

Williamsport Riding Club 2021 Awards

Year-end banquet held on Sunday, August 8th, 2021.

Points are earned by a horse / rider combination and a back number is assigned for the season.

Note: These points are not transferable if horse or rider are injured/ unsound or otherwise unable to compete.

Riders in good standing with the Club are eligible for year-end awards.

Each show offers championship awards. In addition, the Club offers Day-End Division awards, Series Year-End division awards, 30 Member Division Year-End awards, and Top 10 Overall High Point Member awards. Points from Series Division awards carry over to Member Division Year-End awards and Member Over-all Top 10 awards.

The WRC uses a straight point system: 1st place = 6 pts, 2nd = 5 pts, 3rd = 4pts, 4th = 3 pts, 5th = 2 pts, 6th = 1 pt. All competitors are given a point for every eligible class they exhibit in, regardless of placing.

Award Qualification:

- A Club membership is not required to collect points for day-end or **SERIES** year-end awards.

2021 WRC Pointed Shows

Must compete in two shows to qualify.

Year-End Show SERIES Awards: The Williamsport Riding Club offers 5 show series in order to earn year-end division points.

The overall highest points earned within each series division is awarded Grand Champion followed by Reserve Champion. The Children's series awards a second reserve champion for the third placing.

*Note: Children's and Open Shows: riders may select one **Pleasure** and any **Open** divisions in which to compete. See series show flyer for division details.*

(3) Open Show Series Weekends

4/24 English Day, w/ Hunter Jumpers for Colonial Classic qualifier (WRC membership is required to advance Colonial Classic Show)

4/25 Western Day, Ranch, Contest, Therapeutic, Open Masters & Adult divisions

5/8 English Day, w/ Hunter Jumpers for Colonial Classic qualifier (WRC membership is required to advance Colonial Classic Show)

5/9 Western Day, Ranch, Contest, Therapeutic, Open Masters & Adult divisions

5/29 English Day, w/ Hunter Jumpers for Colonial Classic qualifier (WRC membership is required to advance Colonial Classic Show)

5/30 Western Day, Ranch, Contest, Therapeutic, Open Masters & Adult divisions

(1) Open Combined Pointed Show weekend Wild & Wooly Spring Open Show 4/17 & 4/18

Note: The PAHA Arabian Horse Committee will point divisions for the WRC at their Wild & Wooly Spring show. This helps balance the ability for riders to collect enough points to be competitive for WRC member year-end divisions and overall top 10 awards.

4/17 - Driving, Miniature Horse, Contest & Trail Area divisions.

4/18 - Open Show Therapeutic, Adult, Masters, Hunter, Trot Cross Rails, Cross Rails, Ranch Horse & Pleasure age divisions

(2) Children's Show Series Weekend

5/15 English Day, English Pleasure age divisions, Hunter, Trot Cross Rail, Cross Rails and WRC Trail Area divisions

5/16 Western Day, Western Pleasure age divisions, Ranch, Contest, Therapeutic divisions and WRC Trail Area divisions

6/12 English Day, Pleasure age divisions, Hunter, Trot Cross Rail, Cross Rails and WRC Trail Area divisions

6/13 Western Day, Western Pleasure age divisions, Ranch, Contest, Therapeutic divisions and WRC Trail Area divisions

(3) Dressage, Miniature & Driving Weekend

Dressage Schooling Show Series - 5/1, 5/22, 6/5 includes Western Dressage

Miniature Horse Show Series - 4/17, 5/2, 5/23 at WRC (Youth, Adult, Therapeutic & Jumping divisions)

- A Club Membership is required to earn points for **MEMBER** Awards. Refer to the Membership Application and Brochure.

Membership: see website for application www.williamsportridingclub.com

Note: An Individual or Family Membership application must be completed and received at or before the show at which the member wishes to earn points. WRC Membership applications must be received by May 16th, 2021 to be eligible for Member Awards and for points to be tracked.

Year-End MEMBER Awards: See list below.

Member Division Awards: All disciplines compete for the overall highest points earned within each of the 30 member divisions. Members must indicate their choice of division(s) at the first event in which to collect points.

Member Overall Top 10 Awards

Member Trainer Award - Trainer points are collected on their students' participation & performance. Trainer and students must be members of the club to be eligible. Trainers need to document and submit their students that competed at each event on the provided trainer tracking sheet. If the trainer is not present at the event, the points are not valid for that day. Trainers own points for competing do not count for this award.

