# UNDANTAG för SMHF non-approved shows.

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# Bara alla undantag finns här. Resten av alla AMHA show regler gäller för SMHF non-approved shows

#### **AMHA RULEBOOK 2015:**

# GR-010 ELIGIBILITY AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF EXHIBITORS, HANDLERS, AND DRIVERS FOR EXHIBITION IN AMHA- APPROVED SHOWS (page 78)

A. All AMHA shows are open to any horses registered with AMHA whose exhibitor is able to prove valid registration.

All SMHF non-AMHA approved shows are open to any miniature horse of any breed as long as the horse meets the height requirements stated by the AMHA and AMHR B-size. See also GR-020 HEIGHT VERIFICATION (page 79)

Alla miniatyrhästar som är upp till 38" (AMHA höjder och AMHR B-size höjder) får deltar på SMHF non-approved shows.

# **GR-020 HEIGHT VERIFICATION (page 81)**

G. 1. A permanent measurement card may be issued for horses

60 months and older when measured by a certified measurer

at both a Championship Show and the World Show in the

same show year providing the horse measure is 34" and

under per AMHA Rules. If the measurements at the 2 shows

are different the higher measurement will be used. 2. Owner must request this card prior to measurement at the

earlier show by completing a Permanent Measurement Card

request form to the AMHA office. This form will be signed

by the official measurer at both shows and returned to the

AMHA office for a Permanent Card to be issued from the

Show Department. 3. This card will be valid indefinitely at all future AMHA

sanctioned shows. 4. The permanent carded horse can still be protested at any

future show under the current AMHA Rules or under Rules

and Regulations Rule 181 & 182. 5. If a horse receives a permanent measurement card and is

sold the permanent measurment card will be passed to the

new owner. 6. Fee for card to be \$25.00 dollars and fee to replace a lost

card to also be \$25.00 dollars. 7. Penalty: If protested and the horse measures over its

permanent carded height the card is revoked and must be

measured at all future shows. Can reapply for a permanent

card the following year.

(Amended 02-13, effective 01-14)

The SMHF has the right to keep a file with permanent measurement results to be used at their non-approved shows. SMHF can hand out permanent measurement cards that can be used for SMHF non-approved shows only. Horses have to be 60 months old at least and be measured at 2 shows (SMHF). Highest measurement will be used. The permanent measurement card can be bought; price for the card is to be decided of the board.

SMHF kan utfärda mätintyg som är giltliga på SMHFs non-approved-shows till hästar som är minst 60 månader gamla och blivit mätta på minst 2 shower. Högsta mätning användas. Dessa mätintyg är giltliga för alla framtida non AMHA approved show i SMHFs regi. Dessa livstidsmätintyg fås mot en avgift som beslutas av styrelsen

# **GR-030 OFFICIALS** (page 89)

B. All Officials 1. It is mandatory that show managers, ring stewards and any paid (excluding reimbursement of actual expenses) employees of that show and their immediate families (spouse, mother, father, son, daughter, brother, sister, grandchild, legal ward, in-laws, or solely owned corporations, ranches, or farms) shall not show, or have horses shown that are leased by, leased to, or registered in any of the above persons' names where they are officiating or employed. (Amended 11-10-00, effective 01-02)

SMHF approves of horses shown by officials (or others that are somehow involved in the show) or have horses from officials shown by others at a non-approved show. Horses can be owned or leased. Helping/organizing with a non-approved show can never be reason for disqualification.

SMHF godkänner att funktionärer/frivilliga/medhjälpare (och de som är med I organisationen) visar hästar på samma show eller har hästar som visas av någon annanpå non-approved shows. Hästar får vara ägda eller leasade.

Att på något sätt vara behjälplig vid en non approved show får aldrig vara diskvalificerande.

