

EVENT	NRCHA May #1	GO-ROUND	DATE	JUDGE
CLASS	13 Youth Bridle		5/22/10	Trevor Walton

NATIONAL REINED COW HORSE ASSOCIATION



COW WORK JUDGES CARD

GUIDE FOR "NEW COW" (At judges' discretion, rider will receive new cow(s) as necessary to show horse)

- A. Cow that won't run.
- B. Cow that doesn't respect the horse.
- C. When cow leaves arena.

CREDITS:

- A. Maintaining control of the cow at all times
- B. Exhibiting superior cow sense and natural ability without excessive reining or spurring
- C. Degree of difficulty
- D. Eye appeal

1 POINT PENALTIES

- A. Loss of working advantage
- C. Using corner or the end of the arena to turn cow
- E. Changing sides of arena to turn cow
- W. Excessive whipping, spurring, or holering
- L. For each length horse runs past cow
- S. Slipping rein
- T. Turning cow before passing middle marker on first turn

2 POINT PENALTIES

- A. Going around corner of arena before turning cow
- B. In an open field turn animal gets within 3 feet of the end fence before being turned

3 POINT PENALTIES

- H. Hanging up on fence (refusing to turn)
- K. Knocking down cow without having working advantage
- E. Exhausting or overworking before circling cow

5 POINT PENALTIES

- A. Not getting a turn each way (5 points each way)
- C. Blatant disobedience including kicking, biting, bucking, rearing, and striking or obviously insubordinate
- B. Spurring or hitting in front of cinch at anytime

-0 SCORE

- A. Turn tail
- C. Fingers between the reins in a bridle class, except the two-rein class
- D. Balking
- H. Leaving working area before pattern is complete
- J. Schooling between rein work and cow work
- L. If a rider hits or kicks the animal being worked, with the reins or reins, in an abusive manner.
- M. Failure to quit working a cow after a new cow has been awarded.
- B. Using 2 hands on the reins in a bridle or two-rein class
- E. Out of control
- F. Bloody mouth (inside)
- G. Illegal equipment
- I. Fall of horse or rider
- K. Schooling horse between cows, if new cow is awarded.

NOTE: Judge may blow the whistle at anytime to terminate the work. A score of zero will be given if the work is not complete at that time.

COW WORK SCORING GUIDELINES

- 75 & higher** - Total control. Excellent form & position on animal, high degree of difficulty, excellent eye appeal.
- 73 - 74** - Good form & position on animal, good control of animal, high degree of difficulty with good eye appeal.
- 71 - 72** - A credit earning run with correct form and position, better than average control of animal with some degree of difficulty and eye appeal.
- 70** - Control. Correct form, average degree of difficulty.
- 68 - 69** - Slight loss of form or position on animal. Average degree of difficulty and eye appeal. Good work with a major penalty (3 or 5) or average work with 1 point penalties.
- 66 - 67** - Trouble controlling animal and/or rider/horse is out of position. Loss of eye appeal.
- 65 & below** - Incurs major penalties, loss of control and position. Total lack of credit.
- NE** - Failure of an exhibitor to attempt to complete the work.
- NO SCORE** - A. Abuse B. Lameness

#	HORSE	PENALTIES				RUN CONTENT (-below Ave., √Ave., +above Ave.)							SCORE
		1 point	2 point	3 point	5 point	boxing	rating	Form & quality of turns	Position & Control	degree of diff.	eye appeal	circling	
72	Leavin With Me		B			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	66½
93	Bad Boy Boon					✓	-	✓	✓	+	✓	✓	68
200	Haidas May Magic					✓	-	✓	-	+	✓	✓	67
76	Jacks Little Dolly	A	B			✓	✓	+	-	+	✓	+	69½