

## PCCHA NON-PRO/AMATEUR SENIORS' TOUR

1. This is open to PCCHA amateur and non-pro members age 55 and over. Age determined as of January 1<sup>st</sup> of each calendar year. However, if a person reaches senior status during the calendar year, they can enter the tour, but only shows and points after their birthday will count in tour competition.
2. The initial entry fee for the Seniors' Tour will be \$350.00 (\$290.00 will be jack-potted for year's end distribution to winners and \$60.00 will be administrative fees). It also includes the charge for the first score reported by the tour member ("TM,,).
3. Payment can be made by the TM on the PCCHA website: [www.pccha.com](http://www.pccha.com).
4. A link will be provided on the PCCHA website for TM's to upload a picture of their score sheet. When submitting a score for the tour, the TM shall submit a payment of \$25.00 (\$20.00 will be jack-potted to the end of the year purse and \$5.00 will be an administrative fee to the PCCHA). Standings will also be posted on the PCCHA Web site.
5. A TM can compete in any PCCHA approved weekend class and score from these classes which will be used to determine place in the standings. It is the responsibility of the TM to report scores they want counted and scores must be reported no later than fifteen (15) days after the competition is held. They must be accompanied by a copy of the Judges Sheet or a copy of the official show results as posted with NCHA, and signed by show secretary) The TM is responsible for certifying their own scores.
6. The TM can report as many as 18 show scores during the year up until and including September 1<sup>st</sup> of the calendar year (if the 1<sup>st</sup> falls on a weekend then the final submission date will be the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of that September.) A TM can use scores from limited age events as well as weekend scores once the score is averaged. There will be a 15 horse finals and the PCCHA futurity the top 15 TM will compete for the prize money as jack-potted throughout the year. (Final places paid using PCCHA formula for paying a class equal to the number of horses on the tour). The year end payments are dependent on monies jack-potted on the tour *less Cattle Fees for finals*. If less than 50 TM compete, there will not be a finals and payment will be to the top 10 placing horses. If the competition is judged by more than one (1) judge, the scores will be divided by the number of judges and the average score will be reported.
7. The tour champion and reserve champion will receive championship buckles.
8. Tour begins January 1<sup>st</sup> 2016. No more than four (4) scores from any weekend venue, such as AZCHA, LVCHA, and other affiliates, individual producers or associations may be submitted during a competition year. Scores can come from any PCCHA approved Non Pro or Amateur class and can be mixed from various classes.
9. **WARNING! Only eighteen (18) scores total for the year can be used to compile the composite final score. Once scores are submitted they may not be substituted or changed in any way. All submissions are final.**
10. If a TM rides a horse in the non pro weekend and another in a non pro novice class, both will count and the rider will be able to pick the horse he or she rides at the year end finals so long as whichever horse is chosen for the finals is one that had a qualifying run during the year. The same rules of ownership that exist in the NCHA will apply to the horses except in the senior tour; the 2000 Ltd. rider must own their horse for it to count. To be ridden in the finals, the horse chosen by the TM must have been ridden in one class submitted for consideration in the tour.
11. The entire purse will be paid out in \$20.00 bills — to be paid out at the PCCHA Futurity as soon as the finals are finished with **no checks and no waiting!**