**2024 High Point Awards Rules:**

**Award Categories:**

Senior Horse

Junior Horse

Green Horse

Yearling

Amateur Yearling

Solid Paint Bred Yearling & 2-Year-Old

2-Year-Old (In Hand)

Novice Amateur

Amateur All Ages

Amateur Walk -Trot

Solid Paint Bred Open

Solid Paint Bred Amateur

Solid Paint Bred Youth

Novice Youth

Youth 18 & Under

Youth 13 & Under

Youth Walk Trot 5-10

Youth Walk Trot 11-18

Supreme Halter Horse

Rider Log

PAC

**Qualifications:**

Highpoints:

* Must own or lease a paint horse
* Must hold a current/valid SPHC membership
* Must have current/valid APHA membership
* Must show in corresponding divisions halter class, but points will NOT count towards highpoint
* Exhibitors in all divisions must show in a minimum of two performance classes within their division to be eligible for highpoint (exception Yearlings & 2 year old in hand)
* Yearlings & 2 year olds in hand must show in two or more of the following classes: Halter, Longe Line, and In Hand Trail, but only longline and trail points are used toward calculations. Yearlings & 2 Year Olds shown in hand are not eligible for high point Junior Horse.
* The high point Ranch Horse will be awarded to the highest point earner who compete in ALL ranch classes
* The Supreme Halter Horse is chosen unanimously by all judges at the completion of the halter classes. Horses receiving a grand in any Open, Amateur, or Youth class are eligible to return to the show arena and will be re-shown to the judges. This award is not a high point but a suitable prize will be presented
* Youth and Amateur divisions are based on the same horse/rider combination
* The Highpoint Youth will receive a prize which matches their reduced entry fee at shows, if additional sponsorship is not found.
* In an event of a tie, the exhibitor with the most amount of 1st places will be name highpoint winner

Year End Awards:

* Points will be calculated based on SPHC breed show results (APHA sanctioned), exception being PAC and Rider Log those will calculated based on their category.
* Must attend a minimum of 2 club events (including shows, trail rides, or other club organized events)

**Points Calculations:**

* Points will be calculated via computer software using APHA breed show placings for each division, based on placings and class numbers. Similar to how APHA class points are calculated.
* Exception being rider logs and PAC awards as that will be based on what is submitted and recorded on APHA online under PAC / PAC – rider logs