



Leon County Horsemen's Association

2018 POINTS & SHOW RULES

LCHA Open Horse Shows in 2018 will be held on the following dates:

- ❖ March 10, 2018
- ❖ September 1, 2018

Questions regarding attire or equipment will be addressed by the show judge.

Patterns for all pattern classes will be provided by the judge and posted prior to the show. Participants may obtain copies of the patterns at the LCHA registration booth, when available.

Western pattern classes of Reining, Ranch Reining, Western Riding, and Ranch Horse Pleasure will be chosen from the AQHA rule book using the applicable patterns.

All decisions and placings of the show judge are final.

All competitors and guests are expected to abide by LCHA show grounds rules regarding treatment of horses, dogs on premises, and public behavior.

All riders are encouraged to wear helmets while on horseback. Riders age 16 and younger are required to wear helmets while on horseback.

Halter Grand & Reserve Champion Class

A Halter Champion and Halter Reserve Champion will be placed by the show judge in a separate non-fee class following class #7. Horse/riders placing 1st or 2nd in class #4, #5, #6, and #7 will be judged in the Halter Grand & Reserve Champion class.

High Points

Each horse/rider combination earns points by placing in a class. The horse/rider combination earns one point for placing and one point for every horse beaten in the class, up to 6 points. Points are accrued to all participants, not just LCHA members. Points are earned as follows:

	Points Awarded for Placing					
Number of horses in class	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th
1	1					
2	2	1				
3	3	2	1			
4	4	3	2	1		
5	5	4	3	2	1	
6+	6	5	4	3	2	1

Division Champions

LCHA will present an award at each show to the Division Champions as outlined below:

Halter Division Champion: Points earned in classes (#1, #2, #3), (#4, #5, #6, #7), and (#9, #10, #11)

Gaited Division Champion: Points earned in classes #14, #15, and #16

English Division Champion: Points earned in classes (#17, #18, #19, #20), (#21, #22, #23, #24), and (#25, #26, #27, #28)

Western Division Champion: Points earned in classes (#34, #35, #36, #37), (#40, #41, #42, #43), and (#44, #45, #46, #47)

Ranch Division Champion: Points earned in classes #38, #44, and #52

All Around High Point Champion

LCHA will present awards at the conclusion of each show to an All Around High Point Champion and All Around High Point Reserve Champion. Points will be calculated as outlined above. Points will only be counted in those classes applicable to the Division Champion awards as outlined above.

APHA Paint Alternative Competition (PAC)

LCHA Open Shows are approved for the APHA PAC Program. Riders participating in PAC must provide a completed PAC form to the registration booth prior to the show in order for the show secretary to complete the required placings and approve the form. Forms should be picked up at the conclusion of the show.

Open Horse Show Association (OHSA)

OHSA members may include LCHA open shows in their OHSA competitions. Riders participating in OHSA must provide a completed OHSA form to the registration booth prior to the show in order for the show secretary to complete the required placings and approve the form. Forms should be picked up at the conclusion of the show.