Ride the Rail

2017 Youth Participation Program Rules & Nomination Form

Ride the Trail

Rules:

- Youth participation will require the nomination of rider and horse.
- Each youth can nominate once or multiple times for each division. Please list a separate nomination for each horse that will be ridden during the season. We encourage our youth to nominate themselves with each horse that they expect to ride.
- All nominations and participation are FREE for the youth program.
- Although youth will be able to nominate multiple times, each rider will only be eligible to win one award in each division. For example, even if you have higher points/hours with more than one horse, you will still only receive the one championship award.
- Participants must be 17 years of age or younger as of January 1, 2017.
- Participants must be a 2017 SCRHA Member.
- Nomination forms must be turned in for points/hours to start accumulating.
- Awards will be presented in each division at the annual membership meeting / awards banquet in January of 2018.
- Deadline for nominations is July 15, 2017.
- Divisions for youth participation include:
 - 1) Trail Hours for ages 12 & under
 - 2) Trail Hours for ages 13-17
 - 3) Show Points for ages 12 & under
 - 4) Show Points for ages 13-17

Trail Hours:

- Participants are responsible for keeping up with their own trail hours. Please use the 2017 Trail Hours Log Form.
- Hours should be rounded to the nearest half hour. Do NOT count minutes.
- Trail hours are forward moving hours and Do NOT include any rest, visiting, or eating breaks.
- Riding in riding rings, barn aisle ways, and horse shows do NOT count towards trail hours.
- Trail riding at any location, state, etc. on trails or roads DO count toward trail hours.
- Date, location, and hours ridden must be logged on form for each ride.
- Trail hours log forms must be turned in by November 15, 2017.

Show Points:

- Youth show points will be kept up with by the SCRHA high points registar by pulling the placings from the results sheets after each show.
- Each rider/horse combination will receive points for all classes entered that they are eligible to show in. Youth nominations are by age group only, not by particular class.
- Points will be given in each class as follows:
 1st 6 points, 2nd 5 points,
 3rd 4 points, 4th 3 points, 5th 2 points, &
 entry with no place 1 point. Double points
 will be given in one championship class per
 horse/rider combo.

Nominations (please print clearly and use extra forms if needed):

Shirt Size:_____ Jacket size/color: _____

Rider's Name / age: _______

Horse's Name: ______

Contact Phone #: ______

Shirt Size: _____ Jacket size/color: ______

Division: _____

Rider's Name / age: ______

Horse's Name: ______

Contact Phone #: ______

Shirt Size: _____ Jacket size/color: _______