# OFFICIAL JUDGES CARD

NCHA
NATIONAL CUTTING HORSE ASSOCIATION

**Show:** ______________________ **Date:** ____________ **Time:** ____________

**Class:** ______________________ **Go Round:** ____________ **Class pays** ________ **places.**

### Run Content:

**Herd Work:** Driving a cow (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
**Controlling the cow:** Working in center of arena (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
**Degree of Difficulty:** (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
**Eye Appeal:** (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
**Time Worked:** (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
**Amount of Courage:** (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
**Loose Reins:** (√)(-)
**Horse Charging:** (-) (only)
**Forced Off a Cow:** (-) (only)
**Excessive Herdholder Help:** (-) (only)

### Penalties:

**One Point**
(A) Miss-Loss of working advantage - 11
(a)-1/2 Miss-Loss of working advantage - 11
(B) Reining or visibly cueing - 8
(C) Noise directed toward cattle - 5a
(D) Toe, foot or stirrup on shoulder - 8d
(E) Hold on too long on a cut - 8a
(F) Working out of position - 11
(G) Hand too far forward - 8

**Three Points**
(A) Hot quit -13
(B) Cattle picked up or scattered - 5b
(C) Second hand on the reins - 8b
(D) Spur in the shoulder - 8c
(E) Pawing or biting cattle - 12
(F) Failure to make a deep cut - 1
(G) Back Fence - 6

**Five Points**
(A) Horse quitting a cow - 14
(B) Losing a cow - 9
(C) Changing cattle after a specific commitment - 10
(D) Failure to separate a single animal

60 - If horse turns tail - 7
o - If horse falls to ground - 17

**Disqualification (score 0) - illegal equipment, or leaving working area before time expires, or inhumane treatment to the horse.**

| HORSE | SCORE | PENALTIES | | | RUN CONTENT | | | | | | | | | |
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| | | 1 PT | 3 PTS | 5 PTS | Herd Work | Cow Control | Degree of Difficulty | Eye Appeal | Time Worked | Amount of Courage | Loose Reins | Charging | Forced Off | Herd Help |
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*Divisions within the penalty box represent 1st, 2nd or 3rd cow worked.*

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