

News from WAHA

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September/October 2010



Reminders:

- WAHA Open Show:
September 25, Deerfield
- WAHA Fall Clinic:
November 13, Sun Prairie
- Participate in the Volunteer
Rewards Program

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Fall President's Message

The 2010 WAHA August Show was a success! It was wonderful to see so much enthusiasm from exhibitors, spectators, and volunteers! Entry numbers were down somewhat from 2009, but were still respectable and very much in line with the years prior to 2009. Spectator numbers really seemed to be UP, with enthusiastic, engaged, and supportive crowds turning out for all the sessions!

Our last WAHA show if the season will be the WAHA Open

Show September 25th in a new one day format. Consult the website or contact Joanne Jones for more information or to volunteer.

Our Fall WAHA Clinic is planned for November 13th at Bristol Equestrian Estates in Sun Prairie and will be a Saddle-seat Clinic featuring nationally decorated trainers Ken and Kevin Price. Date and start time will be confirmed and posted on the website later this fall. So far our WAHA Clinics have

had great attendance and have been very well-received! Don't forget that the AHA Convention is coming up in November as well. If you have feedback for the delegates who will attend, please share it with them sometime before mid-November so that your voice can be heard!

As always, feel free to contact me with your input for WAHA!

Jessica Cole
WAHA President
262-672-9742

WAHA Fall Colors Open Show – September 25, 2010

WAHA is holding an Open Horse Show with lots of Arabian and Half-Arabian classes. The show includes ample Walk-Trot Only classes for participants who will not be entering a canter class as well as Open Walk-Trot classes for participants who will also be

entering canter classes.

Enclosed you will find a show bill and a copy of the class entry form if you want to fill out your class entries before arriving at the show. Once you arrive at the show all we will need to do is fill in the horse show #.

(One entry form is needed for each class a horse is entered in.) If you are coming in Friday evening, I will be available to take your entries between 6:00 and 8:00 pm. Hope to see you all there!!

-----Joanne Jones

WAHA Volunteer Rewards Report Form

(revised for 2010)

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

- Participants must have been voting members of WAHA during the calendar year to be eligible. All voting member categories, youth and adults, are eligible except members of the WAHA Board of Directors.
- Hours will accumulate from January 1 - December 1 of the current year.
- More than one point can be earned in any day, but a full hour must be earned to start accumulating points. An hour is worth one point. After working a full hour, half hour segments in the same day can be counted.
- Points may be earned at any of the following WAHA activities:

WAHA Clinics, WAHA Membership Meetings, WAHA TAIL events, Midwest Horse Fair, WAHA May Show,

WAHA August Show, WAHA Open Show, Thanksgiving Day Parade, Other WAHA sponsored promotions
- Hours **must** be recorded on the WAHA Volunteer Reporting form **and** mailed or emailed to the appropriate person by December 1. However, we strongly recommend reporting points within 15 days of the end of the event where points are earned.

One form per event only please.

- All reports are to be mailed directly to the contact person listed below. It is recommended that volunteers make extra copies of the reporting form(s) or allow two weeks for additional forms to be mailed.

Forms are also available on our website at www.wisconsinarabian.com/forms.php

Return form to
Jackie Johnson, N6935 Hwy 55, Seymour, WI 54165
scentedgardens@msn.com

Wisconsin Arabian Horse Association
Fall Colors Open (All Breed) Show
 Showtime Arena, 3845 Oak Park Rd, Deerfield, WI

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2010, 8:30 AM Start
 Judge – Angie Sullivan

The State of Wisconsin Requires a 2010 Negative Coggins for Each Horse. Please bring copy for Show Secretary

Stalls available for \$25.00 per day. Please contact Pam Bound at 608-764-5555.
Grounds fee for horses without stalls are \$5.00 per day.

