



# Pinto Horse Association of America, Inc.

## 2006 (OCAP) OPEN COMPETITION ACTIVITIES PROGRAM GENERAL RULES

**THIS PROGRAM IS OPEN TO PtHA REGISTERED (COLOR OR BREEDING STOCK) HORSES, PONIES, & MINIS.**

The OCAP program show year is from December 1st to the following November 30th.

### **NO SCHOOLING/ TRAINING SHOWS!!!**

1. PtHA recognizes that Pintos competing in specialty events may not have the opportunity to earn national points and awards. OCAP offers recognition of the achievements of these Pintos in activities outside of PtHA shows.
2. Pintos residing in areas where there are no PtHA approved shows, or fewer than four approved shows per year, may also participate in OCAP. Must reside a minimum of 350 miles from the nearest PtHA show. **In NO case may this program be used instead of participating in PtHA approved shows, when said shows are available.**
3. If a specific class (ie. jumper) is held on a limited number basis of usually four or fewer times a year in Pinto shows in an exhibitors area, PtHA will review requests to accept open competition points for that event.
4. Owner(s), Lessee(s) if applicable, and exhibitor(s) must be current member(s) of PtHA.
5. PtHA ROM point scale (p. 59 Rule G.17 Item A1) will be used at all times.  
Those events having special scoring in their PtHA rules, will use that scoring when appropriate.
6. Pintos participating in OCAP must have a permanent PtHA registration number. No points earned prior to the date of registration will be accepted.
7. Points earned through this program will be included in the Pinto's permanent show record. OCAP points will be included in the Open National PtHA Awards Programs.
8. Recognized Associations/Events/Shows for the OCAP program include (but are not limited to) those approved by: USDF, USEF, USEA, NCHA, NRCHA, NRHA, FEI, AHA, or APHA.
9. Contests where more than one go-round is held shall be awarded points from each go-round, not from the average or overall standings.
10. A PtHA OCAP reporting form must be completed in its entirety and submitted to PtHA, along with a premium list from the show, and the applicable per judge show results reporting fee. (Only one judge, horse, show per form.)
11. PtHA reserves the right to accept or reject OCAP points as submitted, and to investigate the conditions under which said points may have been earned.
12. OCAP points must be submitted within 30 days of show date or they will not count towards Horse of the Year Awards.
13. No fees will be refunded for any classes submitted by an exhibitor that do not match the criteria of the current PtHA Open ROM classes.