Other Year-end Special Member Awards - *Nomination for these awards may be given to banquet chair Amy Rankinen before 6/13/2021.*

Pony or horse of the Year, Youngest Rider Award (Open & Children's shows count), Trainer Award (WRC member) Perpetual Plaque, Galen Award Open Show Series Perpetual Glass cube, Sportsmanship (up to 3) Perpetual Trophy glass cube, Overall member volunteer Perpetual Plaque, Volunteer award (up to 10), Outstanding Volunteer, Jr Volunteer Award, Young Rider Recognition (10 and under riders that competed in at least 2 shows)

2021 WRC MEMBER Year-End Divisions (Using USEF age as of December 1st, 2020) Must compete in two of the show series to qualify.	Champion	Reserve Champion
WRC Pleasure Divisions – no cross entry within pleasure division	Embroidered Sports Chair	Embroidered Bag
1. Lead Line Pleasure English – 7 and under (Walk/Trot) Attendants permitted to enter the arena with the competitor.		
2. Lead Line Pleasure Western – 10 and under (Walk/Jog) Attendants permitted to enter the arena with the competitor.		
3. 10 & Under English Pleasure – (Walk/Trot)		
4. 10 & Under Western Pleasure – (Walk/Jog)		
5. Junior Youth Pleasure English – 13 & Under		
6. Junior Youth Pleasure Western – 13 & Under		
7. Senior Youth Pleasure English – 14 - 17		
8. Senior Youth Pleasure Western – 14 - 17		
9. Open Adult Pleasure – over 18 (any seat)		
10. Open Masters Pleasure – 40 & over (any seat) (Walk/Trot/Jog)		
Open Divisions		
11. Open Ranch Horse (youth & adult) Will use ECRRA patterns and rules, buy not pointed with ECRRA.		
12. Therapeutic Pleasure Maximum - Open to riders of any age who are unable to participate in other divisions without accommodations. Attendants are permitted to enter the arena with the competitor. If footing is too soft the paddock areas may be used for the showmanship class to accommodate wheelchairs. Hearing impaired riders please notify show manager for instructions on giving cues for change of gaits.		
13. Therapeutic Minimum - Open to riders of any age who are unable to participate in other divisions without accommodations. Attendants are permitted to enter the arena with the competitor if needed. May show in therapeutic advanced division. Hearing impaired riders please notify show manager for instructions on giving cues for change of gaits.		
14. Therapeutic Advanced Unattended rider unless hearing impairment requires a signer. Open to riders of any age who participate in other therapeutic divisions. Hearing impaired riders please notify show manager for instructions on giving cues for change of gaits.		
15. Youth Hunter/Jumper - 17 & Under - English tack & helmets required. Points accumulate at the Saturday Open Schooling Show Series		
16. Adult Hunter/Jumper - 18 & Over - English tack & helmets required. Points accumulate at the Saturday Open Schooling Show Series		
17. Youth Crossrail - 17 & Under - English tack & helmets required Accumulate points at the Saturday Open Schooling Show Series & Children's Show		
18. Adult Crossrail - 18 & Over - English tack & helmets required Accumulate points at the Saturday Open Schooling Show Series & Children's Show		
Miniature Horse & Driving Divisions - Must compete in two of the three show to qualify. First show is at Wild & Wooly.		
19. Miniature Horse Jumping - any age		
20. Miniature Horse Youth - 17 & Under		
21. Miniature Horse Adult - 18 & Over		
22. Miniature Horse Therapeutic - any age		
23. Open Driving - Whip, gloves and lap robe required. Pony, horse and VSE divisions compete here.		
Contest Divisions Must compete in two of the three show to qualify. First show is at Wild & Wooly. Helmets encouraged.		
24. Gymkhana Trot Youth - 17 & Under		
25. Gymkhana Trot Adult - 18 & Over		
26. Gymkhana Youth - 17 & Under		
27. Gymkhana Adult - 18 & Over		
Dressage Divisions Must compete in two of the three show to qualify		
28. Dressage Youth Jr. - 13 & Under		
29. Dressage Youth Sr. - 14 - 17		
30. Dressage Adult - 18 & Over		

2021 Top 10 Overall High Point - Member members in good standing qualify

Year-end Member Overall Awards:	Points	Award	Sponsor	Vendor used/donated
1 st overall Member		Saddle \$500 limit	2021? Steinbacher Enterprises	?
2 nd overall Member		Hunt Bridle or Headstall or Plain leather halter	Tory Leather	Tory Leather
3 rd overall Member			?	
4 th overall Member			?	
5 th overall Member			?	
6 th overall Member			?	
7 th overall Member			?	
8 th overall Member			?	
9 th overall Member			?	
10 th overall Member				

Other 2021 Special Awards	Award	Ribbon	Vendor / Donated	Winner/nominee
Pony or horse of the Year <<<	Portrait	No	Amanda Emig	
Youngest Rider Award (Open & Children's shows count)	Trophy or other award	Small Ribbon		
Trainer Award (WRC member) Perpetual Plaque	<i>Special Item for winner</i> Plaque stays at club	No		
Galen Award Open Show Series Perpetual Glass cube	Glassware for winner Glass cube stays at club	No		
Sportsmanship (up to 3) <<< Perpetual Trophy glass cube	<i>Special Item for winner</i> Glass cube stays at club	No		
Overall member volunteer <<< Perpetual Plaque	<i>Special Item for winner</i> Plaque stays at club	No		
Volunteer award (up to 10) <<< Show /Event Committee, Ring Crew, Banquet workers	<i>Special Item for winner</i>	No		
Outstanding Volunteer	<i>Special Item for winner</i>	No		
Jr Volunteer Award	<i>Special Item for winner</i>	No		
Young Rider Recognition (10 and under riders that competed in at least 2 shows)	Mini ribbon (GBR)	Yes		