

# ASHA AGED EVENT PROGRAM

The American Stock Horse Association developed an Aged Event Program consisting of 3 Divisions, with emphasis on competing in all 4 classes over 3 years. In April of 2018, this program will be offered in Sweetwater, Texas at the ASHA National Show, with 4 year old horses competing in the first Futurity.

## DIVISIONS

- 4 Year Old Futurity
- 5 Year Old Derby
- 6 Year Old Maturity

## CLASSES

- Stock Horse Pleasure
- Stock Horse Trail
- Stock Horse Reining
- SH Working Cow Horse

Continuing to drive the Mission of ASHA, the Aged Events Program is designed to promote versatility. This All-Around or versatile concept ensures longevity in the American Stock Horse.

In 2019 and 2020, the first Futurity horses continued on to the Derby and Maturity. With each year to follow, ASHA will continue to offer the Futurity, Derby and Maturity to those eligible.

Each Division will be considered a special event, to be held yearly at a time and place chosen by ASHA. Awards and added money will be offered in each division for Classes and All-Around. All-Around awards will be based on the one horse/one rider team showing in all 4 classes. The riders may change from year to year.

Payouts will follow the payback schedule as outlined in the ASHA Handbook. The event will be double judged with a single result.

ASHA will track the cumulative score, by horse only, over the three years as the horse progresses through the 3 divisions. The horse in 2020 with the highest composite score from all three aged events will be the first horse crowned ASHA Aged Event Champion.

## 4 YEAR OLD FUTURITY RULES - YEAR 2021

This is an age specific event open to 4 year olds, with a foal date within 2018. Horses are to be shown in all 4 classes. The Champion will be awarded to highest placing horse in the All-Around. ASHA class rules, tie breakers and paybacks will be used. The high placing carded Non-Pro will receive recognition.

### General Rules

- Rider must be a current member of ASHA in good standing.
- Horses must be 4 years old with a foal date within 2018.
- Horses must have an ASHA Competition License.
- Horse may be exhibited by only one rider.
- A rider may exhibit up to 3 horses.
- Horses will be shown in one go round to determine ASHA Futurity Champion.
- ASHA payback schedule will be used for class and All-Around paybacks.
- Green Horse Stock Horse Trail division class description will be followed.
- Green Horse Working Cow Horse division class description will be followed.
- Horse can be ridden in a snaffle bit, hackamore or bit.
- Open to all breeds.

## **5 YEAR OLD DERBY RULES - YEAR 2017**

This is an age specific event open to 5 year olds, with a foal date within 2014. Horses are to be shown in all 4 classes. Champion will be awarded to highest placing horse in the All-Around. ASHA class rules, tie breakers and paybacks will be used. The high placing carded Non-Pro will receive recognition.

### **General Rules**

- Rider must be a current member of ASHA in good standing.
- Horses must be 5 years old with a foal date within 2017.
- Horses must have an ASHA Competition License.
- Horse may be exhibited by only one rider.
- A rider may exhibit up to 3 horses.
- Horses will be shown in one go round to determine ASHA Derby Champion.
- ASHA payback schedule will be used for class and All-Around paybacks.
- Open Stock Horse Trail division class description will be followed.
- Open Working Cow Horse division class description will be followed, with circling required. The option to rope is excluded.
- Horse can be ridden in a snaffle bit, hackamore or bit.
- Open to all breeds.

## **6 YEAR OLD MATURITY RULES - YEAR 2016**

This is an age specific event open to 6 year olds, with a foal date within 2014. Horses are to be shown in all 4 classes. Champion will be awarded to highest placing horse in the All-Around. ASHA class rules, tie breakers and paybacks will be used. The high placing carded Non-Pro will receive recognition.

### **General Rules**

- Rider must be a current member of ASHA in good standing.
- Horses must be 6 years old with a foal date within 2016.
- Horses must have an ASHA Competition License.
- Horse may be exhibited by only one rider.
- A rider may exhibit up to 3 horses.
- Horses will be shown in one go round to determine ASHA Maturity Champion.
- ASHA payback schedule will be used for class and All-Around paybacks.
- Open Stock Horse Trail division class description will be followed.
- Open Working Cow Horse division class description will be followed, with roping and stopping the cow required. The option of Circling is excluded.
- Horse can be ridden in a snaffle bit, hackamore or bit.
- Open to all breeds.

## **ENTRY FEES AND PAYOUTS**

**100% of Entry Fee Paid Back**

### **FEES**

- Entry Fee \$400
- Office Fee \$50
- Cattle Fee \$50

### **PAYOUTS**

- \$300 Total Division Payout
  - \$150 All-Around
  - \$150 Classes
- \$100 Held Out for Aged Event Champion

**All Monies go to All-Around**