



AMERICAN SADDLEBRED EUROPEAN CHARTER CLUB CHALLENGE



Open to purebred American Saddlebred Horses owned by members of European Charter Clubs.

Rules

1. Horses must be ASHA registered (America) and registered with a European ASHA Charter Club.
2. Owners of horses must be members of a European Charter Club.
3. Divisions – in hand, Pleasure Driving, 3-Gaited, 5-Gaited, Hunter, Western and Saddle Seat Equitation. Other divisions may be added if demand dictates.
4. Horses must be nominated in each division (contact your country's Charter Club for current fees) before any points can be earned.
5. Competition will run from 1st January to 30th October in each year.
6. European Charter Club Challenge Classes may be held separately or in conjunction with existing classes. Challenge Class forms will be completed for each class that is entered and must be submitted annually from each participating Charter Club by 30th November in each year.
7. Horses may enter as many times in each division as they wish.
8. The highest (individual) scoring horse in each division shall be deemed that divisional champion.
9. The highest (average) scoring horse (for all scores added together from all divisions) shall be deemed European Champion for that year.
10. Horses may cross-compete in divisions.
11. Points will be allocated out 100 for in hand ridden and driving classes and 200 for equitation (100 for rail work, 100 for pattern). Final scores for each class must be submitted annually by the host Charter Club (ASHA of Sweden for Sweden, ASHA of Europe for Germany and USA-UK for Great Britain). A league table will be kept for each division and rosettes and prizes will be presented to the winner of each division annually. These will be posted online (name of website/websites) and printed in each Charter Club's newsletter. In addition they will be submitted annually to the ASHA in America.

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IN HAND CLASS

Name of Horse:

TO BE COMPLETED BY JUDGE:

Each section to be marked out of a maximum of 10 points.

<i>English</i>	<i>Swedish</i>	<i>German</i>	<i>Marks out of 10</i>
Type/Overall impression			
Head, Neck & Withers			
Shoulders			
Back			
Croup			
Hips			
Barrel			
Legs			
Walk			
Trot			
TOTAL (maximum 100)			

Name of Judge (print)	
Date	
Judges Signature	

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3-GAITED / 5-GAITED / HUNTER (delete as appropriate)

Name of Horse:

TO BE COMPLETED BY JUDGE:

Judging criteria – MAXIMUM MARKS: 75 performance and way of going, 25 manners and conformation

<i>English</i>	<i>Swedish</i>	<i>German</i>	<i>Marks out of 10</i>
MANNERS AND CONFORMATION			
PERFORMANCE AND WAY OF GOING – please consider the following on both reins:			
Walk			
Trot			
Extended Trot (if applicable)			
Canter			
Hand Gallop (Hunter only)			
Slow Gait (5-Gaited only)			
Rack (5-Gaited only)			
Halt / Stand			
Rein-back			
Overall impression			
TOTAL (maximum 100)			

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SADDLE SEAT EQUITATION

Name of rider:

TO BE COMPLETED BY JUDGE:

Judging criteria:

Railwork – 100 marks maximum

Pattern – 100 marks maximum

Please use pattern grid sheets to mark patterns.

Patterns must be selected from the 9 ISSEA World Cup Patterns

<i>English</i>	<i>Swedish</i>	<i>German</i>	<i>Marks out of 100</i>
RAILWORK			
PATTERN			
TOTAL (maximum 200)			

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Date	
Judges Signature	

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PLEASURE DRIVING

Name of Horse:

TO BE COMPLETED BY JUDGE:

Judging criteria:

Marks out of 50 should be given for work on each rein at walk, trot and show trot as applicable.

<i>English</i>	<i>Swedish</i>	<i>German</i>	<i>Marks out of 100</i>
LEFT REIN (50)			
RIGHT REIN (50)			
TOTAL (maximum 100)			

Name of Judge (print)	
Date	
Judges Signature	

