

## Barrel Race (All Ages).

Contestant may start to either right or left barrel first, but must make one right turn and two left turns, or one left turn and two right turns. Barrels should be at least 20 feet from the fence. Regulation distance of 165 feet from the starting line to turning line. Forty (40) feet from starting line to barrels #1 and #2 75 feet between barrels #1 and #2. Knocking over barrel or not following the pattern disqualifies contestant. Contestant may use a running start. Start/finish line shall be 30 feet wide and shall have a pole bending pole covered with 4"x5' red canvas sock at each end of line. Constants must start and finish by crossing line between poles. Thirty (30) gallon barrels with closed end up with garden hose on rim to be used. Barrels #1 and #2 to be set 22 1/2 feet from each side of the lane that electric timers are set in and barrel #3 to be centered on the turning line in the middle (15ft) of the lane the timer is set in. No cloverleaf horses will be allowed to run in or out of any gates.

Do away with "Start/finish line shall be 30 feet wide and shall have a pole bending pole covered with 4"x5' red canvas sock at each end of the line. Constants must start and finish by crossing between poles. REASON: Poles are just an extra property set-up. In days past the poles protected the timer wires that ran above the lane, however now the timers are battery operated. Also lengthening the distance between the timers for the start may eliminate people running into and damaging the timers.

RECOMMENDATION: Exchange "Barrels" for "Cloverleaf" as one of the Basic Games.

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Here is a recommendation for the MSCA

I recommend that the MSCA purchase a new laptop computer and 1 or 2 printers, one of them being a printer/copier.

Reasons for this recommendation are

- 1 the old laptop has a few glitches one of them is that the mouse pad doesn't work.
- 2 with two computers two people can be working on different aspects of the show.
- 3 with two printers, time sheets or copies can be made without waiting for a break in the show

Last year two printers and a second computer were supplied by individual members and by the time the show was finished the time sheets were official and club points was totaled.

Jay Aspevig

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Jay Aspevig".