



GVRHA AFFILIATE CLASSES

RULES & CONDITIONS

GVRHA ANY HANDED / TRAINING CLASS

Open to any open or non pro horse/rider combination. Can ride one or two handed and may change during the pattern without penalty. Rider **must** hold a valid RA membership **or** GVRHA membership.

GVRHA SNAFFLEBIT / HACKAMORE 5 YEARS & UNDER

Open to any horse aged 5 years or under (minimum age 3 years) as of 1st August 2019 – proof of horse's age may be requested. Horses must be shown two handed in any NRHA approved snaffle bit or bosal. Rider **must** hold a valid RA membership **or** GVRHA membership.

GVRHA GREEN RIDER

Riders may ride one or two handed and may swap during the pattern, flying lead changes or simple changes allowed without penalty. NRHA pattern to be ridden. Restricted to riders who have not won more than \$200 lifetime NRHA earnings and have not won more than three GVRHA Green Rider classes or placed 1st or 2nd in a higher level of class. Once a rider has won or earned out, they can see out the show season but will not be eligible to compete in the following season. Any rider that wins the final of the GVRHA Green Rider Buckle Series, is no longer eligible for GVRHA Green Rider regardless of the restrictions as stated above. Rider **must** hold a valid RA membership **or** GVRHA membership. Riders who wish for their score to count in the GVRHA Green Rider Buckle Series **must** be a member of GVRHA.

GVRHA LADIES / MENS

Open to any horse / female or male rider combination. Horse must be ridden one handed in a bridle. Rider **must** hold a valid RA membership **or** GVRHA membership.

GVRHA LEAD LINE & SHORT STIRRUP

Open to any Youth rider under the age of 10 years (minimum age is 3 years) holding a valid GVRHA Youth membership **or** Reining Australia Youth membership. Lead Line must ride two handed and be **led at all times** by a parent/guardian. Short Stirrup to ride independently and must ride two handed.

Youth may borrow a horse to compete – stallions & 3 year old horses not permitted. Competitors must wear an approved safety helmet and riding boots. Any tack allowed, English or western, must be in safe working order and **stirrups must be used**.