



# News from the Wisconsin Arabian Horse Association



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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

From  
Jessica Cole

It is probably too much to hope for that by the time this newsletter hits your hands, we will be well on the road to spring. It has been a winter for the record books for a lot of the state, and right now I don't know anybody who isn't sick of shoveling snow and fighting the periodic sub-zero cold snaps. That being said, it has also been the most beautiful winter I can ever remember—just great as long as all you have to do is look at it!

But spring cannot be too far off, or at least that is what I've been telling myself, and one way you can tell is that many horse events are not too far around the corner.

Please join us March 15<sup>th</sup> for an informative halter clinic with Nationally decorated trainer Dave Bilgrien. See the ad in this issue for more information or consult the website at [www.wisconsinarabian.com](http://www.wisconsinarabian.com). This clinic is free to all and refreshments are provided courtesy of WAHA. Thanks to

Dave for donating his time, expertise, and facility for this event!

Midwest Horse Fair is not far off either, and as always, WAHA needs a lot of volunteers to help staff the booth and to greet people in the barn area. Contact Juli Larson to volunteer to help! Juli may be reached at 608-676-5224

Finally, plans are well underway for our WAHA May Show, the August Show, and the Open and ACS Shows in September. Again, volunteers are absolutely essential to making the shows run smoothly. Anyone who wants to volunteer or who simply needs more information on the shows can contact the respective show managers. These managers are:

**May Show:** Gay Jeanne Bower  
(920-699-3690)

**August Show:** Mike Bell (262-378-4572)

**Open and ACS Shows:** Joanne Jones  
(608-764-5337)

Sponsorships are also urgently needed for all these shows to continue to be financially viable, and sponsorships go a long way to helping to keep show fees as reasonable as possible. Bev Cole is in charge of sponsorships and can be reached at 608-356-5340.

Check your newsletter and the website for more details on all the events and

programs coming up through WAHA. As always, I am available for your feedback, questions, ideas, and concerns at 262-672-9742 or by e-mail at [jcts@jvl.net.com](mailto:jcts@jvl.net).

Think Spring, and see you all some warm day in the future!

### Wisconsin Arabian Horse Association (WAHA) 2007 Volunteer Awards

The Wisconsin Arabian Horse Association created the WAHA Volunteer Awards as a way to reward those members for their time and dedication. All voting WAHA members, both youth and adults are eligible. The WAHA Board approved the idea of the "Volunteer Awards" to be given in January 2007 at the WAHA Annual Meeting to reward those members who have contributed to the success of WAHA events by volunteering. A set amount was approved by the WAHA Board as part of the budget and this amount was divided among all the volunteers, both youth and adults, at the end of the year. The rewards came in the form of a check made out to the member, either youth or adult, based on their hours of volunteer service to the club. These hours could be accrued at any event WAHA participates in such as the Midwest Horse Fair, the WAHA May show, the WAHA August Show, the ACS & Open Show, the Chicago Thanksgiving

Parade and any clinic or other events. Two hours of volunteer work would allow the member to accrue one "point". None of the officers or WAHA Board members was eligible for this program. Members had the opportunity to check their "points" during the year by checking those "points" printed in the WAHA newsletter.

The first year the checks were presented was a great success! The checks were presented at the WAHA Annual Meeting by the treasurer, Bevra Cole. The members present were delighted to receive them. Volunteer check amounts ranged from \$5.73 to just over \$200.

The "Volunteer Member of the Year" was Rachel Bell! Rachel has long been an active member of WAHA and volunteered at a number of events such as the Midwest Horse Fair, the WAHA May

Show, the WAHA August Show, the Thanksgiving Parade and other events. Dedication such as hers and the many other volunteers has enabled WAHA to continue to hold numerous events that would otherwise be impossible.

WAHA relies on its volunteers to make any of its events a success. The raising costs of holding events, such as facility costs, require us to rely on our members to fill the many positions needed to run those events. Listed below, in order of the pay outs received, are all those volunteers who received the "Volunteer Rewards".

