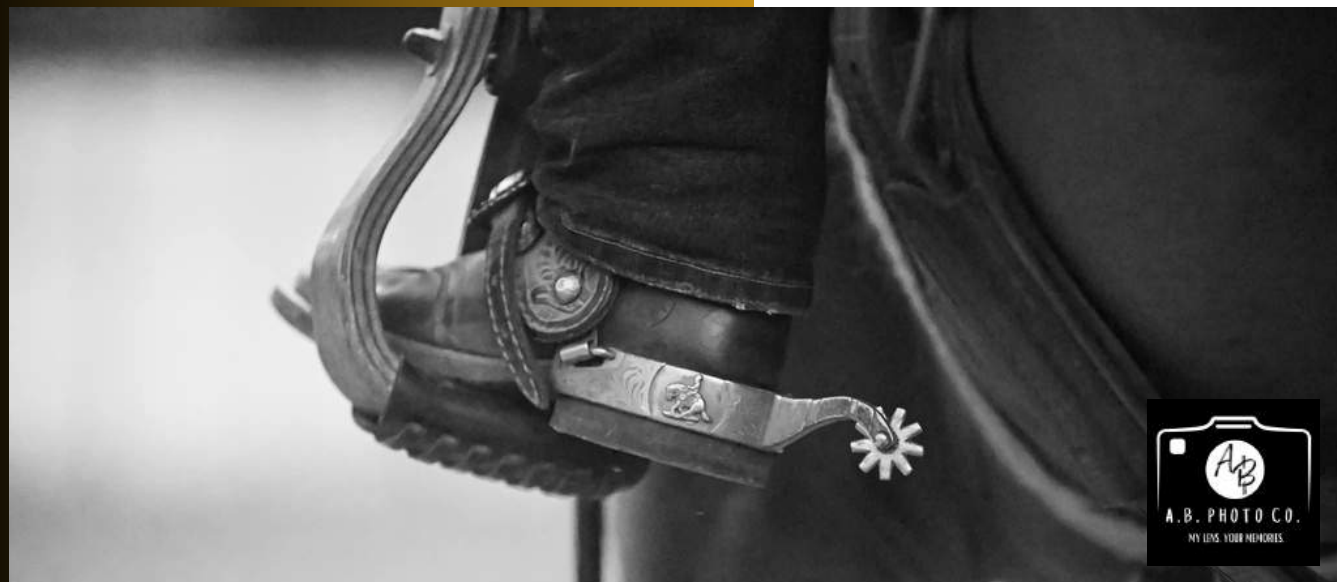


WRHA ROUNDUP

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Fall 2025



3 Shows Down, 1 Show Left...

Where has the summer gone?? The final WRHA show of 2025 is just around the corner – the **WRHA Fall Roundup** on September 20–21.

This show will feature the finale of the inaugural **WRHA 2 Year-Old Challenge**, so be sure to cheer on your favorite horses & riders!

Thank you to all who attended the **WRHA General Membership Meeting** on August 8th! It was a very productive meeting filled with important discussions – we gathered a lot of feedback & generated some great ideas!

Meeting minutes are available on **pages 16–19**, so be sure to check them out!

2025 WRHA Board

Officers

President: Jo Ellen Milkie

Vice President: Natalie Derry

Treasurer: Sarah Lidicker

Secretary: Ashley Gorczynski

Board Members:

Steve Dorsey

Gerald Mielke

Don't forget

**WRHA show results & score sheets
are available on the**

Watson Horse Shows website:

www.watsonhorseshow.com



2025 WRHA Slidin' Into Summer Weekend High Point Winners



All Age Champion: Oaks Lucky Star
Reserve: Dunit With Sparks

Amateur Champion: Zippinssmokinck & Sarah Nosbisch
Reserve: Ruidoso Mercedes & Lisa Davie

Novice Amateur Champion: Freckle Starlight & Brooke Meinholz
Reserve: Face It Chuck & Tara Haselhorst

Youth Champion: FS Nine Of Diamonds & Grace Countryman
Reserve: MW Cool Secret & Lexi Lenhardt

