

SPECIAL CLASSES - The General Rules and Regulations of the Horse Show will prevail for the Special Classes except as provided for each individual class and as noted herein.

Grand Prix

- **Specs:** Table II.2.a. National Standard.
- **Horse Limit:** Riders are not limited to the number of horses they may ride.
- **Ranking List Points:** Riders are no longer required to designate a "Point Horse" effective December 1, 2014. Riders will receive Ranking Points from the placing points earned on his/her highest placed horse.

Marshall & Sterling League

- **Classic Insurance Riders:** M&S Insurance League membership required for points to count for classics and classes that are affiliated with the M&S Insurance League.
- **Wild Card:** The top two finishers in each Wild Card who are not already qualified will receive automatic invitations to the M&S Finals in the respective division. Riders must be 2018 members of the League in order to compete. **If applying for membership at the show, a rider must join for 2018 and 2019.**

Special Hunter Classics: Judged on performance and soundness with manners and suitability emphasized. To be scored under the open numerical judging system. The top 15 (or 1/3) horses (ponies) from the first round will return to jump a second round in reverse order of their scores in the first round; lowest score going first and highest score going last. In case of ties, order of those tied will be drawn. Scores will be averaged from both rounds to determine the winners. In case of a tie for first place only, judges will confer to break the tie. All other ties will remain and riders will toss a coin for the ribbons.

- **Separate Two Round Classic:** For the first round, each competitor will jump one round of approximately 10-12 fences at the required height.
- **Designated First Round Classic:** A Designated Class of the Division will be the first round of the Classic. **You must enter the Classic prior to the start of the First Round Class.** Scratches are not permitted after the First Round Class has begun. See Time Schedule for Designated First Round Class.

Special Class Nomination/Declaration: Special Classes entered on the Entry Blank constitute a Declaration. Horses must be entered the day before the class or pay the Special Class Post Entry Fee.

Special Class Scratch: Any scratch must be made before the class starts or be accompanied by a Vet's Certificate. See "Rules & Regulations" for more details. In the event of a scratch on the day of the class, horses are subject to the Special Class Scratch Fee.

Order of Go: The Order of Go will be drawn. In the jump-off, if any, all horses will go in the original drawn order.

Attire: Formal attire required in Special Classes.

Awards: Winners to ride for presentation of awards in Special Classes.

Trophy & Ribbons: 1-12 in Special Classes unless otherwise stated.

Show Champion or Circuit Champion: Classics will not count toward Show or Circuit Champion Awards.

Special Class Prize Money Distribution:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
\$250	\$75	\$55	\$45	\$30	\$25	\$20						
\$500	\$150	\$110	\$75	\$60	\$55	\$50						
\$1,000	\$300	\$220	\$150	\$100	\$80	\$60	\$50	\$40				
\$1,500	\$450	\$300	\$200	\$150	\$125	\$100	\$100	\$75				
\$2,500	\$750	\$450	\$300	\$250	\$225	\$200	\$175	\$150				
\$3,500	\$1,050	\$675	\$450	\$390	\$300	\$225	\$210	\$200				
\$5,000	\$1,500	\$1,000	\$700	\$500	\$400	\$350	\$275	\$275				
\$7,500	\$2,200	\$1,550	\$1,050	\$700	\$600	\$500	\$450	\$450				
\$10,000	\$2,800	\$1,800	\$1,250	\$900	\$800	\$700	\$600	\$400	\$375	\$375		
\$15,000	\$4,350	\$3,150	\$2,100	\$1,400	\$1,100	\$800	\$650	\$550	\$450	\$450		
\$25,000	\$7,500	\$5,500	\$3,250	\$2,000	\$1,500	\$1,250	\$1,000	\$750	\$750	\$500	\$500	\$500
\$50,000	\$15,000	\$11,000	\$6,500	\$4,000	\$3,000	\$2,500	\$2,000	\$1,500	\$1,500	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000

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