



**VERSATILITY RANCH HORSE - TRAIL**

SHOW: VRH Ranch Trail Am

CLASS: 340, 341, 342, 343, 344

DATE: JAN 14

**1 Point Penalties:**

- Over-bridled (per maneuver)
- Out of frame (per maneuver)
- Each hit, bite, or stepping on a log, cone, plant or any component of the obstacle
- Incorrect or break of gait at walk or trot for two strides or less
- Both front or hind feet in a single-stride space at a walk or trot
- Skipping over or failing to step into required space
- Incorrect number of strides, if specified
- One or two steps on mount/dismount on/or ground tie (except shifting to balance)
- Split log in lope over

**3 Point Penalties:**

- Wrong lead or out of lead
- Draped reins
- Break of gait at lope
- Break of gait at walk or trot for more than two (2) strides
- Three to four steps on mount/dismount on ground tie

**5 Point Penalties:**

- Spurring in front of cinch
- Blatant disobedience
- Use of either hand to instill fear/praise
- Knocking over, stepping out of, or falling off of an obstacle
- Dropping an object required to be carried
- 1st or 2nd cumulative refusal
- Letting go of gate
- 5 or more steps on mount/dismount or ground tie

**10 Point Penalty:**

- Unnatural Ranch Horse Appearance (Horse's tail is obvious and consistently carried in an unnatural manner in every maneuver)

**Off-Pattern (OP):** Cannot place above others who complete

**pattern correctly**

- Breaking pattern
- 3rd refusal
- Repeated blatant disobedience
- Failure to dally and remain dalled during the drag
- Use of two hands (except in snaffle bit or hackamore)
- More than one finger between split reins or any fingers between romal reins

**Disqualification (DQ):**

- Abuse
- Lameness
- Disrespect or misconduct
- Illegal equipment
- Fall of horse/rider
- Improper western attire
- Leaving arena before pattern is complete

**OBSTACLE SCORES**

Each horse/rider team 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

W/O	#	OBSTACLE SCORES										10 POINT PENALTY	PENALTY TOTAL	SCORE	OFF PATTERN	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10					
		Tie-Breaker														
		Obstacle Description														
		GATE DRAG TROT BRIDGE S/P LOPE BACK 1/4 P.T.														
1	514			1	5	1								8	60	
		PENALTY														
		CONTENT	+1/2	-1/2	0	-1	-1	+1/2	0	-1/2						
			70 1/2	70	69	63	61	61 1/2		60						
2	559			1	5	5	5	5	3					24	43 1/2	✓
		PENALTY														
		CONTENT	+1/2	+1/2	-1	-1/2	0	-1	0	0						
			71	69	47 1/2			43 1/2								
3	511			5	1	1		1	3					11	59 1/2	
		PENALTY														
		CONTENT	+1/2	+1/2	-1/2	+1	0	-1	0	+1						
			71	67 1/2	63 1/2	62 1/2	58 1/2		59 1/2							
4	515		5				1							6	67 1/2	
		PENALTY														
		CONTENT	+1/2	-1	0	+1	0	+1	+1	+1						
			70 1/2	64 1/2		65 1/2	64 1/2	65 1/2	66 1/2	67 1/2						
		PENALTY														
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JUDGE'S NAME (PRINTED):

JUDGE'S SIGNATURE:

Charlene Carter