

Part II Tack & Attire

->Sec. 2. PERUVIAN (Page 9)

2) Peruvian Attire: In classes under saddle and in the bit where type of gear is optional, attire shall be limited to a white long sleeved shirt, white pants (worn outside boots - not tucked into them), white or cream colored scarf (or tie or ascot with dress coats), neutral colored boots (colors of white to black and beige to dark brown) with a heel no taller than 2", brown or black belt, a Peruvian type hat (i.e. plantation style hat, planter's hat or wide brimmed Peruvian style hat) and a poncho. Ponchos **may be white**, neutral colors of **browns/tans, black/greys, burgundy, darker blues, darker greens, (prints, gaudy colors, sequins & embellishments on ponchos** are not allowed). Alternating stripes must be of **above approved** colors. Ponchos may be no larger than to adequately fit the height and arm span of the wearer. A dress coat or blazer **in colors, same as ponchos**, may be substituted for the poncho unless otherwise specified in the Premium List.

PART IV Gait/**Pisos** DIVISION (Page 15)

Sec. 1. Gait/Pisos** Class.** Entries may be open or restricted by horse's age and/or sex. No stallion 4 years of age or over may compete in this Division unless he is registered as a breeding stallion. Gait/**Pisos** classes will be shown as described in the Breeding Division - General. Judges have the discretion to ask for individual workouts among the selected top horses. Any horse whose angle of the pastern is below horizontal (i.e. the fetlock is level with or below the level of the coronet) will be heavily penalized. Although the horse may appear to be the smoothest, this angle of the pastern denotes weakness. Gait/**Pisos** classes may be qualifying classes for Breeding Division championships under saddle and in the bit but must be so listed in the Premium List.

Judged 100% on Gait/Pisos** (smoothness, termino, advance, collection, overstep and thread). (Refer to page 6-7, Part 1, sec.4 Breed Standard- Gait)**

PART VIII CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS (Page 22)

Sec. 1. Qualification. Open to the present year's Champion and all previous Champions from a particular show in a particular section or as otherwise described in the Premium List, unless the owner has elected to compete in the qualifying classes of that Division, in which case the horse that is a past Champion may not enter directly into the championship but must qualify as any other entry. No Champion of Champions classes may be offered for Junior horses (3 years of age and under.)

Canadian National Show Champions: A horse which has been a Champion of Champions at the PHAC Canadian National Show may compete in either the championship qualifying classes or enter directly into the Champion or Champion of Champions classes at the NAPHA US National Show. If the horse is entered into the qualifying classes and does not qualify to compete in the Championship class, he may not compete in the Champion or Champion of Champions classes in that division at that show. If the horse is entered directly into the Championship class and does not win Champion, he may not compete in the Champion of Champions class in that division at that show. This does not apply to Best Bozal or Best Gaited competitions.

SECTION 4 – EXHIBITORS (Page 24)

a) Good standing requirement. Any one owing a debt 60 days past due (from the date of the first billing) to the NAPHA or one of its approved shows may not be allowed to show in a NAPHA approved show in any capacity, including but not limited to owner, trainer, rider, or handle

b) NAPHA Membership Required for National Show (Effective January 2015) All participants, (owners, agents, lessees, trainers, riders, exhibitors and handlers) at the U.S. National Show, must be current members of, and in good standing with, the NAPHA. This shall also apply to barn personnel assigned to riding horses during warm up. These personnel may apply for an aficionado membership if they do not own a purebred registered Peruvian with NAPHA. This rule shall also apply to participants in carts or wagons or any device being initiated by horse power.

