



# AMHA Showmanship Class Score Sheet

Judge \_\_\_\_\_

Class \_\_\_\_\_

|          |          | MANEUVERS |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |       |       |
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| Maneuver |          | 1         | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | F & E | SCORE |
|          | Penalty  |           |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |       |       |
|          | Maneuver |           |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |       |       |
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**The Rulebook lists Appearance of Exhibitor (10 points), Appearance of Horse (40 points), and Showing Horse in the Ring (50 points) as the three criteria. Keep the percentage of each criteria the same as you evaluate each maneuver on a -3 to +3 basis.**

**Each contestant** is scored between 0 - infinity points and automatically begins the run with a score of 70 points

**Scale:** -3 Extremely Poor, -2 Very Poor, -1 Poor, 0 Correct, +1 Good, +2 Very Good, +3 Excellent

**From and Effectiveness:** Excellent (5) Very Good (4) Good (3) Average (0-2)

**PENALTIES**

**Three (3) points:** Break of gait at a walk or trot up to 2 strides; Over or under turning up to 1/8 turn; after presentation.

Ticking or hitting the cone; Sliding a pivot foot; lifting a pivot foot during a pivot and replacing it in the same place;

Lifting a foot in a set-up and replacing in the same place after presentation.

**Five (5)Points:** Not performing the specific gait or not stopping within 10 feet (3 meters) of the designated location;

Break of gait at a walk or trot for more than 2 strides; Splitting the cone between the horse and the exhibitor;

Horse stepping out or moving the hind-end significantly during a pivot or or turn; Horse stepping out of set-up after

presentation; Horse resting foot or hip shot in presentation; Over or under turning 1/8 to 1/4 turn.

**Ten (10) Points:** Exhibitor is not in the required position during inspection; Exhibitor touching the horse or kicking or

pointing their feet at the horses feet during the set-up; Standing directly in front of the horse; Loss of lead shank,

holding chain, two hands on shank; Blatant disobedience (biting, kicking, rearing, or pawing) horse continually

circling the exhibitor.

**DISQUALIFICATIONS**

1. The chain portion of the lead can not be placed in the horse's mouth or over the horse's nose.

2. Failure to wear proper attire.