

IHSGB Performance Awards Record Card

Rules

The aim of the performance awards scheme is to recognise the achievements and activities of IHSGB pleasure riders and their horses. To that end a set number of points will be awarded for all activities that fall into the categories set out below. Please note that these should be interpreted in the widest sense. Basically anything that involves you *riding* your horse at any organised event goes. If you have engaged in an activity that does not fit easily into the scheme, but you feel should be included, or if you feel that a particular initiative deserves more points than stated below, please do not hesitate to contact the co-ordinator – we could not think of everything.

Participation in an official competitive gait competition does not qualify for points – this scheme is only for pleasure riders.

Prizes for the top places and special awards will be awarded at the AGM.

Signature of verifier: Please obtain a signature from the event organiser to verify your participation. In the case of a group setting out together for a pleasure ride, nominate a person to act as verifier. If you encounter any problems in finding a suitable person to sign your record card, please provide the evidence in some other form (e.g. printed programme/time sheet, etc).

Please keep a separate record for any horse/rider combination. Additional forms can be downloaded from the website www.ihs.gb.co.uk or by contacting Gundula directly.

All competitors who return their card will receive a rosette.

Activity	Includes	points
Distance riding	Organised rides by clubs such as endurance rides, Icelandic riding club events, bridleways association rides, charity rides, taking horses on holiday, etc.	1 point per km; add 5 points/day for a camp or holiday ride; plus 5 points/ day for a pack horse
Training	Icelandic training courses, other recognised courses, etc. Have a go shows	10 points per day
	Riding lessons with an instructor (not necessarily Icelandic)	5 points per lesson
Publicity	Displays, and any other <i>ridden</i> publicity event	10 points per day
Sports	Participation in non-Icelandic competitions, such as dressage, jumping, hunting, cross country, Le Trec, etc	10 points per day
Special events	Such as: swimming with horses, polo, driving events, horse ball, fancy dress competition, and anything else you can think of.	5 points per event

Please send the completed record card(s) plus an administration fee of £5 to the address below no later than 2 weeks before the AGM, so that the awards can be announced and prizes be awarded at the AGM. Cheques payable to IHSGB Ltd.

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