

# COWBOY STATES REINING HORSE ASSOCIATION

## 2026 Year End Saddle Award

A “Year-End Champion Saddle” will be awarded to either the CSRHA high point Rookie Level 2 or the CSRHA high point Green Reiner Level 2.

- Winning the saddle will be based on the most points earned in either class with no combination of the classes.
- To qualify for the champion saddle, both owner and rider must be members of CSRHA prior to showing in the class for which they want points to count toward year-end.
- Previous CSRHA saddle winners are not eligible to win the trophy saddle again.  
First place will earn 10 points; second place will earn 9 points; third place will earn 8 points; and so on down the placings. A score of zero or DQ will not receive any points.
- A person must attend all four shows. Their top three placings in the same class will be used to calculate total points. The person with the most points in one of the two classes wins the saddle.
- Numerical scores from the judge's sheet will be reported.  
Points will be awarded using 10 points (1st place) to 1 point (10th place). Points will be averaged in the case of ties. For example, if the top two scores are both 71: Example: Using the 10 point scale, both competitors would receive 9.5 points (10 + 9 divided by 2 equals 9.5 points).
- In the event of a tie for the Year End Saddle Award, the following tie breaker rules will apply:

First tie breaker: Points within the same class (Green Reiner or Rookie) will be totaled for all 4 shows.

Second tie breaker: Scores from the same class (Green Reiner or Rookie) will be totaled for all 4 shows.

There will be four shows in which to compete for this award, all shows will be held at the KPH Arena, Gillette, Wyoming

June 6 – CSRHA Fun Day  
June 7- CSRHA Fun Day  
July 18 – NRHA/CSRHA Show  
July 19 – NRHA & CSRHA Show

The winner of the 2025 Year End Championship Saddle will receive a certificate from Continental Saddlery for the cost of an “Alabama Pro Reiner” for \$3000.00. The winner can then order the saddle with their specifications (such as seat size, stirrup length, etc). Continental Saddlery also offers the winner an opportunity to upgrade to a different model. If the winner chooses to upgrade to a more expensive saddle, they get the allowance for \$3000.00 and pay the difference. The saddle must have the Cowboy States Reining Horse Association logo included on it.

