

# **OPEN/YOUTH HORSE SHOW SPEED DIVISION**

**ENTRY DEADLINE** – February 15, 2023

**LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED THE DAY OF THE SHOW WITH A \$50 LATE FEE  
ADDED TO THE ENTRY FEE**

**ENTRY FEE** - \$10 per class entered

**STALL FEE** - \$25 per day

**RV HOOK UP** - \$25 per day

**SPEED EVENTS CHECK-IN** – 9:30 to 10:30 a.m., Saturday, March 4

**EXHIBITION** – 10 a.m. to 12 noon

**EVENT START TIME** – Promptly at 12:15 p.m.

## **DIVISION RULES**

1. Stallions are allowed at the Rio Grande Valley Livestock Show ridden by an adult rider (18+ only). NOTE: Unruly behavior is not permitted under any circumstance and is subject to ejection by Committee Chair
2. Entry fees are non-refundable
3. Class changes/deletions will be accepted at least two classes prior to the class you wish to add/delete. No refunds will be given for deleted classes. If a horse becomes unexpectedly ill or dies, with approval by the Show committee, a new horse may be substituted. All paperwork for the new horse must be completed prior to the start of the first class.
4. AQHA rules will apply where applicable. No tie downs, martingales, roping reins or mechanical hackamores will be allowed except in speed classes. Ranch Horse Classes will follow a combination of AQHA and SHOT rules. Working Cow Horse will follow SHOT rules (if cattle are available)
5. Any protests must be accompanied by \$250, to be refunded if protest is validated by show committee
6. The two minute gate rule will be strictly adhered to, except for tack changes, which MUST be approved prior to the start of the Show. The participant is responsible for being at the gate ready one class prior. Rider will be lined up ready to ride during their drag. After 3<sup>rd</sup> call, rider will be scratched. Unruly behavior will not be tolerated by horse or humans
7. Points will be tabulated at the end of the show after careful analysis and confirmation. You must be present to get your awards.

8. An original negative Coggins is required for entry to the show grounds and must be shown at time of registration.

General Rules, Regulations and Procedures on page 42 also apply.

**SCHEDULE OF CLASSES**

- Class 01 – Poles (0-8)
- Class 02 – Poles (9-12)
- Class 03 – Poles (13-18)
- Class 04 – Poles (19-34)
- Class 05 – Poles (35+)
- Class 06 – Barrels (0-8)
- Class 07 – Barrels (9-12)
- Class 08 – Barrels (13-18)
- Class 09 – Barrels (19-34)
- Class 10 – Barrels (35+)

**HIGH POINT AWARDS**

**SAME HORSE/SAME RIDER RULE APPLIES**

You need not designate your high point horse. Points will be calculated for the horse/rider combo on all classes with the exception of non-high point classes.

Horses need not be owned by participant. Borrowed or leased horses are allowed.

**POINT SYSTEM**

In Class	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>	6 <sup>th</sup>
6	6	5	4	3	2	1
5	5	4	3	2	1	
4	4	3	2	1		
3	3	2	1			
2	2	1				
1	1					

Participants need to keep track of their own points. The Show Committee will post points at the end of the horse show.