

# Trail and In-Hand Trail Score Sheet



## American Paint Horse Association

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Event BACK TO BASICS Date 4/19/2026 Class APHAAT1 Amateur Trail All Ages Judge ARMY; BRUCE

### Maneuver Scores

Rating	Point Value
Excellent	+1½
Very Good	+1
Good	+½
Average	0
Poor	-½
Very Poor	-1
Extremely Poor	-1½

### Penalties

Error / Penalty ¼	Error / Penalty ½	Error / Penalty 1	Error / Penalty 3	Error / Penalty 5
• Tick of log, pole, cone, plant or obstacle	• Hit or step on • Incorrect or break of gait at walk or jog 2 strides or less	• Incorrect or break of gait at walk or jog 2 strides or less	• Incorrect or break of gait at walk or jog over 2 strides • Out of lead or break of gait at lope • Knockdown • Step out or jump off with one foot (After entering)	• Step Out or jump off with two or more feet (After entering) • Drop object • 1st refusal or evade • Dropping Gate • Blatant disobedience • 2nd refusal or evade
	• Both feet in space • Skip space • Split pole			• Instill fear or praise • Holding saddle horn

### Disqualification

Error / Penalty 0
• Work obstacle wrong • Wrong line of travel • Working outside course boundary • 3rd refusal or evade • Dropping the rope gate and not picking it up • Fail to complete obstacle • Excessively or repeatedly touching horse • Overturns of more than ¼ turn • No attempt to perform obstacle • Performing obstacles out of order • In-hand: Horse gets loose or leading on the wrong side

W/O	Entry No.	Obstacle Description	Obstacles												Penalty Total	FINAL SCORE	
			W	RH GATE	J	LL	J	RL	J	RL	J, B	W					
1	148	Penalty Score				½		3,DQ								0	DQ
		Obstacle Score	+½	+½	+½	0	0										
2	257	Penalty Score														0	74½
		Obstacle Score	+½	+½	+½	+½	+½	+½	+½	+½	0	+½					
3	189	Penalty Score		1				3				DQ				0	DQ
		Obstacle Score	0	-½	-½	-½	0	-1	-½	-1							
4	147	Penalty Score			1	1		1,1,DQ								0	DQ
		Obstacle Score	+½	+½	-½	0	0										
5	162	Penalty Score					1		1	3,1						6	64
		Obstacle Score	+½	+½	0	0	0	-½	0	-1	0	+½					
6	124	Penalty Score				1	1	1,1,1								5	66
		Obstacle Score	+½	+½	0	0	0	-1	0	+½	0	+½					
7	175	Penalty Score				1	1		1	1						4	71
		Obstacle Score	+½	+½	+½	+½	+½	+1	0	+½	+½	+½					
		Penalty Score															
		Obstacle Score															
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Maneuver Scores		Penalties		Disqualification
Rating	Point Value	Error / Penalty 1/4	Error / Penalty 3	Error / Penalty 0
Excellent	+1 1/2	• Tick of log, pole, cone, plant or obstacle	Incorrect or break of gait at walk or jog over 2 strides • Out of lead or break of gait at lope • Knockdown • Step out or jump off with one foot (After entering)	•Work obstacle wrong •Wrong line of travel •Wicking outside course boundary •3rd refusal or evade
Very Good	+1	Error / Penalty 1	Error / Penalty 5	•Dropping the rope gate and not picking it up •Fail to complete obstacle •Excessively or repeatedly touching horse •Overturns of more than 1/4 turn
Good	+3/4	• Hit or step on • Incorrect or break of gait at walk or jog 2 strides or less	• Step Out or jump off with two or more feet (After entering) •Drop object • 1st refusal or evade • Dropping Gate • Blatant disobedience • 2nd refusal or evade	No attempt to perform obstacle •Performing obstacles out of order •In-hand: Horse gets loose or leading on the wrong side
Average	0	• Both feet in space • Skip space • Split pole	• Instill fear or praise •Holding saddle horn	
Fair	-1/4			
Very Poor	-1			
Extremely Poor	-1 1/2			

