

Pony Of the Americas Club - Trail and In-Hand Trail

REQUIRED FOR USE AT ALL POAC APPROVED EVENTS

Obstacle scores		Penalties:		Disqualifications:	
Rating	Point Value	Error	Penalty		
Excellent	+ 1 1/2	Each tick	1/2	Work obstacle wrong	
Very Good	+ 1	Hit or step on	1	Missing or not attempting an obstacle	
Good	+ 1/2	Incorrect or break of gait at walk or jog two strides or less	1	Failure to complete obstacle	
Average	0	Both feet in space	1	Failure to be in prescribed gait or on correct lead	
Poor	- 1/2	Skip Space	1	Not doing the obstacles in the prescribed order	
Very Poor	- 1	Split pole	1	Illegal equipment	
Ext. Poor	- 1 1/2	Failure to meet correct strides	1	Wilful abuse	
		Incorrect or break of gait at walk or jog over two strides	3	More than one finger between reins, except when changing hands to work an obstacle	
		Out of lead or break at lope	3		
		Knockdown	3	Obviously cueing the pony on the neck to lower the head	
		Step out or jump off with one foot	3	Major disobedience such as rearing, schooling, etc. or as described in Handbook	
		Step out or jump off with two or more feet	5		
		Drop object	5	In-hand: Horse gets loose or leading on wrong side	
		First refusal or evade	5		
		Loss of control at gate	5		
		Blatant disobedience	5		
		Second refusal or evade	5		
		Instill fear or praise	5		



Entry Number	Maneuver Description													Total
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