***Woodstock Cuba***

***Saddle Club***

***Official Rules***

# General Rules

1. Woodstock Cuba Saddle Club reserves the right to enforce all club and show rules and by-laws.
2. Dogs are permitted on WCSC grounds but must be on a leash at all times.
3. No alcoholic beverages or drugs shall be permitted on WCSC grounds at any time.
4. All Horses on WCSC grounds must have a current copy of a negative coggins test.
5. All riders must complete an entry blank for the class they are riding in.
6. Only Paid members shall accumulate points towards year end awards.
7. In-Humane treatment of animals will not be tolerated on WCSC grounds and will be subject to dismissal from the grounds.
8. No member of the club is authorized to approach a judge for any reason.
9. Number cards are required for all judge classes.
10. Exhibitors must continue to participate in the same age group indicated on the membership application. If the birthday falls between January 1st and May 1st the rider has the option of which age group, they would like to ride in.
11. Members are allowed a one-time swap of horses (in the event of an injury) and roll over points to the new horse and accumulate their points towards year end awards.
12. Once a horse is swapped and the form is filled out you may not go back to the original horse and accumulate points.
13. The form to swap horses shall be supplied by WCSC.
14. In the event of the rain out, the remainder of that show shall be completed at a future date determined by the Board of Directors. In the event, a judged class is called due to weather, that class will be made up in entirety at the rescheduled show, but no new entries will be allowed. Only those entered at the time the show was called will be allowed to participate at the makeup show if a class is called before it is completed. In the event a timed even class is called due to weather, that class will not accept no new entries at the make-up show and for those that have already ran, their original times will stand and the remaining entries that did not run will have their run at the make up show. Any other classes that have not been started; entries will be open at the make-up show.
15. Any person using club grounds for training (horses or other people) must be a member of the club.

# Shows/Points

1. WCSC Royalty shall present the American Flag, WCSC Flag and or the Tennessee State Flag/WCSC youth Flag.
2. At Grand entry the National Anthem Shall be played.
3. WCSC shall hold 10 point shows beginning the first Friday in May and shall be held every Friday night with weather permitting till the 10 point shows are finished.
4. Shows will start with Grand Entry at 7:30 pm.
5. Every recognized show or exhibition, and every person participating therein, are subject to the By-Laws and rules of WCSC and to the show rules.
6. The exhibitor’s first entrance into the ring or their signing up as members shall construed their acceptance of WCSC rules and By-Laws and shall automatically render them to such rules.
7. The working positions of a show shall be Announcer, Judge, Ringmaster, and Show Steward.
8. Ponies are recognized as 54” inches or less.
9. If pony owners have vet documentation on the height of the pony, recorded with the secretary at the first of the year, that height will be accepted for the year. If a pony needs to be measured it will be done by WCSC show management and the height shall be documented with the

secretary and shall be good for the entire year. Measurement of the pony will be from the top of the withers to the bottom of the heel, not to include the shoe or pad.

1. There shall be 5 places recognized in all classes with enough qualifying participation and all 5 places shall receive points as follows:
	* 1st place shall receive 6 points
	* 2nd place shall receive 5 points
	* 3rd place shall receive 4 points
	* 4th place shall receive 3 points
	* 5th place shall receive 2 points
	* All qualified riders not placing shall receive 1 point
	* Disqualified rider shall receive 0 points
	* Exhibition riders shall receive 0 points
	* Non- members shall receive 0 points
2. In case of a tie in the speed events all riders in the tie shall receive the appropriate points for that position.
3. Point(s) shall be recorded after every show.
4. The point’s book shall be audited after every 3rd show.
5. Members shall have one week to protest any dispute in the point’s book for the shows that were audited. If no protest is made, then points shall be closed for that session.
6. No person under the age of 18 shall be permitted to ride or handle a stallion at any event or on WCSC club grounds.

# Disqualified/ No time/ ride/ rider

1. Any rider losing mount from their horse except for equipment failure.
2. Any rider breaking any pattern doing speed events.
3. Any rider not adhering to dress codes after 1 verbal warning.
4. Any rider without a number card or wrong number card in judge classes.
5. Any rider pulling into the center of the arena during a class without equipment failure.
6. Any rider and horse combination that does not match the entry sheet.
7. Any rider or horse without the proper tack, bits and shoes (when specified).
8. Any rider asked to leave the arena for bad sportsmanship.

