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A Message from the 2018 MQHA President

Hi Everyone,

Our winter is growing shorter, daylight is starting to stretch out, and yes, the shedding has begun!

Your Board of Directors and Committees are super busy organizing Equine Review and the MQHA Shows. Lots of new ideas and enthusiasm for 2018, guaranteed to make your "Show Year", with MQHA fun and rewarding.

2017 was a challenging year, for a lot of us, but we prevailed and brought forth new members/exhibitors, larger than usual classes, and a new sense of community and unity.

I expect, continued growth for 2018 and encourage all Registered Quarter Horse owners to come out and see what MQHA has to offer, both in our Shows and Clinics at Equine Review.

I would like to extend a warm welcome to our newest MQHA Board Members: Stephanie Rafuse, Mikayla Jamieson, Kendra Sampson, Peggy Blackwell, Jason Routledge, and Bonny Conrad.

A special thank you to Samantha Legere, Sam has graciously taken on the role of Show Manager working hard to cut costs on our judges flights and expenses.

We are looking for volunteers for handing out ribbons, trail setup and gate, the more people we have helping the better the show will flow. A couple of hours of your time would be much appreciated.

I'm excited for the 2018 Show Season and look forward to seeing you and your beautiful Quarter Horses in the Show Pen.

Please do not hesitate to contact any of our board members with questions concerning MQHA/AQHA Events and Shows. Come out and support your club, and be Maritime Proud!!!

List of Directors can be found on maritimegha.com.

Sincerely,

Susan Chestnut MQHA President



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Editor's note

I am very excited to be in charge of the MQHA journal for 2018. I am hoping to add some interesting articles and photos that will get more members and non-members to read and enjoy the journal. This year, I am trying to include some new articles and topics from riders and horsemen/horsewomen in the Maritimes as well as articles that will help us enhance our knowledge and improve our skills. I am looking forward to seeing some new faces in 2018 and hoping that other members will give some feedback on this journal to help make the next one even better!

Sincerely,

Kendra Sampson Board of Director



A look into a Rookie's first MQHA show

Grace Nicely describes her first show experience with MQHA showing "A Custom OHK Krymsun" owned by Mary Powers

I have been attending MQHA shows since I was 13 and have always had a great time, but had never been a competitor until 2017. Last year is definitely a year to remember because I had an opportunity to show and be a part of the Youth Activities in Sussex and I had a blast.

The first class I was in was a halter class and I was pretty nervous since it was my first time showing. Luckily, I was able to get my nerves under control and the horse performed well. We ended up winning the class and the grin on my face was as big as if I had won a million dollars.

The next day, just an hour before the walk/jog class, I learned that I had been entered. I rushed around trying to find show clothes to fit and what might have been a disappointment turned into a wonderful experience. A friendly group of riders let me try on their chaps and offered me some shirts and I will never forget their generosity. That's probably what I will remember the most about my time in Sussex: the people there were just so supportive and friendly and really made me — a newcomer to showing — feel welcome and supported.

The horse I showed is a One Hot Krymsun mare that has many years of experience in the show pen, and she carried me around the ring like the pro that she is. Once the class finished, I didn't even hear the results because I was so overwhelmed by the support I received and the performance of "Gale". I was just so overjoyed to be participating! Many friendly people



congratulated me on my showing, and that just made me so much more welcome and happy to be a part of the showing experience.

Many great people came together to make this experience work for me and I can't say enough to express my gratitude for these supportive folks. I was very nervous about the experience at first because I had never before really associated with the other people who were showing, but as it turned out, I learned lots, met wonderful people and had lots of fun.

I would definitely participate again if I have an opportunity to do so and I would love to be able to show others the generosity and support that was shown to me. I encourage everyone that can have the opportunity to participate to do so – you will be glad that you did!

Meet Jason Routledge, our 2018 Communications Director

We are very excited to welcome Jason to our Board of Directors! He has been very helpful in organizing our Facebook page by creating surveys and he has re-vamped our MQHA website! Jason has some exciting things planned for 2018. Check out our newly designed website at www.maritimegha.com





COMMUNICATIONS CORNER

MQHA strives to better communications. We are listening to you.

