

APPLICATION FOR LEVEL 1 AMATEUR / LEVEL 1 YOUTH PERMIT TO EXHIBIT A NON-OWNED HORSE IN A LEVEL 1 CLASS

A maximum of ten permits will be issued to each Level 1 youth or Level 1 amateur member for the duration of the member's Level 1 eligibility.

Members must pay all entry fees and expenses in connection with showing.

Permits are good for Level 1 classes only. Points will be awarded and count toward the point cap per class for Level 1 eligibility.

Permit must be completed and presented to the show secretary at the time of entry.

AQHA ID Number

Name of Level 1 Youth/ Level 1 Amateur Member

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PERMIT APPROVED: YES NO

By: _____

Date: _____

The top 10 show circuits, which can be found at aqha.com/novice, will be determined by the number of entries in the previous year. For the top 10 shows (provided the show accepts permits), a Level 1 amateur or Level 1 youth member may apply for up to 10 permits allowing them to compete with one permit per show on a non-owned horse(s) in Level 1 classes only. Points earned by Level 1 exhibitors, whether using permits or not, will count toward the point cap per class for Level 1 eligibility. Applications for permits shall be directed to the AQHA competition department on application forms provided by AQHA, or an application may be filled out at an AQHA-approved show, and be granted as AQHA, in its sole discretion, determines. Exhibitors must have a current Level 1 amateur or Level 1 youth membership to participate. All Level 1 rules still apply whether using permits or not.

TO SHOW MANAGEMENT

Level 1 permit holders are treated like any other entry in Level 1 classes. Placings and points count. Please be aware of AQHA Rule SHW125: *For AQHA-approved amateur, youth, Level 1 amateur and Level 1 youth classes, AQHA approved shows are required to present ribbons or awards through sixth place.*

However, many AQHA-approved shows offer circuit or all-around awards. *It will be the decision of the management of each show as to whether permit holders will be eligible for the show's all-around Level 1 or circuit awards.*

SHOW MANAGEMENT MUST RETURN THE PERMIT TO AQHA WITH THE RESULTS OF THE SHOW