

REGIONAL REVIEW

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Region 2, 2015, Meetings

August 8, Santa Inez Area
November 7, Bakersfield

AHA Board of Directors 2015 Meeting Dates

July 31/August 1
November 17 at Convention



DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Hi Everyone,

Upcoming Region 2 Shows:

I would like to encourage those of you who show or would like to get into showing to attend the upcoming:

- **Region 2 qualifying show** in Santa Barbara over Mother's Day weekend in May. Premium lists are being mailed this week. This show offers a very quick and inexpensive way to give riders and horses a confidence-building and fun show experience. Contact Penny Wardlaw phwardlaw@aol.com, cell (805) 896-6444 or SHARON RICHARDS sharonr789@yahoo.com for further information.
- **Region 2 Pre and Championship Shows.** Also in Santa Barbara in June. Joyce Schroeder and her team are working hard to make this a great show with lots of opportunities for fun and achievement. Contact Joyce Schroeder, manager (Patrons, Vendors, advertising) joyce18089@yahoo.com or (805) 673-4089, Penny Wardlaw, manager (classes and schedules) phwardlaw@aol.com (805) 968-3581 or Sharon Richards, secretary - sharonr789@yahoo.com (916) 645-2288.

And now, here's what's new:

Youth Nationals:

Due to significant difficulties in coming to an agreement with Albuquerque to continue hosting Youth Nationals after 2015, AHA has come to an agreement with Oklahoma City to host Youth Nationals from 2016 through 2018. The Oklahoma City facilities have been upgraded significantly, and the AHA site visit group was very impressed. Just to be clear, for 2015, Youth Nationals will be held in Albuquerque. (Continued next page.)

2015 Convention Site Moved

See Page 2 (top, left-hand column)
and Page 4 (for more detailed information)

NEW! Letters to the Editor!
Spotlight on Endurance
Where the Arabian Horse Excels
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2015 Convention:

The Denver Marriott Tech Center is re-modeling their facility and has reneged on their contract with AHA to host the 2015 Convention. The only other possible site in the Denver area would have been prohibitively expensive. Fortunately, AHA was able to line up support from Tulsa and the Hyatt Regency Hotel there for our scheduled dates, and the AHA Board just approved moving this year's convention to Tulsa. The hotel rooms will go for \$99/night plus the usual taxes. That represents a savings of about \$25 and \$68 per night versus the Denver Tech Center and the other possible Denver site. Airfares will probably be a bit more expensive for those of us in California, but the savings on the hotel should offset some or all of that.

2016 Sport Horse Nationals:

The 2016 Sport Horse Nationals will be held from September 21 through 25 in Nampa, Idaho.

National Show Win Photos:

Last year's accident at Youth required the AHA Board to institute a rule that only allowed 1 non-official to enter the ring for win photos. AHA received significant feedback. AHA continues to believe that safety must be our first priority but did not believe that increasing the number to two would introduce significantly more risk. Accordingly, the AHA Board has increased the number to two effective immediately.

AHA Website and Future State:

Over the last few months, events have caused AHA to change its plans regarding the Website project. With the help of AHA's staff, Nancy Harvey (VP) and Bill Richardson (President's husband) recently completed a thorough business process mapping project. It became clear that the AHA website must become the primary portal for executing and managing transaction for those processes, and we must also implement and integrate a new financial management package. Additionally, we were not achieving our planned milestones due to subcontractor expertise issues. Therefore, the project, now named the AHA Future State, has been widened and reorganized. Development work will now be done by our staff with upfront help from a truly qualified consultant. Bill Richardson has volunteered to be the program manager. He is a real expert in this

area, and we'll get his very valuable services at no charge. A technical guidance committee named HYDRA has been formed and consists of Bill as chair, plus Jim Lawless, Bruce Johnson, Gerald McDonald and Terry Andreasen.

Additional Show-Related News:

The AHA Board passed motions to enable Western Dressage, require Half-Arabs showing at the National Futurity to have DNA validation, and add some Hunter Jumper classes to the Achievement Program.

To increase interest and excitement about Halter and breeding, a number of suggestions have been made to AHA. Some of these, including Regional Challenge Cups and sending some winners to the Paris show, are already in the works. Others will require more work. Therefore, the AHA president appointed a Halter ad hoc committee. Greg Gallun will be the Chair, and there are three other members.