Rachel Bell, Sunde Nelson, Pam Branter, Leo LaVoy, Krysten Ekenberg, Erik Norin,

Debbie Scott, Megan Bauer, Dean Meier, Sydney Arnold, Jessica Arnold, Danielle Sherman, Laota Hoeft, Sally Epps, Nadine Hoeft, Chris Johnson, Bill Scott, Lindie Guthrie, Hannah Halterman, Ellyn Harris, Debbie Alt, Amanda Goke, Whitney Anderson, Ken Bevry, Sr., Kathy Kaprelian, Jessica Hornung, Beth Dorshak, Megan Heffernan, Luann Hendrickson, Lerin Hendrickson, Kristin Hendrickson, Debra Hudson, Bobby Hetzel, Ashley Reimer and Alicia Sprecher.

Without the time and dedication demonstrated by our members WAHA would cease to exist. Thank you to all the many volunteers who made 2007 a success!

### Club Volunteer Service Awards

As Club President, it's my privilege to select two outstanding members to be recognized with AHA Volunteer Service Awards this year!

It's a big challenge to pick just two people in a club where so many people work so hard on so many fronts for the benefit of the membership and the Arabian Horse. I can easily think of at least 10 people who are deserving, and this includes a number of volunteers who are not even Board members. Many people do so much, and it's an honor and an inspiration to be surrounded by so many dedicated individuals. We simply do

not have too many people who say, "We can't do that", and we have many people who say "What else can we do and how can we do it better?"

After a lot of thought though, I narrowed my volunteer award choices and my first recipient is Vice President Juli Goder Larson. With an extremely busy career as a National level trainer, instructor, and judge, it is truly a wonder that Juli has any time at all to serve her local club. However, she makes time each year to spearhead two of our biggest breed promotion activities, the Midwest Horse Fair, and the Thanksgiving Day

Parade in Chicago. She always makes sure that the breed is well-represented by sensible and well-turned out Arabian horses, and insures that this is the image of the Arabian presented to literally millions of viewers!

Mike Bell is also a tremendously worth award recipient. Mike began his volunteer service by helping to revamp and update the WAHA website before he was even a Board member, and his professional expertise in this area has completely transformed the site. Mike then became a Board member and quickly took on a number of other areas that

sorely needed new blood, new ideas, and new energy. He has all three qualities in abundance! Before long, Mike had also taken over the Secretary position on the Board, and after a year of co-managing the August show under the experienced hand of Gay Jeanne Bower, Mike is taking over as manager. Whenever we need a new angle on something, Mike has a fresh way to look at it for us, and he is one of the quickest to jump in with both feet to help wherever we are short.

From the bottom of my heart, thank you to Mike and Juli for all of the good you have done for WAHA!

## Welcome New WAHA Members!

New members - please feel free to contact any Officer, Board member or contact person if you have questions.

A great way to get involved is to volunteer at an upcoming event. If you've never worked an event before, tell the liaison and someone will work with you until you're comfortable.

Bertil & Ulla Brunk - Lake Geneva  
Wynter Chmielewski - West Bend  
Jaclyn Demers - Plymouth  
Kim and Mackensie Dolan - Lake Geneva  
Lauren Drobyski - Elm Grove  
Debra Duick - Whitewater  
Beryl Vandre Emerich - Athens  
Nicole Fink - Janesville  
Kayla Forrer - Sun Prairie  
Morgan Geronime - Mequon  
Linda Hartley - Twin Lakes  
Sarah Hemker - West Salem

Sara Huizinga - Lake Geneva  
Nichole Knaus - Sun Prairie  
Lauren Lacombe - Twin Lakes  
Amanda Lepak - Palmyra  
Roberta Nelson - Brooklyn  
Margie Paschall - Spring Grove, IL  
Sara Pett - Eagle  
Peggy & Rodney Sheldon - Stoughton  
Joselyn Van Ruyven - Madison  
Jody Zamzow Woller - Merrill  
Elizabeth Zievers- Lake Geneva  
Joellyn Zillner - Brookfield



# 2008 WAHA Membership Application

Renew or join online at [www.ArabianHorses.org](http://www.ArabianHorses.org).