- D. Regulations Governing Judges (page 89)
- 4. Judges Regulations (page 89)
- a. Any judges hired to judge an AMHA show(s) are required to acquaint themselves with the official show rules of the AMHA and must comply with those rules. Judges shall appear for their assignment suitably attired to appear before an audience.
- b. No person may judge two (2) shows within one hundred fifty (150) miles of each other within sixty(60) days.
- c. No Judge shall officiate two (2) consecutive times at the same show or contest. The same show or contest is defined as having the same name and being held in the same location and on the same weekend. (Amended 11-23-02, effective 01-03)
- d. A judge shall not attend a show, exhibitor's party, or any other activity connected with a show on the day previous to the show at which he/she is officiating.

EXCEPTION: Multi-breed shows, stock shows or fairs. A judge would be permitted on the show grounds prior to the AMHA show provided he/she is participating in an activity of another organization or association.

- e. Any judge who is unable to complete his judging assignment after acceptance of such shall timely communicate to the show management the inability to do so, to allow the show manager maximum time in which to seek a suitable replacement.
- f. A judge shall not appear on the show grounds prior to thirty (30) minutes before judging. A judge shall not visit the horse stall area, nor speak with owners, trainers, exhibitors, or owners' representatives nor inspect or discuss any horse entered in the show before the judging, nor shall he/she review the program until after the judging has been completed.
- g. A judge may not exhibit at any competition in which he/she is adjudicating. In the case of an event which includes shows on more than one day with multiple judges, a judge may not exhibit on any of the other days. (Even though there are several shows and judges at one location, it is considered one show for judges.)
- h. Multiple Judge Shows Judges are not to have any conversation with each other until all judges' cards are turned in for that class. Once cards have been turned in by the judges, there shall be no changes in the cards, except for correction of improper recording of an exhibitor number, or under protest.
- i. The AMHA office will be required to supply every AMHA show with official judging cards. These cards will have all class descriptions for the appropriate class imprinted on the official cards.
- j. Judges are required to complete a show evaluation form which gives each judge an opportunity to evaluate the show, management, etc. These forms are distributed to the judges by show

management. It is the responsibility of the judges to individually complete these forms and return them to the AMHA office within ten (10) days.(Amended 6-7-03, effective 01-04)

k. Refer to Section GR-010 E through N for additional rules related to judges.

Points **b,c,d,f,g,h,i,j** will not be mandatory for SMHF non-approved shows.

Regler **b,c,d,f,g,h,i,j** gäller inte på SMHF non-approved shows.

I kort betyder det för SMHF non-approved shows att:

- a. En domare ska känna AMHA regler och ska var 'rätt' klädd för show.
- b. En domare får vara domare på shows i närheten med.
- c. En domare får vara domare på samma show flera tillfälle efter varan.
- d. En domare får vara på showterrängen innan showen börjar.
- e. En domare ska berätta i tid till organisationen om den inte kan vara domare av någon anledning.
- f. En domare får vara på showterrängen innan showen och får prata med deltagare, kolla hästar och får ser programmet.
- g. Om det är en flerdags show med olika domare får en domare visa hästarsjälva med på de andra dagar.
- h. Om det finns flera domare på en show får de prata/diskutera med varan när klassen pågår.
- i. AMHA behöver inte att dela ut judge cards för non-approved shows.
- j. Domare behöver inte att fylla i en formulär för att evaluera showen.

#### E. Judge evaluation (page 91)

This will not be mandatory for SMHF non-approved shows.

#### **GR-035 RIBBONS AND AWARDS**

- C. The following is required for ribbons:
- 1. Placement to sixth place.
- 2. 1st-Blue, 2nd-Red, 3rd-Yellow, 4th-White, 5th-Pink, 6thGreen

OR in Canada only 1st-Red, 2nd-Blue, 3rd-White,

4th-Yellow, 5th-Green, 6th-Pink.

- 3. Grand Champion Blue, Red and Yellow or White
- combination or Purple.
- 4. Reserve Champion Red, Yellow and White or Pink

combination or Purple and White combination.

At SMHF non-approved shows nr2, 3 and 4 will not be mandatory. Other color (combinations) are allowed.

På SMHF non-approved-shows kan andra färger än de i AMHAs regelbok föreskrivna förekomma.

