### **Wisconsin Quarter Horse Association**

**Updated Shows & Event Info** 





#### SHOWTIME STALL MATS

Stall Mat Rentals now available in Wisconsin! Their website for ordering will be live mid week! Make your reservations at <u>www.showtimestallmats.com</u> email <u>showtimestallmats@gmail.com</u> or call (608) 963-7266.



Alliant Energy Center management attended a dirt symposium this Spring. Kiser has evaluated samples and our shows will see added sand to the finish layer of the Kiser show rings for our shows at Alliant.

<u>Trainer's Tab Sheet</u> - to make things quicker for your customers at the Show Office, be sure to complete copies of the Trainer's Tab Sheet and **submit upon arrival at each show**.

<u>WQHA Back Number & Barcodes</u> - Reserve your back number had make entry quick and easy with Bar Code sheets. Print out the forms and submit prior to the first show or to the show office.

<u>WQHA Open Show Program Forms & Rules</u> - Complete forms and submit your open show results. Members are eligible for great prizes at the WQHA Year End Awards Banquet! Questions about the program, contact <u>Lisa Zurn</u> or call (262) 337-3188.



**WQHA Year End Awards Eligibility** - be sure to complete your <u>WQHA Membership or Renewal</u> to be eligible for the great year end awards offered! You can mail in the form or complete online. Both the owner and exhibitor need to be members.

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<u>Pre Order Form for Feed</u> - Have your feed delivered to your stalls at Lazy Days, Cap Gun, Badger and WQHA State Shows. Click on the form for listing of Nutrena feeds, oats and alfalfa cubes. (Hay delivery is pending at this time.)



#### May 6th - AQHA Introductory Show & Horse-A-Rama Open Show

Held in Manitowoc, WI this is a great opportunity to start the show season off! AQHA judge Art O'Brian will offer exhibitors pointers after classes. The show offers Beginner Classes and No Show Clothes or Fancy Tack Required for Open/Schooling Classes. Classes will be held in the new Horse-a-rama Agricultural building. For stall reservations: <u>bruceswoodart@sbcglobal.net</u> Showbill and Information



May 11th- 14th - 2017 Lazy Days Circuit - Tim and Trish Schmahl are excited for the show season to begin! Lazy Days will be held at the Alliant Energy Center in Madison, WI.

There will be ranch riding, ranch reining, ranch trail, ranch conformation, lead line, driving classes, **rookie halter classes**, and WQHA walk-trot classes along with halter, western, and english classes. **Halter cash grab bag and payback classes!** 

Exhibitors will receive class prizes, circuit awards, high-point awards, and random daily prizes! We are a show management team working to provide an exhibitor-friendly environment. Please contact us at <u>lazydayscircuit@gmail.com</u>.

Like us on Facebook or follow us on Twitter for updates and more details. Check out our website at <a href="http://lazydays.timzhsm.com">http://lazydays.timzhsm.com</a>. Complimentary Bagels and Coffee by:





#### May 26 - 29th - Memorial Day Circuit

Rookie Halter Classes and additional Ranch Classes are features of the show held at Sunny View Expo Center in Oshkosh. <u>Website and Showbill</u> for more information contact Diane Baier 920/379-0493 or <u>dbaier@ntd.net</u> Online Entries can be made by <u>Clicking Here</u>.

The WQHYA Youth Teams will host a Silent Auction and a "Grab and Go" Breakfast & Snacks.

Layover Campers and Trailers - their will be a septic service between Memorial Day and Paper Valley. Sign up in the Show Office.



#### June 1st - 4th - Paper Valley and WAQHA Classic Shows

Held at the Sunny View Expo in Oshkosh WI these shows are hosted by NEWQHA and WAQHA.

#### New this year:

**WQHA Queen Contestant Horsemanship** - Held Friday Evening Prior to the Retro Western Pleasure.

**Dig out your favorite old-time "retro" tack, outfits, and horses!** The Wisconsin Amateur Quarter Horse Association is hosting a **Retro Western Pleasure class on Friday, June 1st** following the horse show and during the exhibitor's party and we want YOU! Enjoy getting into the action by either riding in the class and having a chance to **win \$250.00 OR Get into the Calcutta action** !!! Sign up the day of the show to provide your entry information and show up ringside to cheer exhibitors on!



NEWQHA Youth will host a "Then and Now" photo contest. Guess who is featured in the "then" photos with the "now" being revealed for your chance to win some great prizes sponsored by Pat Gauthier of Initial Design Embroidery!