Print Legibly

NAME		DATE	
SPOUSE'S NAME (for Married Couple)		PHONE NO. ( )	FAX NO.
ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP
EMAIL		YOUTH MEMBER'S BIRTHDATE	

- Renewal – AHA number(s) \_\_\_\_\_
- New

## Membership Options & Fees

**Membership:** (includes club affiliation; does not include competition privileges or Excess Personal Liability Insurance; see Competition Cards). Select One:

- Adult - **\$40** – Includes AHA membership for one year; 1 vote
- Adult 3 Year - **\$115** – Includes AHA membership for three years; 1 vote
- Youth (17 or under as of 12/01/07) – **\$25** – Includes AHYA membership for one year; 1 vote
- Parent/Child Discount - **\$55** – Includes adult and youth AHA membership for one year; 2 votes
- Each Additional Child Discount - **\$20** – Includes youth AHA membership for one year; 1 vote
- Family - **\$40** – Includes adult AHA membership for one year; no AHA youth membership; 1 vote
- Married Couple - **\$70** – Includes two adult AHA memberships for one year; 2 votes
- Associate - **\$30** – Adult; no AHA membership; no vote; not eligible for Competition Card
- Lifetime - **\$650** (*price good through 03/31/08*) – Adult AHA membership w/Competition Card; 1 vote

**Competition Card:** (required to compete in or officiate in AHA recognized events; includes \$1 million Excess Personal Liability Insurance for US residents. Not required for AHA Incentive Riding Programs)

- Adult – **\$20**
- Adult 3 Year – **\$60** (one adult)
- Youth (17 or under as of 12/01/07) – **\$10**
- Family – **\$20** (one adult)
- Married Couple – **\$40** (two adults)

Has your membership in any Arabian horse association club been terminated by action of the respective association or club?  No

Yes If Yes, please give reason(s): \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to abide by the Constitution and Bylaws of the Wisconsin Arabian Horse Association (WAHA) and to uphold them. I fully understand that my application will be kept on file and is subject to review by WAHA and that any false statements or information contained in my application will be just cause for immediate termination of my membership. New memberships are not effective until approved by the WAHA Board of Directors.

APPLICANT SIGNATURE	PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN SIGNATURE (for youth member)
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Make checks payable to **Wisconsin Arabian Horse Association (WAHA)**  
 Mail to: Sunde Nelson, Membership Chair, W2908 Long Crossing Rd  
 Rio, WI 53960 (920) 992-3293

I am willing to help with:  Shows  Youth  Midwest Horse Fair  Other – please specify:

## Caledonia Conservancy

The Caledonia Conservancy has over 30 acres of hiking/riding trails that are all accessible with trailer parking available. Anyone who would enjoy some trail riding and are not as close to Kettle Moraine or Bong (SE WI) might want to try out Caledonia. The Conservancy Trail pass is \$30 per year and it includes trailer/trail maps. The trails are amply marked and have an Emergency Rescue Plan in place in cooperation with our local fire & rescue organizations.

It is a wonderful area, with many different parts to ride in: woods, prairies, along the river, etc. We also have jumping trails for eventors.

For more information contact new member:  
Catherine Buckley  
[catherine.buckley@abbott.com](mailto:catherine.buckley@abbott.com)

## SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

The **MARK LARSCHIEDT SCHOLAR FUND** is proud to announce that for the third year a scholarship will be offered in the amount of \$500.00. This scholarship will honor a young, charismatic, energetic and talented trainer, Mark Larschiedt, who died tragically in an automobile accident in 1999. He is survived by his parents, Tony and Gene Larschiedt. Together the three of them ran the very successful Larschiedt Training Center in Sussex, WI. The deadline for the applications is May 5, 2008.

This scholarship is open to youth members of Region 10 who meet the following requirements: academic records including attendance, financial

need, equine background, leadership and sense of direction in furthering their education. For more information and an application, contact: Gay Jeanne Bower, PO Box 6, Johnson Creek, WI 53038 - 920.699.3690 - [gayjbower@yahoo.com](mailto:gayjbower@yahoo.com).

**Region 10 Scholarships:** Region 10 is proud to announce that for the eighteenth year scholarships will be awarded for post high school education. Two \$1,000.00 scholarships will be offered. The deadline for these scholarships is May 2, 2008.

Applicants must have been Region 10 residents within the previous five years and be current members of a Region 10 affiliated club, and have been members for at least two of the last five years. A copy of your membership card is required. These scholarships are open to both youth and adult members.

These scholarships are open to eligible applicants planning to or currently majoring in any profession—college or other training equivalent to two or four years in length. The general criteria are (1) sense of direction in furthering education, (2) financial need, (3) academic records, including attendance, (4) equine background, and (5) leadership.

For information and applications contact: Gay Jeanne Bower, PO Box 6, Johnson Creek, WI 53038—(920) 699-3690—E-mail: [gayjbower@yahoo.com](mailto:gayjbower@yahoo.com).



