



Junior Horsemanship Program

Eligibility	Open to any Junior Member (Ownership of a Peruvian Horse is not required.)
Ages	8 through 18 Years (Age of Junior on January 1 st is considered his/her age for the entire year.)
Award Year	Points are counted from January 1 to December 31

Goals	The Horsemanship Program encourages participation and recognizes achievements of NAPHA Junior Members as the next generation of owners and breeders of the Peruvian Horse.
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Activities for Points

- A. Sanctioned Competitive Riding – actual hours in the saddle.
- B. Promotional demonstration on horseback – actual hours in the saddle.
- C. Promotional demonstration—oral or written—time used in presentation.
- D. Holding office as a Junior Representative in a Peruvian Horse club – working hours.
- E. Participating in a Peruvian Parade group—hours on horse or walking with unit.
- F. Volunteering for therapeutic riding programs using Peruvians—hours working with horse.
- G. Riding for leisure—per hour—non-sanctioned event.
- H. Grooming Peruvian Horses, cleaning stalls & tack, helping at a show—actual hours worked.
- I. Working at a Peruvian Horse Show or fundraiser—ribbons, gates, runner etc.—hours worked.
- J. Showing a Peruvian Horse in Open Shows—non NAPHA pointed—actual hours in the ring.
(Note – A through J as shown above are the appropriate Codes to use on the time sheets.)

Point System

Similar to 4-H: Blue, Red & White Ribbons of Merit. One hour of approved participation equals 1 point. Example: Ride 3 hours per week x 52 = 156 points.

Blue Ribbon = 300 Points Red Ribbon = 150 Points White Ribbon = 75 Points

Juniors chronicle their own time and submit total hours of participation semi-annually. Before sending to NAPHA, submission should be verified by NAPHA Governing Council Representative and Parent/Guardian of Junior. Program is conducted on the honor system. Junior is responsible for applying for awards through submission of information in a timely manner. Any Junior may participate in one or more of the listed activities and there is no requirement on the number of activities in which the Junior engages.

FEE: None. Instructions/time sheets may be printed from www.napha.net.

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