



Points Qualifying Show

Request Form

Today's date: *

To be approved all requests for show recognition MUST be received by the GVHS at **least 90 days prior** to the show dates. Please fill out the following information and return to the GVHS at gvhs@vanners.org for review. To become a GVHS points qualifying show minimum criteria must be met.

Name of Show:

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Venue / Location:

Show Date(s):

Attendance (# GVHS horses) last yr:

Open to the public:

Admission fee:

Show Manager name and contact information, email & telephone:

Name of Judge(s): (the GVHS will only approve 1 or 2 judges per pointed show. See the requirements for a 2 judge show.)

Show Rules:
GVHS
Other

For dressage are USDF/DC rules used:
YES **NO**

Opportunity for acknowledgement of the Gypsy Vanner Horse Society

GVHS Logo on show website
GVHS Banner in arena
Show program
Announcements during the show Social Media
related to the show
GVHS display table/area

General Expectations for a GVHS points approved show:

GVHS Sponsorship. A GVHS points program approved show may qualify for sponsorship funds from the GVHS. If sponsorship funds are provided it is expected that the show will display a GVHS banner (provided) during the event and that GVHS materials (magazines/brochures) must be made available to exhibitors and attendees. The GVHS logo must be displayed as a sponsor. Shows that use GVHS show rules will receive more sponsorship funds. The show rules must be clearly communicated to all involved. A show may link to the rules on the GVHS website.

Full results and Judge feedback form must be forwarded to gvhsbusiness@gmail.com, within 14 days after the close of the show, in the format required by the GVHS. Results must include the registered name of the horse and the GVHS registration #, the full name of the exhibitor and the owner. Show management must post and/or have available show results for exhibitors. GVHS Show & Judge feedback forms must be made available to all Exhibitors, Owners and general spectators at the show. These forms are available for download at <http://vanners.org/shows>.

It is important to the GVHS and to our members/owners that recognized shows be professionally and competently managed and judged. The GVHS also ensures that its sponsorship funds are used for events that appropriately recognize the breed and the organization in a manner consistent with the mission and goals of the GVHS.

No **Competition Officials** (as defined in GVHS show rules A.4. #4) or Competition Staff (as defined in GVHS show rules A.4#3) or member of the Competition Officials' family, Competition Staff's family, judge's family, nor any cohabitant, companion domestic partner, housemate, or member of Officials, Staff's or judge's household nor any of the Officials, Staff's or judge's clients, employer or employees or employers of a member of the Officials, Staff's or judge's family may compete as trainer, coach, exhibitor, rider, driver, handler, owner, lessor, or lessee unless the relationship is terminated 60 days prior to the competition.

No Competition Officials, or Competition Staff's or judge's trainer nor any of the Competition Officials, Competition Staff's or judge's trainer's clients may compete as trainer, coach, exhibitor, rider, driver, handler, owner, lessee, or lessor in any class unless the relationship is terminated 60 days prior to competition. No horses trained or owned by a Competition Official, Competition Staff member or judge, or the Official's, Staff Members or judge's family may compete in any class unless the relationship is terminated 60 days prior to competition.

Geographic balance for awarding show points is considered in qualifying show approval. The GVHS will limit the number of approved shows in any one state. In addition location and date of show will be considered to prevent events competing in the same general area and time as another event, thereby affecting negatively the attendance at both events. It is also expected that a reasonable number of GVHS points approved classes are offered at the show. There are also some REQUIRED classes that must be offered in order to be a GVHS pointed show. (see GVHS Points Program document). The GVHS has a 5 approved for points show limit per state.

Choosing to have **2 judges** at a show will require that the results of both judges are announced and reported. The results will not be combined, an exception may be for an approved National Show.

Youth / Amateur combined classes – youth and amateur classes starting with the 2022 show season, will be separate with the exception of any single entry youth class that may be combined with the amateur class for performance only.

All shows sending in for show approval to the GVHS will abide by the following when naming the horse show event. The GVHS encourages the use of the breed name, Gypsy Vanner for your show, but no show is to include the word(s) Vanner National(s), or Vanner World, or Vanner International, or combinations there of without the approval of the GVHS.

Print or Sign Name:

The submission of this form is acknowledgement of reading and accepting the policies and procedures to have a point recognized GVHS show. Email this **form and class list** to gvhs@vanners.org or print and mail to GVHS, PO Box 219, Morriston, FL 32668

Complete the following:

Show Sponsorship Funds payable to:

Ship magazines/banners etc to:

I need a GVHS Banner to display

I already have a suitable GVHS banner to display