**WAHA Youth  
Submitted  
by Youth Reporters  
Hannah Halterman  
And  
Jessica Arnold**

Attention upcoming new WAHA youth members!! If you are thinking of joining WAHA for the first time now is the time to join. During the previous annual meeting (January 19th, 2008) the president of WAHA, Jessica Cole, made a motion to help the first year members with the cost of the membership fees. All first year members will now get \$10.00 off the total price of the fees. The members will receive \$5.00 from the WAHA youth board and an additional \$5.00 from the WAHA adult board. This, we hope, will encourage new youth and other Arabian enthusiasts to join in the fun with us.

Please remember that you don't have to show your Arabian or even own one to be a member and receive club news and be apart of our programs to win neat prizes. Come and be apart of our fun!!

**NEW WAHA YOUTH BOARD FOR 2008**

President- Sydney Arnold  
Vice President- Jessica Hornung  
Secretary- Kristen Ekenberg  
Treasurer- Katie Pfeil  
Reporters- Hannah Halterman and Jessica Arnold

Please look the officers up at any WAHA function and introduce yourself, we look forward to meeting new people and hearing their ideas to make this a fun and exciting year. Don't hesitate to contact any of us with any questions or concerns. Get involved with all our programs; we can help you get started.

**Key Eterney+**

Key Eterney+ (Eternety X Bundzlak) has been awarded his Legion of Honor by the Arabian Horse Association. The "gentleman stallion" has competed in many AHA recognized classes for purebred horses including the following: breeding, junior horse, western pleasure (open and amateur), ladies' side saddle, and hunter pleasure (open and amateur). Key's show record includes many championships and reserves, seven regional titles, and a Canadian National Top Ten.

Key Eterney+ has had strong support from his breeders and owners Lyle and Darlene Swinkles who began his show career at halter as a yearling. David and Beverly Teigen and their daughter Kelly began Key's show career under saddle and are credited with many of his accomplishments. Bruce Genz and John Arndt of BruJoh Arabians continued Key's show career. In the spring of 2006 Bruce and John sent Key to Keith Sanders for some western pleasure training and showing. Within a year Key found a new home with Keith and Lois Sanders of Sanders Arabians. Key will continue a limited show career in open and amateur western pleasure classes and he is a Region 10 qualifier in both. Key loves what he does and he is a real ambassador for the Arabian breed. Key Eterney+ has sons and daughters in the show ring continuing his winning ways. For breeding information, please contact Sanders Arabians at [calipat@mwwb.net](mailto:calipat@mwwb.net).

**Wisconsin Arabian Horse Association  
Presents A Free Clinic:**

**"Preparing the Arabian Halter  
Horse"**

**March 15, 2008**

**1:00 pm to approximately 4:00 pm**

Location: Bilgrien Arabian Ventures  
W8698 Perry Rd, Fort Atkinson, WI

Nationally decorated and respected halter trainer Dave Bilgrien will share his expertise in the following areas:

→Introducing the youngster to show barn procedures in a safe, effective, and non-traumatic way. Clipping, bathing, blanketing, and basic manners.

→Conditioning and feeding to properly fit your horse for the ring

→Training techniques: Teaching footwork and stance, How to teach "using the neck", and developing show horse attitude and poise.

→How to achieve that last minute "spit shine" for the ring.

Light refreshments will be provided by WAHA.

FREE of charge And Open To All!!!

For more information contact:

**WAHA President Jessica Cole at 262-672-9742 or Dave Bilgrien at 920-318-3303.**

**Newsletter Update  
By Michael Bell**

Important! Important! Important!

Are you receiving the WAHA newsletter? Have you signed up for the new changes that will be taking place with the next issue? If not here is the information you need.

There was discussion at the annual meeting regarding making these necessary changes to the newsletter. By doing so, we will be saving the club money which we will be able to use for other needed programs.

Next issue for the newsletter will not be mailed out. We will be posting the newsletter online

[www.wisconsinarabian.com/newsletter.html](http://www.wisconsinarabian.com/newsletter.html).

You can also receive the newsletter via email. Please fill out the form below. If you do not have access to the Internet or email, we will mail you a copy. In order to continue to receive the paper copy you must complete the following form or contact Sunde Nelson.

Please fill out the following form and return to:

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<input type="checkbox"/> Send me the newsletter via email <input type="checkbox"/> I will read the newsletter via the website. <input type="checkbox"/> I need the newsletter mailed via postal service.	

