateur card from PtHA and must be entered in the Ohio Pinto Amateur Division. This trophy was donated by Dick and Nancy Bredemeier.

The KC's Training Center Amateur Performance Trophy – (Amateur Division) This high point trophy will be awarded to the amateur rider and horse or pony combination earning the greatest number of points a qualifying shows in Reg. Pinto amateur classes. All amateur classes are to count towards this trophy with the exception of—halter, hunter under saddle, western pleasure, English pleasure, and 3 gaited & park horse. In order to qualify for this trophy, the animal/rider combination must be entered in the Amateur Division. This trophy may be permanently retired if won by the same exhibitor for three consecutive years. The exhibitor need not show the same horse/pony in each of the three years. This trophy was donated by KC's Training Center which will provide a replacement for any retired trophies.

High Point Novice Amateur Trophy (Amateur Division) This high point trophy will be awarded to the horse and rider combination earning the greatest number of points at PtHAO qualifying shows in Reg. Pinto Novice Amateur classes. All Novice Amateur classes are to count toward this trophy. The horse/rider combination must be entered in the Amateur Division of the Year End Awards to be eligible for this trophy. All exhibitors must hold a current PtHA novice amateur card. This trophy was donated by Celeste and Joe Ziarko in memory of Mitch England.

High Point Miniature Horse Trophy – (Miniature Division) This high point trophy will be awarded to the miniature horse earning the greatest number of points at PtHAO qualifying shows in Reg. Pinto Miniature Horse classes and Reg. Pinto Amateur Miniature classes. The horse must be entered in the Miniature Division of the Year End Awards to be eligible for this trophy. All exhibitors showing in Amateur classes must hold a current PtHA Amateur or Novice Amateur card, however the animal need not be nominated in the Amateur Division of the Year End Awards Program. This trophy was donated by Lynn Taylor.

The Color Trophy –(Open Division) This high point trophy will be awarded to the horse or pony/mini earning the greatest number of points at qualifying shows in Reg. Pinto Color classes not restricted by age or status of the rider. The animal must be entered in the Pony/Mini or Open Division in order to qualify for this trophy. This trophy was donated by Dan & Julie Bowers.

Yearend Award items are to be picked up at the annual banquet. It is the recipient's responsibility to let the awards committee chair know if they are unable to attend. The recipient needs to ask someone to pick up awards for them in their absence. The committee chair nor the PtHAO is responsible for items picked up by someone else.