ARHA Ranch Cutting Score Sheet

Judge's Signature_____ Date: _____

Class #: ___ Class Name: _____

**Must be signed and dated by judge.*

CREDITS + / -

A. Quiet in the herd & smoothness of cut
B. Degree of difficulty
C. Time spent working
D. Driving & controlling cow
E. Softness/willingness of horse
F. Natural cow ability
G. Horse & Rider ability to work together
H. Working on loose or light rein

AUTOMATIC DISQUALIFICATION

- Allowing the cow to return to the herd after it is clearly separated OR crosses back over the time/foul line when attempting to be penned
- Turn Tail
-Fall To Ground
-Penning trash cow
-Excessive help beyond time/foul line by turn back help at discretion of judge

-0– SCORE

A. Illegal equipment
B. Excessive disturbance of herd to the point that the exhibitor is asked to leave the arena

PENALTIES 1 point

A. Loss of working advantage 1 pt per horse length
B. Gapping mouth when reined
C. Excessive spurring or cuing
D. Working out of position
E. Toe, foot or stirrup on the shoulder

PENALTIES 3 point

A. Cattle picked up or scattered [when working cow]
B. Pawing or biting cattle
C. Back Fence
D. Two hands on reins except when exhibiting a junior horse in either a snaffle bit or hackamore (bosal)
E. Excessive help beyond time/foul line by turn back help at the discretion of the judge.

PENALTIES 5 point

A. Blatant Disobedience
B. Spurring in front of cinch
C. Excessive herd help when help is keeping cow from returning to herd.

SCORING

+ = +1/2 = Good
++ = +1 = Very Good
+++ = +1 1/2 =Excellent
√ = 0 = Correct
- = -1/2 = Poor
- - = -1 = Very Poor
- - - = -1 1/2 = Extremely Poor

WHISTLES OR HORN TO BE BLOWN AT:

A) One minute mark
B) Cow crosses back over time line after attempting to pen
C) Losing the cow back to herd
D) 2½ minute at end of time
E) Completion of run (judges discretion)

It is the exhibitor's responsibility to keep engaging the cow until judge's whistle is blown.

Exhibitor #	Herd Work √/+/-	Time Spent Working √/+/-	Driving Control of Cow √/+/-	Degree of Difficulty √/+/-	Eye Appeal √/+/-	Loose Rein √/+/-	5	3	1	SCORE 70 AVG