**Parents and Kids . . .  
get a discount on your  
WAHA Memberships**

The WAHA Board has authorized a discount on Adult and Youth memberships for a parent and child joining WAHA. Normally those dues total \$65 (\$40 for the Adult and \$25 for the Youth), respectively, but if you join together the total is \$55. On top of that, if more than one child joins, each additional child is \$20 rather than the usual \$25.

This covers the basic membership dues for AHA and WAHA, which gets you all the benefits of WAHA membership. Basic membership dues also include the AHA magazine and other AHA perks. However, they don't include a Competition Card if you need one for showing. WAHA doesn't get

any of that money, so we don't have the ability to give a discount there.

But as a WAHA member, you are eligible for the popular new Volunteer Rewards program. That program lets you earn points (translated into cash at the end of the year) for helping at WAHA Shows and other events. Horse show parents often enjoy the camaraderie of working with other WAHA members helping out at shows.

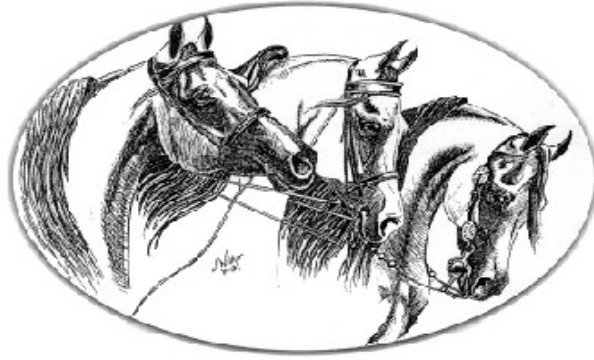
The discount is effective January 1, 2008, so if a parent and child has already joined at the regular Adult and Youth rates, we'll send them a refund. Just let us know. Also, if only one has joined and others want to, we'll apply the reduced rate to the new memberships as well.

Can we sign you up?

**SEASONAL TRIVIA**

As you may know, Easter is always the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday after the 1<sup>st</sup> full moon after the Spring Equinox (March 20). Based on this, Easter can actually be one day earlier - March 22 - but that is pretty rare. This year is the earliest Easter any of us will ever see! And only the most senior (95+) has ever seen it this early before.

The next time Easter will be this early (March 23) will be 2228 (220 years from now). The last time it was on March 23 was 1913. The next time it will be a day earlier - March 22 - will be 2285 (277 years from now). The last time it was on March 22 was in 1818. So, no one alive today or has or ever will see it any earlier than in 2008!



# Illinois Arabian Horse Activity Club \*NIAHAC\*

## May II "A"

47<sup>th</sup> Arabian Horse Show  
May 9<sup>th</sup> thru 11<sup>th</sup> 2008

**Attention**  
**NIAHAC A Show**  
**Springfield, IL**  
**Has been Cancelled!**

**We will be back in 2009!**

## May I "B"

Arabian Horse Show & Futurity/Maturity  
May 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> 2008

\$\$ Sweepstakes Classes  
Region 11 Qualifying Show

Approved by: AHA, USEF  
Class "B"

Sporting Horse Complex  
12250 Love Rd – Roscoe IL

[Click here for prize list](#)

**Judge: Jeremy Harper**

**ENTRIES CLOSE 11 APRIL, 2008**  
**Select Rider, JTR & ATR Classes**

*The 2008 Prize List was mailed along with the Feb/Mar 2008 Arabian Horse Association Magazine  
(Midwestern States only)*

To receive a copy, please contact Charlotte Kletecka - Phone: (815) 389-0120 - E-mail: [chared2@charter.net](mailto:chared2@charter.net)

The Premium List will also be available after 2/1/08 at [www.aha11.com](http://www.aha11.com)

(Click "clubs" then click "show calendars")

## 2008 WAHA/REGION 10 CALENDAR

### March

- 1 WI State Horse Council Scholarship application deadline
- 12 WAHA Board Meeting**
- 17 WAHA Newsletter deadline for April issue**
- 15 WAHA Clinic "Preparing the Arabian Halter Horse" see article in this newsletter for details**
- 16 Region 10 Board Meeting, 12:00 pm Eau Claire
- 28-30 MAHA All Arabian Spring Fling, Winona, MN, Ann Benson 612-325-7293

### April

- 1 MAHA Schooling Show, Oasis, Lindstrom, MN
- 9 WAHA Board Meeting**
- 18-20 Midwest Horse Fair, Madison, WI

