

# **THE NATIONAL QUARTER PONY ASSOCIATION, INC.**

3232 US 42 SOUTH, DELAWARE, OHIO 43015

## **NQPA VERSATILITY AWARD PROGRAM AND ROY L. LYNAM MEMORIAL TRAVELING TROPHY**

The purpose of this competition is to demonstrate the versatile, athletic ability of the Quarter Pony. This competition is the combination of four NQPA events: English Pleasure, Western Pleasure, Reining and Barrels Racing Conditions for entry: Pony must be registered with the NQPA. Both owner and exhibitor must be current members in the NQPA. A completed and signed nomination form (available from NQPA), accompanied by the nomination fee of \$25.00 must be received by the NQPA Versatility committee no later than May 1 of the entry year. Only the pony and exhibitor named on the nomination form may compete for points in the versatility event. A maximum of two exhibitor shall be permitted. Substitutions are not prohibited without written consent of the Versatility Committee. Compulsory events are the minimum number of NQPA versatility events in which nominated pony and exhibitor shall compete during the Versatility season(May 1 and September 30), to be eligible to receive the Versatility Award. Compulsory events are:

Three NQPA English Pleasure  
Three NQPA Western Pleasure (size split class)  
Three NQPA Barrels  
Three NQPA Reining

Points received in compulsory events shall be added to other NQPA Versatility Event points received during the Versatility season. These points shall be tabulated by the NQPA Point Secretary and forwarded to the Versatility Committee. The winner shall be the nominated pony and exhibitor accumulating the most Versatility points. The most NQPA Barrel points will be used as a tie breaker.

Awards shall be: purse (total of nomination fees plus added sponsorship moneys, less 10% administrative fees to NQPA) traveling trophy, plaque, added sponsorship awards, ribbons to the first five placings. The awards shall be presented as follows:

1st Place: 40% of purse, traveling trophy, plaque, sponsor awards and Blue Ribbon.  
2nd Place: 20% of purse, sponsor awards and red ribbon.  
3rd Place: 15% of purse and yellow ribbon.  
4th place: 10% of purse and white ribbon.  
5th place: 5% of purse and pink ribbon.

**THE ROY L LYNAM MEMORIAL TRAVELING TROPHY.** The traveling trophy will be presented to the Versatility Winner at the Annual Awards Banquet. The winner will keep the trophy in his/her possession until November 1 of the following year. The trophy shall be returned, in good condition, to the NQPA Versatility Committee no later than November 1. The trophy will be awarded permanently when the same horse and rider combination has won it 5 years in a row.

All rules, regulations, by laws of the NQPA shall apply to the Versatility competition.

## The NQPA Versatility Award Program Nomination Form

NAME OF PONY \_\_\_\_\_ NQPA REG NO. \_\_\_\_\_

OWNER \_\_\_\_\_

OWNER ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate events in which each exhibitor will compete:

Exhibitor #1 ( ) ENGLISH PLEASURE ( ) WESTERN PLEASURE (size class) ( ) REINING ( ) BARRELS

Exhibitor #2 ( ) ENGLISH PLEASURE ( ) WESTERN PLEASURE (size class) ( ) REINING ( ) BARRELS

I/WE THE UNDERSIGNED AGREE TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE NQPA VERSATILITY PROGRAM

OWNER \_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name of Owner SIGNATURE (If owner is minor. Parent or Guardian shall sign)

EXHIBITOR # 1 \_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name of Exhibitor SIGNATURE (If exhibitor is minor. Parent or Guardian shall sign)

EXHIBITOR # 2 \_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name of Exhibitor SIGNATURE (If exhibitor is minor. Parent or Guardian shall sign)

**NOMINATION FORM AND \$25.00 FEE MUST BE RECEIVED BY NQPA OFFICE NO LATER THAN THE FIRST DAY OF THE FIRST SHOW**

Send to NQPA 3232 ST RT 42 SOUTH DELAWARE, OHIO 43015