Halter Classes

1. Open Weanlings & Yearlings
2. Arabian/Half Arabian Weanlings & Yearlings
3. Open 2 and 3 Year Old
4. Arabian/Half Arabian 2 & 3 Year Old
5. Quarter Horse and other stock type 4 and over
6. Arabian/Half Arabian 4 and Over
7. Appaloosa, Paint and Pinto
8. Morgan, Saddlebred & other English type
9. Open Pony Halter
10. Novice Halter
11. Halter Championship (1st and 2nd from 1-10)
12. Arabian/Half Arabian Most Classic Head
13. Sport Horse In Hand

Showmanship and In Hand Classes

14. Pony Showmanship
15. Tiny Tot Showmanship (10 and Under)
16. Junior/Junior Showmanship (11-13)
17. Junior Showmanship (14-17)
18. Senior Showmanship (18-39)
19. Senior/Senior Showmanship (40 and over)
20. Novice Showmanship (no blue prior to show)
21. Costume Class (horse and rider)

Equitation Classes

22. Tiny Tot English Equitation W/T Only (10 & Under)
23. Saddleseat Equitation (17 & Under)
24. Saddleseat Equitation. (18 & Over)
25. English Equitation Open Walk Trot (11 & Over)
26. Huntseat Equitation. (17 & Under)
27. Huntseat Equitation. (18 & Over)
28. Western Equitation Open Walk Trot (11 & Over)
29. Western Equitation (17 & Under)
30. Western Equitation (18 & Over)
31. Bareback Equitation English/Western
32. Tiny Tot W/T Only Western Equitation (10 & Under)
33. Lead Line Equitation (8 and Under)
34. Youth Stick Horse (6 & Under)

W/T ONLY = Exhibitors not to enter canter classes

Open Walk Trot = Open to all exhibitors

Age = exhibitor age as of 12/01/09

Trophies-First Place, Ribbons 1st through 6th

Western Pleasure Performance Classes

35. Senior Western Pleasure W/T ONLY (18 and over)
36. Junior Western Pleasure W/T ONLY (17 and under)
37. Open Western Pleasure Open Walk Trot
38. Senior Western Pleasure (18 and over)
39. Junior Western Pleasure (14-17)
40. Junior Junior Western Pleasure (11-13)
41. Tiny Tot Western Pleasure W/T Only (10 & Under)
42. Novice Horse West Pleasure (No Blues prior to Show)
43. Arab/Half Arab Senior Western Pleasure (18 and over)
44. Arab/Half Arab Junior Western Pleasure (14-17)
45. Arab/Half Arab Junior Junior Western Pleasure (11-13)
46. Junior Horse (5 and under) Western Pleasure
47. Quarter Horse/Stock Type Western Pleasure
48. Novice Rider Western Pleas. (No Blues prior to show)
49. Pony Western Pleasure

English (Hunt or Saddleseat) Performance Classes

50. Senior English Pleasure W/T ONLY (18 and over)
51. Junior English Pleasure W/T ONLY (17 and under)
52. Open English Pleasure Open Walk Trot
53. Senior English Pleasure (18 and over)
54. Junior English Pleasure (14-17)
55. Junior Junior English Pleasure (11-13)
56. Tiny Tot English Pleasure W/T Only (10 & Under)
57. Novice Horse English Pleasure (No Blues prior to show)
58. Arab/Half Arab Senior English Pleasure (18 and over)
59. Arab/Half Arab Junior English Pleasure (14-17)
60. Arab/Half Arab Junior Junior English Pleasure (11-13)
61. Junior Horse (5 and under) English Pleasure
62. Quarter Horse/Stock Type English Pleasure
63. Novice Rider English Pleasure (No Blues prior to Show)
64. Pony English Pleasure

Fun Classes

65. Egg & Spoon
66. Dizzy Cowboy
67. Ride a Buck Bareback
68. Bribe Your Horse

Entry fees: \$6.00 per class

Office fee: \$5.00 per horse

Class Sponsorship: \$15.00 per Class

For more information contact Joanne Jones at 608-712-5844 or see www.wisconsinarabian.com

2010 WAHA Fall Colors Open Show Class Entry Form

Show Class # _____ Class Name _____

Horse Show # _____ Horse Name _____

Owner _____ Rider/Handler _____

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Sponsorships & Volunteers Needed for 2010 WAHA Shows

Open Show & TAIL Program

Sponsors help keep exhibitor costs down, provide hospitality, and highlight the sponsors' names and messages both at the shows and in our newsletter, which goes to over 1,000 names.

