

Team Challenge Procedure for Breaking Ties In Horse Management

(Reference: 2007 Horse Management Rule Book Page 62, HM 40f, Step #4)

To enter this procedure, the following conditions must be met:

- Final HM scores amongst two or more teams are tied at zero AND each team has exactly the same number of Exceeds Standards.
- OR -
- Each team involved in the tie has exactly the same number of Turnout points AND Daily Sheet points AND Exceed Standards.

There are two categories of questions; Category A questions are list type questions and Category B questions are short answer.

Materials needed:

- Scissors
- Watch with minute hand
- Pencil and paper for each team

Directions:

- 1) Cut Category A questions and place in bag.
- 2) Flip a coin to determine which team captain will draw the first question from the bag.
- 3) Read the drawn question to both teams. Place each team in a separate area to answer the same question. **Suggested time limit: two minutes.**
- 4) Teams members may confer and write the answers. Answers are returned to the CHMJ, who will determine the winner. The team who lists the most correct answers will win.

Still a tie? The tie-breaking moves onto the cards from Category B.

Directions:

- 1) Cut Category B questions and place in bag.
- 2) The team captain who did not draw in the last round draws a question.
- 3) Read the drawn question to both teams. Place each team in a separate area to answer the same question. **Suggested time limit: one minute.**
- 4) Teams members may confer and write the answers. Answers are returned to the CHMJ, who will determine the winner. The team who lists the most correct answers will win. Continue drawing cards and answering questions from Category B until the tie is broken.

CATEGORY A

(Number indicates reference page in 2007 HM Rulebook)

<p>List all the required items in the Equine First Aid kit. (85-86)</p>	<p>List the information required on the Veterinarian letter (101)</p>	<p>List the correct felt colors for all USPC ratings. (29)</p>
<p>What are the maximum penalty points for:</p> <p>Set up & Safety (84)</p> <p>Required Equipment (85-86)</p> <p>Turn Out inspection (87-89)</p> <p>Daily sheets (90)</p>	<p>List the items needed for a complete Tack Cleaning kit. (85-86)</p>	<p>List the items needed in the Human First Aid kit. (85-86)</p>
<p>List the required items in the Extra Equipment kit. (85-86)</p>	<p>List the items required in a complete Utility kit. (85-86)</p>	<p>Write the Pony Club Pledge. (1)</p>
<p>List the items required for a complete grooming kit (this includes optional items). (85-86)</p>	<p>List the items required for the rally tack room. (85-86)</p>	<p>List the required items on a complete stall card. (105)</p>

CATEGORY B

(Number indicates reference page in 2007 HM Rulebook)

List <u>three</u> of the safety rules to be followed when tying mounts. (18)	Name <u>three</u> permitted and <u>two</u> prohibited items for tack room decoration at a rally. (23)
What <u>four</u> colors of breeches are appropriate for formal attire? (30)	Name <u>five</u> of the listed "acts of cruelty" under the Abuse of Mount section in the HM Rulebook? (17)
What <u>six</u> criteria must footwear meet to be considered acceptable for unmounted activities? (29)	What <u>four</u> items of jewelry are permitted at USPC rallies? (29)
What <u>three</u> criteria must a helmet meet to be considered acceptable for use at USPC activities? (28)	Describe proper competitor attire and horse equipment needed for jog outs. (25)
Who may not serve as TD, members of the Ground Jury or members of the Appeal Committee? (67)	According to the USPC Code of Conduct, what are the <u>five</u> examples of inappropriate behavior? (i)
What are the maximum points that can be taken off for the initial jog out? (84)	What is the maximum number of points that can be taken off for being late for Turn-Out inspection? (87-89)
List the issues that lead to disqualification and/or elimination. (38)	List <u>three</u> rules regarding braiding one's horse at a rally. (14)
Who can help competitors at a rally without it being considered unauthorized assistance? (13)	Name <u>five</u> criteria for permitted spurs. (30)
Who are the members of the Inspection Panel for jog outs at a rally? (67)	What is the difference between disqualification and elimination? (38)
At what <u>four</u> times are competitors required to wear their approved helmets? (6)	What is the process for breaking HM ties at a rally when scores are tied at greater than zero? (62)
What is considered appropriate attire while unmounted at a rally? (29)	What are the eligibility requirements of mounts at a rally? (3, 11)
Name <u>four</u> the required information needed on the feed chart. (21)	What are the <u>three</u> steps of the inquiry process to dispute HM penalties?(37)
What <u>two</u> factors determine the heat index? (Appendix A, p 71)	What are the <u>two</u> rules to follow when giving horse electrolytes in their water at a rally? (22)
Name <u>six</u> things that HM Judges may check at turn backs. (34)	Regardless of rating, what <u>three</u> standards of horse care must all competitors be able to provide at a rally? (10)
What <u>four</u> things should be included on the label for pre-packaged feed for mount at an overnight rally? (21)	HM judging takes place on all competition grounds except which <u>four</u> locations? (2)