



PERFORMANCE Guidelines & Rules

In Conjunction with MoQHA
Gateway Classic AQHA Show (6 Judges)
Lake St. Louis, MO
May 25-28, 2017

Class Information

Maiden Performance Classes are open to all registered stock breeds: AQHA, APHA, ApHC, PHBA, & ABRA

Maiden Horse Definition/Eligibility - Open Classes

Horse cannot have been shown prior to this event in a pleasure class. Horse can only enter one of the Open Pleasure Futurity Classes.

Maiden Horse Definition/Eligibility - Non Pro Classes

Horse can have earned a maximum of 10 points and won a maximum of \$1,500.00 prior to this event.

Maiden Performance Classes

- 1) Maiden Horse 3yr old & Over Western Pleasure- Open/Intermediate Rider
- 2) Maiden Horse 3yr old & Over Western Pleasure- Limited Rider
- 3) Maiden Horse 3yr old & Over *Non-Pro Western Pleasure
- 4) Maiden Horse 3yr old & Over Open Hunter Under Saddle
- 5) Maiden Horse 3yr old & Over *Non-Pro Hunter Under Saddle

Color Breed Bonus: Any horse holding Color Breed registration papers is eligible.

Limited Open Exhibitor Definition (NSBA)

Exhibitors have lifetime NSBA Open Western Pleasure earnings that cannot exceed more than \$15,000.

Intermediate Open Exhibitor Definition (NSBA)

Exhibitors have lifetime NSBA Open Western Pleasure earnings that exceed \$15,000.

***Non Pro Exhibitor Definition**

Non-Pro Exhibitors must hold a Youth or Amateur Card in any of the following associations: AQHA, APHA, PHBA, ApHC, and ABRA. Youth cannot show stallions. Exhibitor cannot have won an AQHA World Show title or The All American Quarter Horse Congress title in the last three years (2014, 2015 & 2016).

2017 Nomination Fee Schedule: *(A nomination fee is required per class)*

- Early Bird** \$350 payment postmarked on or before March 1
- \$400 payment postmarked on or before April 1
- \$500 payment postmarked on or before May 1
- \$750 payment - May 2 until 5:00pm the day before class

Entry Fee: \$750 entry fee must be postmarked on or before May 1. A \$500 late fee will apply to entries made May 2 until 5:00pm the day before class.

Refunds or Substitutions

No Refunds. Substitutions will only be allowed in the event of the death of the named horse with a vet certificate provided.