



2020 AQHA All-Around Amateur Award Fact Sheet

Who qualifies for this award?

Any amateur exhibitor, who enters and shows one horse in a minimum of three Level 3 events in three categories is eligible (refer to the Farnam AQHA World Handbook for a list of categories). No formal entry is required. An amateur may exhibit more than one horse; however, points earned with each horse toward the all-around title are compiled separately.

How is the winner determined?

The scoring process is based on the placings in each class. All-Around Amateur contenders who place in the top 10 of classes with 10 or more entries will be awarded two sets of points: 10 points for first place, 9 points for second and so forth down the line through 10th place. Additional points are based on the number of entries in the class according to **SHW261. POINTS CHART**, the point distribution system used to calculate AQHA points found in the AQHA Official Handbook. For classes with less than 10 entries, points will be awarded for the corresponding number of entries. In case of a tie, the winner will be determined first by the horse earning points in the greatest number of classes; if the tie is still not broken, then by the horse placing over the greatest number of entries in the classes in which it competed.

What are the prizes?

The 2020 AQHA All-Around Amateur receives an original Lisa Perry bronze and a one-year's use of a Sundowner Trailer. The Reserve All-Around Amateur receives \$5,000 and a silver bowl. The third- through fifth-place finalists receive \$1,500.

When is the awards presentation?

Points are tabulated beginning with the first amateur Level 3 finals performance. Once the finalists are determined, you'll be notified by AQHA staff. AQHA staff will tell you the presentation time (the class it will follow in the finals), your placing and the order in which the awards will be presented. Please be available for the awards presentation and be ready to receive your award when called. After all, this is the most prestigious amateur award at the Farnam AQHA World!

Questions?

Please stop by the Show Office.