# Dress Code

1. Judge Classes require long or short sleeved button up or zipped shirt or western slinky, jeans or riding pants and riding boots.
2. Speed events require a minimum of a t-shirt (no tank tops), jeans or riding pants, and boots.
3. ASTM F 1163 approved safety helmets are recommended.

# Entry Blank/Registration

1. Shall be furnished by Woodstock Cuba Saddle Club.
2. All riders must fill out an entry sheet to participate.
3. The entry sheet may be filled out by anyone at registration for the rider.
4. The entry sheet shall contain the date, class name, class number, rider’s name, horses name and number card for judge classes.
5. Riders name, horses name and number card (for judge classes) must match or the rider and horse shall be disqualified.
6. Registration for any class will cease when that class is called to enter the arena or at the conclusion of the final judged class.

# Number Cards

1. Every rider in judge classes shall be provided a number from WCSC at registration.
2. Number Card shall be displayed on the riders back or on the saddle.
3. Rider must have a number card to enter the show ring.
4. A wrong number card is the same as no number card.
5. All violations of number cards shall result in a disqualification of horse and rider.
6. Riders in speed events are not required to have a number card.

# Announcer

1. Shall have the authority to stop any class when they fill the rider, horse or spectators are in danger.
2. Shall work completely off the judge’s instructions.
3. They are not qualified to announce any disqualifications.
4. In calling speed events shall call the rider and horse by name to enter the arena.
5. Shall call a 2 minute gate call when riders are not entering the arena in a timely manner and have the gates shut after the 2 minute gate call.

# Ringmaster

1. Has no authority in connection with judging or managing the show.
2. Their duty is to give aid and assistance to the riders and judges.
3. They shall check all riders (in judge classes) for number card, dress code, tack, and equipment before they are allowed entry into the arena.
4. They shall not ride in any judge class when they are a ringmaster.
5. The president shall appoint a ringmaster for each show when needed.

# Show Steward

1. Shall not be the president.
2. They are official representatives of the club and should point out any instances where club rules are not being followed.
3. They shall interpret, clarify, and enforce any club rules when brought to their attention.
4. They shall work closely with the president to ensure a uniform decision is made.
5. Show stewards shall be allowed to ride in the shows that they are working.

# Judges

##  Qualifications

1. No WCSC member shall judge a point show.
2. Judge or any family member cannot show in any show that they are judging.
3. A list of judges shall be put together by the Board of Directors for that show season and the final list to be approved prior to the first point show.

##  Conduct

1. Judge may direct a ringmaster to remove a rider for bad conduct.
2. Judge shall not use any alcohol or drugs while on WCSC grounds.
3. Judge shall not mingle with any riders at the club and shall be escorted by a show official.

##  Score Card

1. Shall be furnished by WCSC with Class# and Class name.
2. Shall have places for 1st thru 5th.
3. Shall have date and a signature line for the judge.

##  Judging

1. Good judging depends on correct observation of the fine points and then the selection of the best horse and rider.
2. A judge is obligated to judge each class in conformity to the official rules of WCSC.
3. A judge is expected to know the rules of WCSC for the classes being judged.
4. A list of rules shall be given to the judge to review before the show starts.
5. The decision of the judge is solely his/hers individual preference but in according to all WCSC rules.
6. The judge has the authority to place any horse and rider in any position he/she feels justified in doing.
7. The judge’s decision shall be final.
8. There shall be no re-judging of any class.
9. A judge is not required to explain their decision to any rider or spectator.
10. A judge’s decision is not protestable unless it is in violation of WCSC official rules.
11. The judge shall be paid a fee that will be determined by the Board of Directors.

# Year-End Awards

1. WCSC shall have an awards banquet at the conclusion of the show season.
2. WCSC shall place 1st-5th in all judge and speed classes.
3. The rider or horse must have shown in at least 6 of the point shows to qualify for an award for that class.
4. Year-end awards ties shall be broken by the person or horse who had the most 1st places in the class that the tie is in and the other will be bumped down to 2nd place and so on. In the event that each person received the same amount of 1st places, then we will go by most number of 2nd places, followed 3rd, 4th and 5th until the tie is broke. If still tied in all number of places, whoever showed in the most shows will receive the award and the other will be bumped down. If there is still a tie then both will receive the same award, the next placing will be skipped.
5. The president shall designate someone to order the awards.
6. A committee will be set up to secure a banquet site and to hold the event.
7. The Board of Directors shall set a budget for year-end awards.

