

RULES AND CONDITIONS FOR FLORIDA GULF COAST CIRCUIT, TAMPA

- 1) **Approved** by American Quarter Horse Association, Florida Quarter Horse Association, & National Snaffle Bit Association, All classes are conducted with current rules of AQHA & NSBA
- 2) **Entry Fees:** Please see page giving all Fee information for Gulf Coast.
- 3) **Stalls:** Are \$200 per stall for each horse or Tack requested. Stalls are required at Florida State Fair Grounds. Sorry, no showing from trailers. Move in for Gulf Coast January 1, 2017. If attending both Gold and Gulf, stall assignment will remain the same. Tampa has 471 Excellent stalls in Permanent Horse Barns & 400 or more as needed Vinyl Stalls in Permanent Livestock Barns. No tents. Bedding is available for sale on the showgrounds. Please, no outside vendors may sell or deliver shavings to the Fairgrounds.
- 4) **Grounds Rules:** Each horse on the grounds (showing or non-showing) must be registered on Trainers Tab and must wear issued back number at all times when being ridden, schooled, led, or otherwise handled on the grounds. Non showing horses may pick up Non Showing number in the **STALL OFFICE at base of Announcer's tower.**
- 5) **Health Regulations: Horses must travel with original or notarized copy of Negative Coggins test dated within 12 months. Additionally, OUT OF STATE HORSES must travel with Health Certificate less than 30 days old. Please check with your own Veterinarian for individual state requirements. State of Florida is strict about this, please check carefully.**
- 6) **Awards: HIGH POINT AWARDS will be given in 12 Divisions, including Jr Open, Sr Open, Green Horse, Amateur, Select Amateur. Nov/L1 Amateur, Nov/L1 Walk/Trot Amateur, Youth 13&U, Youth 14-18, Nov/L1 Youth, Nov/L1 Youth Walk/Trot, & Small-Fry. Exception W/T & Small Fry not required to show halter. ADDITIONAL HIGH POINT AWARDS:**
 1. HIGH POINT WESTERN PLEASURE: BLUE RIBBON SADDLE to be awarded to High Point Western Pleasure Horse. All classes from each division EXCEPT Level 1(Green & Novice) to count.
 2. HIGH POINT TRAIL: BLUE RIBBON SADDLE to be awarded to High Point Trail Horse. All Classes from each division EXCEPT Level 1(Green & Novice) to count.
 3. HIGH POINT WORKING HUNTER : CWD Saddle to be awarded to High Point Fence Horse. All Classes from each division EXCEPT Level 1(Green & Novice) to count.
 4. HIGH POINT HUNTER UNDER SADDLE: CWD Saddle to be awarded to High Point Hunter U Saddle. All Classes from each division EXCEPT Level 1(Green & Novice) to count.**CIRCUIT CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION CLASS AWARDS will be presented to each class. Horse must compete in that class at each show to be eligible. If less than 9 entries, winners will be awarded 1 point more than the horses they placed above.**
- 7) **Exhibitors** please present a current or photocopy of current AQHA membership card. If one is not available, exhibitor may purchase a new card in the show office. If entering NSBA Classes, both exhibitor and OWNER must present a current card or may purchase new cards in the show office.
- 8) **Requests to a Judge for his or her opinion, must be presented through the official Show Steward or Show Management, NO EXCEPTIONS.**
- 9) **Dogs** must be on a leash on caged at all times. No loose dogs are allowed on State Property.

Thank you for participating in the 2017 Florida Gulf Coast Circuit!

If you need help with any of the requirements or forms for the Gulf Coast, please either phone or text 941-416-2302, or email fqhasecretary@aol.com FAX # 941-484-4687.



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