SECTION 13 - DRUGS AND ARTIFICIAL APPLIANCES (Page 27)

Due to their consistent updates in the science and use of drugs and therapeutic drugs, the United States Equestrian Federation (USEF) rules on drugs shall apply to the NAPHA National show as well as NAPHA approved ~~sanctioned~~ shows. The NAPHA retains the right to assert administrative sanctions in relation to responsibility and appropriate fines for positive test results, as outlined in these rules. Please note: USEF guidelines are updated yearly. The use of artificial appliances and drugs (as outlined in the current USEF Guidelines for Drugs and Medications,) shall be prohibited in all phases of horse exhibition in or out of the show ring. If any horse is found to be “sored” according to United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) rules, which enforce the Horse Protection Act (HPA) of 1970 (amended 1976), it will be disqualified, and the owner will be subject to penalties. No horse shall be eligible for competition in any class if it has been administered a forbidden substance, i.e., any stimulant, depressant, tranquilizer, or local anesthetic as outlined in the current USEF Guidelines for Drugs and Medications. It is understood that ~~these~~ drugs can stay in the horse’s system for several days, and individual horses can react differently to the same drug. It is recommended to consult with your veterinarian prior to administration of ANY drugs to assure USEF compliance. A positive test is considered the responsibility of the owner and the assigned trainer, both of whom may be subjected to a \$500 & \$300 fine, respectively and disqualification from the show. Awards, prizes, and ribbons must all be returned.

It is the owner’s responsibility to ensure that all trainers and handlers in contact with their horses understand the rules and penalties!

To be declared “Drug Testing”, testing must be arranged for by the Show Management and “Drug Testing” printed in the Premium List. Management of shows held in states which have state drugging laws and testing procedures must submit copies of their filing with the state as well as a copy of a letter **specifically requesting** that drug testers be present, **to receive drug testing points**. These must accompany the request for approval. For shows held in states without such programs, a contract with a testing laboratory must accompany the request for approval. At least five horses should be tested at each show. Drug testing kits may be ordered from the lab or provided by your local Veterinarian.

To ensure extra points for a “Drug Testing Show,” copies of the results of all tests must be sent to the NAPHA within 30 days following the show.

In the event of a positive test (results over the amounts permitted by current USEF rules), the Show Management must first inform the Show Steward. The Show Steward should then inform the owner of the horse by phone and by letter, with a copy of the letter given to the NAPHA Board of Directors for the NAPHA records. The owner may appeal at that time and will be given five days to request and pay for a second test on the other vial that may be sent to another certified lab. Tests on the second vial are conclusive.

1st Offense: \$500 fine for the owner, \$300 fine for the trainer, and the horse will forfeit all prizes, places, and points at the show in which it was tested positive.

2nd Offense: \$1,000 fine to owner, \$300 fine for the trainer, and the horse will forfeit all prizes and places at the show in which it was tested positive and all points for the show year.

3rd and Following Offenses: \$2,000 fine to owner, \$300 fine for the trainer, and the horse will forfeit all prizes and places at the show in which it was tested positive and all points for the show year.

PLEASE NOTE! The OWNER of the horse will be deemed the person in control of the horse and will be held accountable for any infraction of the Drug Rules. Any case of a horse testing in violation of current USEF regulations may be submitted to the Ethical Practice Review Board (EPRB/BOD) for an appeal hearing. The Probable Cause panel will be waived, and the case will go directly to the EPRB/BOD, which may meet by conference call(s). The EPRB/BOD will make a final decision within 45 days.

SECTION 15 – CONDUCT (Page 29)

Each exhibitor, while on the show grounds, will display his horse in the most natural way possible and maintain his horse in a suitable manner. Exhibitors shall at all times take whatever steps are necessary to protect themselves, their horses, and the viewing public. Smoking and parking signs will be adhered to. All dogs on the grounds shall be confined or on a leash, if grounds permit their presence. Any member who needlessly disregards these requirements shall be immediately excused from the show grounds by authority of the Show Manager or Show Steward. No person will be permitted to enter the arena except participants in the class, the Judge, Steward(s), student judges or student steward, photographer, or other show official as deemed necessary by the Show Management.

Use of Phones (or tablets) while in the show arena: As cell phones and their use contribute both to exhibitor distraction and delay of show, no cell phone or tablet use will be allowed by any staff in the arena during the show. One exception being breakage of communication equipment normally used. This includes the time between classes, unless a break has been announced. However, breaks are not to be created for the purpose of accepting or making calls, addressing emails or texts. One exception being breakage of communication equipment normally used. Another exception is the use of a tablet or electronic device for the sole purposes of recording and tabulating and communicating class information and results.

