



TCHA Trails Participation Program

A program to encourage participation in club trail riding activities

The program runs from Oct. 1 to Sept. 31 of each year with awards given out at the Dec. club dinner. Members may sign up any time within the program year and pay a \$10 program fee. Members will be credited for any points earned within the last 30 days from fee payment.

Members earn points for attendance at TCHA club functions:

- A. 1 point earned for attendance at any club activity that is non trail specific (eg. monthly club meetings, TCHA gymkhanas, Day at the Races, etc.)
- B. 3 points earned for club trail activities (monthly club trail rides & club camping trips)
- C. 3 points earned for serving on or chairing a trails related committee or post (Fund Raising Committee, Trails Participation Program Chair, & Trails Club Chair)
- D. 4 points earned for volunteering at designated TPP Fundraiser.

Awards:

At year end all club activities will be assigned points per above criteria and totaled

Members do not compete against one another, but receive awards based on participation:

- Gold Award: At least 80% of total
- Silver Award: At least 60% of total
- Bronze Award: At least 40% of total
- Participant Award: At least 10% of total
(Qualifying 10% must come from B., C., or D. above)

Participation awards will have a minimum value of \$10, and other awards will increase in value and depend on number of qualifying participants at each level and amount of funds available.

Fundraising:

The designated annual Trails Fundraiser shall be the main fundraiser for the awards program.

The trails awards program will receive a percentage (to be determined on a yearly basis) of the net income from the fundraiser, and retain no more than 20% of that for the following year. All \$10 participation fees will go directly to the awards budget for that year.