# Violations/Penalties

1. This section shall apply to any person on WCSC grounds at any event sanctioned by WCSC. It is the responsibility of any person on WCSC grounds to know and understand all rules of WCSC.

##  Violations

1. Violation of WCSC official general club rules.
2. Violation Of WCSC official By-Laws
3. Failure to supply a current negative Coggins.
4. Unsportsman like conduct inside and outside the arena.
5. Failure to perform duties of a judge.
6. Physical assault.
7. Assault of animals.
8. Alcohol or Drug use.

##  Penalties

1. Any person involving in any instance that is contrary to the rules and By-laws or shows or breaks any violation shall be given

* 1st offense warning from show management
* 2nd offense shall be asked to leave WCSC grounds for the remainder of the event.
* 3rd offense shall be brought to the Board of Directors for disciplinary action that may involve revoking of membership.

# Class Rules

##  Judge Classes (Gaited or Quarter Horses)

1. Any class with 20 or more horses must be divided as equally as possible.
2. When a performance class is split the 1st group shall exit the arena for the 2nd group to be brought in.
3. All performance classes must start with the right hand on the rail.
4. All entries shall be shown in both directions.
5. Riding with a quirt will be permitted in judge classes.
6. In the event of equipment failure, the rider shall pull into the center of the arena, the class shall be stopped and the rider will have 2 minutes to make the necessary repairs. The rider and horse must return and complete the class to accumulate points.
7. Any rider who falls from their horse (except for equipment failure) shall be disqualified.
8. Any rider pulling into the center of the arena without permission from the judge or without requesting a time-out shall be disqualified and ask to leave the arena when the class lines up.

## Pleasure Classes (points to rider)

1. Western Pleasure, Walk/Trot, Age divisions as set by schedule.
2. Rider shall wear long or short sleeved button shirt, zippered shirt or slinky, western pants or jeans, and cowboy boots. Chaps, Western Hat and spurs are optional.
3. Classes are to be judged at 80% performance, 20% conformation**.**
4. Open to all stock type breeds Quarter Horses, Appaloosas, and Paints.
5. Shown with stock saddle, but silver equipment will not count over a good working outfit.
6. Shown with reasonably loose rein at any gait.
7. Entries will be penalized for excessive speed or being on the wrong lead.
8. Horses must be worked in both directions and all 3 gaits (except for walk/trot class).
9. Horses are to be reversed to the inside.
10. Can be asked to reverse at a walk or trot but not at a canter.
11. The judge may ask for the backing up of each horse.
12. Hand gallop, extended canter, or reverse at the canter shall not be requested.
13. Use of two hands is permitted when using bridle set up with direct rein
	1. A headstall equipped with a snaffle (no shank no purchase)
	2. A sidepull.
14. Use of single hand is required if bridle is set up with indirect rein
	1. A mouthpiece with a shank and a purchase
	2. A mechanical hackmore.
	3. Hand to be around the reins, one finger between is permitted
15. No wire curbs and no chin strap narrower than ½” permitted.
16. Bosal can be used if it is made of flexible braided rawhide or leather, or rope bosal, the core of which may either be of leather or flexible cable and two fingers can be placed between the Bosal and horses’ chin.
17. Reins can be split, loop, romal, or mecate type.
18. While in motion the rider’s hand must not touch the horse or the saddle.
19. Spurs or romal shall not be used forward of the cinch.
20. Martingale or tie-down is prohibited.

## Walk/Trot Open and Youth (points to the rider)

1. General rules for performance and pleasure classes apply.
2. Horses are to be shown at a stop, walk and trot only.
3. Reverse at a trot is permissible.
4. Western and English tack and attire optional to the preference of the rider.

## Halter Classes (points to the horse)

1. Shall include any age horse of Stock type or Saddle horse breeding.
2. Should be in good physical condition and well groomed.
3. Will be shown in halter and lead rope. Silver equipment will not count over a good working halter and lead rope.
4. Handler shall be in Western or English attire.
5. Horse and handler shall be instructed by the judge or announcer on how to enter the arena.
6. Handler shall walk, trot or gait and set the horse up for inspection.
7. Horse should have all 4 feet squared, ears alert and attentive.
8. Handler should be alert to the judge at all times.
9. **Judging will be 80% conformation, ability to travel, and over all physical condition and 20% handler.**

