

4/19/2018

STATE

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

District: \_\_\_\_\_

CLASS: IN-HAND TRAIL - PATTERN #1

HIGH SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_

ATHLETE #: \_\_\_\_\_

#	ELEMENT JUDGED:	COMMENTS:	Score
1.	Be in position to begin sidepass. Sidepass pole to left		
2.	Perform turns needed to re-position		
3.	Sidepass pole to right		
4.	Position for back. Back into chute, between space in middle poles, and continue through chute		
5.	From off side, jog out of chute through triangle and over poles and around corner		
6.	Halt, return to near side		
7.	Jog through cones (circling 2nd cone) and over poles and into box as diagrammed		
8.	Jog thru box, over poles and back into box as diagrammed. Halt		
9.	Halt, change to off side, 360° tight left turn in box. NOT haunch or forehand. Handler may be in or out of box. Return to near side		
10.	Walk over bridge		
11.	Halt at cone, present horse, and wait to be excused		
12.	Overall Horsemanship		

Judge's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Expectations:**

- Athlete and equine should create a working team. Movement through and over obstacles should be crisp while allowing the equine to negotiate each step. Accuracy, smoothness, and acceptance of obstacles should be points of training. Timing will count.
- Handlers should perform all obstacles with horse unless specifically noted.
- Haunch turns, pivots, lateral movements and backing should be smooth with continual movement.
- Refusals will deduct points. After 2 unsuccessful attempts, handlers will be asked to move on. A refusal is any unnecessary and unintentional movement not aiding in completion of the maneuver. The following two examples would be considered refusals. A horse taking a step backwards while approaching a bridge without being asked to do so by its handler. A horse taking a step forward while attempting to complete back through without being asked to do so by its handler. An unintentional complete stop of movement while approaching or completing an obstacle will also be considered a refusal.
- It should appear that the equine is working without the use of a lead rope exhibiting no resistance.
- Judges will be looking for "finished" equine/athlete team.