Green As Grass Champion: SW Simply Virtuous & Erin Bourscheidt
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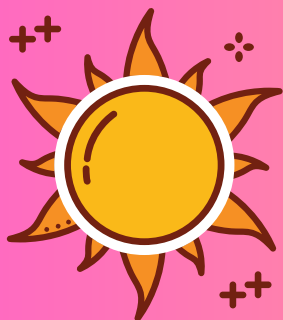
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2025 WRHA Beat The Heat Weekend High Point Winners



All Age Champion: Dun Its Charming
 Reserve: Freckled Mitch

Amateur Champion: Zippinssmokinck & Sarah Nosbisch
 Reserve: Xtra Thirsty Dude & Jeff Ross

Novice Amateur Champion: Docs Stylin One Time & Hailey Ferron
 Reserve: Face It Chuck & Tara Haselhorst

Youth Champion: FS Nine Of Diamonds & Grace Countryman
 Reserve: MW Cool Secret & Lexi Lenhardt

Green As Grass Champion: SW Simply Virtuous & Erin Bourscheidt
 Reserve: IDA B A Rockstar & Emma Jorgensen



WRHA Fall Roundup September 20–21, 2025

Pre-Entries & Stall/Camping Reservations:
Online forms close Monday, Sept. 15th at 5:00pm

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- ✓ *Camping is 1st come, 1st served. The only ones that may request an assigned spot are board members & show staff.*
- ✓ *No arrivals until 12pm on Friday. Early arrivals require WRHA approval.*



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 - Post-show tear-down
 - Cattle panels set-up/tear-down
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 - Running score cards/placings to/from office
 - Cleaning up manure from communal areas
- and more!!!

Sign-Up form available at:

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If you are interested in helping out in **ANY** way,
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- ✓ **Treasurer**
- ✓ **Secretary**



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WRHA Awards Program

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- ✓ Class Standings
- ✓ Division High Points
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Youth Lesson Sponsorship Program



Back for 2025!

This program is for any WRHA youth who feel that they would benefit from individual lessons with a professional trainer.

Eligibility:

Open to all youth who have actively shown with WRHA in the past 1 or 2 years (2023 and/or 2024) and have a current 2025 WRHA membership.

How It Works:

Youth are asked to go and obtain sponsorship money, which WRHA will match dollar-for-dollar up to \$150. Example: If \$150 in sponsorships is obtained, WRHA will add \$150, so a total of \$300 is available. Money is to be used for lessons provided by one of the participating trainers listed on the Youth Sponsorship Program form.

This program is available to the first 15 youth who submit their completed sponsorship forms.

For more information, please refer to pages 25-28 of this newsletter.

Please note:

All lessons must be completed by November 1, 2025.

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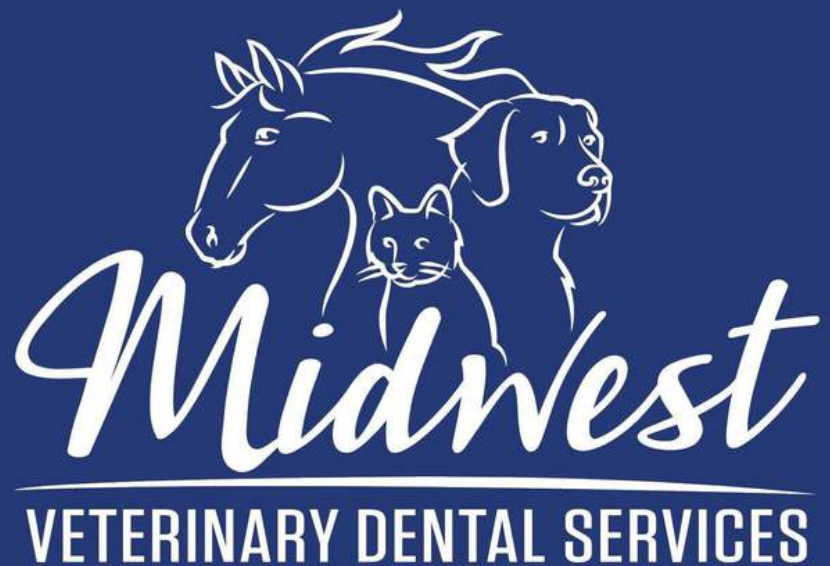
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WRHA General Membership Meeting

August 8, 2025

Call to order

- A meeting of the Wisconsin Ranch Horse Association was held at the Walworth County Fairgrounds, Elkhorn, WI at 7:16 pm on August 8, 2025.