SECTION 19 - SHOW STEWARDS (Registered/Carded and Student) (Page 34)

Effective 2017 the NAPHA requires a carded show steward be contracted and present for approval of all ABC and APP shows.

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4) All approved ABC and APP shows will be required to allow a Learner Show Steward to accompany the Registered Show Steward. The assignment of Learner Show Stewards will be made by the NAPHA on a first come, first served basis. Show Stewards who hold cards for other breeds need only to student steward one show with a NAPHA Registered Show Steward. All other potential Show Stewards will be given a listing of approved shows and a form to request a place as a Learner Show Steward. Those will be processed by the NAPHA, which will be responsible to inform both Show Management and Learner Show Stewards of which Learners will attend which shows. Learner Show Stewards must "student Steward" **one show with a NAPHA carded Show Steward, as well as attend one conference call with no less than two NAPHA carded Show Stewards, to be arranged by the JAC.**

5. Conflict of interest rules do not apply to learner stewards.

A NAPHA carded judge who desires to also be a NAPHA carded Show Steward, needs only to file an application with the required fee, take the Stewards open book test and pass with at least 85% and as well as attend one conference call with no less than two NAPHA carded Show Stewards, to be arranged by the JAC.

c) Requirements for Maintaining a License

1) It is the responsibility of the **Carded** Show Steward to accomplish all necessary requirements for maintaining his/her License. No notices of time periods within which requirements must be fulfilled are provided by the NAPHA.

2) All Show Stewards must attend a NAPHA approved clinic at least once every five (5) years. Any Show Steward who fails to do so will not have his license automatically renewed and will have to reapply for his status.

3) All **Carded** Show Stewards must take a Show Steward's examination every five (5) years and must receive a mark of 80% or better before his/her license is renewed.

4) Must enforce all the NAPHA rules and regulations.

5) Must file an annual renewal application and pay a small fee (to maintain current address and phone number and assure that they are still interested in doing the job.)

6) Must be members of the NAPHA.

d) Conflicts of Interest

1) No **Carded** Show Steward may officiate in any competition in which any member of his family or any of his clients is judging.

2) No **Carded** Show Steward may officiate in any competition in which he or any member of his family has any relationship with the competition that constitutes a conflict of interest with the Show Steward's duties under these rules.

3) No member of a **Carded** Show Steward's family, nor any of his clients, may participate as an exhibitor at a competition where the Show Steward is officiating.

4) Neither the Show Steward nor his family may be the Judge, or Show Manager, ~~or ring steward~~ in the show at which he is officiating.

SECTION 31 – APPROVAL OF SHOWS (Page 40)

b) Show Zones. No more than one show will be approved on the same date within the same zone. **Effective 2016 shows will be required to have a 600 mile radius, with at least a full weekend gap in the middle, unless both the potentially conflicting shows clubs agree otherwise. Should a conflict arise, priority will be determined by longest standing show location and date.** An established, approved show putting on a show on its “regular” dates will receive precedence in date approval in the event of a conflict. **Should a conflict arise, and is not able to be resolved, then the show without priority will be unable to receive NAPHA approval of points.** The exception to this is California, where no two shows will be approved on the same date within 300 miles of each other. Exceptions may be approved by NAPHA on a case-by-case basis when warranted. No U.S. show, regardless of zone, will be approved for the dates of the NAPHA U.S. National Show.

See Section 32, e for zones.

c) NAPHA Show approval forms are located on NAPHA.net. Shows are responsible for downloading the forms from the web site.

d) Show Management completes the "Application for Approval of a Peruvian Horse Show" (one for each show date) and sends this information to the NAPHA office with a Show Notice form, complete and final class list, and any requests for exceptions to the rules. This information must be received by the NAPHA office at least 120 days prior to the event. If the show is late in getting approval (between 120 and 60 days prior to the show date), a late fee for approval may be imposed. Approval may not be granted if all show approval forms are submitted less than 60 days prior to the date of the show. If approval is granted, late fees may be imposed. Any change by a show to its class list after the premium has been posted to the NAPHA website or mailed to members, **shall** result in an additional processing fee.

