

## Versatile Morgan Medallion Award (VMMA) Rules

**INTRODUCTION:** This award system is based on an idea which began several years ago by Mary Anna Scannell and in 1992 was further developed by Cec Watson of the Canadian Morgan Horse Association. Its aim is to encourage participation of CMHA members in a variety of activities, focusing on promotion of the Morgan Horse Versatility in a variety of non-traditional areas. The CMHA acknowledges and rewards the owners and their Morgans for their participation in activities outside the show ring. The CMHA feels these horses are acting as Morgan ambassadors to the general public and prospective owners and should be recognized for their efforts. The emphasis of this award is on participation, not competition.

### **COST:**

One time \$40.00 registration fee for the lifetime of the horse.

### **HOW TO ENTER:**

A one time Registration fee must be submitted to the CMHA office before points will count. You **MUST** be a current CMHA member for points to count in that year.

Download a VMMA application/entry form. When filling out the points forms, save them to your computer and then email to the office or print and mail. OR Contact the CMHA office.

### **AWARDS:**

Award for ...70 points - Certificate suitable for framing

Award for ...150 points - Silver Medallion

Award for ...300 points - Gold Medallion

Award for ...1,000 points - Platinum Medallion

Certificates will be mailed to the zone director and presented at the zone's Annual General Meeting. Silver, Gold Medallions and Platinum Walnut Plaques will be presented at the CMHA AGM/ Convention (March/April time frame of each year). Awards not picked up will be mailed to your address on file. Please ensure we have your correct address.

### **VMMA RULES:**

Must be a purebred or part-bred Morgan that is registered with the Canadian Livestock Records Corp. Owner/Lessee of the horse must be a current CMHA member. If ownership changes, the points stay with the horse and the new owner may continue to submit points providing the above rules are met. You must enter a minimum of 5 different categories to be considered for any award. There is no limit to the number of awards earned in any year. Points are accumulated throughout the year and are recorded by the owner/lessee on the registration sheets. These forms must be submitted (or postmarked) by November 30 of each year. (points will count from Dec. 1 through to Nov. 30) Include your registration fee with your first entry. Only paid entries will be recorded and considered for awards.

Division	Points	Division	Points
Buggy / Sleigh Rally	5	Combined Driving Competitions	10
Cattle Penning / Team Roping	5	Competitive Trail Rides	10
Clinic Participation with Horse and Handler	5	Cutting	10
Dressage Competitions	5	Endurance Rides	10
4-H Events with Horse and Handler	5	Promotional Events - club organized	10
Gymkhana Playdays	5	Rodeo Events	10
Horse Improvement Programs	5	Reining	10
Horse Shows	5	Pulling	10
Parades	5		
Pony Club Events with Horse and Handler	5		
Three Day Eventing	5		
Trail Rides - club organized	5		
Hunts - club organized	5		
Handicapped Riding/Driving	5		
Ski Jorring	5		
Extreme Trail	5		