

2022 American Endurance Ride Conference

Rookie Award



Open to all riders in their first
year of AERC competition

High Mileage Award for Rookie AERC Members*

Endurance Prizes

1st Place

*Specialized
Saddles
Endurance
Saddle*



**Custom Tooled
EUROLIGHT**

2nd and 3rd Place

Custom Hay Bag

Limited Distance Prizes

1st Place

Custom Belt Buckle



2nd and 3rd Place

Custom Hay Bag

ADDITIONAL RULES:

Your ride mileage will begin accumulating towards this award from the date you join AERC. Award based on one rider and one or two equines. Equines must be the minimum age as required by AERC rules. In the event of a tie, the higher number of completions will break the tie; second tie-breaker will be the higher number of longer ride completions (55 miles and up). Riders with a completion rate of less than 80% at the end of the season will be ineligible for the Rookie Award. Riders against whom a protest has been filed and upheld by the Protest and Grievance Committee for a failed drug test, equine abuse or poor sportsmanship are not eligible. Rides done as a non-member (day member) will not count against this award. Every new member is automatically entered for 2021.

Any miles done as a non-member do not count against the award (same as this year, 2021)

If you are not a new member, but meet the below criteria,

you can CONTACT THE OFFICE to be added to the Rookie runnings

- 1) You have two or less LD completions on your official record AND/OR
- 2) You have two or less endurance completions on your official record If you have more than two LDs but only 1 endurance, you could still qualify for the endurance award, just not the LD award, and vice versa. You have to let us know by 3/1 for all your prior rides to count. After that, your rides count from the date you notify us. Watch Endurance News & AERC'S Facebook Page for Rookie Award Updates!