SECTION 32 – THE NAPHA AWARD SYSTEM (Page 42)

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SHOWS MEETING THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA WILL RECEIVE ADDITIONAL POINTS AS FOLLOWS:

(a) **NAPHA approved** Carded Judge: additional 50% (<http://www.napha.net/judges/>)

(b) Registered Show Steward: additional 50%

(c) Drug **testing**: additional 50%

In addition, if any show's facilities are not sufficient to reasonably allow the entry by all who wish to participate in the show, it will only receive 50% of the points it would normally receive. Such determination will be made by the NAPHA.

Show Point Multipliers are calculated as follows:

- (a) Show rating
- (b) Show rating x each component of added points

Example: Show with 75 horses is a D rated show, 3x multiplier
3 x .50 for carded judge = 1.5
3 x .50 for drug testing = 1.5
Total multiplier for show: 3 + 1.5 + 1.5 + 1.5 = 7.5

1st Place: 6 points X 7.5 multiplier = 45 points
2nd Place: 5 points X 7.5 multiplier = 37.5 points
3rd Place: 4 points X 7.5 multiplier = 30 points
4th Place: 3 points X 7.5 multiplier = 22.5
5th Place: 2 points X 7.5 multiplier = 15
6th Place: 1 point X 7.5 multiplier = 7.5
Reserve Champion: 2X points of 2nd Place (37.5 X 2) = 75
Champion: 2X points of 1st Place (45 X 2) = 90
Champion of Champions: 3X points of 1st Place (45 X 3) = 135

The NAPHA National Show will have points doubled over the usual multiplier.

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e) Medallon de Diamante

- 1) The title 'Medallon de Diamante' is reserved by the NAPHA for its express use.
- 2) The rules for accumulation of points for the MEDALLON DE PLATA Annual Awards will be the same (with qualifying classes listed below) as the rules for accumulating points for the MEDALLON DE DIAMANTE.
- 3) The Medallon de Diamante will be presented for three thousand (3,000) points accumulated by a single horse in NAPHA approved shows in the Breeding Division. There is no time limit for the accumulation of these points. Qualifying classes in Breeding Championship Division count toward this award. Classes counted are Halter (2&3 yrs), Bozal 3&4yrs), Breeding/Luxury, Gait, Zootecnico, and Luxury Gelding Stakes.
- 4) All NAPHA National Champion of Champions "Laureado" Breeding /Luxury Division horses will also receive the Medallon de Diamante Award.
- 5) This award is an award of especially distinguished merit. The trophy will be presented in a major approved show during a special ceremony to be held in the arena before the spectators during "prime time."
- 6) Winners of this award will be entitled to have the symbol (+) used after their names.

SECTION 33 - TRIPLE CROWN AWARD (Page 46)

- a) The Title "TRIPLE CROWN AWARD" is reserved by the NAPHA for its express use.
- b) This yearly award will be presented to any horse that wins **Champion of Champion and Best Gaited Horse of Show** in the following three Divisions at the National Show: Breeding/Luxury, Gait, and **any Performance Division**. Eligible horses must be registered with the NAPHA and owned by an Associate or Governing Member and in good standing with the NAPHA.

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Sec. 11. Owner. The name on the certificate of ownership, issued by the NAPHA, AAOBPPH, PPHRNA, OR PHAC, **and their minor children**. If the horse is owned by a ranch, corporation, or a family trust the

individuals' names must be registered with the NAPHA. Lessees will not be allowed to show leased horses in classes where only the owner is allowed to ride. Buyers purchasing a horse on time may show said horse in an owner to ride class if a Form to Record the Sale of a NAPHA Registered Horse on Time is properly filed with the NAPHA, which gives the buyer authorization to show the horse in the buyer's name.

APENDIX: CODE OF ETHICS/ETHICAL REVIEW RULES - Pages 49-56

- Copied from Registration Rules.