The NEWQHA Youth Team will also hold a Silent Auction, Free Stall Raffle, Bake Sale and Grab N Go Breakfasts.

Stalls, Shavings, and RV Reservations - Lisa Busby or 920/420-0952

Both <u>NEWQHA</u> and <u>WAQHA</u> have year end awards programs, be sure to complete your memberships for both!



June 14th -18th - Cap Gun is gearing up for another fun show at the Alliant Energy Center in Madison, WI. Save the dates, June 14-18, 2017! We're trying to have something for everyone and are looking forward to WQHA walk-trot classes, lead line, walk-trot classes, fence classes, driving classes, ranch riding and reining as well as the core classes that make up the basis of the show. There will be daily prizes, circuit awards, all-around awards, and of course the daily trivia question. Cap Gun would also like to welcome Tim and Trish Schmahl to Cap Gun management. Ron and Pat Miller realized in 2016 they needed to involve people who had skills they didn't but still had the same philosophy about the direction and future of the show. Tim and Trish filled that bill, and Ron and Pat are excited about working with them. *NOTE: Jumping Classes have been added to the Wednesday and Friday Show Schedule - All Age, Amateur and Youth.* 

**This year Cap Gun has added a Non-Pro Versatility Challenge -** *The Wisconsin Equine Non-Pro* Versatility Challenge will consist of showmanship, equitation, horsemanship, and barrels. Yes, barrels – so get those cans out and start practicing! There will be awards for each segment of the Challenge and awards for the average. Keep an eye on our web site, for more details. Wisconsin Equine Clinic has added \$1,200 to the Challenge!

Western Spur Giveaway - Cap Gun is happy to announce a great donation for youth and amateur western exhibitors. Greg Mode and Tina Bothum wanted to support Cap Gun and felt providing a donation of custom, western spurs designed by Holly Spagnola of Holly Spagnola Design of Harwington, Ct., valued at approximately \$650., would be a unique and useful way to show support for the Cap Gun show and the American Quarter Horse which Greg and Tina are proud to raise and show. Greg and Tina also raise a few litters of Jack Russell Terriers every year. If you are looking to add a new family member, whether it is an American Quarter Horse or a Jack Russell Terrier, please feel free to contact Moon Crest Quarter Horses and Jack Russell Terriers at minnnielou@yahoo.com or call (920)728-2023. Greg and Tina want to wish everyone good luck at the Cap Gun Show!

WQHYA Youth Teams will hold a raffle for this beautiful chest donated by Pat's Chaps:



Tickets are \$5 each or 5 for \$20.

WQHYA Youth will hold a Silent Auction, Operation Gratitude Card Making Station and watch for details for the Nutrena Feedbag Fashion Event for 2017!

Complimentary Bagels and Coffee, and Theraplate Treatments by:





JUNE 24-27 & JUNE 29 – JULY 2<sup>ND</sup> UPQHA SUMMERFEST SHOWS:

Join us in the beautiful U.P. for the UPQHA Summerfest Series in Escanaba, MI. AQHA, UPQHA, WQHA, NMQHA APPROVED.

*Featuring Eight Judges over Nine Days! Fun, Family, Vacation Like Atmosphere!* EXHIBITOR'S PARTY, ICE CREAM SOCIAL, OTHER SPECIAL EVENTS.

Abby Cosenza, Judge and Ranch Riding Pro will be offering a clinic on Wednesday between the Shows. Limited Horse/Rider Combo, watch for details.

Come for the Show and Stay for the Fun!

UPQHA has a Year End Awards Program - Website and Membership Form



#### July 7th, 2017 - Ride The Pattern Clinics

July 8th - 9th, 2017 - AQHA Introductory Show / Partners For Progress Benefit Open Show This annual event is hosted by the WQHYA and Partners for Progress and is held at the Walworth County Fairgrounds in Elkhorn, WI. A great opportunity to "ride the pattern" and then show the skills learned over two days of showing!

