**OBSTACLE SCORE: +1 1/2 TO -1 1/2** 

**PENALTIES:** 

1/2 POINT: - Each tick (light touch) of log, pole, cone, plant, or any component of the obstacle.

**ONE POINT:** Each bite, hit, step on any component; Incorrect or break of gait at walk or jog for two strides or less; Both front or both hind feet in a single-strided slot or space; Skipping over or failing to step into a required space; Split pole in lope-over; Incorrect # of specified strides.

**THREE POINT:** Incorrect or break gait at walk or jog for more than 2 strides; Out of lead or break gait at lope (except when correcting an incorrect lead); Knocking down elevated pole, cone, barrel, plant, or severely disturbing an obstacle; Stepping outside confinesor off/out an obstacle with 1 foot that has entered obstacle including missing one element of obstacle on line of travel with one foot; Falling or jumping off or out of bridge or water box w/ one foot

**10 POINT:** 3rd cumulative refusal, balk or evading an obstacle by shying or backing, (This 10 point penalty is in addition to the two -5 penalties received for the1st and 2nd cumulative refusal. Judge is allowed to motion rider on after 3rd refusal. Decision to motion on is judge's discretion/not subject to protest); Entering or exiting obstacle from the incorrect side or direction; Working an obstacle in an incorrect direction including under or overturns of more than 1/4; Failure to follow correct line of travel between obstacles; Failure to ever demonstrate designated gait between/within an obstacle; Use of more than 1 finger between reins; use of 2 hands with exceptions of snaffles and hackamores; changing of hands on reins unless changing hands to work an obstacle; incorrect use of romal

**0 SCORE FOR COURSE (DQ):** incorrect pattern (if spins are only thing incorrect see 3 point penalty); inclusion of maneuvers not specified; illegal equipment; delay of pattern; excessive schooling; equipment failure that delays completion of pattern; fall of horse or rider; use of more than index or first finger between reins; incorrect use of romal; failure to complete pattern as written; exceeds greater than one quarter of the circle out of order; Judge has the authority to excuse and/or disqualify any horse deemed unsafe or out of Control

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