Objectives

- · Gain new membership through advertising
- Retain current sponsors and obtain new sponsors
- Promote the American Quarter Horse breed in the Maritimes.
- Communicate with members frequently regarding the association and activities

VISIT OUR WEBSITE MARITIMEQHA.COM

Actions

- · Redesign website so content can be updated quickly
- · Increase interaction on social media
- Use email to update members
- · Refresh the Journal
- · Conduct online survey
- · Promote our sponsors
- · Ask for suggestions from our members

Like US ON FACEBOOK facebook.com/maritimeqha

Remembering our Dear Friend, John Perkins











John Perkins trained and showed horses professionally for 37 years. He had earned the reputation for producing winning riders and show horses in both English and Western events.

John was born in Newtown, N.B. on June 14, 1948 to George and Helen Perkins. Growing up the only boy in his family of 5 children, he helped with the farm work and loved all animals especially horses.

In 1969 John married his first wife Shirley and moved to Moncton where John ran an Irving Station. In 1972 they built a home in Havelock N.B. where he managed the Havelock Irving Station and Mechanic Shop.

In 1971 John bought his first gaming horse Sandy who he showed locally. John's interests then turned to training horses.

John started the horse business Butternut Stables in 1975, building a 4-stall barn in Havelock. In 1978 he expanded into training, boarding and breeding by building a large barn with an indoor arena, housing approximately 20 horses.

In the fall of 1983 John moved to Quispamsis, N.B. where he rented 52 stalls from Northrup Quarter Horses. He continued his boarding, training and breeding program until the fall of 1986 when he bought property in Hampton, N.B. There he built a 32 stall facility, operated John & Wendy Perkins Quarter Horses (Butternut Stables) along with his second wife Wendy and remained until his death on July 22, 2017.

John campaigned horses to obtain Superior Awards in Halter, Western Pleasure and Trail, Register of Merits and AQHA Championships. His students have ranked top ten in the Nation, been Top 10 at Congress and the World Show, have competed on Team Canada for the Youth World Cup and have won many high point awards throughout Florida, New England, Quebec and the Maritimes. John was a long-time member of the AQHA Professional Horseman's Association as well as several other AQHA Affiliates. He was also a Director for MQHA and NBQHBA for many years and was instrumental in developing the Princess Louise Show Park Center in Sussex, N.B. John frequently judged and gave clinics throughout the Maritimes on many In 2014 John received the AQHA Professional Horsemen Most Valuable Professional Award Presented by the Maritime Quarter Horse Association.

"John took great pride in his beloved horse farm. Not many people can say they had a job that they loved every day, he so loved raising babies and seeing them go on to succeed in the show pen. He took great pride in his horses and students, from the beginner to the seasoned showman."

His daughter Beth and stepson Jason Routledge showed all their youth years in the Quarter Horse Industry. His son Doug was an avid hockey player, which was John's favorite sport. John also loved playing golf and spending time with his friends and family, especially his 5 grandchildren, Hannah, Ashley, Hali, Brooklyn and Abby. All of John's grandchildren ride and show Quarter Horses to this day.

Travelling MQHA Members



Kennedy Devine showing her horse "FYI Ima Good Version" at Region 6 in July, 2017. Congrats on your placings at the AQHA Level 1 World show and Region 6!



Congratulations to Josie d'Entremont and "Hes Only Dreaming" on their Champion and Reserve placings in NY and Youth HUS and Halter at Region 6!



Paget Houston was Reserve Circuit Champion and Class Champion in the Youth HUS at Region 6 with her horse "The Dudes Asleep".



Congrats to Hannah Swim and "Skips Cool Invester" on their Top Five and Reserve placings at Region 6!



Congrats to Ellen Marshall and "A Good OHK Krymsun" on their Top Ten placings at Region 6!



