2018 Derby & Classic/Challenge Unlimited Amateur GOLDENS (SENIOR) Rules & Regulations

- 1. For 4 & 5/6 year olds (foals of 2014, 2012 and 2013) all breeds.
- 2. Nomination fees for \$5,000 added Unlimited Amateur GOLDENS
- a. On or before Sept. 5, 2018.....*\$1,150.00
- b. *Includes E/F/\$551-CC/\$427-OC/\$150-\$12 Video Fee-\$10 Turn Back Horse Stall Fee
- 3. Entries are taken and processed per PCCHA aged event rules.
- 4. Go round will run concurrently with the Unlimited Amateur go round Separate Finals.
- 5. A rider may enter the GOLDENS **and/or** the Unlimited Amateur divisions. (If entering both divisions, a discounted entry fee with an adjusted cattle charge will be offered.)

6. Rider Qualifications:

- a. Open to all riders qualifying for the Unlimited Amateur who are 60 years of age or older.
- b. No Hall of Fame riders may qualify.
- 7. Trials: All horses entered will work in the Trial to be held before the actual event. The trial shall consist of one (1) go round. Three and one quarter (3) head of cattle will be used per horse. The top scoring 25% will advance to the finals; with a maximum of 20. In the case that there are less than 25 entries, a minimum of six (6) horses will advance to the finals. In the event there are less than 20 horses, there will be a pencil finals (non-working) after the go round and no separate finals.
- 8. Final: Three and one half (3.5) head of cattle per horse will be used. The purse for the final will consist of the entry fees plus the added purse. Finalists will be paid based on scores in the final only to determine the placing.
- 9. After the official announcement of horses qualifying for the Finals, there will be no additions or substitutions for any reason. If a qualifying horse is unable or prevented from competing, the owner thereof shall be responsible for payment of any additional fees owed.
- 10. The five (5) Judge Monitor system shall be used throughout.
- 11. If there are ties for the Championship of a PCCHA event the purse will be distributed 50/50. To determine the recipient of the awards, the award goes to the highest accumulative score of the event.
- 12. Skyline Buckles will be awarded to the Champion and Reserve Champion.
- 13. The PCCHA executive committee reserves the right should it be deemed necessary, to make any changes or alterations to the above rules.