Attendees

- Officers and board members in attendance: Jo Ellen Milkie, Natalie Derry, Sarah Lidicker, Ashley Gorczynski, Gerald Milkie.

Discussions

1. **Treasurer's Report** (presented by Sarah Lidicker)
 - Current financial report was distributed and discussed.
 - During the reporting period of 1/1/2025 to 7/31/2025, total income was \$136,690.91, and total expenses were \$97,219.19, resulting in a net surplus of \$39,471.72.
 - We are looking for ideas on how best to use the income to benefit the charter.
2. **Secretary's Report** (presented by Ashley Gorczynski)
 - **Memberships**
 - As of 8/6/2025, we have a total of 240 memberships (185 single, 33 family, 21 youth, 1 lifetime).
 - We've seen great growth this year. 68 new memberships for 2025.
 - For 2025, we offered option of receiving membership card by email instead of by USPS mail. 162 memberships have been sent via email this year, resulting in a cost savings of \$126.36 in postage fees and many labor hours saved.
 - **Sponsorships**
 - Action item from the 2024 membership meeting was to gain more sponsors. As of 8/6/2025, we have 28 total sponsors for the year.
 - We've had a positive response to our increased focus on sponsor entitlements/benefits.
 - Suggestion to offer advertising space on arena drag as a sponsor benefit.
 - **Media and Communications**
 - More traffic on the WRHA website this year. Through 7/31, 31% increase in unique visits and 39% increase in page views, when compared to all of 2024.
 - Brought back quarterly newsletters for 2025.

- **Cognito Forms**
 - Action item from 2024 membership meeting was to integrate at-will sign-up into pre-entry forms. We upgraded our account plan to allow for at-will sign-ups and online payment integration.
- **Year-End Points**
 - Action item from 2024 meeting was to have points updated and posted after every show. 2025 points are actively being updated after each show for class standings, division high point, top performance horse, and top cow horse.
 - Reminder to members to check your points after every show, not at the end of the season.

3. **Old Business**

- **Bylaws**
 - Updated March 16, 2025 and available on the WRHA website.
- **Apparel**
 - Positive feedback on WRHA apparel offerings for 2025. Planning to re-open online store in September.
 - Would like to have the youth design a logo and offer it on apparel in addition to the regular WRHA design for 2026.
- **Pattern Books**
 - New for 2025. Sold at shows starting in May. Sold 69 books so far.
 - Would like to continue for 2026 and have them for sale at awards banquet.
- **Show Staff**
 - Watson Horse Shows running show office for 2025.
 - Currently working on proposals and contracts for show staff for 2026.
 - Considering the rate that our charter is growing, we plan to hire more staff for 2026, including a show manager.
- **Volunteers (Ringside Support Committee)**
 - Action item from 2024 membership meeting was to improve volunteer communications and provide incentives.
 - New committee for 2025. Advertised on fb page & group, website, & in quarterly newsletter.
 - Online sign-up form available on website.
- **2 Year-Old Challenge**
 - New for 2025. 4 horses entered this year.
 - Discussed if there was interest in continuing program for 2026. If yes, we need support from sponsors for prizes, added money, etc.
 - Suggestion to have a separate side-pot from breeders.