Statistics:

Breedings were up slightly in FY15 over FY14 for both purebreds and Half-Arabians. The increase was probably amnesty-caused, but it's the first increase in many years. AHA membership declined by about 7.4% to 22433. We now have 262 National Judges, 154 Regional Judges and 117 Stewards.

Club Bios:

AHA has been encouraging clubs to submit their bios for publication on the website. If your club has not already done so, please submit a bio.

That's all for now. Go out and enjoy your horses.

Jay Greenberg,
Director, Region 2



Motions Passed at the March 28, 2015, Delegates' Meeting

Kathleen Kline, Secretary



Lorry Wagner moved to have Kathleen Kline take over the Secretary of the Board position; the motion was seconded by Joyce Schroder, motion passed unanimously.

Lorry Wagner motioned to approve the November 2014 and January 2015 meeting minutes; Penny Wardlaw seconded the motion. Motion passed without objection.

Lorry Wagner motioned to approve the January special meeting minutes; Penny Wardlaw seconded the motion. Motion passed without objection.

Penny Wardlaw moved to rescind the initial Motion from July 12, 2014 that gave nomination and approval of the Board approving the tax preparer before Taxes are approved yearly; Lorry Wagner seconded; Motion passed with 1 abstention.

Penny Wardlaw moved to have Region 2 Treasurer be mandated at the delegate's meeting up until the date of Tax filing to report of the progress of the Tax Return for that year; the motion was seconded by Lorry Wagner; motion was passed.

Where as we would be spending \$1200 for four (4) eblast/email blast to promote the Regional shows which would be sent out to Regional Members in Regions 1,2,3 & 7 which is already in the 2015 Regional Budget; Penny Wardlaw moved that Region 2 allocate \$1800 for email blasts/eblasts consisting of a contract package to be purchased with an allocation of six (6) eblast for Regional Events; the motion was seconded by Joyce Schroeder; Chick Cerniga abstained. Motion was passed.



Region 2 Bylaws

Lorry Wagner, Chair



The Region 2 Bylaws Committee is working on adding a section for Financial Guidelines in order to help all those who handle Region 2 finances, especially those Committee Chairs, to do so in an acceptable manner and submit proper reports back to the Delegate body as required.

Region 2 Corporate Commission

Lorry Wagner, Chair



Lorry reported that the 2014 Tax Returns have been completed and filed with both California's Franchise Tax Board and IRS.

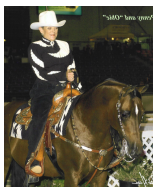
The name-change from Region II, International Arabian Horse Association to Region 2, Arabian Horse Association has been completed at both the California Secretary of State Corporate Office and the IRS. We are now in compliance with the Merger's impact of dissolving IAHA and creating the new AHA in its place.

Our Region 2, non-profit Corporation is in good order.

News Flash!

New Region 2 Class "A" Show

Penny Wardlaw, Chair/Manager



Our Region 2 Spring Qualifier (aka "The May Show") is ready to go! Mark your calendars for May 9th and 10th in Santa Barbara at Earl Warren Showgrounds. Lori Conway will be our judge. Premiums are available on the Region 2 website. It will be wonderful weather and a great opportunity to qualify for the Regional Championships without all the pressure. Our classes are aimed at our amateur and entry-level exhibitors and show is just two-days; less missed work or school and less hotel and related travel expenses. It is also less expensive than any other Region 2 qualifying show (stall and entry fees) and gives you and your horses a chance to enjoy the Championship's facility in a quieter envi-

ronment. For further information contact:

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Sharon Richards, Secretary
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2015 Region 2 Championship Show

Joyce Schroeder, Chair/Manager



Region 2 Show – Santa Barbara – June 17-21, 2015

June is quickly approaching and the Region 2 Show plans are well underway with some changes this year in personnel and ideas! Our goal is to have some fun, enjoy the weather and our Arabian horses.

Pre show will be held on June 17 and 18 and Championship Classes on June 19, 20 and 21.

Judges this year are: Gary Dearth, John Ryan, Josh Quintus, Gretchen McDaniel and Shari Odom...giving us great coverage in all areas of the Preshow, Working Western and Main Ring.

