

# ANCASTER SADDLE CLUB

## Bylaws

1. Membership fees, entry fees and sponsorship rates will be discussed and voted on at the annual general meeting each year.
2. The starting time of the monthly point award shows shall be 9:00 a.m. unless otherwise notified.
3. Class Division: Class divisions shall be in accordance with the Western Horse Association rules for Western and Games Classes and Canadian Equestrian Federation rules for English.
  - Youth: 18 years of age and under.
  - Senior: 19 year of age and older.
  - Open: All ages
4. Contestants have fifteen (15) seconds to enter the ring after the last call for the class, unless the ring steward is advised of a tack change.
5. The annual banquet and trophy night shall be held in the last quarter of the year.
6. When competing for any High Point Rider Awards, only the points from one horse are eligible. Points will not be combined if riding more than one horse.
7. Halter Class and Weanling Class are open to both horse and pony.
8. The Executive has the right to make short notice decisions without calling a general meeting or consulting the general members. This does not include By-laws or Constitution.
9. There will be five point award shows held each year. Dates to be set by the Board of Directors at their first meeting of the year.
10. The show grounds are to be the Ancaster Fair Grounds.
11. Class definitions and list of classes, as defined by the Ancaster Saddle Club shall be posted at every show.
12. Games riders under the age of 18 must wear ASTM approved helmets.
13. Waivers must be signed before entry forms will be accepted.
14. Classes are subject to change up to 1 hour before the start of the show.
15. Member must show at three or more club shows for points to count for year end awards and must complete their 4 volunteer hours to qualify for year end awards.
16. Show secretary and point secretary will be appointed by the Executive.