4. **New Business**

- **2025 Shows & Statistics**

- May show: 959 entries (largest WRHA show ever!)
- June show: 828 entries (larger than 3 out of 4 WRHA shows from 2024)
- **Youth Regional/World Team**
 - We would like the WRHA Youth to form a team for any regional or world show in 2026. WRHA to pay for shirts, stalls, and (maybe) help with entries.
 - Comment that the world show is far and expensive – would any youth be interested? Can take a poll when the time comes.
 - Currently have over \$7000 in youth account.
- **Best Practices for Pre-Entries & Reservations**
 - Butch Watson presented some ways that exhibitors can help the show office run more efficiently – he also discussed some process improvements that are currently being worked on.
 - When filling out group stall reservations, use the person's full name and the horse's ARHA-registered name to ensure that the reservations are assigned to the correct parties.
 - If you would like to stall with someone, the request must be entered on the reservation form.
 - For stalling or barn requests, the earlier you can submit your reservation, the better! The show office cannot guarantee any late requests due to the volume of stall reservations.
 - For the August show, tablets are being testing for communicating results to the show office.
 - For results/score sheets at the show, additional binders have been added to separate results/score sheets by arena (cattle, at-will).
 - To improve accuracy and turnaround of processing results, a 3rd person will be working in the show office to check score sheets.
- **2026 Board of Directors**
 - The WRHA board will have turnover for 2026, specifically the positions of President and Treasurer.
 - Sarah Lidicker is leaving detailed instructions on how to handle everything in the Treasurer position.
 - Officer nominations will open after the September show and will close on November 30. Will have an online form for nominations as in past years.
 - Any officer that is on the board is open to background checks.
 - We are looking for WRHA members to step-up and represent their charter. If you plan on nominating someone, please ensure that you talk to the person you are nominating to make sure they are willing to run.
- **Camping**
 - Since we are sharing the grounds with another show in August, camping spots are at a premium, and spots filled up quicker than usual. Since Barn E is being used by the other show, WRHA is unable to use the camping spots by Barn E, but overflow camping is available on the other side of the fence near Barn E.

- Reminder that the official move-in time is after 12pm on Friday, and camping sites for first come, first served. Please do not arrive before that time unless you have approval from WRHA to do so.
 - Suggestion to offer early arrival and/or reserved camping spots as a volunteer incentive.
 - Suggestion to ask Walworth County Fairgrounds to paint lines on ground for camping spots.
- **2026 Shows**
 - 2026 tentative dates: May 15-17, June 26-28, Aug 15-17, Sept 25-27
 - Planning to have 3-day shows for 2026. Would like to start Friday classes in the afternoon (~2 or 3pm).
 - Would like to run 1 arena on Friday, 2 arenas on Saturday, and 1 arena on Sunday.
 - **Schedule Suggestions & Comments**
 - Discussed whether or not we should keep Cutting on the showbill. Mixed response from membership. It would be nice to keep Cutting because it is “ranchy,” but most ARHA charters do not offer it. In 2024, the only ARHA shows that offered Cutting were WRHA, ILRHA, SERHS (Open & Am only), and the World Show (Open & Am only).
 - Discussed if there was interest bringing back the Novice Youth division. It was dropped from the schedule several years ago due to low participation.
 - Discussed if there was interest in splitting more All Age classes into Jr. and Sr. The only other All Age classes that we can potentially split are Ranchmanship, Reining, Ranch Reining, Ranch Cutting, and Herd Work.
 - Suggestion to not have any Youth classes on Friday.
 - Our current show schedule is very busy, and we would like to have a show schedule that would allow time for us to have special events again (potlucks, dog races, freestyle reining/ranchmanship, calcuttas, etc.).
 - **2026-2027 ARHA Rule Change Proposals**
 - The ARHA rule change meeting is scheduled for August 26th. WRHA will have 2 board members attending and voting on the charter’s behalf. The proposed rule changes were read and discussed.

Adjournment

- Meeting was adjourned at 8:52 pm.