### May

- 2-4 Sahara Sands Spring Classic, St. Paul, MN, Jan LeRud, 715-488-2834
- 2 Region 10 Scholarship application deadline. Gay Jeanne Bower, 920-699-3690, [gayjbower@yahoo.com](mailto:gayjbower@yahoo.com)
- 10-11 Region 10 Youth Roundup, Winona, MN Mary Tronson [COMTRON5@aol.com](mailto:COMTRON5@aol.com)
- 14 WAHA Board Meeting**
- 17-18 NMAHA Double the Fun Show, Sauk Centre, MN, Jean Fredrichs 701-725-4420
- 23-24 WDHA Badger Show, Milwaukee, WI, Kristen Urban, 920-863-8253
- 25-26 WAHA May Show, Milwaukee, WI Sally Epps [twocrabbyladies@hotmail.com](mailto:twocrabbyladies@hotmail.com)**

### June

- 5/31-6/1 Indianhead (IAHS) Show, Rice Lake, WI Jan LeRud 715-488-2834
- 11 Region 10 Preshow, St. Paul, MN Mary Tronson [COMTRON5@aol.com](mailto:COMTRON5@aol.com)
- 12-15 Region 10 Championship Show, St. Paul, MN Mary Tronson [COMTRON5@aol.com](mailto:COMTRON5@aol.com)
- 13 Region 10 Endurance Ride, Preston, MN Diane Schmidt 507-282-7333
- 14 Region 10 Competitive Ride, Preston, MN Diane Schmidt 507-282-7333
- 27-28 WDHA Dressage and Sport Horse Show, Waukesha, WI Kristin Urban, 920-863-8253
- 28-291 Region 10 Championship Hunter/Jumper, Sport Horse and Dressage Show, Waukesha, WI Nancy Miller 608-825-9986

### July

- 11-3 MHAHA Great Arabian Get Together, Sauk Centre, MN, Jan LeRud 715-488-2834

- 26-27 GLAHA Class A Show, Norway, MI
- 26-8/2 AHA Youth Nationals, Albuquerque, NM

### August

- 1 WAHA Newsletter deadline for Sept. issue**
- 8-10 WAHA August Show, Jefferson, WI**
- 9-10 MHAHA Dog Days Dressage Show, MN, 16 WDHA Open Show
- 18-23 AHA Canadian Nationals, Regina, SK., Canada
- 20-24 MN State Fair Class A Show, St. Paul, MN Steven Pooch 651-642-2314

### September

- 1 Region 10 Communicator Deadline, Jackie Johnson, [scentedgardens@msn.com](mailto:scentedgardens@msn.com)
- 6-7 Arabian Futurity Festival, Madison, WI Sally Epps [twocrabbyladies@hotmail.com](mailto:twocrabbyladies@hotmail.com)
- 7 MAHA Arabian Open Shows Championship and WSCA Show, Lake Elmo, MN. Laura Mickelson, 651-269-6454
- 10 WAHA Board Meeting**
- 13-14 MAHA Fall Classic, Winona, MN, -Mary Tronson, 763-755-1698
- 14 WDHA Dressage Schooling Show, Custer, WI
- 20-21 WAHA Open Show/ACS, Deerfield, WI**
- 23-27 AHA Sport Horse Nationals
- 25-28 Minnesota Arabian Breeders Fall Fest, St. Paul

### October

- 8 WAHA Board Meeting**
- 15. WAHA Newsletter deadline for Nov./Dec. issue**
- 16-25 AHA US Nationals, Tulsa, OK

### November

- 2 Region 10 Board Meeting, 12:00 Eau Claire
- 12 WAHA Board Meeting**
- 19-23 AHA Convention, Denver, CO

### December

- 1 WAHA Newsletter deadline for Jan. issue**
- 7 WAHA Christmas/Awards (tentative)**
- 10 WAHA Board Meeting**

**WAHA Website:** [www.wisconsinarabian.com](http://www.wisconsinarabian.com)

**Region 10 Website:** [www.region10arabians.com](http://www.region10arabians.com)

**Arabian Horse Association Website:**  
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**2008 WAHA Show Sponsorships—Please help!**

**WAHA May Show:** May 25-26, 2008 at State Fair Park

**WAHA August Show:** August 8-10, 2008 at Jefferson County Fairgrounds, Jefferson, WI

Dear WAHA Members,

The 2007 show season is about to begin, with Region 10 shows starting in March. So it's time not just to plan your show schedule but also to plan your sponsorship budget and commit to help WAHA's shows continue and prosper. WAHA relies on sponsorships from generous people like you to help keep overall costs (stalls, entry fees, etc.) down for all of our exhibitors. Sponsorships also help free up other funds to provide exhibitor perks like nicer hospitality goodies and—if we're really lucky—other treats or social events. Finally, of course, sponsorship donations are tax deductible if you operate as a business.