John Perkins showing his horse "RR Are You Certain" at the MeQHA Pine Tree Classic



Cynthia Doucette showing "RR Are You Certain" at the MeQHA Pine Tree Classic



Carissa Geddes showing her horse "CountryGrlGonRadical" at the MeQHA Pine Tree Classic



Lacey Geddes showing "Zippos Good N Dirty" at the MeQHA Pine Tree Classic



Kim Artz showing her horse "Lazy Battgirl" at the MeQHA Pine Tree Classic



Kiara O'Donnell showed at the All American Quarter Horse Congress in Columbus, Ohio, with her horse "VS Cold Hearted". Congrats to them on their Top 15 placing in NY Western Pleasure and Finalist in Youth Western Pleasure



Madison Holmes and Kiara O'Donnell representing MQHA in the NYATT at Congress. Congrats to both of them on their success in 2017!



Congratulations to Janet Stevens and her horse "OHK Ziphistication" on their Reserve All-Around achievement at the AQHA Level 1 World show!



Congratulations to Carlie Jeffrey and her horse "Shesa Shady Amiga" on their placings at the AQHA Level 1 World show!

*If there are more members who showed internationally and were not mentioned in this journal please let us know at maritimeqha@outlook.com so they can be included in the next journal!

MQHA Membership Form - Year ____

New Application	Renewal	
□ Individual Membership (\$30)	□ Individual Membership (\$30)	
□ Family Membership (\$40)	□ Family Membership (\$40)	
□ MQHYA Membership – add \$5 per youth	☐ MQHYA Membership — add \$5 per youth	

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Membership applications will be processed upon receipt of the appropriate fees. Make cheque payable to: Maritime Quarter Horse Association

Email forms to maritimegha@outlook.com or mail to:

Bonny Conrad 3 Les Lutes Rd

Steeves Mountain, NB E1G 3X9

Email transfer payment: payments@maritimegha.com

An Open Letter to "Those People" at Horse Shows

Taken from https://lifebehindears.wordpress.com/2016/03/02/an-open-letter-to-those-people-at-horse-shows/



Dear "Those People" at Horse Shows,

You know who you are. It isn't hard to pick you out from the crowds. I see you in the warm up pen. I see you in the bleachers. I see you at the trailers. I even run into you in the hotel lobbies from time to time. In the last few years that I've been around horse shows, I've become pretty good at picking you people out.

I see you, people who work full time and still make it to shows on weekends. You are worn out from a week of balancing responsibilities, yet you've still made time to ride and take care of your horses every day in preparation for this show. I see you sacrificing your hard-earned weekend to spend it on the road doing what you love while you secretly are jealous of the people who just get to do this for a living. I see you sacrificing your much-anticipated paychecks to feed bills, entry fees, and vet visits. I see you telling yourself that it will all be worth it, and I want you to know that it is. Don't let anyone tell you that what you do is only a hobby just because it is what you do on the weekends. You've got more dedication and perseverance than you realize. Don't forget it.

I see you, parents of show kids who dedicate your time, money, and weekends to making a dream come true for your children. I see you keeping track of class orders, wardrobes, and pieces of tack. I see you working as chauffeur, lunch maker, scorekeeper, and videographer. I see you exhausted from the ups and downs of the weekend and still making sure the horses are taken care of and the kids are all accounted for. I see how you want nothing more than for your kids to do well, but don't forget about the memories you get to

make with your children during this. It may seem tiresome and expensive now, but you will look back on these times someday and be so grateful for it. Your kids will thank you, too.

I see you, novice and amateur riders who are new to this whole thing and you feel like everyone knows it. I see you trying to navigate your way through the barns looking for wash racks and warm up arenas. I see you trying to figure it all out on your own, but don't be afraid to ask for help. You will thank yourself for meeting people at shows, and you will be amazed at how it will pay off in the end through connections and friendships. Don't let the intimidation of being a beginner keep you from having fun. Your journey is just beginning and you need to be soaking up and enjoying every second of it.

