

OPTIONAL ACTIVITY

Canadian registered Tennessee Walking Horses participate in Equine activities and disciplines not included in the described Horsemanship, Trail Riding and Driving Levels.

1. An Optional Activity Award will be recognized that demonstrates a Level of achievement or Level of training as officially recognized by the activity or discipline and where the Levels of achievement is considered by the CRTWH to satisfy the expectations of this Program.
2. All optional activities must be approved by CRTWH.
3. Participation in any Optional Activity prior to age of 48 months will not be recognized.
4. The horse must be registered in CRTWH and the owner must be a member of CRTWH.
5. Any practice that is deemed unsafe or dangerous or abusive shall mean the Entry has not satisfied the standard of achievement or training for an Optional Activity.
6. There is no time limit for completion of the requirements for Optional Activities.

Optional Activities include but are not limited to

- Veterinarian supervised Trail Competition including Competitive Trail, Limited Distance or Endurance. Rides must be completed and scored.
- Trail Competition other than Competitive Trail, Limited Distance or Endurance where judged obstacles are combined with a trail ride. (Trail Challenge, ABCTHA etc.) Rides must be completed and scored. A minimum of 4 rides.
- Trail Obstacle Competition (Cowboy Challenge etc.) Must be an official (recognized) Association vent. Runs must be completed and scored. A minimum of 6 runs at 3 different competitions.
- Horse camping with rides from a single camp. Documented by other participants and pictures. A minimum of 6 rides from at least 2 camping trips.
- Pack trip with a pack horse and rides from a variety of camps. Documented by other participants and pictures. A minimum of 6 rides with a pack horse.
- Local Parades without prior entry requirements – minimum of 6. Horse may be ridden or driven
- Large Parades requiring liability insurance and prior commitments – minimum of 3. Horse may be ridden or driven

- Show Ring competition – either traditional TWH classes or open classes. Minimum of 3 shows with at least 3 classes in each show.
- Dressage – either classical or Western or Cowboy. May be virtual or live. A minimum of 3 competitions with a scores over 65%.
- Drill Team – member participant. Minimum of 3 public appearances.
- Obstacle Driving – single or team. Must be completed and scored. Minimum of 3 competitions.
- Cross Country Driving – single or team. Must be completed and scored. Minimum of 3 competitions.
- Three Phase Event – must be completed and scored. Minimum of 3 competitions.
- Liberty Demonstration – live or virtual. Minimum of 3 competitions.
- Agility competition – live or virtual. Minimum of 3 competitions or submissions to an accredited Agility organization.
- Reining – Runs must be completed and scored. Minimum of 3 runs at more than 1 competition.
- Hunter or Jumper Competition – minimum of 3 competitions.
- Cattle Penning – Minimum of 3 competitions.

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