

## TBA frequently asked questions

### What needs to go in the prize list?

**All TBA time slots MUST be listed in the time schedule (USEF AR107.5.B). If they are not listed with a class number in the time schedule per USEF rules they WILL NOT BE RECOGNIZED**  
 Below is an example of what is NOT acceptable. There will be a \$15.00 charge for any class added to the show including filled TBA slots.

There will be 20 TBA classes (no class numbers and not listed in the schedule)

OR

TBA #1	TBA #2	TBA #3	TBA #4	TBA #5	TBA #6
TBA #7	TBA #8	TBA #9	TBA #10	TBA #11	TBA #12

There are 2 ways to list TBA's **correctly to be recognized.**

1. The preferred way is to list them throughout your schedule with different class numbers fitting the location in the schedule. Using this method you will not have to worry about complying with USEF rule GR 830 for changes in your schedule. *Consider listing TBA's at the beginning or end of a session. This will result in the least amount of changes to the schedule in the event they are not taken.* Example of TBA throughout the schedule:

- 63 TBA
- 64 HA/AA Country Pleasure Driving ATD
- 65 TBA
- 67 TBA
- 66 Walk/Trot Pleasure (all Seats) 10 & Under
- 67 Arabian Ladies Side Saddle all seats
- 68 HA/AA Sport Horse Show Hack
- 69 TBA
- 70 Arabian Western Pl Select JTR

2. You can consecutively number all your TBA time slots and list them in one place in the schedule (usually at the end of the schedule and/or session). TBA's listed this way can be run anyplace in the final schedule, however USEF rule GR 830 regarding changes to Time Schedule must be followed. Example of TBA/s listed with consecutive class numbers.

- 180 Arabian Show Hack CH (316)
- 181 HA/AA Western Pl AATR CH (638)
- 182 - 192 TBA time slots

If you list your TBA's in this manner, **UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES change your class numbers.** If your class numbers do not match the "Class List Report", they can't be imported and you will get the results back to you for correction

There must be a statement in the prize list regarding classes that can be selected. There are 2 choices for any AHA recognized show.

1. The blanket class statement
  - i. "Any class on the AHA Class List or that is recognized by AHA ."
    - If there are classes you do **not** want to offer, these exceptions must be listed.
    - i.e. Any class on the AHA Class List or that is recognized by AHA, *with the exception of Dressage, Sport Horse, any class that requires a cow, .....*
2. A list of all classes the show wants to offer. This list must be very specific. Example:

TBA Classes must be selected from the TBA Class list below. <b>Classes can be either Arabian or Half-Arabian/Anglo Arabian, Maiden, Novice or Limit Classes may be either Horse or Rider</b>	
<b>Park</b> Open, ATR, Maiden, Novice, Limit	<b>Show Hack</b> Championship Open
<b>Hunter Pleasure</b> Open, Maiden, Limit Jr Horse Championship	<b>Driving</b> Country Pleasure Open, ATD Country Pleasure Championships – Open, ATD

**What if I list the TBA classes and someone wants to buy one not on the list, but I still have time slots open. Will it count for Regional or National Qualifications?**

Yes, it will count for Regional & National qualifications. If the blanket class statement was not used and the class is not on the list of TBA classes in the prize list, you certainly can sell it, however there is a per class fee of \$15.00 that is due when results are submitted.

**What if someone wants to buy a class, but there are no more time slots open? Will it count for Regional or National Qualifications?**

Yes, it will count for Regional & National qualifications. You can add a TBA slot however since you added a TBA slot, there is the per class fee of \$15.00 that is due when results are submitted.

**If a TBA Performance class is purchased, will that class be eligible to show in the corresponding Championship class at the show? What if the class is a Breeding/Gelding in Hand class?**

For the Performance class, yes provided the horse was shown & judged in the class in accordance with USEF  
For Breeding/Gelding In Hand class, yes, however USEF GR 904 (changes in Prize List) must be followed.

**My show is offering an Arabian Western PI JTR 18 & Under and someone wants to buy an Arabian Western Pleasure 13 & Under. Can I run both the 18 & Under and the 13 & Under.**

This depends on the type of class.

No, for any Championship class (remember all Regional Classes are Championship classes). In this case the class would need to be split into all inclusive age groups - i.e. JTR 13 & Under and JTR 14 - 18. Holding both the JTR 13 & Under AND the JTR 18 & Under would be in violation of COMP 301.16. Since the 18 & Under would encompass the 13 & Under, in essence they are the same class.

Yes, for regular classes as age cross over is allowed.

**Someone wants to buy a class we do not offer but with only 1 age split of 14 - 18. Do they also have to buy the 13 & Under?**

No, because it's a TBA, the show is not required to offer the other age split. You may want to check with USEF, the TBA class may not count for the Horse of the year Award (HOTY) since the class is not all age inclusive.

**Can AHA Medal Classes be a TBA class?**

Because AHA Medal classes and Regional Championship Equitation classes are the only qualifications to Nationals, it is not recommended, however if in your area you rarely have exhibitors in a specific AHA Medal seat, it can be a TBA class.

**Regional TBA**

**Can a Regional show offer TBA time slots?**

Yes, however you must not duplicate a Championship class title (COMP 301.16).

**Can Sweepstakes classes be offered as a TBA?**

All Sweepstakes classes that MUST be held at a Regional Championship or be fined \$500 with the exception of Exempt Sweepstakes classes listed in COMP 302.4 (Reining, Trail, Working Cow, Cutting, Sport Horse Under Saddle, Dressage, Working Hunter) can be on a TBA list.