W/O	Entry No.	Obstacle Description	W	RH GATE	J	LL	J	RL	J	RL	J, B	W	Penalty Total	FINAL SCORE
			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		
1	148	Penalty Score						3	DQ				0	DQ
		Obstacle Score	0	0	+1/2	+1/2	+1/2	-1						
2	257	Penalty Score										1	1	72
		Obstacle Score	+1/2	0	0	+1/2	+1/2	+1/2	0	+1	0	0		
3	189	Penalty Score		1				1,3			DQ		0	DQ
		Obstacle Score	0	-1/2	0	-1/2	-1/2	-1	-1/2	-1				
4	147	Penalty Score			1,1	1		DQ					0	DQ
		Obstacle Score	+1/2	+1/2	-1/2	0	+1							
5	162	Penalty Score				1			1/2	3			4 1/2	68
		Obstacle Score	+1/2	+1	+1/2	0	0	+1/2	0	-1	+1/2	+1/2		
6	124	Penalty Score	1/2			1	1	1,1,1					5 1/2	65
		Obstacle Score	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0	+1/2	+1/2	+1/2		
7	175	Penalty Score	1			1,1/2	1		1	1/2,1			6	66 1/2
		Obstacle Score	0	+1/2	+1/2	0	0	+1	0	0	0	+1/2		
		Penalty Score												
		Obstacle Score												
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### Maneuver Scores

Rating	Point Value
Excellent	+1½
Very Good	+1
Good	+½
Average	0
Poor	-½
Very Poor	-1
Extremely Poor	-1½

### Penalties

- Error / Penalty ½**  
 • Tick of log, pole, cone, plant or obstacle
- Error / Penalty 1**  
 • Hit or step on • Incorrect or break of gait at walk or jog 2 strides or less  
 • Both feet in space • Skip space • Split pole  
 • Failure to meet correct strides
- Error / Penalty 3**  
 Incorrect or break of gait at walk or jog over 2 strides • Out of lead or break of gait at lope • Knockdown • Step out or jump off with one foot (After entering)
- Error / Penalty 5**  
 • Step Out or jump off with two or more feet (After entering) • Drop object • 1st refusal or evade • Dropping Gate • Blatant disobedience • 2nd refusal or evade  
 • Instill fear or praise • Holding saddle horn

### Disqualification

- Error / Penalty 0**  
 • Work obstacle wrong • Wrong line of travel • Working outside course boundary • 3rd refusal or evade  
 • Dropping the rope gate and not picking it up • Fail to complete obstacle • Excessively or repeatedly touching horse • Overturns of more than ¼ turn  
 No attempt to perform obstacle • Performing obstacles out of order • In-hand: Horse gets loose or leading on the wrong side

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			W	RH GATE	J	LL	J	RL	J	RL	J, B	W					
1	148	Penalty Score														0	DQ
		Obstacle Score	0	+½	+½	+½	0										
2	257	Penalty Score														0	74
		Obstacle Score	+½	0	+½	+½	+½	+1	0	+½	0	+½					
3	189	Penalty Score		1		3				DQ						0	DQ
		Obstacle Score	0	-½	0	-1	-½	-1									
4	147	Penalty Score			1	½				DQ						0	DQ
		Obstacle Score	+½	+½	-½	0	+½										
5	162	Penalty Score								3						3	70
		Obstacle Score	+½	+½	0	+½	+½	-1	+½	+½	+½	+½					
6	124	Penalty Score				1	1	1,1								4	65½
		Obstacle Score	0	0	0	0	-½	-1	+½	+½	0	0					
7	175	Penalty Score	½			½	½			½	1					3	70½
		Obstacle Score	0	+½	+½	0	0	+1	+½	0	+½	+½					
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Excellent	+1½
Very Good	+1
Good	+½
Average	0
Poor	-½
Very Poor	-1
Extremely Poor	-1½

### Penalties

Error / Penalty ½	Error / Penalty 3	Error / Penalty 5
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<b>Error / Penalty 1</b>		
• Hit or step on • Incorrect or break of gait at walk or jog 2 strides or less		
• Both feet in space • Skip space • Split pole		
• Failure to meet correct strides		

### Disqualification

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			W	RH GATE	J	LL	J	RL	J	RL	J, B	W						
1	148	Penalty Score							3	Z							0	0
		Obstacle Score	0	0	+½	+½	+½	-1										
2	257	Penalty Score															0	75
		Obstacle Score	+½	+½	+½	+½	+½	+½	+½	+1	+½	0						
3	189	Penalty Score		1					3		3	1,Z					0	0
		Obstacle Score	0	-½	0	-½	0	-1	-½	-1								
4	147	Penalty Score			1,1				Z								0	0
		Obstacle Score	+½	+½	-½	0	+½											
5	162	Penalty Score				1		1	1	3							6	65
		Obstacle Score	0	+½	+½	0	0	0	0	-1	+½	+½						
6	124	Penalty Score				1	1	1,1,1									5	65½
		Obstacle Score	0	+½	0	0	0	-1	0	+½	0	+½						
7	175	Penalty Score	1			1,1	1		1	1							6	66½
		Obstacle Score	0	+½	+½	0	0	+½	0	0	+½	+½						
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