

## Rocky Mountain Paint Horse Association Membership Application 2017

The Rocky Mountain Paint Horse Association welcomes your membership. For additional information, call Cindy Weaver at (303)550-2954. Complete this form and mail it with your check payable to RMPHA to: RMPHA c/o Cindy Weaver 2144 S. Interstate 25, Castle Rock, CO 80104. **Rules and requirements for eligibility for all Year-End Awards are on the following page.** Membership signatures are required on application. Incomplete applications will not be accepted, they will be returned.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ E Mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City/State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Business/Ranch Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Officers: \_\_\_\_\_

Exhibitor Names: List names of individuals after the RMPHA division(s) in which members plan to compete. For Amateur and Youth please provide the exhibitor's date of birth and include a copy of the APHA registration papers for horse(s) to be shown.

Youth: _____	APHA#: _____	DOB: _____
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Amateur: _____	APHA#: _____	DOB: _____
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Open: _____	APHA#: _____	Exhibitor # _____
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Associate Membership @ \$10.00 each year	\$ _____
Individual Membership @\$30.00 each year	\$ _____
Family Membership @ \$40.00 each year	\$ _____
Business/Ranch Membership @50.00 each year	\$ _____
Sponsor an RMPHA Class (class name) _____	\$ _____
Donation to RMPHA Youth Development Scholarship Fund	\$ _____
Donation to the RMPHA Amateur or Youth Awards Program	\$ _____
(circle one)                  Amateur          Youth	

**If you would like your newsletter mailed to you, there is a \$20 charge for postage** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to abide by the RMPHA membership requirements, RMPHA show rules, and the RMPHA bylaws and to accept all decisions of the RMPHA Board of Directors.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Youth: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

## **Rocky Mountain Paint Horse Association Year End Hi-Point Awards Eligibility Requirements**

In order to qualify for RMPHA points for RMPHA year-end awards, ***exhibitors and all horse owners who are listed in the registration papers must be paid-up members of RMPHA at the time the points are sought.*** If a horse is sold, the new owner must be a paid-up member of RMPHA to continue accumulating points for club year-end awards. Points will not be retroactive to shows prior to the time the member joined RMPHA. Exception: If a non-member who accrued points in any RMPHA division (youth/amateur/open) wishes to become a member of RMPHA, the points may be approved retroactively, and a membership will be accepted with the payment of \$500.00 plus the appropriate membership fees.

### **Amateur and Novice Amateur Rules for Year-End Award Eligibility**

1. Amateur Rookie award: In addition to all other year-end eligibility requirements, the Rookie cannot have shown in any equine association/organization in open, amateur, novice amateur or youth classes at any time prior to the year of the award. The Rookie must declare in writing to the amateur chairperson that this is their first year of showing a horse in a breed association/organization to be eligible to accrue any points. This declaration and a paid-up membership with RMPHA are required before any points will count toward this award; this is not retroactive. You must show in at least six approved RMPHA shows in either the novice amateur or amateur classes to qualify.
2. Points will be counted from all amateur and novice amateur classes and will be accumulated using the RMPHA points system from 100 percent of the shows for that calendar year.

### **Youth Rules for Year End Eligibility**

1. Youth Rookie award: The Rookie Award is to encourage new youth members to participate in youth events at RMPHA shows. In addition to all other year-end eligibility requirements, the Rookie cannot have shown in any nationally recognized equine association/organization in open or youth classes at any time prior to the year of the award. The Rookie must declare in writing to the youth advisor that this is their first year of showing a horse in a breed association/organization to be eligible to accrue any points. This declaration and a paid-up membership with RMPHA are required before any points will count toward this award; this is not retroactive.
2. Points will be counted from all youth classes on family-owned horses and will be accumulated using the RMJPHA points system from 100 percent of the shows for that calendar year.

### **Associate Membership**

This membership is for a non-voting member who does not have a horse being shown in any RMPHA-approved show but wishes to receive information on the club and support RMPHA.