OFFICIAL JUDGES CARD

NCHA
NATIONAL CUTTING HORSE ASSOCIATION

Show: Heritage Classic **Date:** 8/28/25 **Time:**

Class: #200 Cutting **Go Round:** **Class pays** **places.**

Run Content:

Herd Work: Driving a cow (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
Controlling the cow: Working in center of arena (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
Degree of Difficulty: (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
Eye Appeal: (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
Amount of Courage: (+)(v+)(v)(v-)(-)
Time Worked: (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
Loose Reins: (-) (only)
Horse Charging: (-) (only)
Forced Off a Cow: (-) (only)
Excessive Herdholder Help: (-) (only)

Any Empty Run Content Box Indicates Average.

Penalties:

One Point
(A) Miss-Loss of working advantage - 11
(a)-1/2 Miss-Loss of working advantage - 11
(B) Reining or visibly cueing - 8
(C) Noise directed toward cattle - 5a
(D) Toe, foot or stirrup on shoulder - 8d
(E) Hold on too long on a cut - 8a
(F) Working out of position - 11
(G) Hand too far forward - 8

Three Points
(A) Hot quit -13
(B) Cattle picked up or scattered - 5b
(C) Second hand on the reins - 8b
(D) Spur in the shoulder - 8c
(E) Pawing or biting cattle - 12
(F) Failure to make a deep cut - 1
(G) Back Fence - 6

Five Points
(A) Horse quitting a cow - 14
(B) Losing a cow - 9
(C) Changing cattle after a specific commitment - 10
(D) Failure to separate a single animal after leaving the herd - 15
60 - If horse turns tail - 7
0 - If horse falls to ground - 17

Disqualification (score 0) - illegal equipment, or leaving working area before time expires, or inhumane treatment to the horse.

	HORSE	SCORE	PENALTIES 1 PT	3 PTS	5 PTS	Herd Work	Cow Control	Degree of Difficulty	Eye Appeal	Courage	Time Worked	Cow Score	Loose Reins	Charging	Forced Off	Herd Help
1	336	71				√+	√+	√	√	√	√	71				
						√	√	√	√	√	√	70				
						√	√+	√	√+	√	√	X				
6	432	63	A		B	√	=	√	√	√	√	63				
					B	√	–	√	–	√-	√	62½				
												X				
2	156	70½				√	√	√	√	√	√	70				
						√	√	√	√+	√	√	70½				
						√	√+	√	√	√	√	X				
3	335	69½				√	√	√-	√	√	√	69½				
						√	√	√-	√	√	√	69½				
												X				
5	347	64			B	√	=	√	√	√	√	64				
					B	√	=	√	√	√	√	64				
												X				
4	338	68		B		√-	√	√	√	√	√	66½				
						√	√	√	√	√	√	70				
												X				
	344	69				√	√-	√	√-	√	√	69				
						√	√	√	√	√	√	70				
						√-	√	√	√	√	√	X				
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Divisions within the penalty box represent 1st, 2nd or 3rd cow worked.

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NATIONAL CUTTING HORSE ASSOCIATION

Show: Heritage classic **Date:** 8/28/25 **Time:**

Class: #201 Am. Cutting **Go Round:** **Class pays** **places.**

Run Content:

Herd Work: Driving a cow (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
Controlling the cow: Working in center of arena (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
Degree of Difficulty: (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
Eye Appeal: (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
Amount of Courage: (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
Time Worked: (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
Loose Reins: (-) (only)
Horse Charging: (-) (only)
Forced Off a Cow: (-) (only)
Excessive Herdholder Help: (-) (only)

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Penalties:

One Point
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Three Points
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HORSE	SCORE	PENALTIES 1 PT	3 PTS	5 PTS	RUN CONTENT Herd Work	Cow Control	Degree of Difficulty	Eye Appeal	Courage	Time Worked	Cow Score	Loose Reins	Charging	Forced Off	Herd Help
344	66½		BA		√-	-	√	√	√	√	62½				
					√	√	√	√	√	√	70				
					√	√+	√	√+	√	√	X				
156	70½				√	√	√	√+	√	√	70½				
					√	√	√	√	√	√	70				
					√	√+	√	√+	√	√	X				
336	70				√	√	√	√	√	√	70				
					√	√					70				
											X				
334	67	B	A		√	-	√	√	√	√	65				
					√	√	√	√-	√	√	69½				
											X				
347	67½				√	√	√	√	√	√	70				
				B	√	-	√	√+	√	√	64				
											X				
											X				
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											X				

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AQHA

VRH & RHC RANCH CUTTING

Date:	8/28/25
Show:	Heritage Classic
Class:	#203 All Breed Ranch Cutting
Judge:	Jan Larsen

1 point
A - losing working advantage
C - working out of position
D - toe, foot, or stirrup on the shoulder
V - over-bridled (per maneuver)
W - out of frame (per maneuver)

3 points
A - hot quit
B - cattle picked up or scattered
D - back fence
E - pawing or biting cattle
F - spurring on shoulder