Please consider supporting WAHA by sending in your sponsorships for the May and August shows now. As you know, the WAHA May Show is held in conjunction with the WDHA Badger Show. Sponsorships received at the show, or mailed after the May 1 entry closing date, are split equally between the two clubs. However, if you mail your WAHA class sponsorships before May 1, your donation goes exclusively to WAHA, and it helps us provide perks such as the popular wine & cheese party. And, of course, every effort will be made to assign your first choice of classes both at the May and August Shows.

So, please fill out the forms below, enclose your check made out to WAHA, and mail them to Bev Cole, E14058 Hein Rd., Baraboo, WI 53913, (Questions: 608-356-5340, bpcole@centurytel.net). You can put sponsorships for both shows in one check.

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**WAHA May Show Sponsorship Form**

May 25-26, 2008: State Fair Park, West Allis, Wisconsin

We hope you will sponsor a class for \$25.00 and/or a Championship Class for \$50. Thank you!

Name \_\_\_\_\_

First Choice Class Preference \_\_\_\_\_

Second Choice Class Preference \_\_\_\_\_

On reverse side, write an announcement to be read during your class.

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**WAHA August Show Sponsorship Form**

August 8-10, 2008: Jefferson County Fair Grounds, Jefferson, Wisconsin

We hope you will sponsor a class for \$15 and/or a Championship Class for \$25. Thank you!

Name \_\_\_\_\_

First Choice Class Preference \_\_\_\_\_

Second Choice Class Preference \_\_\_\_\_

Please include any announcement to be read during your class.

# WAHA Volunteer Program Report

NAME	Phone
ADDRESS	CITY, STATE, ZIP
EVENT	DATE(S)
HOURS WORKED	EVENT COORDINATOR SIGNATURE
HOURS WORKED	EVENT COORDINATOR SIGNATURE
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**Volunteer Program Rules:**

1. Volunteers must be a member of the Wisconsin Arabian Horse Association.
2. Hours will accumulate from January 1 - December 31 of the current year.
3. Hours **must** be recorded on the WAHA Volunteer Reporting form **and** mailed to the appropriate person within 15 days of the last date of the event (enforced by US Postmark; postage meters are not acceptable).  
**One form per event only please.**
4. All reports are to be mailed directly to the contact person appearing on this form. It is recommended that volunteers make extra copies of the reporting form(s) or allow two weeks for additional forms to be mailed. Forms will also be available on our website at [www.wisconsinarabian.com](http://www.wisconsinarabian.com)

Return form to **Jackie Johnson, N6935 Hwy 55, Seymour, WI 54165**

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## November Clinic DVDs Still Available

There are still several DVDs of the clinic held in November still available for purchase. The clinic covered information on paperwork necessary for showing, proper attire for various disciplines, and grooming. If you are interested, please contact Janet Ekenberg at 608-437-6597, or email her ([officialcertifiedgimp@hotmail.com](mailto:officialcertifiedgimp@hotmail.com).) The cost is only \$4.00, and the DVD covers very important information for those who want to get involved in showing Arabian horses.

## WAHA Wear

### \*\* New WAHA Wear Styles Available \*\*

WAHA wear has gotten a new look with 2 new styles of T-shirts and also a hoodie sweatshirt. We still have the original styles of WAHA wear but have now also added a women's v neck, and also a men's T-shirt as well as the new zipper front hoodie. We are taking orders now. The items will be available for pick up at the Horse Fair or from a board member, or at the May show. We can also ship them to you for the cost of the postage. All the items come in Navy Blue with the WAHA logo in gray. See the pictures here for an idea of how the new styles look. To order please contact Sarah Uhing 920-210-9041 or email [surplussales@nconnect.net](mailto:surplussales@nconnect.net)



Sizes available S-XXL  
\$ 16.00



Sizes available S-XXXL  
\$35.00



Sizes available S-XXXL  
\$16.00