Just complete the form/s below and mail this sheet, along with payment to **"WAHA,"** to **Bev Cole, E14058 Hein Rd, Baraboo, WI 53913**. You can put payment for sponsorships at all shows in one check. If you have any questions, please contact Bev at bpcole@centurytel.net or 608-356-5340

New this year—20% discounted rates for sponsoring multiple classes at a show or sponsoring one class at each show. **Sponsor more classes & we'll read your promo message more times throughout the show.

Your Name _____

Address: _____

email and/or phone: _____

Announcement to be read during the class(es) you sponsor: please submit on separate sheet

WAHA Open Show (with TAIL program and classes for all breeds), Sept. 25, Deerfield, WI. A one-day open show in a laid-back pre-Autumn atmosphere near Madison

All Classes: _____ @ \$15.00 each—or 5 for \$60 ! = _____

OPEN SHOW TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

Class Preference/s, in order: _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

Know Your WAHA Members—Colors of the Wind Farm

Colors of the Wind Farm has been around since 1974. I started out with a grade mare and Arabian Stallion. He was pure white and was my very best friend. Over the years I have owned several breeds of horses, Quarter, Thoroughbreds, Paints, Pintos, Appaloosas, and a few other breeds. The Arabian captures your heart and soul.

Colors of the Wind Farm LLC is located in Trevor about 1/4 mile from the Illinois state line. Our 65 acre farm is home to 4 Arabians and 7 half Arabians. Our black Arabian Stallion has produced some awesome foals! We breed for confirmation (performance) and color. Ransom has produced black, bay, buckskin, B/K Overo, B/K Tobianos, and palomino foals. Currently we have a palomino colt and black and white Overo Filly we plan on showing in the Arabian Show circuit next year.

We have shown and won at the regional level with our Arabian Horses. Recently we've been showing more in open horse shows. We also like to participate in the Midwest Horse Fair in Madison.

Colors of the Wind Farm LLC offers lessons, Training, Sales, Boarding, and Stud Services. We will be welcoming a new trainer with a dressage

background to our facility. We stand two paints stallions at the farm that we cross with our Arabian mares. You can view videos of our fine horses on youtube—just search for windsofcolor and several videos will come up. One of the videos posted is from the Midwest Horse Fair in Madison. It was a great presentation! Feel free to e-mail or call us!! e-mail cecolors@hotmail.com or call 262-862-6952 our website is www.colorsofthewindfarm.com

Sincerely,

Carole Eaton

Colors of the Wind Farm LLC Paint, Pinto, and Arabian Horses



Pharaohs Ransom, Black Arabian Stallion

Bill and Pat Trapp—Update

About a month ago, Gale Dressler, DVM, sent a letter to WAHA board member Nancy Miller to share with the WAHA membership.

The letter included an update on longtime WAHA supporters Bill and Pat Trapp. For members that do not know the Trapps, Bill was a one of the original founders of WAHA in 1953. He served on the WAHA Board for many years and is currently an honorary member of the WAHA Board of Directors.

The Trapp Award, given to an outstanding youth member every year, is in memory of their son. For a

number of years Bill and Pat have resided in Barksdale, Texas where their daughter Gale lives.

Please take a moment to Gale's update.

Dear WAHA Members,

I thought you would appreciate learning that my parents, Pat and Bill Trapp, both in their mid-eighties are now in nursing homes. Pat is still physically sound, but her memory, long and short term, has left. Bill is no longer mobile and his cognition is very poor.