# Gaited Saddle Horse Classes

**Padded and unpadded WCSC follows federal guidelines for all gaited horses as follows:**

**Chains, Boots and other action devices.**

1. A single chain not to exceed 6 ounces in weight including the fastener may be worn on each front pastern of the horse.
2. A horse may carry chains of different weight as long as a single chain does not exceed this regulation**.**
3. Such must be the same size, configuration and weight**.**
4. Chains may be self-fastening or may be fastened by a strap of soft leather, nylon, cotton, or other similar material.
5. When fastened the chain ends shall not be more than 3 inches apart.
6. An action device must not touch a coronet band.
7. Chains shall have no loose ends or dropped links.
8. The chain and fastener shall present a smooth surface to the horse.
9. A chain constructed of twisted links is not permitted.
10. Hardwood, steel or aluminum rollers which are smooth and free from projections, protrusions, rust or corrosion or sharp edges are permitted.
11. Such rollers shall not exceed 6 ounces in weight.
12. The above described action shall not be used in combination.
13. Any changes in the above rules made by the United States, the USDA, or by a court of competent jurisdiction shall automatically change the above rules to comply with such action by the Congress, the USDA or such court.

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| Natural Toe | Pad at Toe | Pad at Heel |
| 3 Inches | 1 1/2 inches |  |
| 3 1/3 inches | 1 5/8 inches |  |
| 3 1/2 inches | 1 3/4 inches |  |
| 4 inches | 2 inches | 3 1/2 inches |
| 4 1/4 inches | 2 1/8 inches | 3 5/8 inches |
| 4 1/2 inches | 2 1/4 inches | 3 3/4 inches |
| 4 3/4 inches | 2 3/8 inches | 3 7/8 inches |
| 5 inches | 2 1/2 inches | 4 inches |

## Open Gaited (padded or flat shod) (points to the rider)

1. General rules for all performance classes apply.
2. Federal guidelines for padded and unpadded horses apply.
3. **Class to be judged 70% performance of the horse and 30% ability of the rider.**
4. Western or English tack.
5. Horses shall be shown at a stop, walk, and favorite gait.
6. Shall not be requested to reverse at a gait.
7. Western and English tack and attire optional to the preference of the rider.
8. Silver mounted equipment shall not be given preference over plain tack.
9. Spurs and hats are optional.
10. Any horse that throws a pad or shoe is automatically disqualified and must pull to the center of the arena.
11. Rider must sit and hold reins in any position that is comfortable.
12. Entries shall be penalized for breaking gait.
13. Saddle horse class’s excessive speed will be penalized.
14. No action devices or wraps (tape/vet wrap) may be used on unpadded (flat shod) horses.

## Walking/Racking Saddle Horse (Flat shod/unpadded) (points to the rider)

1. The pleasure saddle horse shoe must not exceed ½” in thickness or 1 ½” in width with no bare plate or other weight inside the shoe.
2. The caulk must not exceed beyond 1” turn back and the shoe may not extend more than ¼” beyond the hoof at the toe.
3. The heel of the shoe must not extend beyond the bulb of the horse’s heel when perpendicular line is drawn from the bulb of the horse’s heel to the ground.
4. The use of barium is permitted on the caulks of pleasure shoes but the thickness of the show and caulk with the barium must not exceed 1 1/8”.
5. Clips that are drawn from the shoe itself are permitted.
6. No additional weight shall be allowed on or in the hoof, other than the shoe, nails and band.
7. Western and English tack and attire optional to the preference of the rider.

# Country Pleasure/ Keg shoe or Barefoot only (Points to the rider)

1. General rules for performance classes apply.
2. Federal Guidelines for gaited horses apply.
3. Horses shall be limited to Keg Shoes 5/16” thick or less and ¾” wide or less.
4. No tapered shoes.
5. Heel caulk and toe grab are permitted.
6. Western and English tack and attire optional to the preference of the rider.
7. Acceptable English or western boots required.
8. Horses shall be worked in both directions.
9. No action devices allowed.
10. Bit section 8 is good 10 is too much.

# Youth Classes

**Specific rules that apply to these listed classes in addition to the general rules.**

## Lead in (Points to the rider)

1. Any type of horse or pony may be used.
2. Western and English tack and attire optional to the preference of the rider.
3. Child shall ride in the proper position for the type of horse/pony being ridden.
4. The leader shall turn the horse to the center of the arena when instructed to reverse.
5. Lead riders shall be 6 years of age and younger. (exception for handicap rule)
6. Judged at 100% horsemanship.
7. Shall be shown in both directions.
8. Will be awarded 5 places and the remaining will receive participation ribbons, cups or trophies.