And I see you, show veterans. You've made a name for yourself in the industry and you are pretty much celebrities at shows. I see you sporting your show shirts covered in sponsorship patches. I see you tearing up the Open division on your expensive horses you bred and trained yourself. I also see everyone looking up to you. You are a role model for all of the young and amateur riders. How you handle yourself when you win – and when you lose – will make an impression on everyone who looks up to you. You set the standard for the industry, so the way you walk, talk, and how you treat your horses are important.

So to all of "Those People" at horse shows, keep doing what you're doing.

Sincerely, The Ones Who Notice

Some Show Dates to Look Forward to in 2018!

May 1-6: AQHA Level 1 Championships – Wilmington, OH

May 16-20: MassQHA Spring Show – West Springfield, MA

May 25-27: Colour Classic Show (AQHA Introductory classes) – Windsor, NS

May 25-28: MeQHA Pine Tree Classic – Skowhegan, ME

June 30-July 4: Summerama Quarter Horse Circuit - Orangeville, ON

July 6-9 (Pending APHA): MQHA Summer Color Classic – Sussex, NB

July 17-22: Region 6 Super Series 6 show – West Springfield, MA

August 3-6 (Pending): MQHA Summer Sizzler – Sussex, NB

August 2-11: AQHYA World Championship Show – Oklahoma City

August 10-19: NSBA World Championship Show – Oklahoma

September 1-2 (Pending): Southern New Brunswick MPHC Show – Sussex, NB

For more show dates visit AQHA's show schedule site at https://www.agha.com/services/ShowCalendar/



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Friday July 6 Classes 8:30 AM start

300. MQHA - Open Yearling Lunge Line Futurity \$250 Added

(2 Go's - Friday & Sunday)

- 1. AQHA Yearling Stallions
- 2. AQHA Two Year Old Stallions
- 3. AQHA Three Year Old Stallions
- 4. AQHA Aged Stallions
- AQHA Performance Halter Stallions
 OP GRAND & RESERVE STALLIONS
- 6. AQHA Amateur Yearling Stallions
- 7. AQHA Amateur Two Year Old Stallions
- 8. AQHA Amateur Three Year Old Stallions
- 9. AQHA Amateur Aged Stallions
- AQHA Amateur Performance Stallions AMATEUR GRAND & RES. STALLION
- 11. AQHA Yearling Mares
- 12. AQHA Two Year Old Mares
- 13. AQHA Three Year Old Mares
- 14. AQHA Aged Mares
- 15. AQHA Performance Halter Mares
 OP GRAND & RES. MARES
- 16. Novice Youth Mares all ages
- 17. AQHA Youth Yearling Mares
- 18. AQHA Youth Two Year Old Mares
- 19. AQHA Youth Three Year Old Mares
- 20. AQHA Youth Aged Mares
- 21. AQHA Youth Performance Halter Mares
 YOUTH GRAND & RES MARES
- 22. Novice Amateur Mares all ages
- 23. AQHA Amateur Yearling Mares
- 24. AQHA Amateur Two Year Old Mares
- 25. AQHA Amateur Three Year Old Mares
- 26. AQHA Amateur Aged Mares
- 27. AQHA Amateur Performance Halter Mares AMATEUR GRAND & RES MARES
- 28. AQHA Yearling Geldings
- 29. AQHA Two Year Old Geldings
- 30. AQHA Three Year Old Geldings
- 31. AQHA Aged Geldings
- 32. AQHA Performance Halter Geldings
 OP GRAND & RES GELDINGS
- 33. Novice Geldings all ages
- 34. AQHA Youth Yearling Geldings
- 35. AQHA Youth Two Year Old Geldings
- 36. AQHA Youth Three Year Old Geldings
- 37. AQHA Youth Aged Geldings
- 38. AQHA Youth Performance Halter Geldings YOUTH GRAND & RES GELDINGS
- 39. Novice Amateur Geldings all ages
- 40. AQHA Amateur Yearling Geldings
- 41. AQHA Amateur Two Year Old Geldings
- 42. AQHA Amateur Three Year Old Geldings
- 43. AQHA Amateur Aged Geldings
- 44. AQHA Amateur Performance Halter Geldings

