

How It Works

The Progressive Series classes have pre-set times that will be in effect the entire series.

The pattern is set at the same dimensions each race.

The first time that the Horse/Rider team competes in the Progressive Series they must make a "Qualifying" run. This run will place them in the appropriate class based on their time.

Each horse that a rider competes on must have a "Qualifying" run to be placed in the appropriate class. If you have 3 horses, you will make a "Qualifying" run on **each** horse.

After you have been placed in a class you will compete in that class in each competition of the Progressive Series season.

To "Progress" you have to run a time faster than the class you have been placed into. If you run a faster time twice during the Progressive Series season then you will be placed in a new class.

The new class placement will be determined by adding together your two runs that were faster than your current class placement and divided by 2 – that is the time that will determine which class you will be placed in at the following race. You may move ahead 1 class or numerous classes, depending on your time but your points **will** go with you to the new class.

If the second "Progressive" run is during the last show of the Progressive Series season, you will be placed in your new class at the beginning of the following Progressive Series season.

Your points will be kept on each Horse/Rider team. Anyone that enters and completes the pattern (regardless if they receive a penalty) will receive 1 participation point. The top 10 will be given additional points (1st place=10 points, 2nd place=9 points, etc.), 1st place will reflect 11 points (10 for placing 1st and 1 for participating).