MIHA Reining Scoresheet

Division/Ring: _____ Back #_____

Obstacle Score:

Rating	Point Value
Excellent	+ 1 ½
Very Good	+ 1
Good	+ ½
Correct	+ 0
Poor	- ½
Very Poor	- 1
Extremely Poor	- 1 ½

* Each course will begin with a score of 70 points. Scores will increase or decrease via penalties and obstacle scores.

Penalties

Penalty	Error
Use of hand to install fear in horse	5
Touching the horse or saddle with the free hand.	5
Freeze up in spin or rollback.	2
Break of gait.	2
Simple change of leads.	2
Additional lead changes anywhere in pattern (except when correcting an extra change or incorrect lead).	2
Horse does not completely pass the specified marker before initiating stop position.	2
For each 1/4 circle that the horse is out of lead. This score is cumulative, so one complete circle out of lead is a minus 4 points.	1

Disqualifications

-Fall by the horse or exhibitor.
-Off course or course not completed.
-Changing hands on the rein or use of two hands on the reins (with the exception of junior horses in a bosal or snaffle).
-Use of more than finger between the reins.
-Knocking over markers.
-Use of the romal or spurs forward of the cinch.
-No hackmores, martingales, noseband or tie-down will be permitted.
-Equipment failure that delays completion of the pattern, including the loss of a rein that makes contact with the ground while the horse is in motion.
-Blatant disobedience to include kicking out, biting, bucking, and rearing.

Obstacle Description	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	**Total Score**
Penalty									
Maneuver Score									
Running Total									