## Pee Wee Barrels (points to the rider)

1. General Rules for Speed Classes and Barrel Racing apply.
2. This class is for beginner riders ages 11 and under.
	1. The rider can be assisted (led) and the leader must be 13 years and older.
	2. The rider can be unassisted (spotter).
	3. The rider can be independent.
3. Riders entering this class may not enter other Barrel Race classes.
4. If rider enters more than ne horse, must declare at sign up which team gets points and other rides will count as exhibition.
5. Family members may use the same horse, since points are awarded to the rider.

## Buckaroo (points to the rider)

1. This class is for beginner riders ages 8 and under.
2. This is an independent rider class.
3. Spotters will be in the arena but cannot coach the rider.
4. Riders to be shown at a stop, walk and reverse.
5. Tie downs are permitted.

## Buckaroo Horsemanship (points to the rider)

1. This class is for beginner riders ages 8 and under.
2. This is an independent rider class.
3. Spotters will be in the arena but cannot coach the rider.
4. Riders to be shown at a stop, walk, favorite gait and reverse.
5. Tie downs are permitted.

# Horsemanship (Points to the rider)

1. **Judged at 80% horsemanship, 20% performance of their horse.**
2. Will show at stop, walk, favorite gait and reverse.
3. Entries will be penalized for excessive speed or being on the wrong lead.
4. Quarter horses can use trot or canter as their favorite gait.
5. Rider’s body shall be straight with shoulders back and chin up and eyes forward.
6. Rider losing mount shall be disqualified (except for equipment failure)
7. In case of equipment failure pull to the center of the ring and you will have 2 minutes to fix the problem.
8. Western or English tack and attire is acceptable and optional to the rider.

# Speed Events/ General rules (points to the horse)

1. There will be no practice runs.
2. The run out gate will be closed for all speed events.
3. All speed patterns will be set by the rules for that class.
4. Patterns shall be approved by show management.
5. Registration shall be closed when the first rider is called.
6. Each rider shall have a 2 minute limit to get their horse in the arena after their name is called.
7. Horse and rider shall be called by name and must match the sign-up sheet or they will be disqualified.
8. Bridle or rein breakage will allow the rider to drop down and re run.
9. All horses and riders shall have western tack and attire and boots.
10. If a hat is worn it must be western or protective with a chin strap.
11. No tank tops, sleeveless shirts, crop tops, shorts or cut offs are permitted.
12. T-shirts will be permitted.
13. Any rider falling off their horse after the radar has been tripped will not be placed.
14. In case of radar failure the rider will not be told in their run but will be dropped down and run again. See event rules for clarification.
15. A rider may ride more than one horse but no horse may be ridden more than once in any single speed event.
16. In the event of a tie both horses shall receive the same amount of points for that position.
17. Show stewards will make the decision if the arena is safe for speed events.
18. In a point show when a rider and horse break the radar no re-start shall be allowed, they must exit the arena.
19. If a class fails to produce a qualified time, the class will not be re-run but everyone who participated will receive 1 point.

# Amending of the rules

1. Any person wishing to amend rules to Woodstock Cuba Saddle Club must present the amendments in writing and present the amendments to the President.
2. These Amendments shall be presented to the President before the December 31st of that year.
3. The president shall present all amendments to the Board of Directors at the January meeting for their review.
4. If the amendments are approved, they shall be added to this set of rules.
5. If there is a rule that is in conflict with Federal or State Law it shall be addressed immediately and will not fall under the rules of amendments.

# Barrel Racing (points to the horse)

1. General rules for timed speed events apply.
2. Senior Barrels 18 years of age and older
3. Junior Barrels 17 years of age and under.
4. Metal Barrels without tires shall be used.
5. Must leave all 3 barrels standing.
6. Barrel that falls completely to the ground and flips back up will be counted as a penalty.
7. Rider may go either to the right or left.
8. If starting from the right the rider must make 1 right turn and 2 left turns.
9. If starting from the left rider must make 1 left turn and 2 right turns.
10. A broken pattern is a disqualified run and will receive 0 points.
11. A knocked over barrel will be a 5 second penalty for each barrel knocked over.
12. In the event radar failure, a rerun will be given for time only, the time penalties from original run will be added to the rerun time.
13. In the event of equipment failure, and rider remains mounted, then rider is granted a rerun.
14. Rider is allowed a running start.
15. If a rider exceeds more than 3 turns it will be a disqualified run.
16. Distance from the radar to the 1st barrel shall be 30 feet.
17. Distance from the 1st barrel to the 2nd barrel shall be 90 feet.
18. Distance from the 1st and 2nd barrel to the 3rd barrel shall be 105 feet.
19. Show management shall verify the pattern.