Ashley Gorczynski, Secretary



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☐ Family Membership: \$25 (*Two Adults & All Children 18 & Under - 19 yrs & over require own membership*)

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Name:

Birthdate:

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Wisconsin Ranch Horse Association 2025 Show Series

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Know Before
You Show

► Spring Showcase - May 17-18

Main Judges: William Butler, Butch Fluhr
At-Will Judges: Leslie Fluhr, Terry Myers

► Beat The Heat - August 9-10

Main Judges: Andres Castro, Dawnn Taylor
At-Will Judges: Kasey Bowles, Margy Morgan

► Slidin' Into Summer - June 21-22

Main Judges: Dave DeWell, Robbie Haskins
At-Will Judges: Nicole Epple, Rachel Scott-Cogel

► Fall Roundup - September 20-21

Main Judges: Ernie Dowell, Steve Graves
At-Will Judges: Julie Stanley, Butch Watson



Awards
Program

► **WRHA Membership required for all horse owners & exhibitors to show.** ARHA membership & horse certificate of eligibility required for ARHA classes. Negative 12-month Coggins required for all horses. Original 30-day health certificate required for out-of-state horses. Ages as of Jan 1, 2025. ARHA rules to apply. Refer to "Know Before You Show" document on WRHA website for information on show requirements. Judges' decisions are final. At-will class sign-up will close when there are 10 entries left to compete in that section – please listen for announcements. No refunds. A signed check or cash must be on file with the office before showing. \$50 NSF charge will apply. ► **NEW FOR 2025: 2 Year-Old Challenge:** Refer to WRHA website for details.
► **Class Symbols:** * denotes a cattle class. † denotes non-ARHA classes (no ARHA points given).
► **WRHA Awards Program:** WRHA offers Weekend & Year-End Awards. Refer to "WRHA Awards Program" document for more information.
► **Pre-Entries:** Link to pre-entry form will be available on the WRHA website. Pre-entries must be received no later than 5pm the Monday preceding the show to receive pre-entry discount. ► **Show Manager:** Jo Ellen Milkie, (262) 378-0768, wrha2018@gmail.com
► **Stall & Camping Reservations:** Link to stall & camping reservation form will be available on the WRHA website. Shavings available for purchase on-site, or you may bring your own. Refer to "Know Before You Show" document for more information on camping.
► **Green as Grass (GAG), Green Horse (GH), & Walk-Trot Restricted:** Refer to "Know Before You Show" for eligibility information & requirements.

SATURDAY 7:30 AM

Main Arena

1. All Age Cutting *
2. Amateur Cutting *
3. Youth Cutting *
4. All Age Herd Work *
5. Amateur Herd Work *
6. Youth Herd Work *
7. Green as Grass Herd Work *†
8. All Age Jr Horse Boxing *
9. All Age Sr Horse Boxing *
10. Amateur Boxing *
11. Novice Amateur Boxing *
12. Youth Boxing *
13. Green as Grass Boxing *†
14. All Age Ranch Roping *
15. Amateur Ranch Roping *
16. Novice Amateur Ranch Roping *
17. Youth Ranch Roping *
18. Green as Grass Ranch Roping *†
19. All Age Working Ranch Horse *
20. Amateur Working Ranch Horse *
21. Youth Working Ranch Horse *
22. All Age Ranch Cutting *
23. Amateur Ranch Cutting *
24. Novice Amateur Ranch Cutting *
25. Youth Ranch Cutting *
26. Green as Grass Ranch Cutting *†

SATURDAY 8:00 AM

At-Will Arena

Horsemanship (at-will)

27. Walk Trot Restricted Horsemanship †
28. Amateur Horsemanship
29. Novice Amateur Horsemanship
30. Youth Horsemanship
31. Green as Grass Horsemanship †

BREAK

In-Hand Trail (at-will)

32. Yearling In-hand Trail
33. Two year-old In-hand Trail

BREAK

Trail (at-will)

34. All Age Jr Horse Trail
35. All Age Sr Horse Trail
36. Amateur Trail
37. Novice Amateur Trail
38. Youth Trail

39. Green as Grass Trail †
40. Walk Trot Restricted Trail †
41. Green HORSE Trail †

BREAK

Reining (at-will)

