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VRH & RHC RANCH CUTTING

Date:	10/24/2025
Show:	Stirrup a Little Fun
Class:	Rookie Youth
Judge:	McBeath

1 point
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C - working out of position
D - toe, foot, or stirrup on the shoulder
V - over-bridled (per maneuver)
W - out of frame (per maneuver)

3 points
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B - cattle picked up or scattered
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5 points
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Disqualified - 0 Score
A - abuse
B - lameness
D - disrespect or misconduct
E - excessive disturbance of herd to the point that exhibitor is asked to leave the arena
G - illegal equipment
F - fall of horse/rider
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MANEUVER SCORES
Each horse/rider combination is scored between 0-100 points and automatically begins the run with a score of 70 points.
-1 1/2 Extremely Poor, -1 Very Poor, -1/2 Poor, 0 Correct, +1/2 Good, +1 Very Good, +1 1/2 Excellent

WO	Entry #	PENALTIES COW 1 1 POINT	PENALTIES COW 2 1 POINT	PENALTIES COW 1 3 POINT	PENALTIES COW 2 3 POINT	PENALTIES COW 1 5 POINT	PENALTIES COW 2 5 POINT	COW 1 Herd Work	COW 1 Control of Cow	COW 1 Degree of Diff.	COW 1 Eye Appeal	COW 2 Herd Work	COW 2 Control of Cow	COW 2 Degree of Diff.	COW 2 Eye Appeal	Courage	Avg Cow 1/ Cow 2	Penalty Total	Score	Off Pattern
	126							0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		70/70		70	
	132					B		0	-1	0	-1	0	0	0	0		68/70		64	
	145							-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	-1	-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	-1		67½/67½		67½	

TIE-BREAKER

Judge's Signature: Tom McBeath

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OFFICIAL JUDGES CARD

NCHA NATIONAL CUTTING HORSE ASSOCIATION

Show: Stirrup a Little Fun **Date:** 10/24/2025 **Time:**

Class: AB Open (AM) Youth **Go Round:** **Class pays** **places.**

Run Content:

Herd Work: Driving a cow (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
Controlling the cow: Working in center of arena (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
Degree of Difficulty: (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
Eye Appeal: (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
Amount of Courage: (+)(V+)(V)(V-)(-)
Time Worked: (+)(√+)(√)(√-)(-)
Loose Reins: (-) (only)
Horse Charging: (-) (only)
Forced Off a Cow: (-) (only)
Excessive Herdholder Help: (-) (only)

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Three Points
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(C) Second hand on the reins - 8b
(D) Spur in the shoulder - 8c
(E) Pawing or biting cattle - 12
(F) Failure to make a deep cut - 1
(G) Back Fence - 6

Five Points
(A) Horse quitting a cow - 14
(B) Losing a cow - 9
(C) Changing cattle after a specific commitment - 10
(D) Failure to separate a single animal after leaving the herd - 15
60 - If horse turns tail - 7
0 - If horse falls to ground - 17

Disqualification (score 0) - illegal equipment, or leaving working area before time expires, or inhumane treatment to the horse.

HORSE	SCORE	PENALTIES 1 PT	PENALTIES 3 PTS	PENALTIES 5 PTS	Herd Work	Cow Control	Degree of Difficulty	Eye Appeal	Courage	Time Worked	Cow Score	Loose Reins	Charging	Forced Off	Herd Help
133	62	BBBB ~~BBBB~~			√ √	— —	√ —	— —	√ —	√ √	64 60				
131	60-	~~BBBBBB~~ BBBB	CC CCC		√ —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —	60 60				
123	63	~~BBAA~~ A		B	√ √	+ —	√ √	√+ —	√+ √	√ √	71. 64				

Divisions within the penalty box represent 1st, 2nd or 3rd cow worked.

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Class:	Open
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1	140		AA				B	0	+½	0	0	-½	-1	0	-½	0	70½/61		65		8
2	121							0	+½	0	+½	0	+1	+½	+½	0	71/72		71½		1
3	128	A		B				0	-1	-½	-½	-½	-½	-½	-½	0	64/68		66		7
4	126	A						0	-½	0	-½	0	0	0	0	0	69/69		69		5
5	139							0	0	0	0	+½	0	0	+½	0	70/71		70½		3
6	134		A					-½	-½	-½	-½	-½	-1	-½	-1	-1	68/66			OP	2 hands on romal
7	135	A	A			B		-½	-1½	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	65/65		60		
8	112	A	A			B		-1	-1	-1	-1	0	-1	-1	-1	0	65/66		60½		9

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9	129							0	-1/2	0	-1/2	0	0	0	0	+1/2	69/70		70		4
10	131							0	+1/2	0	+1/2	+1/2	+1/2	0	0		71/71		71		2
11	145	A						-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	-1/2		67/68		67 1/2		6

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Show:	Stirrup a Little Fun
Class:	Std amateur
Judge:	McBeath

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	131		A					-1/2	-1/2	-1/2	-1	-1/2	-1	-1/2	-1		67 1/2/66		66 1/2	
	128	A	A		D	B		-1	-1 1/2	-1	-1	-1	-1 1/2	-1/2	-1 1/2		64 1/2/64 1/2		60	
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					√	√-	√-	—	√	√	68				
112	60	B BBBB			—	—	—	—	—	—	60				
		BBBBB			—	—	—	—	—	—	60				
139	64	4 AB	B		√	√	√+	√+	√	√	70				
					√	—	√	√	√	√	67				

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