

Skyline Corral ~ Membership Rules

1. Current members must have their dues paid by the Election of Officers Meeting to be able to take part in Election of Officers Meeting.
 - A. First time members will be eligible at the time of membership acceptance.
2. Definition of Family Membership for dues purposes: Family is mother, father, and dependent children 21 years old and younger, living in the same household.
3. Members receive a year-end award based on points accumulated throughout the year for meetings, workbees, and horseshows.
 - A. Regular Meetings 15 points
Election of Officers 25 points
Workbee 25 points
 - B. Points will be accumulated from Nov 1st to Oct 31st of each year.
 - C. Each Performance and Gymkhana class will award one point for each horse in the class up to a maximum of eight points. Example: If a class has three horses there will be three points for first place, two points for second place, and one point for third place. Any other qualifying ride beyond the pointed placings in the class will award the rider with 1/100th point for record keeping purposes of class qualifiers.
 - D. Grand Champion Halter horses only will receive fifteen (15) points. Reserve Champion Halter horses only will receive ten (10) points.
 - E. If a member participates in Performance and Gymkhana, he or she may receive meeting and/or workbee points in one division in Gymkhana and one division in Performance. These points do not have to mirror the division on both sides. The specification should be made at the time the membership is paid. Final decision must be made by the first show.

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Skyline Corral's Riding Rules

1. The decisions of Club Officers are absolutely final. Any discourtesy of officials may result in disqualification from show.
2. Club Officers reserve the right to change, combine, or cancel any event.
3. Riders may be disqualified from the next event for running horses behind cars.
4. No horses near the concession stand, school grounds, or fair grounds.
5. No horse can be tied to the chain link fence or the barn uprights.
6. No inhumane treatment of horses.
7. No alcoholic beverages or foul language. The village of Owego has an "Open Container Law", you can be arrested if caught.
8. Entry blanks and fees must be submitted prior to riding in an event. **ABSOLUTELY NO CREDIT!**
9. Each person is responsible for damage or injury inflicted either to or by you and your horse. Ride at your own risk.
10. If a horse is known to kick, it must have a red ribbon in its tail.
11. Horses must be under control at all times. The Club Officers reserve the right to dismiss an unruly horse from the show.
12. All dogs must be kept on a leash and have rabies tag or certificate.
13. You must have a current Coggins and Rabies certificate within the past 12 months.
14. NYS requires all riders under 14 years old to wear an approved helmet while on horseback on the show grounds.
15. All spectators and pedestrians must be aware and cautious of horses preparing to enter and exiting the arena.
16. If a rider is not ready to ride after two (2) calls, they will be disqualified from the event unless a visible attempt is being made.
17. In classes other than leadline, you may direct, but not lead or run in front when helping small children. If they are lead, they will take last place.
18. *Attire* – Proper attire must be worn in all classes. Boots must be worn in all events. A work boot with a heel may be worn. Shirts must have sleeves or a collar.
19. *Trail Class* – A horse may only make three attempts at each obstacle and then must move on.
20. *Performance Riders* - Day end division points are tallied on horse & rider combination. Riders may compete in more than one division, with the same horse or a different horse, but must stay with the same combination for the duration of the day, for day end awards. Year end awards for each division will be based on the total points accumulated by a rider in a division.

Riding Rules pertaining to Gymkhana Riders

21. You may only ride one horse per show for points, but you may ride more than one horse in a division. When signing up, please designate which horse will be your point horse for that show on the sign up sheet.
22. All exhibitors can pay the \$5.00 class fee and ride in the Open in conjunction with their age group. You can win the money in the Open Class, but you will not receive points for the year-end awards. You must decide in the beginning of the year where you want your points to go. No one pointing in the Open Class can cross enter to ride in Novice, Amateur

- or Youth classes.
23. For safety purpose, when running through the chute; your horse must be committed to the chute before beginning to run. Your horses' shoulders must be in the chute before running.
 24. If you come back across the finish line before the event is completed, you are disqualified. You will not receive a ribbon, however you are allowed to finish the course.
 25. When you knock over a barrel or a pole, for all age groups:
Five (5) second penalty added for each barrel or pole knocked down.

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