42. All Age Reining
43. Amateur Reining
44. Youth Reining

SUNDAY 7:30 AM

Main Arena

45. Open 2 & Under Stallions
46. Open 3 & Over Stallions
Grand & Reserve Open Stallions
47. Amateur 2 & Under Stallions
48. Amateur 3 & Over Stallions
Grand & Reserve Amateur Stallions
49. Open 2 & Under Geldings
50. Open 3 & Over Geldings
Grand & Reserve Open Geldings
51. Amateur 2 & Under Geldings
52. Amateur 3 & Over Geldings
Grand & Reserve Amateur Geldings
53. Youth 2 & Under Geldings
54. Youth 3 & Over Geldings
Grand & Reserve Youth Geldings
55. Open 2 & Under Mares
56. Open 3 & Over Mares
Grand & Reserve Open Mares
57. Amateur 2 & Under Mares
58. Amateur 3 & Over Mares
Grand & Reserve Amateur Mares
59. Youth 2 & Under Mares
60. Youth 3 & Over Mares
Grand & Reserve Youth Mares
61. Green as Grass Conformation †
62. Lead Line 10 & Under † (free, cannot enter any other classes)
63. Walk Trot 10 & Under †
64. Walk Trot 18 & Under †
65. Adult Walk Trot †
66. Walk Trot Restricted †
67. Green HORSE Ranch Riding †
68. All Age Sr Horse Ranch Riding
69. Amateur Ranch Riding
70. All Age Jr Horse Ranch Riding
71. Novice Amateur Ranch Riding
72. Youth Ranch Riding
73. Green as Grass Ranch Riding †

74. Two year-old Ranch Riding (after June 1st)
75. All Age Ranch Reining
76. Amateur Ranch Reining
77. Novice Amateur Ranch Reining
78. Youth Ranch Reining
79. Green as Grass Ranch Reining †

SUNDAY 8:00 AM

At-Will Arena

Showmanship (at-will)

80. Amateur Ranch Showmanship
81. Novice Amateur Ranch Showmanship
82. Youth Ranch Showmanship
83. Green as Grass Ranch Showmanship †
84. 10 & Under Ranch Showmanship †

Ranchmanship (at-will)

85. All Age Ranchmanship
86. Amateur Ranchmanship
87. Novice Amateur Ranchmanship
88. Youth Ranchmanship
89. Green as Grass Ranchmanship †

Fees:	Pre-Entry:	Post-Entry:
ARHA (All Age, Am, Nov Am)	\$26	\$31
GAG, GH	\$26	\$31
ARHA (Youth)	\$21	\$26
or \$180 Youth flat weekend fee (includes office & ARHA fees but NOT cattle or stall); no pre-entry discount		
Walk Trot	\$21	\$26
10 & Under	\$11	\$16
Lead Line	No Charge	
Cattle Fee	\$36/class (in addition to class fee)	
Stall	\$72/weekend or \$36/day (no overnight)	
Jump Out	\$21/day	
Camping	\$72/weekend or \$36/day (no overnight)	
Office Fee	\$21/horse	
ARHA Fee	\$20/horse (only applies to horses showing in ARHA classes)	

