

# Clydesdale Cross Sport Horse Association Inc.

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### **ANNUAL HIGH POINT AWARD**

The aim of these awards is to encourage all members, regardless of their chosen discipline, to make the most of the partnership they have with their Clydie Cross. These versatile horses excel in such a wide variety of equestrian applications and we hope that the Annual High Point Award will help you to celebrate your achievements – no matter how big or how small.

Over a 12 month period Clydie Cross owners will be able to log attendance / competition points and compete to be the High Point winner of their chosen category. The cost to enter is \$10 for the first category selected, plus \$5 for each additional category after that. There is no limit to the number of categories you can enter.

Points are awarded based on both the competitor's placing and the number of horses in the class. All points must be validated by a steward, judge or the event organiser on the day of competition and recorded on the official CCSHA score card.

All members who enter the High Point award will also be eligible for some great bonus categories. We will be offering a special High Point Award for those 18 years of age, we will be showcasing those breeding quality Clydie Cross sport horses by offering a Stud of the Year award, plus lots more.

The Annual High Point Award is open to all financial members of the CCSHA and their registered horses. The point accumulation period runs between the July 1<sup>st</sup> and June 30<sup>th</sup> the following year. Score cards must be submitted no later than the 15<sup>th</sup> July and awards will be presented at the CCSHA Annual General Meeting.

#### **RULES**

- All participant must be current financial members and horses must be registered with the CCSHA
- The point accumulation period runs between the July 1<sup>st</sup> and June 30<sup>th</sup> the following year.
- Cards must be purchased BEFORE points can start to be accumulated.
- A minimum of 3 entries per category is required in order for the High Point award to be offered
- Final score cards must be submitted no later than the 15<sup>th</sup> July
- Points are accumulated for each horse and rider/handler combination. If another competitor rides/handles the horse, then they must complete their own score card
- Points will not be accepted unless they have been signed off by an Event Official / Hosting Club Official / CCSHA
   Executive Committee Member
- Score cards must be printed neatly and score cards with 'white out' corrections will not be accepted
- The CCSHA Committee reserve the right to refuse applications and adjust criteria at any time
- The CCSHA recommends that members keep completed score cards in a secure place and copies should be made of
  ALL submitted records (either digital or hard copy). Members are welcome to submit copies of their completed forms
  to our CCSHA Awards Secretary on website@ccsha.com
- Additional score cards can be requested by contacting the Secretary secretary@ccsha.com
- Members who wish to have their score cards returned after counting must supply a stamped self-addressed envelope (of adequate size)
- If members are found to be falsely recording points, forging event secretary's signatures and / or being deceitful about any information contained on their score cards they will be subject to disciplinary action. This may include having their membership cancelled and / or being banned from participating in the Annual High Point Award
- Only 1 competitor can be awarded the Annual High Point or Runner Up Annual High Point award. In the event that there is more than 1member on equal points, a count back will take place according to the following criteria:
  - o The person that has been awarded the most first placings will be declared the winner.
  - In the event that both competitors have been awarded an equal number of first place ribbons, the person that has been awarded the most second place ribbons will be declared the winner (and so on until a winner is

#### **CATEGORIES**

- 1. Show Horse
- 2. Dressage
- 3. Show Jumping
- 4. Eventing / Combined Training
- 5. Versatility: Includes obstacle based events such as Extreme Cowboy Racing, International Mountain Trail, Working Equitation & CCSHA Annual Show versatility course
- **6. ATHRA affiliated Trail Riding:** As trial riding is not a competitive discipline, 5 attendance points will be awarded for every ATHRA affiliated ride
- 7. Harness and Long Reining
- 8. Navigation Rides

#### **BONUS CATEGORIES**

All competitors who enter the Annual High Point Award and submit score cards are eligible for the following prizes.

Junior Competitor of the Year: The total of scores from categories 1 – 8 will be combined and the highest scoring junior competitor (18 years and under) will be awarded Junior Competitor of the Year

Sport Horse of the Year: The total of score cards from categories 1-8 will be combined and the highest scoring sport horse will be awarded Sport Horse of the Year. To be eligible for this award, horse must be registered in the Sport Horse category (adult or foal recording).

Stud Book Horse of the Year: The total of score cards from categories 1-8 will be combined and the highest scoring stud book registered horse will be awarded Stud Book Horse of the Year. To be eligible for this award, horse must be registered in the Stud Book category (adult or foal recording).

Young Stock of the Year: The total of score from led / driven events (i.e. ridden events do not count) will be combined and the highest scoring young stock (3 years and under according to date of birth) will be awarded Young Stock of the Year. Points can only be accrued for this award while the horse is 3 years and under; if your horse turns 4 year of age during the High Point period you cannot accrue any further points (horse is still eligible for the award).

**Stud of the Year:** The score cards of horses containing the same stud prefix/suffix will be added together, regardless of discipline (e.g. categories 1 - 8). This category is available at no charge and awards will be presented to the registered stud owner. Stud Prefix/Suffix must be registered with the CCSHA

Overall High Point of the Year: The total of score cards from categories 1-8 will be combined and the highest scoring competitor will be awarded the Overall High Point of the Year

#### **POINTS**

	NUMBER OF COMPETITORS									
PLACING	1	2	3	4	5	6 OR MORE				
1	1	2	3	4	5	6				
2		1	2	3	4	5				
3			1	2	3	4				
4				1	2	3				
5					1	2				
6						1				
The following bonus points are available: Supreme = 5 Champion = 4 Reserve = 2										



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## **ANNUAL HIGH POINT AWARD APPLICATION**

MEMBER'S DETAILS											
Full Name											
Postal Address											
Suburb											
Postcode		State	Member N								
DOB (Junior's only	/)										
HORSE'S DETAILS											
Horse's Registered	d Name										
Horse's Registration No.				Horse's DOB							
CATEGORIES											
I would like to enter the following categories:  ☐ Show Horse ☐ Dressage ☐ Versatility ☐ Navigation Rides				. •			Eventing / Combined Training ATHRA affiliated Trail Riding				
PAYMENT DETAILS											
The cost of entering the High Point Award is \$10.00 for the first category and \$5 for each additional category.											
Payment total =			Payme	nts ca	in be made via the CCSF	HA website or as	follows (plea	ase select one):			
☐ Cheque			□М	☐ Money Order ☐ Direct Dep							
Members who wish to pay via direct deposit, may do so via the CCSHA bank account (please attach proof of transfer);  Account Name: Clydesdale Cross Sport Horse Association  BSB: 033 682  Account Number: 199 942  Reference: Pleas use your full name											
MEMBER'S DECLARATION											
I agree to follow the High Point Award rules and understand that failure to do so may result in disciplinary action, including being banned from the High Point Award scheme.											
Signature							Date				