

## 2018 Big Sky Draft Horse Expo **ROW CULTIVATING**

**Objective:** The object of this contest is to cultivate a simulated row crop. Driver skill in operating the cultivator and controlling is key.

1. Show management will provide cultivator. All drivers must use the same cultivator. In order to move the show along, more than one cultivator may be used. Should this take place, the cultivators must be adjusted so that the distance between the shovels is the same and the shovels are set to the same depth.
2. Time in the course cannot exceed 5 minutes. Time will be used only as a tiebreaker.
3. One point will be SUBTRACTED for each "Plant" that is hit and knocked out of place by hooves, shovels, wheels, lines or dirt.
4. Judges have the discretion to move the course should it become too well traveled for fair competition.
5. All drivers will enter the course from the same side.
6. No loping is allowed.
7. Time will start when the center of cultivator wheel crosses starting line and will end when the center of the cultivator wheel crosses the finish line.

### All Drivers will start with 100 Points

- One Point will be SUBTRACTED for each "Plant" that is hit and knocked out of place
- Twenty (20) Points will be SUBTRACTED for breaking pattern.

**DRIVER WITH MOST POINTS WILL BE WINNER!**  
**(Time will be used as a tiebreaker.)**