Youth, led by Flora Elm-Clone are planning some fun exciting events so bring your kids, youth, and come on out...we want you to see what is happening with the Youth and all that they are involved with.

The Trading Post has proven to be a great way to "exchange" prizes for other items that you may need or want, and that will give the exhibitor a chance to look around and trade yours for something else.

Patronships, Mini Patronships, Sponsorships and Advertising opportunities are available...if you are interested or have questions regarding these areas, please give me a call.

Our Barn Party is returning as is our Ex-

hibitor Dinner – both with a little change in the air....we want it to be FUN!

A Show is only as good or successful as those who work to make it so...we NEED and APPRECIATE your support as a volunteer – if you can help any day and at any time, please think about lending a hand....even if you are showing, perhaps you could give us a few hours of your time.

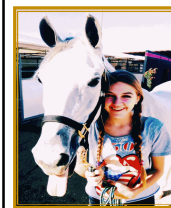
Should you have any questions, please

Region 2 Sister Regions' Newsletters

New service on our "Calendar of Events" list. We now list the web address for the newsletters produced by other Regions who, in turn, give us a reciprocal link back to our Region 2 Newsletter listing on our website.

Region 2 Youth News

Kelly Elm, Region 2 Youth Committee Chair



Reported by Flora Elm-Clone, Region 2 Youth Director

Last month I represented Region 2 Youth at the AHYA Board of Directors' Youth meeting in Denver, Colorado. We continued planning for this year's Youth Nationals which is themed "Horsin' Around the World." For the Parade of Regions' golf cart parade and the Regional posters, each Region has signed up for a country to have their golf cart and poster based upon. I signed Region 2 up to be Egypt, and am excited to implement my ideas in the creation of our golf cart.

After discussing outreach through social media at the meeting, I also created a Region 2 Youth text reminder service through Remind101. Anyone

can sign up, and will receive reminders of upcoming events via text.

Also, this year Region 2 will be holding our very first Youth Silent Auction. All proceeds go to Region 2 youth to help us put on more fun activities, send our Youth Judging/Hippology team to Youth Nationals and/or U.S. Nationals, and send me to the Youth Board of Directors meetings. Any donations would be greatly appreciated :)!

There will be a Region 2 Youth Meeting Wednesday, April 8 at Arroyo Arabians, after our Youth Judging Team Practice. Our Region 2 Youth Judging team will judge 4 pleasure classes - Hunter at Ta-Da Equine, Western at Harris Show Horses, Halter at Daydream Arabians, and Country/English at Arroyo Arabians. There will be an equitation demonstration at Arroyo Arabians following the Country/English class, and then we will have a youth pizza party.

Feel free to contact me at

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or

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News from AHA

This information is also available on the AHA web site: www.arabianhorses.org

2015 AHA Convention Changes Location

The Arabian Horse Association (AHA) is excited to announce that their Annual Convention will be held at the Hyatt Regency Tulsa in Tulsa, Oklahoma November 18-21, in 2015.

The Hyatt Regency Tulsa is located in the heart of Oklahoma's vibrant business, entertainment and cultural districts. In addition to 38,000 square feet of state-of-the-art meeting and event space, the hotel boasts a number of wonderful amenities including: 454 beautifully appointed guestrooms, an on-site restaurant, lounge, spa

and rooftop pool, 24-hour complimentary airport transportation and a 24-hour full service business center. Convention attendees can explore over thirty restaurants and bars within walking distance of the hotel, including the S&J Oyster Bar & Seafood Cafe or the Oklahoma favorite, McNellie's Public House. Plus, AHA Convention delegates and guests can enjoy a trip up Boulder Avenue to the Brady Arts District for great shopping, museums, parks and historic music venues. Or visit the Blue Dome District and enjoy a meal in a unique restaurant.

AHA's Convention follows their 2015 U.S. National Arabian & Half-Arabian Championship Horse Show, at the Tulsa Expo Square in October. The U.S. National Championships continue to rank as the most prestigious North American championship in the Arabian show horse industry and AHA is proud that Tulsa will now be hosting two of their important annual events.