 

# Pole Bending (points to the horse)

1. General rules for timed speed events apply.
2. Senior Poles 18 years of age and older.
3. Junior poles 17 years of age and under.
4. Pole bending pattern shall consist of 6 poles 21 feet apart.
5. First pole shall be set 21 foot from the radar line.
6. Poles shall be made of plastic and be 1 ½’ in diameter and 6 feet tall.
7. Pole bending is a timed event.
8. Horse may start either to the right or left of the first pole and run the pattern accordingly.
9. Each rider shall begin from a running start.
10. A broken pattern is a disqualified run and shall receive 0 points.
11. A 5 second penalty shall be assessed for each knocked over pole.
12. In the event radar failure, a re run will be given for time only, the time penalties from original run will be added to the rerun time.
13. In the event of equipment failure, and rider remains mounted, then rider is granted a rerun.
14. Show management shall verify pattern.



Flag Race On/Off the Rail (points to the horse)

1. General rules for timed speed events apply.
2. Flags is open to all age riders.
3. Metal barrels without tires shall be used.
4. The flag pole shall be made of round wood material, ¾” in diameter and 18” long.
5. Flag shall be fixed to the pole and shall be red material 6x9 inches.
6. Sand bucket shall be 5 gallon bucket with loose sand 4” from the top.
7. The rider may start from either the right or the left side. (MUST SPECIFY AT SIGN-UP)
8. Flag must be picked up from the bucket on the first barrel and deposited in the bucket on the last barrel.
9. Flag is legal as long as it enters through the top and remains in the bucket.
10. Failure to pick-up the flag or deposit it in the bucket is a no-time run but will earn a participation point. In the event of radar failure you will not be given a rerun.
11. Failure to follow the course, knocking over barrels or buckets and hitting the horse with the flagpole is a disqualified run. In the event of a radar failure, you will not be given a rerun.
12. In the event radar failure and the flag was stuck in the original run, a rerun will be given for time only and your hand must pass over the top of the flag bucket to be considered an honest attempt.
13. In the event of equipment failure, and riders remains mounted, then rider is granted a rerun.
14. Only the flag carriers are authorized to place flags in the buckets.
15. Show management shall designate flag carriers and shall approve the pattern.

## On the rail (see diagram) (Rider must specify at sign up)

1. Shall be run around 3 barrels.
2. Rider cannot deviate from pattern any extra turns shall be a disqualified run and shall receive 0 points.
3. Barrels #1 and #3 shall be set 25ft from the radar line and against the arena fence.
4. Barrel #2 shall be set 150ft from the radar line as shown in the diagram.
5. Show management shall verify the pattern.

## Off the rail (see diagram) (Rider must specify at sign up)

1. Shall be run around 3 barrels.
2. Rider cannot deviate from pattern any extra turns shall be a disqualified run and shall receive 0 points.
3. Barrel #1 and barrel #3 shall be set 4 barrel rings from the arena fence with the barrel sitting in the fourth ring. Barrels shall be set 25ft from the radar.
4. Barrel #3 shall be set 150ft from the radar line forming a triangle with barrels #1 and #2.
5. Show management shall verify pattern.

**FLAG PATTERN DIAGRAM**

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# On the Rail

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# Speed Pattern (Points to the Horse)

1. General rules for timed speed events apply.
2. Speed is open to all age riders.
3. Barrel shall be set 150 feet from the radar line.
4. Rider can go either to the right or left of the barrel to begin.
5. No complete circles shall be made after crossing the radar line or the run will be considered a disqualified run.
6. A knocked over barrel is considered a no-time run, but will earn a participation point. In the event of a radar failure, you will not be given a rerun
7. In the event radar failure and a clean run in the original run, a rerun will be given for time only.
8. In the event of equipment failure, and rider remains mounted, then rider is granted a rerun.
9. Show management shall verify the pattern.

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