

## NOVICE RIDER/HORSE STATEMENT

**This form must be filled out by all members riding in the NOVICE Horse or NOVICE Rider for their points to count towards a year end award. Your points will NOT be counted until this form is on file with the PHA Points Secretary. They will be counted FORWARDS of the date from which this form was received by the PHA Points Secretary.**

**Knowledge of the rules of any sport is required of each participant and exhibitors at horse shows must adhere to this responsibility. Exhibitors must be fully aware of all rules and class specifications in the division or divisions in which he or she participates.**

**On the Novice Horse/Rider qualification the Piedmont Horseman's Association Rule Book reads:**

### **NOVICE RIDER and NOVICE HORSE QUALIFICATION**

A novice rider or novice horse is one that has not received more than five (5) first place awards (other than halter) from any association prior to January 1 of the current year.

B. A Novice Rider Form or Novice Horse Form must be completed and be on file with the Points Secretary for points to count for Year End Awards.

C. Novice Rider points will count toward divisional awards.

D. Any youth 10 & Under will be considered NOVICE

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For NOVICE rider points fill out this section and sign:

I, \_\_\_\_\_ have not received more than five (5) first place awards (other than halter) from any breed association show or open horse show prior to January 1 of the current year \_\_\_\_\_.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ have not reached my 11<sup>th</sup> birthday as of January 1 of the current year \_\_\_\_\_.

signed \_\_\_\_\_

date \_\_\_\_\_

For NOVICE horse points fill out this section and sign:

My horse, \_\_\_\_\_ has not received more than five (5) first place awards (other than halter) from any breed association show or open horse show prior to January 1 of the current year \_\_\_\_\_.

signed \_\_\_\_\_

date \_\_\_\_\_