

# *Colorado Versatility Ranch Horse Association*

## **Rules and Regulations**

The CoVRHA adopts and follows the Rules and Regulations of the National Versatility Ranch Horse Association unless otherwise stated in these Rules and Regulations.

### **A. Membership.**

1. Membership fees are as follows:
  - a. Youth \$10;
  - b. Individual \$20;
  - c. Couple \$30;
  - d. Family \$50;
  - e. Lifetime Individual \$100;
  - f. Lifetime Couple \$150;
  - g. Lifetime Family \$250.
  
2. Youth Membership defined:
  - a. A youth membership is 18 years of age or under.
  - b. A youth in a family membership is 18 years of age or under.
  - c. For youths whose 19th birthday is prior to January 1, the membership card will expire on December 31. The age of the youth as of January 1 will be the age maintained the entire year (regardless of the time of day the youth is born). For example, a youth who has a birthday in July and is 18 years of age January 1 must show the entire year as a youth.
  - d. Youth within a lifetime family membership holds a lifetime membership after reaching 18 years of age.

### **B. Limited Open Division.**

1. The Limited Open division shall be open to any horse rider team that does not qualify as an amateur team. The concept of this division is to provide a competition venue for that non-amateur rider who is new to VRH competition. This also provides a venue for an amateur rider that does not meet the ownership requirements to be eligible as an amateur horse rider team.

2. The classes will mirror the Limited Amateur Division.

3. An open horse/rider team that has competed “down the fence” in any other working cow competition association show (AQHA, NRCHA, etc) shall not be eligible to compete in the Limited Open Division, rather they will show in the Open Division.

**C. Event Management.** CoVRHA will follow the NVRHA guidelines for event management.

**D. Jackpot.**

1. Participation in the jackpot is voluntary.
2. Jackpot entry fee will be \$25 (\$5 per class).
3. The association would keep 10% of the pot to go toward year-end awards.
4. Payback will be paid out per class as shown on the Jackpot Table.

<b>Jackpot Table:</b>	
<b>Number of Horses</b>	<b>Payback</b>
1- 3	1st - 100%
4 - 7	1st - 60%, 2nd - 40%
8 - 12	1st - 50%, 2nd - 30%, 3rd - 20%
13 or more	1st - 40%, 2nd - 30%, 3rd - 20%, 4th - 10%