Announcements made day-of show
take priority over show bill

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2025 Know Before You Show



ARHA Rulebook

- 1) WRHA membership is **required** for all horse owners & exhibitors to exhibit at any WRHA show.
- 2) ARHA membership is **required** for all horse owners & exhibitors showing in ARHA-sanctioned classes. ARHA certificate of eligibility is **required** for horses showing in ARHA-sanctioned classes. Must provide copy at time of entry. Note: Green As Grass (GAG), Green Horse (GH), Walk/Trot, and 10 & under classes are exempt from ARHA requirements.
- 3) ARHA registry is open to all western-type breeds. You may join ARHA, register, & show your horse the same day (bring copies of front & back of breed registry papers). Applicable ARHA fees will apply, including a \$10 rush fee for each membership. Refer to the ARHA Rule Book for more information.
- 4) Current negative EIA (Coggins) is required for all horses. Copy to be provided to show office. If the Coggins lists a current home premises of equine outside of Wisconsin, then the horse is considered an "out of state horse." All out of state horses **MUST** show a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI), dated within 30 days of the show, at show office. This is required by ATCP 10.36.
- 5) All classes are judged according to ARHA rules. Refer to the ARHA rulebook for more information. Judge's decision is final.
- 6) Exhibitors must show in traditional western attire in all classes, including boots, long-sleeved shirt, hat/helmet, & jeans. Refer to the ARHA Rule Book for more information.
- 7) No fake tails, banded manes, or hoof polish allowed. Judged on natural appearance & movement. Refer to the ARHA Rule Book for more information.
- 8) All youth classes are 18 & under as of January 1, 2025.
- 9) **Walk Trot Restricted:** No ARHA points awarded. Horse/exhibitor combination cannot enter any canter classes.
- 10) **Green As Grass (GAG):** No ARHA points awarded. These classes are for Amateur & Youth in their 1st, 2nd, & 3rd calendar year of showing in ANY club or association. All horses must be ridden in legal ARHA tack (no training equipment). Horses may be ridden one or two-handed. Exhibitors are no longer eligible for GAG if they have won a Year End High Point or Reserve High Point in GAG or any other division.
- 11) **Green Horse (GH):** No ARHA points awarded. The purpose of these classes is to give horses new to the show world an opportunity to compete against horses of similar experience levels. Eligible to horses of any age in their 1st calendar year of being shown under saddle in walk/trot/lope classes. Horses that have previously shown in-hand or in walk-trot classes are eligible. Open to Youth, Amateur, or Open riders. All horses must be ridden in legal ARHA tack (no training equipment). Horses may be ridden one or two-handed. May cross-enter into other appropriate divisions. Horses are no longer eligible for Green Horse after they have shown WRHA walk/trot/lope classes for 1 show year.
- 12) Camping is available on the show grounds. Show grounds may be shared with other associations. Specific camping spots **WILL** be assigned to board members & show staff. If you park/camp in a spot assigned to someone else, you **will** be required to move. Please check with show office or a WRHA board member prior to parking your camping vehicle.
- 13) WRHA offers an Awards Program, including Weekend & Year-End awards. Please refer to the **WRHA Awards Program** document on the WRHA website for more information.



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2025 Awards Program

General Rules

- Horse owners & exhibitors must all be current WRHA members in good standing to be eligible for any awards (weekend or year-end). Points will not count toward weekend or year-end awards until WRHA membership dues have been paid.
- Points for All Age division accumulate on the horse. Points for all other divisions accumulate on the horse/exhibitor combination.
- WRHA points follow the ARHA point scale for all awards. See Section H-13 of ARHA rulebook.

Weekend High Point

- Awards given to 1st & 2nd highest point-earners in each division. Exhibitors **MUST** show in a cattle class in that division to be eligible. Divisions include All Age, Amateur, Novice Amateur, Youth, & Green As Grass.

Year-End Class Awards

- Awards given to 1st, 2nd & 3rd highest point-earners in each class. Must earn at least one (1) point in the class to receive the award. Must show in the class at a minimum of three (3) of the four (4) WRHA shows to qualify.
- Points will be awarded based on class placings. For Conformation classes, points earned in Grand & Reserve will also be included (Grand receives 2 points, Reserve receives 1 point).

Year-End Division High Point Awards

- Awards given to 1st, 2nd & 3rd highest point-earners in each division. **MUST** show in a cattle class at three (3) of the four (4) WRHA shows in that division to be eligible. Divisions include All Age, Amateur, Novice Amateur, Youth, & Green As Grass.

Year-End Top Cow Horse Award (TCH)

- Awards given in All Age & Amateur divisions to the 1st & 2nd highest point-earners in all cattle classes in those divisions. Classes include Cutting, Herd Work, Boxing, Ranch Roping, Working Ranch Horse, & Ranch Cutting. Must show at three (3) of the four (4) WRHA shows in that division to be eligible.

Year-End Top Performance Horse Award (TPH)

- Awards given in All Age & Amateur divisions to the 1st & 2nd highest point-earners in all non-cattle classes. Classes include Horsemanship, Trail, Reining, Conformation, Showmanship, Ranch Riding, Ranchmanship, & Ranch Reining. Must show at three (3) of the four (4) WRHA shows in that division to be eligible.

