

Dusty Boots Riding Club
Royalty Competition



2025 DUSTY BOOTS QUEEN
BAYLEE OSKIN

2025 DUSTY BOOTS PRINCESS
LONDYN DUBON

Dusty Boots Riding Club Senior Royalty Contest Rules

- Contestants competing for the title of Dusty Boots King/Queen may be any male or female competing in the Dusty Boots Riding Club canter/lope classes, ages 14-24 as of January 1st of the show year. Qualifying contestants must be members in good standing of Dusty Boots and may not be married or divorced, may not be a parent, or expecting a child while competing for the title during their reign. If a contestant's status changes at any time, they must withdraw from the competition or if having been crowned, must relinquish the title to the first runner-up, as well as returning all awards.
- The Senior Royalty Contest will be comprised of four separate parts, each contributing a different percentage to the total score.
 - **Horsemanship – 30% of total score**
 - There will be at least three opportunities offered to execute a horsemanship pattern. At least two attempts are required to receive a score for the competition. If the contestant participates in more than two attempts, the two highest scored attempts will count towards the competition.
 - The Royalty contestant may use any horse for the Royalty Horsemanship as long as that horse is signed up to receive Dusty Boots points. The contestants may use a different horse for each attempt. A \$5.00 entry fee will be paid at the show for each attempt.
 - The horsemanship attempts will be scored by the judges, not placed in reference to each other.
 - **Written Test – 25% of total score**
 - Contestants will be given a written test of the NEOHA Rule Book.
 - The written test will be administered by the Royalty Committee.
 - **Interview – 25% of total score**
 - Contestants will be interviewed by a panel of judges selected by the Royalty Committee
 - The interview will take place on the same date as the written test
 - **Attendance – 20% of total score**
 - Royalty contestants will be required to attend two Dusty Boots Riding Club meetings during the calendar year in which they are competing. Contestants must sign the attendance sheet at the meeting.
- A Royalty Sponsorship of at least \$50 per contestant is required and must be turned in to the Royalty Chairperson no later than the Dusty Boots last show of the year, in order to compete in the competition.
- A Royalty contestant is required to perform a minimum of four service hours for Dusty Boots Riding Club at shows or other DBRC functions OR serve on a committee as a participating member.
- The individual with the highest cumulative score at the end of the competition will earn the title of King/Queen. One winner will be crowned along with a first and second runner up. Winner will be crowned at the annual awards banquet held the following spring.
- In the event of a tie, the winner will be the contestant with the highest overall Horsemanship score.
- Once an individual has earned the title of King/Queen, they are eligible to compete in the contest every other year.

Requirements of the King/Queen

- Pass out awards following crowing at the banquet.
- Pass out awards at Dusty Boots Riding Club sponsored shows when not showing
- Must maintain a Dusty Boots Riding Club member in good standing
- Present next year's contestants at shows
- Serve on Royalty Committee
- Represent DB at all social and fundraiser events
- If duties are not fulfilled then the contestant will not be eligible to compete in the contest in the future.

Dusty Boots Riding Club Junior Royalty Contest Rules

- The Junior Royalty contestants are eligible males and females, ages 7 to 13 on January 1st of the show year. Open to W/T and W/T/C riders.
- The Junior Royalty contest will be compromised of four separate parts, each contributing a different percentage to the total score.
 - **Horsemanship – 30% of total score**
 - There will be at least three opportunities offered to execute a horsemanship pattern. At least two attempts are required to receive a score for the competition. If the contestant participates in more than two attempts, the two highest scored attempts will count towards the competition.
 - The Royalty contestant may use any horse for the Royalty Horsemanship as long as that horse is signed up to receive Dusty Boots points. The contestants may use a different horse for each attempt. A \$5.00 entry fee will be paid at the show for each attempt.
 - The horsemanship attempts will be scored by the judges, not placed in reference to each other.
 - **Written Test – 25% of total score**
 - Contestants will be given a written test covering safety around horses, identification of parts of the horse and equipment, and some basic knowledge of Dusty Boots.
 - The written test will be administered by the Royalty Committee.
 - **Interview – 25% of total score**
 - Contestants will be interviewed by a panel of judges selected by the Royalty Committee
 - The interview will take place on the same date as the written test
 - **Attendance – 20% of total score**
 - Royalty contestants will be required to attend two Dusty Boots Riding Club meetings during the calendar year in which they are competing. Contestants must sign the attendance sheet at the meeting.
- A Royalty sponsorship of at least \$50.00 per contestant is required and must be turned in to the Royalty Chairperson, no later than the last Dusty Boots show of the year, in order to complete the competition.
- A Royalty contestant is required to perform a minimum of four service hours for Dusty Boots Riding Club at shows or other DBRC functions OR serve on a committee as a participating member.
- The individual with the highest cumulative score at the end of the competition will earn the title of Prince/Princess. One winner will be crowned along with a first and second runner up. Winner will be crowned at the annual awards banquet held the following spring.
- In the event of a tie, the winner will be the contestant with the highest overall horsemanship score.
- Once an individual has earned the title of Prince/Princess, they are eligible to compete in the contest every other year.

Requirements of the Prince/Princess

- Pass out awards following crowing at the banquet.
- Pass out awards at Dusty Boots Riding Club sponsored shows when not showing
- Must maintain a Dusty Boots Riding Club member in good standing
- Present next year's contestants at shows
- Serve on Royalty Committee
- Represent DB at all social and fundraiser events
- If duties are not fulfilled then the contestant will not be eligible to compete in the contest in the future

Dusty Boots Riding Club Royalty
Contestant Enrollment Form



Name: _____

Age: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Phone Number: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Participant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____

(required if participant is less than 18 years of age)

Parent Phone Number (if applicable): _____

Horse's Name: _____

Horse Blanket/Sheet Size: _____

Shirt Size: _____ Favorite Color: _____

Favorite Class to Show: _____



*Dusty Boots Riding Club Meetings are held the
First Tuesday of every month. Pizza Joe's - Jefferson*

Meetings begin at 7:00 pm

Dusty Boots Riding Club

Royalty Sponsorship Form



Instructions

1. Sign up sponsors and fill in the table below
2. Collect all money by August 28, 2022
3. Submit the sponsorship form and money to the Royalty Committee
4. Make checks payable to Dusty Boots Riding Club
5. A Royalty Sponsorship of at least \$50.00 per contestant is required

	Sponsor Name	Phone Number	Sponsor Amount
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Thank you for your support!