

2016 October Kansas Paint Horse Association News



October 8, 2016 Judges: *Kim Garrett and Mike Swain*

October 9, 2016 Judges: *Tim Jedra and Dale Sullens*

Yearling Longe Line, 2 year old Western Pleasure and Junior Western Pleasure Jackpot Classes will be held Saturday evening. \$ 50 entry fee. 100% payback. Added \$\$ and 1st place buckle. Enter at the show. More details available on the show bill. See www.kansaspainthorse.com for details.

NOTICE OF KPHA Board of Directors meeting: Oct. 7, 2016; 8:00 p.m. in the KSF Expo 1 show office

Celebrating our Past, Planning our Future.....

Please make plans to celebrate past year accomplishments and take action to shape our future during the 2016 KPHA Annual Banquet and General Membership meeting, November 19, 2016 at the Holiday Inn 3145 S. 9th, Salina, KS. A special invitation is included in this mailing.

Please be thinking of opportunities to make our association even stronger. Bring constructive comments and suggestions to the banquet to share with leadership and other members.

2016 Yearend Recognition: Attached is the UNOFFICIAL current status of our year-end award recipients. Please feel free to view. Final results will be posted shortly after the October show and available for review prior to the yearend awards celebration.

According to our yearend requirements, an exhibitor must show to ½ + 1 of the judges offered at our shows. 10 KPHA shows were held in 2016 at 2 judges per show for a total of 20

Getting ready for a world show?

Not ready for the show season to end?

Make plans to attend the final show of the KPHA 2016 season on October 8 and 9 in Hutchinson, KS.

judges. Therefore, to be eligible for yearend awards one must show to 11 judges or at 6 shows (May, June, August, September and October weekend events). The exhibitor and owner of the horse must be a KPHA member at the time points were earned.



World Wide Paint Horse Congress

The 46rd Annual World Wide Paint Horse Congress came to a close Sunday evening, July 31, 2016. This was the third year for the KPHA to host the Paint Congress in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Plans are already being made for next year's show at the same venue scheduled for August 2 – 6, 2017. A special thanks to KPHA volunteers who attended and assisted. These individuals logged 100s of hours during the five day experience. In addition, countless hours of preparation were charted by our members in the 12 months preceding the event. To those KPHA members who opened a gate; made coffee; ran errands; took pictures; raked, swept and reset trail obstacles; audited calculations; prepared awards; handed out awards; and much, much more---we are grateful for your support. Without these dedicated individuals, the Congress would not be possible. Please thank this group for committing their resources to the 2016 World Wide Paint Horse Congress. The KPHA WWPHC committee would like to thank APHA Executive Committee members and APHA President, Billy Smith, for their leadership and attendance at World Wide Paint Horse Congress. Check www.kansaspainthorse.com and the Equine Chronicle on line at www.equinechronicle.com for more information on Congress.

APHA National Directors serving on the Regional Club Committee are committed to strengthening our local clubs and resources. APHA leadership has charged each of the supporters to connect with our membership to ensure we are governing the association with the member's best interests at heart. Our committee has advocated for local show support, developed resources to improve volunteer efforts on the club level, developed social media awareness to promote show/events and more. Currently, we are assembling resources for the 2017 Convention symposia which our group hosts.

This committee consists of 16 dedicated individuals who are available to take your ideas and suggestions to represent and maintain the grass roots of our organization. Please feel free to contact me with questions, concerns and ideas.

Driving Forward

The KPHA Board of Directors is currently considering show dates and venues for 2017. Discussions regarding show fees and classes will also be held. Please feel free to visit with any board member on

concerns and/or suggestions. Members are always welcome to attend our board meetings to personally share views.

Volunteers are Essential: Very soon we will be approaching club members to continue volunteer management efforts in 2017. Individuals or other groups are needed to manage or assist as needed. Please be visiting with fellow exhibitors and friends as you consider this commitment. Show managers are given one free stall for each show managed. Those managing an entire weekend show will be given two nights of free stalling.

Congratulations to the following exhibitors on their accomplishments at the September 13 & 14 ,2016 Kansas State Fair.

