



NEWSLETTER

1ST QUARTER 2021

Upcoming Events

April Meeting – 4/11/20

Set Up & Clean Up Day
9am – Guernsey County
Fairgrounds
12pm – Member
Meeting

2020 Show Dates

May 1
June 5
July 3
August 7
September 4

Show Location

Guernsey County
Fairgrounds
335 Old National Rd
Lore City OH 43755

Please make sure to like and follow the OFQHA Facebook page. Events will be created for meetings and special planned outings. You may also message the officers or post questions to the club.



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2021 Special Events

- Roping Day – June 4th
- Novice Ranch Roping – June 5th
- Youth Day - July 3rd
- Freestyle Reining September 3rd
- Jackpot Ranch Roping September - 4th

Show Updates

We are still looking for an office manager and 2 staff positions for the show office. If you are interested or know some; please let us know!

Membership

Please make sure to get your membership submitted. Online submission and payment via PayPal are available on our website.

<http://www.ohfqha.com/membership.html>

Meeting Updates

Rule Changes:

- 1) **Horses of any age may be ridden two (2) handed in a snaffle or an approved bosal. Horses ridden in a shank bit must be ridden one (1) handed, for all divisions; open, green & youth.**
 - a) **Youth exhibitors will be penalized for using a 2nd hand on the reins with a shank bit but will not be disqualified.**
- 2) **Youth Ranch Cutting - 2-3 cows will be secured at the end of the arena with the Pen to assist with encouraging the cattle to be penned.**
 - a) **We had zero qualified youth scores in 2020, this is an attempt to help with the class.**
 - b) **Herd help will be allowed to help cut the cow from the herd the exhibitor is responsible for driving the cow on their own to the pen and penning.**

Infield Judge Info

- 3) Youth W/T Trail Modifications - Penalties SHOULD NOT be assessed for any of the modifications. Modified obstacles will be marked with pink cones.
 - a) Steer Rope – swing rope over the horse's head, attempt to throw is not required.
 - b) Gate – Gate will be unlatched, not required to unlatch, or latch back. Exhibitor must hold onto gate and maneuver horse with designated hand.
 - c) Log Drag – a straight line drag is all that is required. There will be 2 marked cones to drag a straight line.