

AQHA

PATTERN 3

VRH & RHC RANCH RIDING

Date:	1/16/2026
Show:	2026 FWSSR AQHA, NRCHA & NRHA
Class:	#4800 - AQHA 480000 - VRH Youth Ranch Riding
Judge:	Jeff Allen

1 point

- too slow (per gait)
- over-bridled (per maneuver)
- out of frame (per maneuver)
- break of gait at walk or trot for 2 strides or less
- wrong lead or out of lead for 2 strides or less

3 points

- break of gait at walk or trot for more than 2 strides
- break of gait at lope, except when correcting an incorrect lead
- wrong lead or out of lead for more than 2 strides
- draped reins (per maneuver)
- out of lead or cross-cantering more than 2 strides when changing leads
- trotting more than 3 strides when making a simple lead change
- trotting more than 3 strides in lope departures or when exiting a rollback
- severe disturbance of any obstacle

5 points

- blatant disobedience (kick, bite, buck, rear, etc.) for each refusal

Off Pattern (OP) - to be placed below horses performing all maneuvers

- eliminates or adds maneuver
- incomplete maneuver
- repeated blatant disobedience
- use of two hands (except junior and L1 horses shown in a snaffle bit/hackamore), more than one finger between split reins or any fingers between romal reins (except in the two rein)

Disqualified - 0 Score

- illegal equipment including hoof black, braided or banded manes, or tail extensions
- lameness
- disrespect or misconduct
- willful abuse
- leaving working area before pattern is complete
- improper western attire
- fall of horse/rider

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WO Entry #		MANEUVER SCORES										Natural Ranch Horse Appearance	Penalty Total	Score	Off Pattern	
		Walk	Trot	Ex T	Lope	Ex L	S & R	Trot	Lope	Walk	S & B					
1	647	0	-1/2	+1/2	+1/2	0	0	+1/2	0	0	0		1/2		71 1/2	
2	646	+1	0	+1/2	+1/2	+1/2	0	+1/2	+1	-1/2	0	1	1/2	1	73	
3	217	+1/2	0	-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	0	-1/2	-1/2	0		0		67 1/2	
4	311	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	+1/2	0		0		70 1/2	

Judge's Signature: Jeff Allen