# **GR-045 RING PROCEDURE (page 93)**

C. Names of horses being exhibited will not be made known to the judge prior to the show. Exhibitors will be issued a number for each horse to be displayed on the back of the handler or on the back of the cart whenever the horse is in the ring. This number will stand for the entire show.

At SMHF non-approved shows it will be allowed to display the number on other places as well. Requirement: it has to be visible at all times.

Nummerlappen kan vara olika placerad, bara den syns.

I. Halter horses eligible to show in their respective championship classes must show unless excused by the show manager or judge. Non-compliance will result in forfeiture of points won in respective qualifying class. The second place horse would then move to the first position in the championship class. Violation of this rule shall be referred to the Executive Committee. (Amended 11-10-00, effective 01-02)

At SMHF non-approved shows, horses eligible to show in their respective championship class may be excused by the owner, handler, lessee and show staff.

På SMHF non-approved shows får man strycka hästar som får vara med i Championklasser av deltagare själva och show organisationen. De blir inte tvungen att deltar i Championklasser.

J. No class will be allowed to enter the ring after midnight or before 8:00 a.m. at all AMHA-approved shows including the AMHA Championships and World Championship Show without approval of the AMHA Executive Director, or designee. (Amended 12-6-03, effective 01-04)

At SMHF non-approved shows the show-manager can give approval for this.

På SMHF non-approved shows får showmanager bestämma tider (när klasser ska börja och när showen ska avslutas för dagen).

K. Classes may not enter the ring in any division until all awards from the previous class have been presented.

At SMHF non-approved shows, this rule will not apply.

Hos SMHF non-approved shows får en klass börja innan prisutdelningen/fotografering är färdiga från klassen innan.

# **GR-050 PROTESTS (page 95)**

A. All protests shall be handled according to the following:

- 1. Any protest (excluding height protest) must be made in writing to the show manager or the ring steward not later than one hour after the completion of the last class of the show. The protest shall be accompanied by a \$100.00 deposit, which shall be returned to the protestor in the event the protest is sustained. If a protest is not sustained the \$100.00 protest fee shall go to the profits of the show. (Amended 11-10-00, effective 01-02)
- 2. Protests shall be adjudicated by a protest committee of three (3) show officials not involved in the dispute.
- 3. The Protest Committee shall promptly meet and adjudicate the issue, make effective its decision upon the parties in interest and report its determination to all parties. A show Protest Committee may disqualify 96 SHOW RULES a person and/or his/her entries for the duration of the show.
- 4. The decision of the Protest Committee may be appealed to the AMHA Show Rules Committee with an additional \$100.00 and all copies of paperwork sent to the protestee by the protestor. A second appeal may be made to the AMHA Board of Directors with an additional \$100.00 fee. The decision of the Board of Directors is final.
- 5. No protest of approved show rules or Show Rules Committee's previous interpretations of any rule will be allowed on show level.

At SMHF non-approved shows complaints will be handled by the showmanager, points 2,3,4 do not apply. A protest costs 500 kr. This will be returned to the protester in case the protest is sustained. In all other cases will it go to the SMHF.

Protester hos SMHF non-approved shows tas enbart emot av showmanager. Det kostar 500:- kr att lämna in en protest. Man får tillbaka summan om man får rätt, annars går avgiften till klubben.

#### CL-000 CLASS DESCRIPTION & RULES (page 97)

# **CL-005 SHOW DISQUALIFICATIONS**

A. Inheritable deformity

- 1. If in doubt, the show judge may request the opinion of the show veterinarian. Non-disfiguring blemishes not associated with unsoundness, or injuries which are temporary, should not be penalized unless they impair the general appearance and/or action of the horse.
- B. Cryptorchidism or monorchidism in senior stallions

1. All senior stallions are required to present an Official AMHA Certificate of Veterinary Inspection of Stallion for cryptorchidism or monorchidism to show management prior to showing in an AMHA-approved show. Official AMHA forms for inspection are to be supplied by the AMHA office. Cryptorchidism or monorchidism in senior stallions refers to stallions three (3) years of age or older with one or both testicles not normally descended into the scrotum. Undescended testicles will not be checked for or penalized in horses under three (3) years of age. Certificate of inspection for cryptorchidism and monorchidism must be on file with the show manager. A horse that does not have a form on file or the horse is cryptorchid or monorchid will be disqualified. (Amended 12-8-01, effective 01-02)

This rule (B.) does not apply on SMHF non-approved shows /activities.