We have an elderly Arabian gelding who is still sound and trained to saddle and harness and I still enjoy using him on our property and rural side roads.

Sincerely,
Gale Dressler, DVM

WAHA Fall Clinic—Saddleseat Riding

Mark your Calendars Now! WAHA Fall clinic announced! You will not want to miss the next WAHA clinic on Saturday November 13th 2010. The topic will be Saddleseat Riding. Clinic will be given by nationally recognized trainers, coaches and judges including Ken and Kevin Price!

Where-Bristol Equestrian Estates, 7039B Cty Hwy N, Sun Prairie WI 53590

Even if you do not ride Saddleseat you will find this clinic very informational and fun. Questions? Email Debbie Alt at dalt5940@yahoo.com or 608-795-4302 or Stacey Dunn at staceydunn3313@aol.com 608-774-1864

WAHA Treasurer Position

Submitted by WAHA Treasurer, Bev Cole

It is with mixed feelings that I've decided not to run for another term as WAHA Treasurer. I've held this position for the past ten years, and I feel that it is time for me to step back and allow someone else to have the chance to oversee WAHA's finances. The position is both interesting and challenging because it involves every facet of WAHA's operations. Aside from the obvious of making deposits, paying bills and monitoring budget lines, the position includes advising the Board of Directors on the financial status of all programs and ways to maximize our programs' financial success & viability.

If you are well-organized and enjoy numbers and details, this may be the role for you. I'd be happy to talk in greater detail to anyone who is curious about the position. Feel free to call me (Bev Cole) at 608-356-5340 or email bpcole@centurytel.net.

Want to get involved? Consider the WAHA Board!

Elections will be held at the WAHA Annual Meeting in January 2011. New club officers, four board of directors seats and Regional delegates will be elected. If you are interested in running for any of these positions, please contact Nancy Miller at nmfr7@charter.net, or 608-825-9986

From shows to clinics to community outreach, WAHA does great work. As a volunteer organization, WAHA looks to its membership to keep events running smooth and sustainably. Please consider donating your time and get involved! Never served in this type of role? No problem, all you need is creativity, follow-through and the desire to serve your Wisconsin Arabian community!

Thank you to our Sponsors—WAHA May & August Shows

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Without the support of these sponsors, WAHA could not offer the caliber of shows that have come to be expected from the club.

Thank you to these businesses and individuals for supporting their local Arabian Horse affiliated club. We know you have many choices when it comes to sponsorship and promotion. Thank you for choosing WAHA!

The Results are In!

Submit your Regional & National Wins

Please submit your 2010 Regional and National wins to be published in the next two newsletters. Make sure that you include wins from Youth, Canada, Sport Horse and U.S. nationals. Contact Nancy Miller at nmfr7@charter.net.

While you are at it, submit some photos to go along with your wins! We are looking for candid photos that really get to the “core” of Arabian Horse ownership. Send all photos to Maria McGinnis at mmcginnis@uwalumni.com

Ask the Experts—Article Series

Attention all WAHA trainers....

The WAHA newsletter is starting a new feature called “Ask the Experts”. This article series will be part of a larger effort to answer common questions we have as horse owners from experts in all areas of horse training. Members can submit questions via email that will be forwarded to a panel of equine experts. Answers to the questions will be published in the WAHA newsletter to share with everyone! If you have a question, please email Debbie Alt at dalt5940@yahoo.com. Please also contact Debbie if you are an Arabian Horse trainer and you are interested in serving on the expert panel.

Newsletter Submission Deadlines

The WAHA Newsletter is your publication! Do you have a story idea, guest editorial concept or pictures that you would like to see featured? Send them on! Please be aware of these WAHA Newsletter Submission Deadlines.

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Send articles to Maria McGinnis, mmcginnis@uwalumni.com

Questions - Nancy Miller, nmfr7@charter.net

