



GUIDE FOR NEW COW: (At judges discretion, rider will receive new cow(s) as necessary to show Horse)



**COW WORK JUDGE CARD**

Effective November 16, 2023

- A- Cow that won't run
- B- Cow that doesn't respect horse
- C- When cow leaves arena

**5 POINT PENALTIES**

- A-Not getting a turn each way (5 points each way)
- B-Spurring or hitting in front of cinch at anytime or excessively whipping or spurring the horse.
- C-Blatant disobedience including kicking, biting, bucking, rearing and striking or obviously insubordinate

**CREDITS**

- A- Maintaining control of the cow at all times
- B- Exhibiting superior cow sense and natural ability without excessive reining or spurring
- C- Degree of difficulty
- D- Eye Appeal

NOTE: Judge may blow the whistle at anytime to terminate the work. A score of zero will be given if the work is not complete at that time.

**1 POINT PENALTIES**

- A- Loss of working advantage
- C-Cow's head breaks the plane of the 1 point marker
- E-Changing sides of arena to turn cow
- L-For each length horse runs past cow
- P-Working out of position
- S-Slipping rein
- T-Failure to drive cow past middle marker on first run before initiating the turn
- W- Excessive hollering

**0- SCORE**

- A- Turn tail
- B- Using two hands on the reins in a bridle or two rein class
- C-Fingers between the reins in a bridle class except the two rein class
- D-Balking
- E-Extremely out of control
- F-Bloody mouth (inside)
- G- Illegal equipment
- H-Leaving working area before pattern is complete
- I- Fall of horse or rider

- N- Improper Western Attire
- O - Failure to work in the proper working order

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**NO SCORE:**

- A-Abuse
- B-Lameness

NE- Failure of an exhibitor to attempt to work the pattern (fence work)

- + Very Good = +1
- ✓+ Good = +1/2
- ✓ Average = 0
- ✓- Poor = -1/2
- Very Poor = -1

**2 POINT PENALTIES**

- A-Going around corner of arena before turning cow
- B-In an open field turn animal gets within 3 feet of the end fence before being turned
- C - Failure to change sides after a circling turn prior to the first circle

**3 POINT PENALTIES**

- D - Dangerous Position
- E-Exhausting or overworking before circling cow
- H-Hanging up on fence (refusing to turn)
- K- Knocking down cow without having working advantage

**RUN CONTENT:**

- J- Schooling between rein work and cow work
- K- Schooling horse between cows, if new cow is awarded
- L-If a rider hits or kicks the animal being worked with the romal or reins, in an abusive manner

| #   | HORSE             | MANEUVER | RUN CONTENT (+ / ✓+ / ✓ / ✓- / -) |        |                         |          |                    |                      | & 1 POINT PENALTIES |   |  | 2 PT PENALTY | 3 PT PENALTY | 5 PT PENALTY | Penalty Total | SCORE |
|-----|-------------------|----------|-----------------------------------|--------|-------------------------|----------|--------------------|----------------------|---------------------|---|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|-------|
|     |                   |          | Boxing                            | Rating | Form & Quality of Turns | Circling | Position & Control | Degree of Difficulty | Eye Appeal          |   |  |              |              |              |               |       |
| 267 | SS Metallic Fever | PENALTY  |                                   |        |                         |          | AA                 |                      |                     |   |  |              |              |              |               |       |
|     |                   | CONTENT  | ✓                                 | ✓-     | -                       | ✓+       | ✓                  | ✓-                   | ✓                   | ✓ |  |              |              |              |               | 2     |
|     |                   | PENALTY  |                                   |        |                         |          |                    |                      |                     |   |  |              |              |              |               |       |
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Judge's Signature: Chele McGauly