På SMHF non-approved shows och aktiviteter är det inte obligatoriskt att lämna in en 'Official AMHA Certificate of Veterinary Inspection of Stallion for cryptorchidism or monorchidism' (en veterinär förklarning att bägge testiklar har kommit ner hos en hingst).

- C. Height
- 1. No horse shall exceed 34 inches in height.
- 2. Weanlings must not exceed 30 inches in height.
- 3. Yearlings must not exceed 32 inches in height.
- 4. Two-year-olds must not exceed 33 inches in height

Att SMHF non-approved shows and other activities horses will be allowed who meet the criteria of AMHR B-size (max 38"). At SMHF shows they will get designated classes in the halter section.

Hos SMHF non-approved shows får också hästar deltar som upfyller krav för AMHR B-sized höjder. De får egna klasser i 'halter' klasser.

# 'B' classes:

Height requirements: (=AMHR B-division heights): Horses 3 years of age and older over 34 inch but not over 38 inch Two Year Olds over 33 inch to 37 inch Yearlings over 32 inch to 36 inch Foal of current year over 30 inch to 32 inch

# **CL-010 HALTER CLASS GENERAL RULES** (page 97)

2. Classes may not enter the ring until all awards from the previous class are presented.

This rule does not apply for SMHF non-approved shows.

Klasser får börja, även om prisutdelningen inte är färdiga än från klassen innan.

D. Horses must be serviceably sound or be disqualified for that class, in good condition, and well groomed. Transmissible weakness will be penalized. Overbites/ underbites that exceed 1/2 depth (thickness) of the teeth will be severely penalized, with the exception of geldings. Judges MUST check teeth on all horses except geldings. In Supreme Halter class, all teeth must be checked. (Amended 02-21-02, effective 01-03)

At SMHF non-approved shows it is up to the judges to decide if they need to check the teeth again in the grands and supreme classes. Rest of the rule applies as normal.

Hästar ska vara frisk och kunna deltar utan hälsomässiga problem annars blir de diskvalificerade. De ka vara i bra kondition och bra presenterat i utseendet. Tydliga svagheter/fel tas med i bedömningen. Överbett och underbett ska inte vara mer än halva tjockleken från tanden. Det gäller inte valacker. Domare ska kontrollera alla hästars bett (men inte valacker). En domare får välja själv om den vill ser tändarna igen i Grands och Supreme klasser.

# **CL-020 SPECIALTY HALTER CLASSES** (page 102)

A. In color classes, horses are to be judged 80% on the natural color of the horse, and conformation to count 20%. In color classes, horses are to be circled both ways of the ring in order to judge the 80% color. Horses must be lined up, head to tail in the center of the arena, to judge the 20% conformation. If offered the classes must be divided as follows:

- 1. Multi-color stallions and geldings (limited to Pinto and Appaloosa only)
- 2. Solid color stallions and geldings (open to all other colors)
- 3. Multi-color mares (limited to Pinto and Appaloosa only)
- 4. Solid color mares (open to all other colors)

SMHF may combine the different colorclasses and therefor have the possibility to put mares and stallions together, but will not combine solid and multicolor.

På AMHA approved shows finns det separata sto och hingstklasser för båda färgklasser (solid och multicolor). SMHF får sammanlägga färgklasser för sto och hingst, men får aldrig sammanlägga solid och multi color.

B. Broodmares Mares must be four (4) years and older and must have produced a foal in the current or previous year who is registered with the AMHA.