AMATEUR GRAND & RES GELDINGS

301. MQHA Non-Pro Showmanship Challenge \$250 Added Futurity (1 Go - Friday)

- 45. MQHA Level 1 Nov. Youth W/J Showmanship
- 46. AQHA Novice Youth Showmanship
- 47. AQHA Youth Showmanship
- 48. MQHA Level 1 Nov. Amateur W/J Showmanship
- 49. AQHA Novice Amateur Showmanship
- 50. AQHA Amateur Showmanship
- 51. MQHA Lead Line (8 & under)

303. MQHA Non-Pro Hunter Under Saddle Futurity \$250 Added (1 Go - Sunday) **Hunt Seat Challenge

- 52. AQHA Green Hunter Under Saddle
- 53. AQHA Junior Hunter Under Saddle
- 54. AQHA Level 1 Youth Walk/Trot HUS
- 55. AQHA Novice Youth Hunter Under Saddle
- 56. AQHA Youth Hunter Under Saddle
- 57. AQHA Level 1 Amateur Walk/Trot HUS
- 58. AQHA Novice Amateur Hunter Under Saddle
- 59. AQHA Amateur Hunter Under Saddle
- 60. AQHA Senior Hunter Under Saddle
- 61. AQHA Level 1 Youth Walk/Tr Hunt Seat Eq.
- 62. AQHA Novice Youth Hunt Seat Equitation
- 63. AQHA Youth Hunt Seat Equitation
- 64. AQHA Level 1 Amateur Walk/Tr Equitation*
- AQHA Novice Amateur Hunt Seat Equitation
 AQHA Amateur Hunt Seat Equitation

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Saturday July 7 Classes 8:30 am start

- 67. AQHA Green Trail
- 68. AQHA Level 1 Youth Walk/Trot Trail
- 69. AQHA Novice Youth Trail
- 70. AQHA Youth Trail
- 71. AQHA Level 1 Amateur Walk/Trot Trail
- 72. AQHA Novice Amateur Trail
- 73. AQHA Amateur Trail
- 74. AQHA Open Trail

******20 Minute Lunch Break/ Warm up*********

304. MQHA Non-Pro Western Pleasure Futurity \$250 Added (1 Go -

Monday) **Western Challenge

- 75. AQHA Green Western Pleasure
- 76. 105.AQHA Junior Western Pleasure
- 77. AQHA Level 1 Youth Walk/Jog Western Pleasure
- 78. AQHA Novice Youth Western Pleasure
- 79. AQHA Youth Western Pleasure
- 80. AQHA Level 1 Amateur Walk/Jog Western Pleasure
- 81. AQHA Novice Amateur Western Pleasure
- 82. AQHA Amateur Western Pleasure
- 83. AQHA Senior Western Pleasure

******45 Minute Lunch Break/ Warm up********

- 84. AQHA Level 1 Youth Walk/Jog Horsemanship
- 85. AQHA Novice Youth Horsemanship
- 86. AQHA Youth Horsemanship

- 87. AQHA Level 1 Amateur W/J Horsemanship
- 88. AQHA Novice Amateur Horsemanship
- 89. AQHA Amateur Horsemanship
- 90. AQHA Green Western Riding
- 91. AQHA Novice Youth Western Riding
- 92. AQHA Youth Western Riding
- 93. AQHA Novice Amateur Western Riding
- 94. AQHA Amateur Western Riding
- 95. AQHA Open Western Riding
- 96. AQHA Novice Youth Ranch Riding
- 97. AQHA Youth Ranch Riding
- 98. AQHA Novice Arnateur Ranch Riding
- 99. AQHA Amateur Ranch Riding
- 100. AQHA Open Ranch Riding

302. MQHA Open Reining Futurity \$250 Added (1 Go - Saturday)

- 101. AQHA Green Reining
- 102. AQHA Junior Reining
- 103. AQHA Novice Youth Reining
- 104. AQHA Youth Reining
- 105. AQHA Novice Amateur Reining
- 106. AQHA Amateur Reining
- 107. AQHA Senior Reining

