

## ASHA SHOWMANSHIP AT HALTER

**Goals:** Showmanship at Halter, an official ASHA Youth Program, is designed to give junior exhibitors the opportunity to exhibit a well-groomed and properly fitted horse from the ground. The skills associated with Showmanship are designed to teach exhibitors overall horsemanship, safety and sportsmanship, as they focus on results through control, proper form, attention and style.

### **National High-Point Winner – 2006:**

**Plaque** donated by ASHA.

**Bridle** donated by WoodWind Farm Showstoppers, McHenry, Illinois, and to be awarded at the 2007 ASHA Youth Conference.

### **High-Point Regional Champions:**

*Awards are based on a point system – participants must have at least ten points to apply for regional awards.*

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**Ribbons** 1<sup>st</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> place awarded for each region.

### **Qualifications and Criteria:**

- To receive points, you **must** be an active junior member of ASHA, 17 years of age or under. There is only one age division.
- Point sheets are due in the office by **December 1<sup>st</sup>** and are to be signed by the show secretary or trainer/instructor for each competition.
- Regions are divided according to the USEF Saddlebred/Hackney Regions Map.
- Pattern to be used, and rules to follow, is described in the USEF Rule Book, under *American Saddlebred Youth Showmanship in Hand* (Subchapter SB-12).
- Points are awarded equally for Academy and regular (“A” or “B”) Showmanship classes.

### **Points are awarded as follows:**

1 <sup>st</sup> place	6 points
2 <sup>nd</sup> place	5 points
3 <sup>rd</sup> place	4 points
4 <sup>th</sup> place	3 points
5 <sup>th</sup> place	2 points
6 <sup>th</sup> place	1 point
Participation	½ point (did not place 1 <sup>st</sup> -6 <sup>th</sup> )

