

## High Point Horse of the Year Trophy Competition

Competition runs from January 1 to December 31 each year. Nominations are not required. Fourteen perpetual trophies are awarded in the following categories:

Purebred High Point Halter:	Purebred High Point Ridden:	Derivative High Point Halter:	Derivative High Point Ridden:	High Point:
Stallion/Colt	Stallion/Colt	Stallion/Colt	Stallion/Colt	Non-Professional
Mare/Filly	Mare/Filly	Mare/Filly	Mare/Filly	Youth
Gelding	Gelding	Gelding	Gelding	

Points are gained at these shows only:     All Arabian Show  
   Arabian Trilogy  
   Perth Royal Show  
   Arabian Championships of WA

Points are collated and the trophies awarded to the highest points scorer from the above shows, as follows:

To 1st Place	To 2nd Place	To 3rd Place	To 4th Place	To 5th Place	To 6th Place
1st - 6 Points	1st - 6 Points	1st - 6 Points	1st - 6 Points	1st - 6 Points	1st - 6 Points
	2nd - 5 Points	2nd - 5 Points	2nd - 5 Points	2nd - 5 Points	2nd - 5 Points
		3rd - 4 Points	3rd - 4 Points	3rd - 4 Points	3rd - 4 Points
			4th - 3 Points	4th - 3 Points	4th - 3 Points
				5th - 2 Points	5th - 2 Points
					6th - 1 Point
Champion + 4 Points					
Reserve + 2 Points					

At the Trilogy Show points for halter will be awarded as above. For the ridden Horse of the Year classes points will be awarded for the Arabian and Derivative hack height classes only as follows:

Gold - 6 Points  
 Silver - 5 Points  
 Bronze - 4 Points  
 Finalist - 3 Points

At the Arabian Championships of WA:     Champion - 8 points  
   Reserve - 6 points  
   Finalist - 3 points

NB at the Arabian Championships, Champion and Reserve Champions cannot claim points for a Finalist place i.e. they will only earn 8 or 6 points respectively.

Eligible points classes are Purebred Arabian and Arabian Derivative breed classes only i.e. age halter classes and ridden breed classes (ridden mare, gelding and stallion only). Height\*, weight, ladies/gents, youth and open (pleasure, bridlepath, costume etc) classes are excluded.

\*When ridden classes are only divided by height at a particular show, the points shall be awarded to the different sexes based on their placings. Eg if a mare places first in a height class the points earned for first place will count towards the ridden mare trophy. **Horse owner must be a current financial member of WAAHA at the time the points are accrued for points to be counted.**

**Non-Professional Owner of the Year:** All classes restricted to Non-Professional Owners will earn points, at each of the above shows (where offered). Where a Non-Professional shows more than one horse only one result (the horse earning the most points) will be recorded. **Non-Professional owner must be a current financial member of WAAHA at the time the points are accrued for points to be counted.**

**Youth of the Year:** All classes restricted to Youth will earn points at each of the above shows (where offered). Where a Youth shows more than one horse only one result (the horse earning the most points) will be recorded. **Youth must be a current financial member of WAAHA at the time the points are accrued for points to be counted.**

In the event of a tie, the Arabian Championships of WA will be the deciding event. If this does not split the tie, the horse that beat the higher number of competitors in their classes will be the winner.

All trophies **must remain in WA** and are to be returned from January 1<sup>st</sup> in order to engrave them in readiness for presentation to the new winners at the AGM.