5 points
A - horse quitting cow
B - losing cow
C - changing cattle after a specific commitment
D - failure to separate a single animal after leaving the herd
E - blatant disobedience

Off Pattern (OP) - to be placed below horses performing all maneuvers
A - Turning tail
B - Use of two hands (except in snaffle bit or hackamore)
C - More than one finger between split reins or any fingers between romal reins
E - repeated blatant disobedience
F - failure to cut two cows

Disqualified - 0 Score
A - abuse
B - lameness
D - disrespect or misconduct
E - excessive disturbance of herd to the point that exhibitor is asked to leave the arena
G - Illegal equipment
F - fall of horse/rider
N - improper western attire
H - leaving arena before run is complete

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MANEUVER SCORES

Each horse/rider combination is scored between 0-100 points and automatically begins the run with a score of 70 points
-1 1/2 Extremely Poor, -1 Very Poor, -1/2 Poor, 0 Correct, +1/2 Good, +1 Very Good, +1 1/2 Excellent

WO	Entry #	PENALTIES COW 1 (1 POINT)	PENALTIES COW 2 (1 POINT)	PENALTIES COW 1 (3 POINT)	PENALTIES COW 2 (3 POINT)	PENALTIES COW 1 (5 POINT)	PENALTIES COW 2 (5 POINT)	COW 1 Herd Work	COW 1 Control of Cow	COW 1 Degree of Diff.	COW 1 Eye Appeal	COW 2 Herd Work	COW 2 Control of Cow	COW 2 Degree of Diff.	COW 2 Eye Appeal	Courage	Avg Cow 1/ Cow 2	Penalty Total	Score	Off Pattern
TIE-BREAKER																				
1	188						B B	-1	-1	0	0	-1	-1	0	0	0	63 / 63	10	63	

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AQHA

VRH & RHC RANCH CUTTING

Date:	8/28/25
Show:	~~#204~~ Heritage Classic
Class:	#204 VRH Ranch Cutting
Judge:	Jan Larsen

1 point
A - losing working advantage
C - working out of position
D - toe, foot, or stirrup on the shoulder
V - over-bridled (per maneuver)
W - out of frame (per maneuver)

3 points
A - hot quit
B - cattle picked up or scattered
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F - spurring on shoulder

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E - repeated blatant disobedience
F - failure to cut two cows

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B - lameness
D - disrespect or misconduct
E - excessive disturbance of herd to the point that exhibitor is asked to leave the arena
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WO	Entry #	PENALTIES 1 POINT COW 1	1 POINT COW 2	3 POINT COW 1	3 POINT COW 2	5 POINT COW 1	5 POINT COW 2	TIE-BREAKER	MANEUVER SCORES (Each horse/rider combination is scored between 0-100 points and automatically begins the run with a score of 70 points. -1 1/2 Extremely Poor, -1 Very Poor, -1/2 Poor, 0 Correct, +1/2 Good, +1 Very Good, +1 1/2 Excellent) COW 1 Herd Work	COW 1 Control of Cow	COW 1 Degree of Diff.	COW 1 Eye Appeal	COW 2 Herd Work	COW 2 Control of Cow	COW 2 Degree of Diff.	COW 2 Eye Appeal	Courage	Avg Cow 1/ Cow 2	Penalty Total	Score	Off Pattern
1	450								0	0	0	0	+1/2	0	0	0	0	70/70½		70½	
2	429	W							-1/2	0	0	0	-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	0	68½/67½	1	67½	
3	453								-1/2	-1/2	0	0	-1/2	-1/2	0	0	0	69/69		69	
4	331								-1/2	-1/2	0	-1/2	-1/2	0	-1/2	0	0	68½/68½		68½	
5	452								-1	0	-1/2	0	-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	0	68½/68		68	
6	432								0	+1/2	0	0	+1/2	+1/2	0	0	0	70½/71		71	
7	451		W						-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	68/67	1	67	
8	304	W W W	W W						-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	-1	-1	-1/2	-1	-1	0	64½/64½	5	64½	

Judge's Signature: Jan Larsen

AQHA

VRH & RHC RANCH CUTTING

Date:	8/28/25
Show:	Heritage Classic
Class:	#204 VRH Ranch Cutting
Judge:	Jan Larsen

1 point
A - losing working advantage
C - working out of position
D - toe, foot, or stirrup on the shoulder
V - over-bridled (per maneuver)
W - out of frame (per maneuver)

3 points
A - hot quit
B - cattle picked up or scattered
D - back fence
E - pawing or biting cattle
F - spurring on shoulder

5 points
A - horse quitting cow
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F - failure to cut two cows

Disqualified - 0 Score
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B - lameness
D - disrespect or misconduct
E - excessive disturbance of herd to the point that exhibitor is asked to leave the arena
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F - fall of horse/rider
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WO	Entry #	PENALTIES						MANEUVER SCORES										Penalty Total	Score	Off Pattern
		COW 1	COW 2	COW 1	COW 2	COW 1	COW 2	COW 1				COW 2								
		1 POINT		3 POINT		5 POINT		Herd Work	Control of Cow	Degree of Diff.	Eye Appeal	Herd Work	Control of Cow	Degree of Diff.	Eye Appeal	Courage	Avg Cow 1/ Cow 2			
		TIE-BREAKER																		
9	335							0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	70/70		70	

