Wisconsin Quarter Horse Association



WQHA Show Coordination meeting is scheduled for November 19, 2016 from 9:30 AM to 11:30 AM at the Holiday Inn in Fond du Lac. Show Dates for 2017 will be finalized. Show Managers, Professional Horsemen and interested parties are invited to attend and provide input. Please contact Kathy Doyle if you need more information or have any questions.

Celebration of Life will be held for Bob Milkie - Saturday, November 19 at the Grand Meridian, 2621 N Oneida St, Appleton, Wl. Military Honors will be at 2:30 pm. Then moving inside for the gathering. 3 - 6 pm. From Bob's daughter Carolyn: Come as you can. (Open House style). Wear your favorite sports team fanwear. If you have any memories or stories about Dad, please plan to tell them or bring them written on a note card. (We will also have note cards available).

Front & Back Cover of Directory Auction:

Bid to be on the FRONT or BACK COVER of the 2017 WQHA Annual Directory! *The Auction ends on November 23rd.* Bids for the FRONT COVER or BACK COVER must be posted in the comments for the designated cover on the WQHA facebook page! Starting Bid of \$350, with bidding in minimum of \$10 increments (bids not minimum of \$10 increments will be removed).

Bidding Closes at 8:00 pm cst - A SOFT CLOSE bidding system is used. If bids are received within the last 2 minutes on the countdown timer, an additional 2 minutes will be added on. Only after a 2 minute period passes with no additional bidding will the bidding close.

Click here for WQHA facebook page

Best of Luck to the WQHA and WAQHA Exhibitors competing at the Lucas Oil AQHA World Championship!

AQHA Lucas Oil World Show - click for more information, Live Webcast, Judges List, and More! Thursday, November 3rd thru Saturday, November 19th in Oklahoma City, OK Take a look at the schedule for the 2016 Lucas Oil World.



The 2016 WQHA Annual Meeting was held November 1st, 2016. The following were the results of the nominations:

2017 WQHA Executive Committee:

President - Stephanie Lynn

Vice President - Nikki Schultz

Secretary - Lisa Busby

Treasurer - Ron Miller

Regional VP North - Larry Spratto

Regional VP Central - LaRue Wills

Regional VP South - Ron Miller

AQHA National Director Nominee - Stephanie Lynn

(Please note only District 5 with a Contested Race were sent ballots per WQHA Bylaws.)

Ballots must be returned by November 28th

District Director Nominations Include:

District 1 Directors – 2 positions:

District Director - Dawn Beihoffer

District Director - Kay DeBoer

District 2 Directors – 3 positions:

District Director - Michele Andrade

District Director - Rhonda Spratto

District Director – Cindy Tousey

District 3 Directors – 2 positions:

District Director - Jim Ramthun

District Director - Robert Schmitz

District 4 Director – 1 position:

District Director - Danielle Gabbert

District 5 Directors - 2 positions: - BALLOTS MAILED

District Director - Brett Cumberledge

District Director - Brenda Lindvall

District Director - Keri Smith

District 6 Directors – 2 positions:

District Director - Linda Berg

District Director - Sara Hauer

2016 WQHA Year End Awards letters will be mailed this week to the owner of the horse earning the award. Congratulations to all of the 2016 Year End Award Winners!

Please Return Award Selections and photo for use at the Awards Banquet & WQHA Directory by DECEMBER 1st to Becky Ruehle, P.O. Box 36, Palmyra, WI, 53156.

For those that have several selections to make, feel free to write notes on the letter to clarify what you would like (different blanket sizes, more than one vendor gift certificate, etc). Award Selections include:

Gift Certificates from:

Closet Space
Daly Creek Tack
Nutrena - Coupons for bags of feed at local vendor
Pat's Chaps
Ruehle Photography
Advertising in the 2018 WQHA Directory or 2017 Spring Issue

CLASS CHAMPION:

Dura-Tech® 600D Waterproof/Breathable Contour Show Cover Schneiders # 37894

Waterproof, breathable 600D Ripstop Poly with a smooth nylon lining.

- Contour coverage with Velcro tab front closure
 Low set concealed surclingle and removable tail cord
 Color. Black with royal blue and silver binding
 Sizes: Medium (70-74), Large (76-80), XL (82-86)



RESERVE CLASS WINNER

Dura-Tech® Poly-Cotton Sheet

Schneiders #10513

Dura-Tech' poly-cotton sheets have a beautiful smooth finish that is durable, tough and absorbant. Generous depth for full coverage is great as a stable sheet, a trailering sheet or as a layering piece.