"The 2014 Annual Convention host hotel, the Denver Tech Center Marriott, will be undergoing renovations during the time period of the scheduled 2015 Annual Convention, thus requiring the AHA Board to approve the move to Tulsa this year.

AHA's Youth Nationals Return to Oklahoma City!

The Arabian Horse Association (AHA) is excited to announce the return of the Arabian & Half-Arabian Youth National Championship Horse Show to State Fair Park in Oklahoma City, Okla. for 2016-2018. The 2016 show runs from July 23-30.

Over the years, [State Fair Park](#) has evolved into the 21st Century horse show destination and one of the largest and busiest event facilities in the country. The park ensures OKC maintains its status as the 'Horse Show Capital of the World,' through a recent equine renovation project. The project was implemented as part of the \$100 million dollar ongoing improvements to the park.

One of the biggest changes to the park is the inclusion of climate controlled amenities, including the air condition of all

show arenas. In addition to having excellent heating and cooling, a state-of-the-art ventilation system will continuously circulate fresh air in and out of the barns. "As long time chair of the Youth Nationals Show Commission, we are excited about the opportunities that OKC can offer our exhibitors and their families," says Mickey Hegg, AHA Youth Nationals Show Committee Chair.

AHA is proud to be one of many outstanding equine organizations to produce a national show from State Fair Park in 2016. Arabian & Half-Arabian Youth Nationals will be immediately followed by the [AQHYA World Championship Show](#) in July, the [Grand National Morgan Horse Show](#) (video links) in October, and finally the American Quarter Horse World Championship Show in November.

"In addition to being the 'Horse Show Capital of the World,' Oklahoma City is currently one of the most talked about cities in the country," says Timothy J. O'Toole, President and CEO, Oklahoma State Fair, Inc. "Recent improvements throughout the city have attracted the eye of not only the business traveler, but also of the casual tourist. Oklahoma City is certainly on an upward spiral with attractions and activities to suit any and all tastes.

Families taking a break from the show can spend time taking in all the great food, lodging and entertainment that OKC offers. [Bricktown](#), the former warehouse-turned-entertainment district just east of OKC offers a plethora of sights and sounds to take in along the beautiful Bricktown Canal.

"This is an exciting announcement for Oklahoma City," said Michael Carrier, president of the [Oklahoma City Convention and Visitors Bureau](#). "The Horse Show Capital of the World offers tremendous opportunities for the Arabian Horse Association's Youth National Championship including a top-rated zoo, the new [RIVERSPORT Rapids at the Boathouse District](#), the unique [National Cowboy and Western Heritage](#)

[Museum](#) along with numerous other world class museums and plenty of family-fun facilities for all to enjoy. We are proud to have been selected to be the host city beginning in 2016 and look forward to showcasing Oklahoma City to those attending." AHA and State Fair Park look forward to seeing you in OKC in 2016

Regarding Arabian Horse DataSource™ Applications for Smart Devices

As of March 19, 2015 the contract between the Arabian Horse Association (AHA) and Hochstetler Technologies regarding the maintenance, marketing efforts and support for the Arabian Horse DataSource™ Application, used on mobile devices, was mutually dissolved.

The DataSource application itself will no longer be supported or maintained and can no longer be purchased through the Apple App Store. Those who have already purchased the DataSource application will still have access and use of it. However, no new purchases of the application can be made and over time as Apple Operating Systems (iOS) update, the app may become less functional.

Originally created in 2010 by Hochstetler Technologies, the DataSource App for smartphones and other smart devices was designed to be additionally purchased and used with a regular DataSource subscription found at www.arabdatasource.com. The dissolution of the contract has no effect or alteration to the current DataSource website. DataSource will still be available to members and non-members alike on a subscription basis. The current website can also be viewed online with a mobile device.

The application was neither owned nor maintained by AHA. Analytics show that the application was getting very little use over the past few years. Additionally, the cost of the application (\$19.99) proved cost-prohibitive for DataSource subscribers.

With further improvements being made to the AHA website, the DataSource desktop site will become even more easily accessible and viewable to mobile device users. To subscribe to DataSource, visit www.arabdatasource.com/SignUp.asp.

Your Advertisement Could Appear Here!



Vicky Rich, Region 2 Secretary, Retires!