Showbill and More Information



July 20th - 23rd, 2017 - Liberty Classic Shows Held in Marshfield WI at the Central Wisconsin State Fairgrounds. AQHA, WQHA, BQHA, UPQHA approved and All breed classes offered also! *The show offers Circuit Awards and High Points, a full slate of Ranch classes, Open Breed Classes. AQHA Open Barrels and more!* 

Stalls, Shavings, and RV Reservations - Lisa Busby or 920/420-0952

Click Here for a complete Showbill and More Information

# ( BQHA)

August 16th - 20th - The Badger Summer Classic will be held at the Jefferson Co Fairgrounds in Jefferson, WI. Cattle classes are held at the Jim Bound Arena beginning at 3pm on Wed, 8-16 and Fri 8-18. Reining, Roping Heading and Healing!! Halter shows to 4 Judges and you're done!! Showmanship has 2 goes to 4 Judges and you're done! Rookie and a Walk Trot class plus a full slate of standard classes including Driving, Western Riding, Trail, Barrels, Ranch Riding and Ranch Confirmation. **This is the show that gives prizes, raffles off a saddle, hands out Watermelon and donuts! Free coffee every morning, flat fee for entries and deals and coupons for local restaurants! We care about our exhibitors and make it fun so plan on attending!!** Showbill is on the BQHA website at: <u>http://bqha.weebly.com/</u> or call our show Secretary Lisa Busby at 920-420-0952, email Badger VP Linda Ehret at <u>gazeeda@aol.com</u>. Stall Reservations - Kay Carter at 608/329-7098

See you at Jefferson!



August 31st to September 4th, 2017 - Wisconsin State Show & State Fair Shows! 6 judges - Held at the New Holland Pavilions, Alliant Energy Center in Madison, WI this 6 judged show offers a variety of AQHA classes including Ranch events and Hunters. Halter and Showmanship exhibitors enjoy showing one day to 6 judges! Circuit Awards, High Points and an Exhibitor Party as well as the Slot Classes are offered. Special Appearnces by the WQHA Queen!

In 2016 over \$8500 was paid out in addition to fabulous prizes in the Slot Classes! The WAQHA offers an additional \$100 payout to the highest placing Non Pro in each class, and if the non pro is a member of WQHA or WAQHA there is an additional \$150 payout. 2017 Slot Classes and Entry Forms will be on <u>wqha.com</u> soon! The WQHYA Youth host a Silent Auction and a Raffle Drawing for Four Green Bay Packers Game Tickets with proceeds to benefit the Youth Teams!

Stalls, Shavings, RV and Golf Cart Reservations - Lisa Busby or 920/420-0952

Feed Pre Order Form



#### Daily Coffee, Bagels and Complimentary Theraplate by:



*Note: A Level 1 eligibility application must be filed each year,* and all Level 1 exhibitors are encouraged to complete the Level 1 application and return it to AQHA as soon as possible. Previous Level 1 application information on file with AQHA may conflict with current eligibility, which would affect the eligibility being shown on the level verification system.

#### Find your AQHA Level for 2017

When entering American Quarter Horse Association classes, AQHA exhibitors and American Quarter Horse owners are required to provide proof of their level eligibility to show management. Exhibitors and owners must print their level eligibility to give to show management during the 2017 show season. To determine level eligibility for 2017, visit <u>www.aqha.com/leveling</u> to access the Web-based AQHA leveling verification system.

#### Other AQHA Events Include:

May 5-6, 2017 - AQHA Approved Dressage Show - Sorensen Park, East Troy, WI 262/441-3340 shows@sorensenpark.com (Western Dressage Events also hosted at Sorensen Park)

**June 10th, 2017** - DBHA hosted AQHA Special Events\* - Dbl Judged - Reining, Ranch Riding, Heading, Heeling, Halter

July 8th, 2017 - DBHA hosted AQHA Special Events\*: Reining, Ranch Riding, Heading, Heeling,

Halter

Contact: Janielle Hanson - President of DBHA <u>free.spirit.acres@hotmail.com</u> (920) 382-9101

August 12th, 2017 - WI Foundation QH Association: AQHA Special Event Ranch Riding & Reining Click Here for more Info & Showbill

#### 2017 TRAIL RIDE SCHEDULE - more information on the AQHA Horseback Riding Program

June 3, 2017	Omaha, NE
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June 8-11, 2017	East Sparta, OH (in conjunction with Trail Challenge)
June 24 - July 1, 2017	Eminence, MO (in conjunction with Trail Challenge)
July 14-16, 2017	Aden, AB, Canada
July 24-26, 2016	Pincher Creek, AB, Canada
September 8-11, 2017	Merritt, BC, Canada
September 9, 2017	Omaha, NE
September 14-17, 2017	Mammoth Cave, KY
September 15-17, 2017	Cle Elum, WA
September 22-24, 2017	Chandlerville, IL
Sept. 29 - Oct. 1, 2017	Monona, IA (in conjunction with Trail Challenge)
October 6-8, 2017	Borden, IN