

# Pro Elite World Challenge 2018 Rules



## Membership dues:

<b>Open Division Membership: \$65</b>	<b>Renewal: \$60</b>
<b>Youth Division Membership: \$50</b>	<b>Renewal: \$45</b>
<b>Peewee Division Membership: \$40</b>	<b>Renewal: \$35</b>
<b>Senior Division Membership: \$40</b>	<b>Renewal: \$35</b>
<b>Cash Division (optional): \$100</b>	

**Sanctioned Race Point System:** Points can be acquired at any PEWC sanctioned race January 1st-December 31st each year. Points begin the date membership is received. Points are earned in the division(s) you signed up for upon membership. (open, youth, senior, or peewee) Members may choose multiple divisions to compete in for points. Open (any age), Youth (maximum age 18 and under as of Jan 1), Peewee (maximum age 10 and under as of Jan 1) or senior (45+). Open and senior division can acquire points from open classes. Pee Wee, Youth and Senior points may also be earned in the 1<sup>st</sup> open class if no Pee Wee, Youth or Senior class is offered.

**Cost of sanctioning is \$30 per day that includes:** one open class, one youth class, one peewee class, and one senior class. Additional classes sanctioned are \$15 each (example – 2<sup>nd</sup> Open 4D on same day).  
Weekday special - \$25/day for Monday through Thursday events.

**Double Header Option:** Double headers are those shows who hold two of each class (pee wee, youth and open/senior) and wish to have points in all classes. To sanction a double header is a second \$30 to include the second set of classes.

**PEWC State Challenge Races:** Dates and locations will be announced as the 2018 schedule is available. Each state challenge race will have a “PEWC Sidepot” designated. PEWC members competing in the state challenge sidepots will be eligible for a \$5000 bonus run at the October 19-21, 2018 Finals in Verndale, MN. State Challenge Sidepots will be awarded points per division.

**Event Submission and Posting:** Sanctioning fee is due prior to the event. PEWC sanctioning producers are encouraged to list their event on [www.ehorsehotline.com](http://www.ehorsehotline.com) and check the PEWC sanctioning box. If you have trouble with the electronic form, you may also email the above information directly to [amber.webber@outlook.com](mailto:amber.webber@outlook.com). PEWC reserves the right to REJECT any incomplete submissions, so make sure to fill out all fields on the form. A Qualifying Barrel Race to be considered a PEWC sanctioned barrel race, must be on a traditional timed cloverleaf pattern with three barrels. Sanctioning producer must turn in results within 7 days of their race. If not received within 15 days, PEWC reserves the right to refuse those race results completely. If results are in electronic format, they can be sent to: [amber.webber@outlook.com](mailto:amber.webber@outlook.com). Paper copies with contestant name, hometown, time and amount won and any new membership applications and fees accepted at the show can be mailed to PEWC, 20005 Beroun Crossing, Hinckley, MN 55037.

**Points:** 30 points per division. A no-time or knocked barrel= 0 points. Points will be awarded through 30th place in each division at that race. If you are running multiple horses, points will be taken on the horse with the highest points per division per class. For example, if the rider has one horse in the 1D and a second horse in the 3D in the Open class, both horses will receive points. If both horses are in the

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1D, only the highest placing horse earns points. If duplicate classes are held in the same day, points will be applied to the first class on the daily schedule unless clearly designated on the entry form and flyers. Added classes/Double headers must also be clearly marked. Members have 15 days from date the race results are posted on our website to verify and notify PEWC of any corrections. The PEWC points keeper will do their best to tally accurately. Any corrections should be emailed to: [amber.webber@outlook.com](mailto:amber.webber@outlook.com). Should there be a tie, there will be a tie breaker to determine final placing. Pro Elite World Challenge reserves the right to choose tie breaking method. Website standings will be updated once per month minimum.

**Year-end state awards:** A state must have at least 100 members for state awards or they will be in the combined state category. Awards will be given to the top 5 point earners in each open, youth, peewee, and senior division per state in a 4D format. Awards will be determined based upon number of members per state and is at the discretion of the PEWC.

**World Champion Titles: (Overall highest points regardless of state)** World Champion Open, youth, senior and peewee. Awards will be given to the Top 5 overall winners in each division.

**Cash Division:** The Cash Division is an optional nomination for bonus awards. \$100 Nomination fee. This is in ADDITION to our regular awards program. Only current members of PEWC are eligible to enter. In order to win an award from the Cash Division, you must pay the nomination fee and win money in your age division. Cash Division will be Open (everyone) or Youth (18 and under). Youth can be in the Open division but must specify clearly. They can compete in either Open or Youth but not both. Money will be pulled from the correlated age group. Example: Open money pulls from open classes, youth money pulls from youth classes only. Money pulled from Rodeo's can be used in the correlated age group. Cash Division point season runs Jan 1-Dec 31<sup>st</sup> and will be based upon the total money won at Barrel Racing/Rodeo Events and will be separate from the point system. **CASH DIVISION MEMBERS ARE RESPONSIBLE TO TURN IN THEIR OWN TOTAL MONEY WON BY THE 5<sup>TH</sup> OF EACH MONTH.** Awards will be distributed at Pro Elite World Challenge Finals year-end banquet (to be determined). You must be present to win. Nomination fee is per division. Award package will be determined by the total nominations across all age divisions. In the event of a tie, see previous notations. Top 5 competitors in the Open and Top 5 competitors in the Youth will win year end awards.

**Disputes:** If a dispute shall arise with an organization, member, or individual, the PEWC will take the proper steps to dissolve the situation with private communication. If the dispute continues further, the disputing party must go through Pine County, MN and the PEWC is not responsible for any wrong-doing or cost for legal litigation.

Disclaimer: The PEWC is not responsible for any loss of profit, damages, theft, sickness, or death of any competitor, their animals, or property when competing at events. All decisions are final. The PEWC has the right to refuse service to anyone, at any time, and for any reason. If an individual or member is caught slandering the PEWC either vocally or on social media, they may have their membership revoked at any time without refund. Any person or competitor demonstrating unsportsmanlike conduct to others, their animals, property, or to other's property, can be dismissed from the PEWC and sanctioned events without refund.

All decisions by producers and the PEWC are final. Each individual producer will have their own set of rules and guidelines for each event. PEWC is not responsible for sanctioning producers and their actions. Competitors and associates must adhere to the rules at each event. Not doing so could result in disqualification. It is the member's responsibility to read and understand the rules for each event. PEWC is not responsible for any actions by other contestants, arena crew, employees, or associates of the barrel races. Producers determine the 4D second split (1/2 or full). PEWC is a sanctioning body and not responsible for how the races are conducted.