To Vicky Rich

Region 2 thanks you for your loyal dedication over so many years for always being there to fulfil the position of Region 2 Secretary and, between official terms, always ready to step in when needed to act as temporary Secretary.

Our deepest appreciation for a job so very well done.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jay Greenberg".

*Region 2 Director
March 28, 2015*

Region 2 Sadly Reports the Loss of a Long-Time Friend!



Pat Kline went home to be with our Lord on Jan. 22, 2015 after losing her 15 plus year battle with cancer, but not before beating it twice.

Pat was born Patsy-Zo Wright to Frederick Howard Wright and Theofanis Ar-minda (Pappadakis) "Pat" Wright in Chicago, Ill. on Nov. 20, 1937. Her father, an actor and screenwriter and songwriter brought the family to Hollywood, Calif. after a short stay in Brownsville, Texas. She was a Jobs Daughter before graduating from Marymount of Santa Barbra Catholic High School.

She acquired her love for horses from her parents and enjoyed spending time at the Hunewill Guest Ranch in Bridgeport, Calif. She was a member of the California Rangers – a youth equestrian group. In 1956, she returned to the Rangers after acquiring her first horse, where she re-met her future husband, Dorand "Dory" Kline.

Pat, a 24- year resident of Tehachapi, along with her husband of 56 years, Dory Kline, have owned Kline's Haram Arabian Farms and they shared many years of pleasure riding, breeding and showing their Arabian horses together. Pat, who retired after 31 years of work as a grocery checker, in which she earned a number of Checker of the Year awards from Vons, has been a 30-plus-year member of the International Arabian Horse Association and a 25-plus-year member of Drinkers of the Wind Arabian Horse Club of Tehachapi. She enjoyed many years working inside the show arena as a Ring Master throughout Region 2 of the Arabian Horse Association alongside many judges. She was a very community-oriented lady who contributed by being a 20-plus-year member of the Tehachapi Mountains Search and Rescue, a division of the Kern County Sheriff's Department in which she did everything from search for the lost to finding a key piece of evidence in a murder case here in Kern County.

Additionally, Pat held the position of Treasurer of Tehachapi Friends of the National Rifle Association (NRA) for over 12 years and helped with the annual fundraising event here in Tehachapi. She volunteered from 2001 to 2014 and served eight terms on the Kern County Grand Jury.

The artsy side of Pat lent to her being an avid knitter, crocheter and seamstress, a talent she handed down to all three of her daughters. Pat spent many years creating counted cross-stitching artwork. To her surprise, her husband secretly entered a couple of her framed and beaded cross-stitches (an angle and a clown) into the Kern County Fair. She earned a juried 1st Place award in about 2003 for her counted cross-stitched beaded Angel.

Pat, was adventurous, she was an accomplished shooter and hunter, enjoying a last hunt at the age of 75 with the love of her life (her husband not her gun), in which she brought down an Impala in South Africa in late summer of 2013. In the late '70, she rode beside her husband in an off-road race car and often ran a pit course-side for the F.A.R.T. - Fast Ass Racing Team - that became the TER-RA Racing Team, from California to Arizona to Ensenada, Mexico, and well down the Baja Peninsula.

Growing up in an acting family she enjoyed working on TV with the Crosby boys. "I never knew who was going to be in Daddy's office when I came home – Gene Autry, Roy Rogers or?" Pat fondly said recently traveling down memory lane.

Pat is survived by her husband of 56 years Dorand "Dory" Kline, daughters: Sheryl (Kenneth) Kolt and Shawn (Richard) Rose all of Santa Clarita, Calif., Kathleen Kline of Tehachapi and their unofficially adopted son – Jose (Maria) Arias of Santa Ynez, California. Additionally, Pat is survived by most of her nine grandchildren: Michelle, Joseph Ray Jr. and Kristin Wenthur, Richard II and Kristopher Rose, Kayla and Elantra Kline and Victoria Arias, brother-in-law Franklin (Ira) Kline and nephew Kamu "Happy" Hapsoro-Kline, step-sister Joann Johnson and niece Leslie and nephews Greg and Mark Berblinger, Uncle Nick Pappas and many other cousins, nephews and a host of loving friends.