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Sunday July 8 Classes 8:00 am start

300. MQHA - Open Yearling Lunge Line Futurity \$250 Added (2 Go's - Friday & Sunday)

- 1. AQHA Yearling Stallions
- 2. AQHA Two Year Old Stallions
- 3. AQHA Three Year Old Stallions
- 4. AQHA Aged Stallions
- AQHA Performance Halter Stallions
 OP GRAND & RESERVE STALLIONS
- 6. AQHA Amateur Yearling Stallions
- 7. AQHA Amateur Two Year Old Stallions
- 8. AQHA Amateur Three Year Old Stallions
- AQHA Amateur Aged Stallions
- AQHA Amateur Performance Stallions AMATEUR GRAND & RES. STALLION
- 11. AQHA Yearling Mares
- 12. AQHA Two Year Old Mares
- AQHA Three Year Old Mares
- 14. AQHA Aged Mares
- AQHA Performance Halter Mares
 OP GRAND & RES. MARES
- 16. Novice Youth Mares all ages
- 17. AQHA Youth Yearling Mares
- AQHA Youth Two Year Old Mares
- 19. AQHA Youth Three Year Old Mares
- 20. AQHA Youth Aged Mares
- AQHA Youth Performance Halter Mares YOUTH GRAND & RES MARES
- 22. Novice Amateur Mares all ages
- 23. AQHA Amateur Yearling Mares
- 24. AQHA Amateur Two Year Old Mares
- 25. AQHA Amateur Three Year Old Mares
- 26. AQHA Amateur Aged Mares
- AQHA Amateur Performance Halter Mares <u>AMATEUR GRAND & RES MARES</u>
- 28. AQHA Yearling Geldings
- AQHA Two Year Old Geldings
- 30. AQHA Three Year Old Geldings
- 31. AQHA Aged Geldings
- AQHA Performance Halter Geldings
 OP GRAND & RES GELDINGS
- 33. Novice Youth Geldings all ages
- 34. AQHA Youth Yearling Geldings
- 35. AQHA Youth Two Year Old Geldings

- 36. AQHA Youth Three Year Old Geldings
- 37. AQHA Youth Aged Geldings
- AQHA Youth Performance Halter Geldings YOUTH GRAND & RES GELDINGS
- 39. Novice Amateur Geldings All ages
- 40. AQHA Amateur Yearling Geldings
- 41. AQHA Amateur Two Year Old Geldings
- 42. AQHA Amateur Three Year Old Geldings
- 43. AQHA Amateur Aged Geldings
- 44. AQHA Amateur Performance Halter Geldings AMATEUR GRAND & RES GELDINGS

- 45. APHA Yearling Stallions
- 46. APHA 2 Yr Old Stallions
- 47. APHA 3 Yr Old Stallions
- APHA 4 Yr Old & Older Stallions
 APHA GRAND & RES STALLIONS
- APHA Amateur Stallions All Ages
 APHA GRAND & RESERVE AMATEUR STALLIONS
- 50. APHA Solid Bred Yearling & 2 Yr Old Stallions
- APHA Solid Bred 3 Yr Old & Older Stallions
 APHA GRAND & RES SOLID BRED STALLIONS
- APHA Amateur Solid Bred Stallions All Ages
 APHA GRAND & RES AMT. SOLID BRED STALLIONS
- 53. APHA Yearling Mares
- 54. APHA 2 Yr Old Mares
- 55. APHA 3 Yr Old Mares
- APHA 4 Yr Old & Over Mares
 APHA GRAND & RES MARES
- APHA Amateur Mares All Ages
 APHA GRAND & RES AMATEUR MARES
- 58. APHA Solid Bred Yearling & 2 Yr Old Mares
- APHA Solid Bred 3 Yr Old & Over Mares
 APHA GRAND & RES SOLD BRED MARES
- APHA Solid Bred Amateur Mares All Ages
 APHA GRAND & RES SOLID BRED AMATEUR MARES
- 61. APHA Youth Mares 18 & Under
- 62. APHA Solid Bred Youth Mares 18 & Under
- 63. APHA Yearling & 2 Yr Old Geldings
- 64. APHA 3 Yr Old & Over Geldings APHA GRAND & RES GELDINGS
- 65. APHA Amateur Geldings All Ages

