

## VINTAGE CUTTING HORSE ASSOCIATION

### 2021 SHOW SERIES RULES

**All Club Shows dates are tentative pending on weather (rain)**

**To comply with VCHA insurance requirements anyone mounted, riding or showing a horse on the show grounds or at any VCHA event must be a current member or registered loper in good-standing.**

**You must sign a release, be a member and settle your account prior to showing your horse. Both owners and riders must be current members of VCHA, in good standing in order to compete.**

**Contestants are responsible for determining the eligibility of themselves and their horses to enter any class. Eligibility is based upon rider's and/or horse's LTE. Any points and/or monies earned by an ineligible horse or rider will automatically be revoked. Monies won in events restricted by age (futures, derbies, maturities, etc.) shall NOT be counted when determining eligibility.**

**Show Management** reserves the right to cancel any class or combine smaller classes. The cattle from the combined class will be added to make a sizable herd.

**Billing Fee:** A \$30.00 billing fee will be assessed to Rider/Owner/Trainer, if failure to pay any outstanding monies owed by the end of show. If payment is not received during the same month as date of mailed invoice, an additional \$30.00 per month will continue to accrue each month thereafter, until payment is received in full. Those delinquent more than 3 months. Member(s) will be suspended.

**The above delinquent** rider/owner/trainer will not be allowed to show again until all outstanding fees are paid.

**All contestants will** work at the appointed time designated by the show management. Horses/riders arriving late may be allowed to show and receive a score if the class drawn into is still in the arena. Under no circumstances will a horse be allowed to show & compete after its designated class is finished.

**Entries are due** the Wednesday before the show; Late entries *may be* accepted after the deadline depending on cattle availability. Late entries will show at the end of the class.

**Re-Run practices** are limited to a maximum of 5 works after each class. You must sign-up for re-run practices by 10am the day of the show.

**If you scratch** a class, you will be charged a cattle fee for each class scratched.

**The following are** the rules and regulations of the VCHA Miniseries Shows: VCHA will follow National Cutting Horse Association (NCHA) rules for all classes, except where otherwise noted

**Equipment:** With the exception of the Ranch Class, NCHA rules for allowable equipment (bits, draw reins, etc.) will apply in all classes. This rule will not apply to practices, turn back, or herd holder horses, etc

**Attire: The NCHA** requirements for a western hat, a button/snap up long sleeve western shirt, full leg trousers (e.g., jeans), and boots are required **in all arenas during the course of the show when mounted.**

**The Show Committee** has the discretion to not accommodate the request of an entrant to change a class after the cattle have been ordered, especially if the class change results in the cancellation of the class originally entered.

**Any abuse or inhumane** treatment of animals on the show grounds will not be permitted.