Pat is preceded in death by her mother and father: Pat and Frederick Wright, sister – Joanne James, grandson: Ethan Kline and nephew: Kent Berblinger.

Services were held on Feb. 20, 2015, at Wood Family Funeral Home located in Tehachapi, California, with a wake and celebration of life following at the Stallion Springs Community Center.

Letters to the Editor

Lorry Wagner, Editor
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From Lisa and Shel Schneider

We want you to know how grateful we are for your support of endurance riders. We have been involved with the Endurance Challenge since its beginning, and really appreciate the ongoing support. We have competed with Arabians and half-Arabians for over 20 years and are dedicated to the breed.

Whenever anyone sees our AHA Region 2 blankets, bale bags, chairs, vests, etc., we love to tell them about Region 2 and the Endurance Challenge. When Marci Cunningham presented us with our awards for the 2014 season at a local endurance ride, I stood up and showed the crowd the beautiful award while Marci told them about the program.

Thanks again for your ongoing support of endurance riders,



From Helen Eustice & DW Hardrock

Dear Folks,

Just a note to thank Region II for acknowledging those of us who work hard at keeping our horse and self healthy and happy during the miles on the trail. Each ride is a childhood dream come true for me, and leads to getting to the next one as soon as possible.

Receiving recognition for this is wonderful, and proudly displayed on beast and person at all rides.

Thank you,



*From Robert and Carol Bischoff
Redlands, CA, Pacific Southwest Region*

My husband Bob and I have enjoyed this sport for 8 years now. What makes us keep coming back each year and achieving high mileage is because of all the beautiful places we see and experience. I can't say that one ride is better than the other. Bob continues to say that Death Valley and the Eastern Mojave ride are beautiful in their own way. I would reply that the Tevis Cup and the Red Woods rides are the most beautiful rides. Not to mention the Aspens in Utah and Colorado. It's the different terrain, trail and scenery that comes with each ride and the comradery of the people we have met in the endurance world that brings us back each year. They are extraordinary people who are willing to lend a helping hand on the ride or in camp. They are down to earth, good people. We love camping and spending quality time with our horses. We ride for the joy and beauty, not to win but, if that happens well then it's a wonderful moment.

I want to thank all the ride managers and volunteers who make each ride happen. I also want to thank the Arabian Horse Association and The Golden Empire Arabian Horse Society for their contributions to our sport. Your achievement awards are gorgeous and prestigious. I will display them with pride.

Thank you again,



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This newsletter is published within 30 days of each Region 2 Quarterly Delegates' meeting.

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Other Region 2 Activities:

Endurance Challenge,
[Marci Cunningham](#)
Region 2 Class "A" Show
[Penny Wardlaw](#)

Region 2 members are encouraged to contact any of the above Committee/Commission Chairs for information, concerns, volunteering your help and/or input.

NOTE: For those receiving this via U.S. Mail, the above are hot links...contact [Lorry Wagner](#) for email address if you wish to send any of the above an email.



SPRING FLING
ALL BREED SCHOOLING SHOW
HIGH STAR FARMS ~ May 3, 2015
2460 Highway 135, Los Alamos, CA 93440

Judge: TBD

Registration starts at: 7:30 AM

Show Starts at 9:00 AM

Age Groups:

**Walk/Trot, 11 & Over,
17 & Under, 18 & Over, Open,
Classes: Equitation, Hunter Pl,
Cross Rail Hunter Hack,
Western Pl**



Show Secretaries: Tammy Burkman (805) 878-8232

Nancy Nathanson (805) 448-3027

For more information or to enter: www.horseshowtime.com

**Proceeds to benefit the Santa Ynez Valley Arabian
Horse Youth Association**

Calendar of Events

INTERNATIONAL EVENTS

2015 INTERNATIONAL SHOWS: For the ECAHO list of past shows and results, go to the following web site:
www.ecaho.org/ The 2015 Show Calendar can be downloaded as a .pdf file. You can also find results from this year's already past shows.



WAHO CONFERENCES: 2016 WAHO Conference: This Conference will be held in the Kingdom of Bahrain. For more information and updates, <http://www.waho.org/>

Watch here for the date and more information for the next WAHO Conference.