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Sunday July 8 Classes (cont'd)

APHA GRAND & RES AMATEUR GELDINGS

- 66. APHA Solid Bred Yearling & 2 Yr Old Geldings
- APHA Solid Bred 3 Yr Old & Over Geldings
 APHA GRAND & RES SOLID BRED GELDINGS
- APHA Solid Bred Amateur Geldings all ages
 APHA GRAND & RES SOLID BRED AMATUER GELDINGS
- 69. APHA Youth Geldings 18 & Under
- 70. APHA Solid Bred Youth Geldings 18 & Under
- 71. APHA Tobiano Color Class (all sexes & ages except weanlings)
- APHA Overo Color Class (all sexes & ages except wearlings)
- 73. APHA Yearling Lunge Line
- 74. APHA Solid Bred Yearling Lunge Line
- 75. APHA 2 Yr Old Lunge Line
- 76. APHA Solid Bred 2 Yr Old Lunge Line

- 77. MQHA Level 1 Nov. Youth W/J Showmanship
- 78. AQHA Novice Youth Showmanship
- AQHA Youth Showmanship
- 80. MQHA Level 1 Nov. Amateur W/J Showmanship
- 81. AQHA Novice Amateur Showmanship
- 82. AQHA Amateur Showmanship
- 83. APHA Amateur Walk/Jog Showmanship
- 84. APHA Solid Bred Amateur Walk/Jog Showmanship
- 85. APHA Amateur Showmanship
- 86. APHA Solid Bred Amateur Showmanship
- 87. APHA Youth Showmanship 18 & Under
- 88. APHA Solid Bred Youth Showmanship 18 & Under
- 89. MQHA Lead Line (8 & under)
- 90. APHA Youth Lead Line (ages 3 -8 yrs old)
- 91. APHA Solid Bred Youth Lead Line (ages 3-8 years old)

03. MQHA Non-Pro Hunter Under Saddle Futurity \$250 Added (1 Go Sunday) **Hunt Seat Challenge

- 92. AQHA Green Hunter Under Saddle
- 93. AQHA Junior Hunter Under Saddle
- 94. AQHA Level 1 Youth Walk/Trot HUS
- 95. AQHA Novice Youth Hunter Under Saddle
- 96. AQHA Youth Hunter Under Saddle
- 97. MQHA QH & APHA Youth Walk/Trot Hunter Under Saddle
- 98. AQHA Level 1 Amateur Walk/Trot HUS
- 99. AQHA Novice Amateur Hunter Under Saddle
- 100. AQHA Amateur Hunter Under Saddle
- 101. AQHA Senior Hunter Under Saddle
- 102. APHA Amateur Walk/Trot Hunter Under Saddle
- 103. APHA Solid Bred Amateur Walk/Trot Hunter Under Saddle
- 104. APHA Junior Hunter Under Saddle
- 105. APHA Senior Hunter Under Saddle
- 106. APHA Solid Bred Hunter Under Saddle all ages
- 107. APHA Amateur Hunter Under Saddle

- 108. APHA Solid Bred Amateur Hunter Under Saddle
- 109. APHA Youth Hunter Under Saddle 18 & Under
- 110. APHA Solid Bred Youth Hunter Under Saddle 18 & Under
- 111. AQHA Level 1 Youth Walk/Tr Hunt Seat Equitation
- 112. AQHA Level 1 Amateur Walk/Tr Hunt Seat Equitation
- 113. MQHA QH & APHA Youth Walk/Trot Hunt Seat Equitation
- 114. APHA Amateur Walk/Trot Hunt Seat Equitation
- 115. APHA Solid Bred Walk/Trot Hunt Seat Equitation
- 116. AQHA Novice Youth Hunt Seat Equitation
- 117. AQHA Youth Hunt Seat Equitation *
- 118. AQHA Novice Amateur Hunt Seat Equitation
- 119. AQHA Amateur Hunt Seat Equitation
- 120. APHA Amateur Hunt Seat Equitation
- 121. APHA Solid Bred Amateur Hunt Seat Equitation
- 122. APHA Youth Hunt Seat Equitation 18 & Under
- 123. APHA Solid Bred Youth Hunt Seat Equitation 18 & Under

