

# It's A Cinch Horsemanship's Halloween Fun Show 10/30/2021

## Official Rules

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### Rules:

- 1) This is a fun show open to **ALL** It's A Cinch students. Come show off your skills!
- 2) Show will follow Pima County Horse Project rules with the following exceptions:
  - Dress Code: Come in your 'riding friendly' Halloween costume. Riders must still be able to wear boots and helmet to ride. Helmets are not required for Showmanship classes. Points will be awarded for costume/presentation in Showmanship classes.
  - Tack: Practice tack will be allowed, including nylon halters for Showmanship and closed/rainbow reins for riding classes.
  - Procedure: This is a fun show and riders will not be disqualified for using 2 hands in Western classes, but will not place over riders showing 1 handed in the event of a tie.
  - Equitation classes are rail classes and will be judged on rider's skill.
  - Riders may compete in English or Western tack, but must show according to their chosen discipline. (English riders must post the trot. Western riders will be penalized for posting with the exception of ranch riding classes.)
  - Pima County 4-H horse project rules and class descriptions can be found here:  
<http://pimacountyhorse4h.weebly.com/forms.html>
- 3) This is a judged show with ribbons awarded in each class through 6<sup>th</sup> place and high-point awards for each division. All classes in each division will count towards high-point award. Points are calculated on the number of entries in the class. For example, in a class of 6 or more horses:
  - 1<sup>st</sup> = 6 points
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> = 5 points
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> = 4 points
  - 4<sup>th</sup> = 3 points
  - 5<sup>th</sup> = 2 points
  - 6<sup>th</sup> = 1 pointIn a class of less than 6 horses, highest point awarded will be the number of horses in the class.
- 4) Exhibitors may enter per class @ \$10/class or by the division @ \$40 for all 6 classes. Entries must be received by 10/9/2021. Payments may accompany entry forms or can be paid any time before the show begins. Entries must be paid in full before exhibitor will receive their back number. Sign-In will begin at 8am on show day with classes beginning at 9am.

- 5) Horses are assigned to each rider for the show. Preferences are accounted for, but not guaranteed. Horse assignments will be posted Monday, Oct 11<sup>th</sup>.
- 6) Patterns will be available to view online Friday evening before the show at [www.itsacinchhorsemanship.com](http://www.itsacinchhorsemanship.com) and on our facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/itsacinchhorsemanship>. Paper patterns for your division will be included in your entry packet on Saturday morning.

- 7) Order of go for classes will be:

Showmanship\*

Equitation on the Rail

Horsemanship (Pattern only)

Ranch Riding (Pattern)

Barrel Racing (2 runs, average time wins\*\*)

Bareback Equitation (For canter classes only)

Walk/Trot classes will run before lunch break, Canter classes will run in the afternoon.

\*Points will be awarded in Showmanship for best costume/presentation.

\*\*Barrel racing will be scored on average time. Riders will have 2 runs and the rider with the most consistent times will score the highest. Riders can have fast runs or slow runs as long as they are consistent. Walk/Trot division riders may canter for barrel racing, but it is not required.

- 8) Seating is limited and spectators are welcome to bring chairs. Please have spectators, especially children stay in the assigned seating areas as we will have horses coming in and out of the gate all day.
- 9) Full class schedule with all divisions and order of go will be posted at least 2 weeks before show date.
- 10) Pre-packaged snacks and drinks will be available for sale on show day.