- 2-buckle open front with Velcro assist and fleece at withers
 40% polyester80% cotton; 320 grams
 Crisscross suringles and dees for leg straps
 Durable poly-cotton sheet in a great summer weight.
 Color Navy
 Stees 66, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 86



Dura-Tech® Supreme Two Sided Bridle/Halter Bag SCHNEIDERS # 18050

- Back to back design offers double capacity and protection
 Durable 420 denier water repelient ryton with quilled lining
 Haller/bridle is secured in place with 2 ryton rapp straps
 Easy access design heery duty zipper opens across top and down one side
 Reinforced ryton web handle with viryl pocket for ID lag
 Ideal for awards can be embroidered or silk screened easily
 Measures 11"W x 25"1. x 29"1
 Colors: Black, burgundy, navy, purple





Early return of award letters is appreciated to facilitate award ordering. Please contact Linda Berg at lindaberg1200@gmail.com if you have questions or do not receive an award letter.

2016 WQHA Open Show Award Winners - you will be receiving information from Lisa Zurn. Please submit your photo for your use at the Awards Banquet & in the WQHA Directory by December 1st to Becky Ruehle, P.O. Box 36, Palmyra, WI, 53156. If you have questions please contact Lisa at lisa.a.zurn@gmail.com.



Full Color Covers

Front and Back Covers- Auction Bid- \$350 Minimum Bid each

Front Cover auction held on Facebook November 18-23rd. Visit www.facebook.com/wqha Back Cover auction held on Facebook November 18-23rd. Visit www.facebook.com/wqha

to bid! Bids close at 9pm cst!

Front Inside Cover- \$350
Front Back Cover- \$350
Front Back Cover- \$350

2nd Highest Cover Page Auction Bidders (front & back) will have first right of refusal-respectively on Inside Cover page ads (front & back). Price will be based on their last posted bid (minimum of \$350). If 2nd highest bidder does not wish to purchase first right of refusal will pass to 3rd highest (same terms);4th highest (same terms) etc until purchased. If bids to not meet or exceed \$350, Inside Covers (front & back) will be offered on a first come first serve basis (email Becky Ruehle if interested).

Full Page

Full pages are available in color (Limited availability) and black and white Full page Black and white \$150 Full page COLOR \$200

Half Page

Black and white only Half page \$100

Business Card

Black and white only Business Card \$60



Black and white only \$25 (about 2x3.5inches in size)

Please submit all print ready ads to Becky Ruehle. Those ads that are not print ready will have a design fee applied. Please email Becky to get your ad designed

DUE December 1, 2016!!!!

Check out www.wqha.com/advertising for more information and advertising opportunities!

2016 Awards Banquet will include a General Membership Meeting, Hall of Fame Reception and More!



Congratulations to WQHA Queen Kerry Hansen - Kerry was the 2nd Runner Up Overall in the Congress Queen Contest placing 3rd in horsemanship, 4th in written test, & 6th in interview.



Congratulations to the WQHYA Team placing 7th of 68 teams in the NYATT Youth Team Tournament Competition! Thank you to GameTime Sports Medicine - Saginaw Valley Vet Clinic and Porath Contractors for your sponsorship!



2016 WQHYA NYATT Team Members:

Savannah Hauer, Aubrey Alderman, Rachel Porath, Anna Capelle, Josie Bretting, Taylor Kellam, Erika Vandevelde, Kate Gauthier.

2016 NEWQHYA NYATT Team Members:

Molly Vissers, Katelyn Schultz, Madison Spak, Ashley Zuke, Sarah McKinnon, Kendall Thyes.

Get the 2017 AQHA Rulebook - The 2017 AQHA Official Handbook of Rules and Regulations is now available online, in print and as a downloadable app.



AQHA members can download the rulebook or request a printed copy at www.agha.com/rulebook.

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The AQHA rulebook represents corporation bylaws, rules and regulations of registration, rules and regulations of racing, rules and regulations of shows, amateur and youth division rules and regulations, and the constitution of AQHYA.

The rulebook also answers all your questions regarding AQHA rules, show patterns, horse markings, equipment guidelines and much more.

If you'd like the rulebook on your iOS device, download the free app from the Apple App
Store by searching for "AQHA Rules." To download the rulebook on your Android device from

the <u>Google Play Store</u>, search for "AQHA Rules." If you downloaded the app in 2016, simply run the update to access the 2017 rulebook.

Disclaimer: Because the online version of the AQHA rulebook can be updated throughout the year, it should be considered the most-current version of the AQHA Official Handbook of Rules and Regulations.

<u>Learn more</u> by downloading, printing or reading the 2017 AQHA rulebook on your mobile device.

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