

Show and Ground Rules

Entry into this show constitutes an agreement and an understanding that the South Texas Pinto Club and the Pinto Horse Association of America, Inc. will not be responsible for any loss, theft, or injury that occurred at this show. Contact stpshowsec@yahoo.com for questions

Show office opens Friday 7 – 9 pm, 7 am on the day of the show

- Classes must be added/scratched at least two classes prior. No refunds will be given for missed classes for any reason.
- **All day fee does NOT include stall, shavings, RV, Grounds fee or office fee.**
- All questions or disputes pertaining to the show must be directed to the show manager.
- Jackpot and Specialty classes are not eligible for High Point Awards.
- To qualify for ANY highpoint, including daily, year end, and circuit, exhibitor must be a current member of South Texas Pinto and in good standing with STP and PtHA.
- ALL STP High Points will be tallied on a one horse/exhibitor basis. Must show a minimum of 5 classes, one of which must be a halter class. Points for STP highpoints will be tallied as follows regardless of class size:
1st=6 points ; 2nd=5 points ; 3rd=4 points ;
4th=3 points ; 5th=2 points ; 6th=1 point
- Walk/Trot class entries cannot enter any other classes that require a lope. **No Cross Entry.**
- Grand/Reserve will be selected from the first and second-place horses in each age/sex/type category.
- Champion of Champions will be selected from the grand champion of each approved pinto halter class, including Solid horse division. (Not included in High Point, Circuit, and Year-End points)
- You must be 19 and Over to show a stallion.
- Elite Classes = Rider age 55 years and over
- Color Champion of Champions will be selected from the grand champion of each approved Color pinto halter class, including Solid horse division. (Not included in High Point, Circuit, and Year-End points)
- Circuit Award: The spring circuit consists of April and May shows. The fall circuit consists of September and October shows. You must show in at least 5 of the same classes per show in a circuit to be eligible for a circuit award.
- Year-End Awards: Exhibitors must show a minimum of 3 out of 4 shows, must work a total of 10 hours within all four shows or pay \$100 in lieu of work hours, and have a current membership no later than the date of our second show of the show year. Membership must be paid before you show in any class to qualify. **STP points will not be retroactive if membership is paid after the first show.**
- Per Texas State Law, proof of current negative EIA (Coggins) will be required for all horses, except suckling foals, prior to entry into show or admittance to grounds.
- In arena assistance will result in disqualification except in EWD approved classes.
- Returned checks will result in a \$100 service fee. Individual awards(s) will be held until outstanding balances are paid.
- All dogs must be kept on a controlled leash. No dogs are permitted inside the show arena. Dogs causing a disturbance will be required to leave the grounds.
- No unauthorized personnel will be allowed in the show office. Anyone causing a disturbance in or around the arena and barn will be asked to leave.
- Any and all class results will be announced. If you miss the announcement you will need to wait for the office to give results. No gate person, staff, volunteers or announcer will give results after they have been announced.
- South Texas Pinto will follow PtHA rules as outlined in the current year rulebook. It is the responsibility of all exhibitors to know the rules. To order your rulebook please refer to the PtHA website. www.pinto.org