



2026 UMBHA YEAR END NOMINATION RULES

All nominations must be postmarked by 6/13/26

1. Owner and Exhibitor must be a current member in good standing with IBHA and UMBHA to be eligible for UMBHA Year End awards for all IBHA classes and a member in good standing with UMBHA for All Breed Year End Awards (per the UMBHA by-laws; all show fees must be paid in full by 9/15/26 in order to qualify for year-end awards). Points will not be calculated until the current year membership is paid. Please include a copy of the current UMBHA membership card (Owner's & Exhibitor's) with the nomination form. Points will not be calculated until a copy of the card is provided.
2. **Points will not be calculated until the nomination form is turned in. Nominations must be mailed with a postmark date of 6/13/26 or turned into the show office on Saturday, 6/13/26 by 7 pm. Nominations will be accepted after this deadline, however, the June show points will not count for any nomination form turned in after 7 pm on Saturday, 6/13/26.**
3. Nomination forms will NOT be accepted via email or without payment. They must either be mailed with payment or turned into the show office.
4. Nomination is on the horse in the IBHA Open, IBHA Ranch Horse, & All Breed Ranch Horse Divisions. Horse/Rider combinations will be used in IBHA Youth, IBHA Youth Ranch Horse, IBHA Youth 5-11, IBHA Amateur, IBHA Amateur Select, IBHA Amateur Ranch Horse and All Breed Select, Senior, Junior, Youth, Walk Trot, & Tiny Tot Divisions.
5. In the case of a sale of a nominated horse to another UMBHA member during the show season, the year-end award earned will go with the horse and the owner on record at the time the award was won.
6. Points Calculation. Maximum points earned in a class are 6 per judge. Grand Champion Halter Horse will receive an additional 2 points and Reserve Champion Halter Horse will receive an additional 1 point.

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# Horses in Class	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th
6	6	5	4	3	2	1
5	5	4	3	2	1	
4	4	3	2	1		
3	3	2	1			
2	2	1				
1	1					

7. It is the nominator's responsibility to be familiar with these rules. Please keep a copy of all nominations for your records.
8. The UMBHA Board of Directors will handle all disputes. All Decisions of the UMBHA Board will be final.
9. Please use a separate Nomination form per horse.
10. You must show under a minimum of 8 judges to qualify for year-end awards in each class. If you do not show in the before mentioned judges for each individual class, you will not be eligible for year-end awards in that class. Weanlings are an exception to this rule and they must show under a minimum of 4 judges to be eligible for year-end awards. In the case of the purchase of a new horse, said horse must be shown under all judges from the date of the purchase.
11. The following classes will be included in the calculation of All Breed Division Year End All Around titles: Showmanship, English Pleasure, English Equitation, Huntseat Disciplined Rail, Western Pleasure, Western Horsemanship, Western Disciplined Rail, Western Trail, Barrels, Pole Bending and either Color Breed Halter or Solid Horse Halter. (Only one halter class will count toward Year End and Weekend All Around titles). This is for the age divisions. For All Walk Trot and Novice divisions, only those classes will count to year end All Around titles. Please note: Only Showmanship, English Pleasure, English Equitation, Western Pleasure and Western Horsemanship will count for the All Breed Weekend Highpoint awards.
12. Nominations are for the individual classes and All Around division(s) of your choice. Please circle or highlight what you are nominating for. No substitutions will be allowed after the Nomination Form has been turned in.
13. All Classes in a division will count toward All Around divisions, you do not have to nominate in all classes for them to count for an All Around. You must show in 2 or more classes in a division to be eligible for All Around Awards.
14. Nomination fees are as follows: \$8.00 per class; \$20 per All Around Division. **Note: The All Around Nominations are just for the All Around. This nomination does not include the individual classes.**