

ALL-AROUND HORSE CONTEST

The factors to be considered in judging will be:

1. Only one horse in both showmanship and horsemanship per exhibitor. (Example: If you ride a certain horse, make sure you show the same horse in halter.)
2. The following point system will be used:
Five or more in class: 5 points – 1st place; 4 points – 2nd place; 3 points – 3rd place; 2 points – 4th place; 1 point – 5th place.
Four in class: 4 points – 1st place; 3 points – 2nd place; 2 points – 3rd place; 1 point – 4th place.
Three in class: 3 points – 1st place; 2 points – 2nd place; 1 point – 3rd place.
Two in class: 2 points – 1st place; 1 point – 2nd place.
One in class: 1 point – 1st place.

No points for champions, reserves or from showmanship classes.

3. All classes will be considered in the contest (except novice classes).
4. Novice classes are not eligible in the All-Around Horse Contest.
5. The more classes entered the better chance to win.
6. Points will be counted and tallied by the horse division superintendent(s) or by a third party designated by the superintendent.

ALL-AROUND WESTERN HORSEMAN CONTEST

The factors to be considered in judging will be:

1. This award is presented to the rider that displays the most skilled western horsemanship skills. It is our hope that during the show each rider keeps in mind that sportsmanship is another aspect of true horsemanship and that competition is kept on a very sportsmanlike level.
2. This award can only be won by one horse/one rider. No horse or rider changes will be allowed. **All** paperwork required by the horse superintendent/4-H office must be on file prior to May 2nd, 2011. **The horse must be in the possession of the rider at that time.**
3. No points will be given for halter or showmanship classes. All other classes will be used to calculate the points for this award so the more classes you enter the better your chances to win.
4. To qualify for this award a junior rider must have their Level I card, intermediate must have their Level II card, and seniors must have their Level III card. These cards must be in hand by July 1st, 2011. A contestant must also be a resident of Kit Carson County.
5. Novice classes are not eligible in the All-Around Western Horseman Contest.

The point system is as follows:

- Five horses in class:** 1st place (5) points; 2nd place (4) points; 3rd place (3) points; 4th place (2) points; 5th place (1) point.
Four horses in class: 1st place (4) points; 2nd place (3) points; 3rd place (2) points; 4th place (1) point.
Three horses in class: 1st place (3) points; 2nd place (2) points; 3rd place (1) point.
Two horses in class: 1st place (2) points; 2nd place (1) point.
One horse in class: (1) point.

In the case of a tie the judge will have the involved contestants do a riding skill. If the judge still feels it is a tie then a coin toss will decide the award.

Any protests must be filed in accordance to the county protest rule.