A.A.H.A.B.C Annual Year End High Point

Halter Divisions:

Gelding, Stallion, Mare, Sport Horse Geldings, Mares and Stallions

Open Pleasure Divisions:

Western, Hunter, Country/English, Show Hack, Sidesaddle, Costume, Sport Horse Under Saddle, Sport Horse Show Hack, *Dressage, *Working Western, Out of Club

Junior Horse Divisions:

Western, English (includes Hunter, Sport Horse, Country/English/Park), Halter

Junior Exhibitor Divisions:

Western, Hunter, Country/English/Park, Show Hack, * Walk Trot,

Amateur Exhibitor Divisions:

Halter, Western, Hunter, Country/English/Park, Show Hack, Dressage, Sport Horse Under Saddle, Sport Horse Show Hack

Equitation Divisions (by age groups):

10 & under, 10-13, 14-17

Perpetual Trophies:

Overall Stallion, Most Versatile Arabian Gelding, Most Versatile Half Arabian Gelding, Wayne Houston Memorial (AAOTR Country), Vivian Breakwell Memorial Youth Award, Saddleseat Equitation, Hunt Seat Equitation, Chris Peeler Memorial Trophy, Margaret Logan Memorial Trophy

Rules:

- 1. All Decisions made by the Highpoint Committee are considered final.
- 2. Points will be awarded on a reverse placing system (1st-6p, 2nd-5p, 3rd-4p, 4th-3, 5th-2, 6th-1). Points to be doubled in Championship classes and tripled in Regional classes (when applicable).
- 3. EXCEPT IN YEARS WHEN REGION 17 CHAMPIONSHIPS ARE HELD IN THE LOWER MAINLAND, ONLY THE THREE AAHABC SHOWS (CLASSIC, JUNIOR/AMATEUR, FALL FROLIC) WILL COUNT TOWARDS CLUB HIGHPOINTS. Region 17 (Championship show only, pre-show not to be included) will only count towards AAHABC highpoints when it is held in the Lower Mainland of BC. In order to qualify for AAHABC highpoint awards, participants must attend at least one AAHABC show (not just Region 17 Championships)
- **NOTE** Concurrent shows will count for points as two separate shows.
- 4. Shows and/or classes that restrict entrance of horses and/or riders will not be tallied (Western Canadian Breeders, Select Rider Classes, Sweepstakes Halter or Futurities.) **NOTE** No Open classes at the Junior/Amateur show will count towards Highpoints as the show is restricted to amateur riders only.

- 5. Region 17 qualifiers that are sponsored by regions other than R17 will not count towards AAHABC Highpoint, except in the Out of Club division.
- 6. The AAHABC Highpoint Committee reserves the right to combine or withdraw divisions that do not have a full top five as well as split divisions that have more than 10 eligible horses.
- 7. Equitation divisions will be a tally of points earned in classes in which the rider/handler, and not the horse, are judged (includes showmanship, hunt seat, saddle seat, stock/reining seat and all medal classes in these divisions).
- 8. Perpetual trophies will only award a Champion and not a Top 5. This includes versatile gelding and overall stallion awards.
- 9. ALL HIGHPOINT PARTICIPANTS (HORSE OWNERS AND AMATEUR RIDERS) MUST BE FULL MEMBERS IN GOOD STANDING OF AAHABC WHEN POINTS ARE EARNED AND AS OF NOVEMBER 15.
- 10. Upon sale of an AAHABC highpoint horse, all points that are accrued during the ownership of the horse will go to the recorded owner of the horse at that time. If a horse is sold during a highpoint year, it is possible for the same horse to be recognized as a highpoint winner more that once with separate owners.
- 11. Divisions that are noted above with "*" are listed as combined Arabian and Half Arabian divisions.
- 12. All year end highpoint results will be posted for public viewing on the AAHABC web page as well as published in the newsletter.
- 13. OUT OF CLUB POINTS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY HORSE OWNERS BY NOVEMBER 15, IF THEY WISH TO BE INCLUDED IN THIS DIVISION. To be eligible in this division, horse and/or equitation rider/handler must have participated in at least one AAHABC sponsored show (as stated above). Recognized qualifying open dressage or hunter/jumper shows can be counted in this division. Copies of these show results must be obtained from the show secretary and submitted. A copy of your horse's AHA show record can be obtained on the AHA web page and mailed/e-mailed to:

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- 14. All highpoint tallies will be final if not challenged in writing to AAHABC on Feb. 1 of the following year.
- 15. Points will be tallied from the date of membership going forward to the end memberships.
- 16. Awards will be presented at the Annual Year End Banquet.
- 17. It is the responsibility of award winners to:
- a. Return all perpetual trophies by November 15.
- b. Deliver perpetual trophies to: Tara Lumb, Willow Acres, 18590 20th Ave, Surrey, B.C. 604-531-5159 or email willowacres@telus.net.
- c. Make arrangements to pick up awards if not attending the awards banquet. AAHABC will not be responsible for awards that are picked up from the banquet without written consent.

~ Highpoint Committee ~ Joan Arnett Linda Picul