

# 2025 CCHPC Summer Barrel Series Rules

## Entries and Fees

1. Entries
  - a. Pre-entries will open one week before the event.
  - b. Exhibitions are limited and will be on the pre-entry form (if they do not fill, they will sell on-site)
  - c. Pre-entries will close at 6:30pm the evening before the race.
    - i. If participant does not receive a confirmation email, a chairperson must be notified.  
If you do not pay and the confirmation is not received, you are not registered!
  - d. Draw will be posted by 9pm in the evening before the race.
  - e. Any draw-out requests must be received by a chairperson no later than midnight the evening prior to the race in order to receive a refund.
  - f. After midnight, NO REFUNDS.
  - g. A horse may have a time once per race (one for each Open, Youth, and Poles). Different riders may use the same horse in different races.
2. Entry fees
  - a. Exhibitions: \$5 each (limit of 3 per horse, limit 60 seconds per horse)
  - b. Peewee (8 and under, CAN NOT RUN IN YOUTH): \$3
  - c. Youth (18 and under): \$20
  - d. Open: \$30
  - e. Open Poles: \$15
3. Office fees
  - a. On-site \$10 (this closes 30 minutes before open starts)
  - b. Non-member online \$5
  - c. Member online \$FREE
4. Youth entries regarding carryover to Open.
  - a. If a rider pays for youth and open, they must choose **prior** to the race on the entry form, whether they will run twice or carry over their youth time to the open

## Year-end awards and points

1. Year-end awards for CCHPC Members Only.
  - a. Rider/horse combination are used for year-end awards.
    - i. In the event the rider must use a horse other than the horse that is registered for the race, chairperson(s) must be notified before the office closes.
  - b. Rider/horse combination must compete in half or more of the events to be eligible for year-end awards, if half is an odd number, requirement will be rounded up (example 7 races, half is 3.5, required will be 4)
  - c. The goal is to award the best number of participants possible and will be as follows (number of places can be adjusted per chairperson(s) discretion if necessary and # of riders in classes):
    - i. 5D Open Barrels – 1<sup>st</sup> thru 4<sup>th</sup> up to 6<sup>th</sup>
    - ii. 4D Youth Barrels – 1<sup>st</sup> thru 4<sup>th</sup> up to 6<sup>th</sup>
    - iii. 3D Open Poles – 1<sup>st</sup> thru 4<sup>th</sup> up to 6<sup>th</sup>
    - iv. Peewee Barrels – 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> up to 4<sup>th</sup> (must attend half of the races to be eligible)
  - d. Tie breaker rules.
    - i. Number of races attended by horse/rider.
    - ii. Number of times placed in that division by horse/rider combination.
    - iii. The total amount of money won in the division by horse/rider combination.

- iv. Fastest time for the division with horse/rider combination
2. Point calculations.

Placing	Status	Points earned
1D – 1 <sup>st</sup>	Member Fee PAID	7
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Member Fee NOT PAID	0
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Member Fee PAID	6
4 <sup>th</sup>	Member Fee PAID	5
2D – 1 <sup>st</sup>	Member Fee NOT PAID	0
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Member Fee NOT PAID	0
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Member Fee PAID	7
4 <sup>th</sup>	Member Fee PAID	6
5 <sup>th</sup>	Member Fee NOT PAID	0
6 <sup>th</sup>	Member Fee PAID	5

And so forth

## Order of events and expectations

1. Run order.
  - a. Exhibitions (limit of 50, typically takes about 1 hour)
  - b. Peewees
  - c. Barrels – Open/Youth
  - d. Exhibition Poles-limit to 10
  - e. Poles – Poles Open
2. Exhibitions start Hour and a half before the open starts.
  - a. 60 seconds each, 45 second warning will be given by the announcer.
3. Runs start at posted times.
  - a. Exhibitions start at 10:30am, Pee Wees at 12:00 pm Open/Youth start at 12:30pm.
  - b. The Arena will **not** be open for riding after exhibitions.
4. Tractor drags.
  - a. Exhibition – tractor after every 10.
  - b. Drag before Pewee and after prior to Open/Youth
  - c. Open and Youth Barrels – drag after every 5.
    - i. In the event a runner has to draw out or is a no show, drag order will stay the same (example: runner 8 is a no-show, tractor will still run after #10 runner)
  - d. Drag After Exhibition Poles
  - e. Open Poles – drag after every 10. Same rule applies as above.
5. Each rider is responsible for being ready at the gate.
  - a. Announcer will call 3 times for the rider, if the rider is not near the gate attempting to enter, announcer will move to the next rider after the 3<sup>rd</sup> call (Approximately 30 seconds to enter the arena)
  - b. If a rider misses their run, they will NOT be placed at the end and fees are not refunded.
6. If a double race is needed due to reschedule/rainout, the order of events may change to help move the show along.

## Payouts

1. Payouts
  - a. Payouts will be ready by Tuesday after the race and mailed to the address on file.
  - b. Checks will **be combined onto 1 check** if you earn money in more than 1 division.
  - c. Payouts will not be held to pay for the next race.
  - d. It is the participant's responsibility to provide CCHPC with accurate information.

## Rain Date Rules

If an event must be cancelled and entries already exist, the following is responsibility of EACH participant and applies to ALL series.

1. Participant must contact the respective chairperson **within 5 days** of the cancelled event with the event date being day 1. (Example: Event is cancelled on Saturday; participant has until midnight on Wednesday.)
2. Requests must be made via text or email **ONLY**. Refer to [capitalcityhorseandpony.org](http://capitalcityhorseandpony.org) for the correct chair persons contact information.
3. The following **MUST** be provided in entirety:
  - Registrants Name (Also include name with PayPal account if it differs)
  - Date and series referring to.
  - Email of the PayPal account used.
  - Request of **Refund OR Roll** of entries to the next scheduled date for that series

**\*\*IMPORTANT:** If each participant does not make contact **within the 5 days**, the entries will be rolled to the next show. If the participant does not attend any more shows for the year, the funds will be considered donated to the club.