At non-approved SMHF shows the foal does not need to be registered with the AMHA. But, evidence is needed in case the foal was born the year before. This can be registration at another registry, copy pass etc.

På SMHF non-approvd shows behöver fölet inte vara registrerade hos AMHA. Men, om stoet hade ett föl året innan, då ska det bevisas. Till exempel med registrering från fölet hos någon annan register, kopia pass etc..

#### **YD-000 YOUTH DIVISION**

#### **YD-010 REQUIREMENTS**

All show rules apply to the Youth Division except where specifically modified in the passages below regarding the Youth Division. All youth must have a current AMHyA membership card. The AMHyA, a division of AMHA, will keep a Youth Directory of the youth applying to the Association. Application forms will be available from the AMHA office. The youth will receive a special packet including an AMHA Rule Book, AMHyA identification card, biography form and other materials which promote youth participation in AMHyA. (Amended 02-20-04, effective 01-05) (Amended 6-13-04, effective 01-05)

At non-approved AMHA shows and activities, an AMHyA membership card is not needed.

På SMHF non-approved shows är det inte obligatoriskt för barn att har en AMHA youth kort.

# AM-000 AMATEUR DIVISION (page 144)

- 4. Amateur cards will be required to show in all amateur classes.
- a. Amateur card numbers are to be submitted on entry forms that have amateur class entries.
- b. Amateur card numbers will remain with the person (i.e., upon yearly renewal, numbers will remain the same.)
- c. Amateur exhibitors will be required to submit a copy of their current Amateur cards with horse show entries. If an exhibitor does not have an amateur card at a show, they may apply and pay a fee at that show when making their entries. The entry form will be marked pending making them eligible to exhibit at that show. The fee and application will accompany the show results to the AMHA office. (Amended 2-20-04, effective 01-05)

I SMHF non-approved shows a current AMHA amateur card is not needed.

Hos SMHF non-approved shows är det inte obligatoriskt att har en AMHA amateur kort.

# (page 148) B. Ownership requirements

Any horse exhibited in amateur classes must be owned or leased by the amateur individually or jointly, the amateur's family (spouse, mother, father, brother, sister, niece, nephew, son, daughter, grandchild, grandparent, legal ward, in-laws, step-children, step-parents, step-siblings), or solely owned corporation, ranch or farm. (Amended 12-6-03, effective 01-04)

1. Such ownership must be evidenced by the records of the Association and the Certificate of registration of such horse must show such person as the owner by proper endorsement of the Association at the time the horse is entered in any Amateur class; or the record of lease must be on file at the AMHA office.

At SMHF non-approved shows the following will apply: Any horse exhibited in amateur classes must be owned or leased by the amateur individually or jointly, the amateur's family (spouse, mother, father, brother, sister, niece, nephew, son, daughter, grandchild, grandparent, legal ward, in-laws, step-children, step-parents, step-siblings), or solely owned corporation, ranch or farm. 1. Such ownership must be evidenced by one of the following: a selling contract, invoice and proof of payment, current paperwork from a registry like AMHA or AMHR or SH.

På SMHF non-approved shows gäller följande för krav på att vara ägare:

Alla hästar som visas i amatörklasser ska vara ägd eller leased av:

- -amatören själva eller tillsammans (till exempel syndicat eller om en häst har fler ägare).
- släkt till amatören (sambo, make, mor, far, bror, syster, son, dotter, barnbarn, farfar, farmor, morfar, mormor, syskons barn, vårdnadshavare, svärfamilj, styvbarn, styvföräldrar, styvsyskon)
- ett företag, stuteri som amatören har själv.

Det ska visas genom antingen ett köpekontrakt, antingen faktura med kvitto på betalning, eller aktuellt papper från en registreringsnämnd som AMHA, AMHR, SH etc.

# Extra undnatag för Sto-föl:

På samtliga SMHF non-approved show och arrangemanger får föl blir visat I sällskap med stoet. Det gäller också tvärtom: Ett sto får deltar i en klass med hennes föl som sällskap.