For all Year End Awards...

- In the case of a tie, ties will be broken by the following order: the highest number of points earned in those classes under Judge A at the four (4) WRHA shows, most number of 1st places, most number of 2nd places, etc.



Youth Sponsorship Program

OBJECTIVE OF PROGRAM: This program is for any youth that feel they would benefit from individual lessons with a professional trainer. We are asking youth to show their dedication and desire to be a part of this program by going out and raising money for lessons through sponsorships.

ELIGIBILITY: This program is open to all youth who have actively shown with WRHA in the past one or two years (either 2023 and/or 2024) and have a current 2025 WRHA membership.

HOW IT WORKS: Youth are asked to go out and obtain sponsorship money which WRHA will match dollar-for-dollar **up to \$150**. **Example:** If you obtain \$150 in sponsorships, **WRHA will add \$150, so a total of \$300 is available.** Money is to be used for lessons provided by one of the participating trainers on our list. Sponsorship money can be solicited from businesses, friends, family, etc. and is to be paid directly to WRHA. **This program is available to the first 15 youth who submit their sponsorship forms.**

The youth member will be responsible for their own transportation and setting up dates/times for lessons directly with the trainer. List of dates/times of lessons to be provided to WRHA who will then coordinate payment direct to the trainer. **All lessons must be completed by November 1, 2025.**

PARTICIPATING TRAINERS: A list of participating trainers is attached. Trainers on this list are well-versed in ranch shows/classes and have committed to the rules of this program; some are ARHA judges. We have tried to provide a variety of locations in Wisconsin and northern Illinois to accommodate as many youth as possible.

X

Youth Name & Date

Please send your completed forms to:

**Sarah Lidicker
N5422 Dunning Rd.
Pardeeville, WI 54954**

X

Parent/ Legal Guardian (if under 18) & Date

Sponsorship Amount: \$

X

Sponsor Name & Date



Youth Sponsorship Program

PARTICIPATING TRAINERS LIST

These trainers have agreed to participate in the 2025 WRHA youth lesson program providing up to 6 private sessions at the rate of \$50 per session)

NAME	LOCATION	PHONE NUMBER
TAWNEY DENN	HARVARD, IL	847-863-6654
NATALIE DERRY	JEFFERSON, WI	920-723-9131
DAN GRUNEWALD	JEFFERSON, WI	262-853-3249
JUDY GUENTHER	BRANDON, WI	920-346-8344 or 920-960-1953
PAUL HUETTL	WEST BEND, WI	262-707-4738
KRYSTAL KOEPP	POYNETTE, WI	608-575-5506
AMY MARX	WONDER LAKE, IL	608-797-2973

**** Each youth participant is responsible for setting up training sessions directly with their trainer of choice. Once lessons are completed, WRHA will provide payment direct to the trainer.**



Youth Sponsorship Program

Lesson Check-Off

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete the check-off list providing the following information: Date of Lesson, Location of Lesson, Trainer Name, Trainer Signature, Youth Signature & Parent/Guardian Signature (if under 18 years of age). WRHA will provide payment to the trainer once the check-off form is completed & sent to WRHA.

The youth member will be responsible for their own transportation & setting up dates/times for lessons directly with their selected trainer. List of dates/times of lessons are to be provided to WRHA who will then coordinate payment directly to the trainer. **All lessons must be completed by November 1, 2025.**

Please send your completed check-off form to:

**Sarah Lidicker
N5422 Dunning Rd.
Pardeeville, WI 54954**



YOUTH SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM LESSON

CHECK OFF

Youth Name: _____

Lesson Number	Date of Lesson	Location of Lesson	Trainer Name	Trainer Signature	Youth Signature	Parent/ Guardian Signature
1.				X _____	X _____	X _____
2.				X _____	X _____	X _____
3.				X _____	X _____	X _____
4.				X _____	X _____	X _____
5.				X _____	X _____	X _____
6.				X _____	X _____	X _____