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Ladder Sheet

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Class: #204 UPH Ranch Cutting Judge: Jan Larsen

score	#	#	#
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70	335.		
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69	453.		
68.5	331.		
68	452.		
67.5	429.		
67	451		
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64	304		
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46			
45.5			
45 or less			

Judge's Signature:

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VRH & RHC RANCH CUTTING

Date:	8/25/25
Show:	Heritage classic
Class:	#215 VRH limited Am.
Judge:	Jan Larsen

1 point
A - losing working advantage
C - working out of position
D - toe, foot, or stirrup on the shoulder
V - over-bridled (per maneuver)
W - out of frame (per maneuver)

3 points
A - hot quit
B - cattle picked up or scattered
D - back fence
E - pawing or biting cattle
F - spurring on shoulder

5 points
A - horse quitting cow
B - losing cow
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Disqualified - 0 Score
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WO	Entry #	PENALTIES COW 1 (1 POINT)	PENALTIES COW 2 (1 POINT)	PENALTIES COW 1 (3 POINT)	PENALTIES COW 2 (3 POINT)	PENALTIES COW 1 (5 POINT)	PENALTIES COW 2 (5 POINT)	MANEUVER SCORES COW 1 Herd Work	COW 1 Control of Cow	COW 1 Degree of Diff.	COW 1 Eye Appeal	COW 2 Herd Work	COW 2 Control of Cow	COW 2 Degree of Diff.	COW 2 Eye Appeal	Courage	Avg Cow 1/ Cow 2	Penalty Total	Score	Off Pattern
1	304	W				B	B	-½	-1	0	-1	-½	-1	0	-1	0	62½/63½	11	63	
2	452					C		-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	64/70	5	67	
3	450							0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	70/70		70	

TIE-BREAKER

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AQHA

VRH & RHC RANCH CUTTING

Date:	8/28/25
Show:	Heritage Classic
Class:	#219 VRH limited youth
Judge:	Jan Larsen

1 point
A - losing working advantage
C - working out of position
D - toe, foot, or stirrup on the shoulder
V - over-bridled (per maneuver)
W - out of frame (per maneuver)

3 points
A - hot quit
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WO	Entry #	PENALTIES COW 1 1 POINT	PENALTIES COW 2 1 POINT	PENALTIES COW 1 3 POINT	PENALTIES COW 2 3 POINT	PENALTIES COW 1 5 POINT	PENALTIES COW 2 5 POINT	MANEUVER SCORES COW 1 Herd Work	COW 1 Control of Cow	COW 1 Degree of Diff.	COW 1 Eye Appeal	COW 2 Herd Work	COW 2 Control of Cow	COW 2 Degree of Diff.	COW 2 Eye Appeal	Courage	Avg Cow 1: Cow 2	Penalty Total	Score	Off Pattern
	TIE-BREAKER																			
1	433							-1/2	0	0	-1/2	-1/2	0	0	-1/2	0	69/69		69	

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Ranch Cutting

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Event: Heritage classic

Class: #220 novice youth Ranch cutting

Date: 8/28/25

W/O	Entry No.	PENALTIES						RUN CONTENT										Penalty Total	Score	OP
		Cow 1	Cow 2	Cow 1	Cow 2	Cow 1	Cow 2	Cow 1				Cow 2				Courage	Average Cow 1 / Cow 2			
		1 Point		3 Points		5 Points		Hard Work	Control of Cow	Degree of Difficulty	Eye Appeal	Hard Work	Control of Cow	Degree of Difficulty	Eye Appeal					
Tie-Breaker																				
1	428						B	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	70 / 64		67	

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NATIONAL CUTTING HORSE ASSOCIATION

Show: Heritage Classic

Date: 8/28/25 **Time:**

Class: #224 Beginning cutting

Go Round: **Class pays** **places.**

Run Content:

Herd Work: Driving a cow (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
Controlling the cow: Working in center of arena (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
Degree of Difficulty: (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
Eye Appeal: (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
Amount of Courage: (+)(v+)(v)(v-)(-)
Time Worked: (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
Loose Reins: (-) (only)
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Three Points
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(D) Spur in the shoulder - 8c
(E) Pawing or biting cattle - 12
(F) Failure to make a deep cut - 1
(G) Back Fence - 6

Five Points
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60 - If horse turns tail - 7
0 - If horse falls to ground - 17

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HORSE	SCORE	PENALTIES 1 PT	3 PTS	5 PTS	RUN CONTENT Herd Work	Cow Control	Degree of Difficulty	Eye Appeal	Courage	Time Worked	Cow Score	Loose Reins	Charging	Forced Off	Herd Help
331 Romel	69				√-	√-	√-	√-	√-	√-	67				
					✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	70				
					✓	√+	√	√+	✓	√	X				
188 2-Hands	62			B	√-	√-	√-	√-	√-	√-	62				
				B	—	—	√	—	✓	✓	62				
											X				
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