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## COW WORK JUDGE CARD

as of January 1, 2018

**GUIDE FOR NEW COW:** (At judges discretion, rider will receive new cow(s) as necessary to show Horse)

- A- Cow that won't run
- B- Cow that doesn't respect horse
- C- When cow leaves arena

- 3 POINT PENALTIES**
- D - Dangerous Position
  - E-Exhausting or overworking before circling cow
  - H-Hanging up on fence (refusing to turn)
  - K- Knocking down cow without having working advantage

- CREDITS**
- A- Maintaining control of the cow at all times
  - B- Exhibiting superior cow sense and natural ability



- 1 POINT PENALTIES**
- A- Loss of working advantage
  - C-Using corner or the end of the arena to turn cow
  - E-Changing sides of arena to turn cow
  - L-For each length horse runs past cow
  - P-Working out of position
  - T - Failure to drive the cow past the middle marker on the first turn
  - W- Excessive whipping, spurring, or hollering

- 5 POINT PENALTIES**
- A-Not getting a turn each way (5 points each way)
  - B-Spurring or hitting in front of cinch at anytime
  - C-Blatant disobedience including kicking, biting, bucking, rearing and striking or obviously insubordinate

- 10 POINT PENALTY**
- B- Carrying a quirt or bat

- 50 Score**
- D. Turn Tail

- 0- SCORE**
- E-Out of control
  - F-Bloody mouth (inside)
  - G- Illegal equipment
  - H-Leaving working area before pattern is complete
  - I- Fall of horse or rider
  - L-If a rider hits or kicks the animal being worked with the romal or reins, in an abusive manner
  - M-Failure to quit working a cow after a new cow has been awarded

- NO SCORE:**
- A-Abuse
  - B-Lameness

**RUN CONTENT:  
SCORED 0-80**

Excellent: + 1 1/2
Very Good: + 1
Good: + 1/2
Average: 0
Poor: - 1/2
Very Poor: - 1
Extremely Poor: - 1 1/2

- 2 POINT PENALTIES**
- A-Going around corner of arena before turning cow
  - B-In an open field turn animal gets within 3 feet of the end fence before being turned

**NOTE:** Judge may blow the whistle at anytime to terminate the work. A score of zero will be given if the work is not complete at that time.

NE- Failure of an exhibitor to attempt to work the pattern (fence work)

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			Boxing	Rating	Form & Quality of Turns	Circling	Position & Control					
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