U.S.A EVENTS



All U.S.A. shows are conducted under USEF Rules which can be found at <http://www.USEF.org>

AHA 2015 BOD MEETINGS, www.arabianhorses.org:

July 31/August 1, 2015

November 17, 2015, at Convention

AHA 2015 EVENTS AND DEADLINES, www.arabianhorses.org:

June 30, 2015, deadline for all Clubs to send membership/delegate/alternate information to AHA for convention

July 18, 2015, Arabian Horse Youth Association Convention, Albuquerque, New Mexico

July 18-25, 2015, Youth Nationals, Albuquerque, New Mexico

August 16-22, 2015, Canadian Nationals, Brandon, Manitoba, Canada

September 15-20, 2015, Sport Horse Nationals, Raleigh, North Carolina

September 10 - 13, 2015, Championship Competitive Trail & Endurance Rides, Big South Fork National River and Recreation Area, TN

October 23-31, 2015, U.S. Nationals, Tulsa, Oklahoma

November 18-21, 2015, Convention, Denver, Colorado

REGION 2 SHOWS:

May 3, 2015, Spring Fling, All-Breed Schooling Show, contact Tammy Burkman, 805-878-8232 or Nancy Nathanson, 805-448-3027

May 9 - 10, 2015, Region 2 Qualifying Arabian, Half/Anglo Arabian Horse Show, Santa Barbara, contact Penny Wardlaw, phwardlaw@aol.com

June 17 - 21, 2015, Region 2 Pre-Show & Region 2 Championships, Santa Barbara, CA, contact Joyce Schroeder: joyce18089@sbcglobal.net

REGION 2 DELEGATES' MEETINGS:

August 8, 2015, Santa Inez Area, Region 2 Quarterly Delegates' Meeting, contact Vicky Rich, Secretary, vr10531@aol.com

November 7, 2015, Bakersfield, Region 2 Quarterly Delegates' Meeting, contact Vicky Rich, Secretary, vr10531@aol.com

REGION 2 CLUBS, MEETINGS AND NEWSLETTER LINKS

Arabian Horse Association of San Fernando Valley, Monthly Board Meetings, website: www.ahasfv.org

AHASFV Newsletter: www.ahasfv.org/newsletter.html

Arabian Horse Association of San Joaquin Valley, Monthly Meetings, contact Jan Dunlap, ddreambabies@earthlink.net

Arabians of the Desert Horse Association, for information contact Dawn Newell, indianfallsranch@yahoo.com

Association of Ridgecrest Arabian Breeders, Meeting Dates Announced on ARAB website: www.arabaha.org

ARAB Newsletter: www.arabaha.org/newsletter.html

Central Coast of California Arabian Horse Association, Board Meetings 1st Tuesday of each month, General Meetings 3rd Tuesday of each quarter, website: www.cccaha.org

CCCAHA Newsletter: www.cccaha.org/NEWSLETTER.html

Calendar of Events Continued

Conejo Valley Arabian Horse Association, for information contact Vicky Rich, vr10531@aol.com

CVAHA Newsletter: www.cvahba.bizland.com

Crescent-Midstate Arabian Horse Association, General Meetings every other month, website: www.cmaha.org

Drinkers of the Wind Arabian Horse Club of Tehachapi, contact haremar@wildblue.net

Golden Empire Arabian Horse Society, Monthly Meetings, website: www.geahs.org

GEAHS Newsletter: www.geahs.org (link to newsletter appears on front page)

Insallah Arabian Horse Club, Monthly Meetings 2nd Monday, Meeting Room on the Internet: www.insallah.org

IAHC Newsletter: www.insallah.org/fileroom_files.html

Los Robles de Oro Arabian Horse Association, contact: Diane Copelan, chesigal@juno.com

Santa Barbara Arabian Horse Association: contact: Penny Wardlaw, phwardlaw@aol.com

Santa Ynez Valley Arabian Horse Association, website: www.syvaha.com

SYVAHA Newsletter: www.syvaha.com/newsletter/index.html

Sierra Valley Arabian Horse Association, contact: Dale Raymond, raymondedi@aol.com



SISTER REGIONS:

Region 12 Newsletter: www.aharegion12.com/



ARABIAN RACING at Los Alamitos:

For specific dates go to the ARAC website at www.arac.org or contact the ARAC office, 714-820-2817

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