



CPHA Junior/Amateur Medal Finals (2019)

The CPHA will host a Junior and Amateur Finals. There will be a two round competition for all competitors with a third round of the top ten finalists in each section. The first round will be held over an equitation type course, using primarily hunter type fences. The second round will be over a more challenging equitation course implementing more jumper and hunter type fences. The third round will be a more advanced equitation course, with all types of jumps, each round will progress with increased difficulty. Juniors and Amateurs WILL NOT necessarily jump the same course in each round.

A warm-up class will be held (non-judged) after which the rider will draw for the first round order of go. The 2nd order of go will be a jumper rotation. Three judges, who at no time will sit together, will score the finals. The announcer will announce the score that is the total of the three judge's scores at the completion of the rider's Round One and Round Two. The announcement of the carry-over scores during the second and third round will be announced after the completion of the competitor's ride.

The third round will consist of the top ten total scores after the first two qualifying rounds. Those scores, with lowest going first, will determine the order of go. Only during the Third Round will individual judge's scores be announced. In the event of a tie going into Round 3 the rider with the highest score in Round 2 will be placed higher. If the tie is for tenth place both riders will come back for Round 3. (total of 11)

In the event that any rider is within three points of the top score, those riders along with the top score rider will be considered tied equally, **Juniors** and **Amateurs** will then be required to complete a work off decided by the judges using tests 1-18. The rider with the highest score in this work-off round will be determined the winner. Ties in round 1 and 2 will be broken by the call judge who will be determined prior to the start of the class. In the event of a tie in the final round the rider with the highest score in the 3rd round will receive the higher placing. At no time will judges sit together to confer during the respective rounds. They will also be asked not to discuss their scores with anyone until after the event. Judge's scores will be posted one hour after each round. Judges will not be on the same communication channel. Ribbons will be awarded in all rounds to tenth place. Awards will be presented to the top ten finalists and their trainers.

The top rider 36 and over will be recognized by receiving a special award.

Schooling Rules:

- Follow USEF Jumper schooling rules EXCEPT: Swedish Oxers (max 12" difference), tarps, coolers, and liverpools are acceptable.

- Riders will school in the designated schooling area one hour prior to the beginning of the class. The jumps will be flagged to show the direction of the jumps: red on right, white on left. These flags may be changed.
- In the non-judged warm up class only, a qualified rider for the finals may ride one or two horses.

Verticals can be made into oxers; oxers can be made into verticals. The jumps may be raised or lowered, widened or narrowed.

Substitutions. Due to illness or injury of the horse a rider may petition to ride a substitute horse. This substitution must be approved by the Appeals Committee consisting of the Show Manager, the Chief Steward and the Official Veterinarian, who has in fact examined the horse and determined it's unsuitability to continue.

Cross Entry Restriction: The same horse must be ridden through all phases of the competition and may not be used in both age groups.

There is to be no contact between exhibitor or trainer to either judges or course designer prior to or at the conclusion of any round without the specified technical delegate or show steward present. The judges must arrive at least 1 1/2 hours prior to the class to walk the course before the exhibitors.

Far West sponsors the Perpetual Trophy to the Junior Champion
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