Novice Youth

HP	Carly Rothfuss	Just Say Josie
Res	Jenna Milford	All Ready A Sensation

Youth 13 & under

HP	Carly Rothfuss	Just Say Josie
Res	Jenna Milford	All Ready A Sensation

Walk-Trot Amateur

HP	Darchelle Ferguson	Zips Just Right
Res	Carole Lagasse	My Kinda Heaven

Novice
Amateur

HP	Judy Parsons	Pistol Packin Picasso
Res	Jenny Bormann	MaidJaLook

Amateur

HP	Kate Howland	JustaRockin Sensation
Res	Paraguns Cowgirl	Stacie Lundquist

Open

HP	Jasmine Pumphrey	LA Midnight Express
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All Breed

HP	Gay Jordan	Sheza Lopin Thing
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Yearling

HP	Stacey Carleton	Ms Vanna White
Res	Shannon Diemart	Ill Unzip For Roses

Congratulations also to August 2016 Kansas Paint Horse Show High Point and Reserve High Point Exhibitors showing in Topeka:

High Point Champion

High Point Reserve Champion

All Breed Youth:

Madison Brown

Olivia Stour

WT Youth	Levi Lutjelasche	Katherine Bormann
Nov Youth	Sarah Eliason	Ariana Horton
AM WT	Jackie Mead	Darcy Ferguson
Youth	Justin Lutjelasche	Carly Rothfuss
Nov AM	Tammie Rieg	Judy Parsons

Member Accomplishments:

During the recent American Junior Paint Horse Association (AjPHA) Year-end Awards Banquet, Kansas Paint Horse Association member, Jacob Grinstead was awarded **AjPHA Youth Member** of the Year. Jacob and his parents, Jerry and Sheri Grinstead, attended the Youth World Championship Show in Ft. Worth, Texas to receive the accolade. Jacob was presented a custom designed Gist Award Buckle and \$ 1000 scholarship by APHA President Susie Shaw for his efforts. The winner will also be recognized in the *Paint Horse Connection* and *Paint Horse Journal*.

Under the award description, the AjPHA Youth Member of the Year is described as a well-rounded individual who exemplifies the spirit of community involvement, volunteer work, scholarship and leadership. Jacob Grinstead was chosen based on the following records of involvement:

KPHA/AjPHA---Local: KPHA member, announcer, ring steward, volunteer **Regional:** Zone 3 Youth Director; **National:** AjPHA Executive Committee; AjPHA Natl. Director; AjPHA Natl. Convention delegate; AjPHA World Show volunteer

FFA: State Horse Proficiency Award Winner; District FFA Star in Agriculture Placement; Kansas Horse Judging Team (1st place); Natl Horse Judging Team (6th place); **4-H:** State Horse Project Winner; Western Natl. Horse Judging Classic team (5th place); KS State Fair Roping Champion, **Other:** Kansas High School Rodeo Assn and other equine sport affiliations.

Jacob credits his family roots in the equine industry as a foundation for this recognition.

Jacob Grinstead is currently serving as a 2016- 2017 Kansas FFA State Officer, This fall, Jake is attending Kansas State University, majoring in Agribusiness. Fall 2016, this young man has secured a position on the Kansas State University Rodeo Team. Academically, Jacob's plans are to obtain a Bachelor of Science Degree from Kansas State University in Agribusiness and gain acceptance into a Master of Science program.

Jacob writes the following to express his career goals: "Fostered by a deep passion for athletes in the horse industry and fueled by involvement in the show pen and roping arena, It is my goal to take the attributes I gathered from Paint horse industry experiences to build a resume' for career opportunities in sales, service and promotion in the animal agriculture industry. Long term, I hope to incorporate proficiencies into an opportunity for an entrepreneurial endeavor. My "dream" career involves hosting equine clinics where I can provide

hands on instruction to aid others in achieving performance goals and spiritual leadership to gain personal growth."

Jacob is pictured accepting his award with APHA Executive Director, Billy Smith.



Congratulations to Carly Rothfuss on her accomplishments and recognition as an AjPHA Top 20 point earning youth in 2016-2017!

Please share your thoughts and ideas.

The KPHA welcomes and encourages members to be actively involved in the association. If you have items of information you would like to see in any KPHA publication, please feel free to contact a KPHA board member. We would be happy to share your news with the KPHA membership and all horse enthusiasts.

Please feel free to contact any member of the KPHA Board with questions or concerns. Phone numbers, addresses and email contact information is noted on the KPHA website. Our goal is to provide transparent leadership to our membership.



A BIG Thank You to Jackie Lissolo and Darcy Ferguson for hosting the September Trail Ride at Kanopolis Lake. Although the weather didn't fully cooperate, the group reported a good time with plans for future rides.

Find Us: Current association and show information can be found on the KPHA website at <http://kansaspainthorse.com> or Kansas Paint Horse Association on Facebook for show dates, locations, judges, the show bill and much more.

Sincerely, *Sheri Grinstead*, KPHA Secretary