(updated – March 5/18)***AQHA Approved, pending APHA Approval AQHA Judges July 6 & 7 Dean Ross & Sherrye Trafton AOHA/APHA Judges July 8 & 9 Pamela Scott & Lori Gordon

Monday July 9 Classes 8:00 am start

124	APHA	Yearling	& 2 Yr	Old In	Hand	Trail
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125. APHA Solid Bred Yearling & 2 Yr Old In Hand Trail

126. APHA Amateur Walk/Jog Trail

127. APHA Solid Bred Walk/Jog Trail

128. AQHA Level 1 Youth Walk/Trot Trail

129. AOHA Level 1 Amateur Walk/Trot Trail

130, AQHA Green Trail

131, AQHA Novice Youth Trail

132, AQHA Youth Trail

133. AQHA Novice Amateur Trail

134. AQHA Amateur Trail

135. AQHA Open Trail

136. APHA Trail - all ages

137. APHA Solid Bred Trail - all ages

138. APHA Amateur Trail

139. APHA Solid Bred Amateur Trail

140. APHA Youth Trail 18 & Under

141. APHA Solid Bred Youth Trail 18 & Under

******20 Minute Lunch Break/ Warm up*********

304. MQHA Non-Pro Western Pleasure Futurity \$250 Added

(1 Go - Monday) "Western Challenge

142. AQHA Green Western Pleasure

143. AQHA Junior Western Pleasure

144. AQHA Level 1 Youth Walk/Jog Western Pleasure

145. AQHA Novice Youth Western Pleasure

146. AQHA Youth Western Pleasure

147. AQHA Level 1 Amateur Walk/Jog Western Pleasure

148. AQHA Novice Amateur Western Pleasure

149, AQHA Amateur Western Pleasure

150, AQHA Senior Western Pleasure

151. APHA Amateur Walk/Jog Western Pleasure

152. APHA Solid Bred Walk/Jog Western Pleasure

153. APHA Junior Western Pleasure

154, APHA Senior Western Pleasure

155. APHA Solid Bred Western Pleasure all ages

156. APHA Amateur Western Pleasure

157, APHA Solid Bred Amateur Western Pleasure

158. APHA Youth Western Pleasure 18 & Under

159. APHA Solid Bred Youth Western Pleasure 18 & Under

******45 Minute Lunch Break/ Warm up*********

******30 mins warmup - 15 mins ring drag******

160. AQHA Level 1 Youth Walk/Jog Horsemanship

161. AQHA Novice Youth Horsemanship

162. AQHA Youth Horsemanship

163, AQHA Level 1 Amateur W/J Horsemanship

164. AQHA Novice Amateur Horsemanship

165. AQHA Amateur Horsemanship

166. APHA Amateur Western Horsemanship

167. APHA Solid Bred Amateur Western Horsemanship

168. APHA Youth Western Horsemanship 18 & Under

169. APHA Solid Bred Youth Western Horsemanship 18 & U

170. AQHA Green Western Riding

171. AQHA Novice Youth Western Riding

172. AQHA Youth Western Riding

173. AQHA Novice Amateur Western Riding

174. AQHA Amateur Western Riding

175. AQHA Open Western Riding

176. AQHA Novice Youth Ranch Riding

177. AQHA Youth Ranch Riding

178. AQHA Novice Amateur Ranch Riding

179. AQHA Amateur Ranch Riding

180. AQHA Open Ranch Riding

181. APHA Ranch Horse Pleasure All Ages

302. MQHA Open Reining Futurity \$250 Added (1 Go -

Saturday)

182. AQHA Green Reining

183. AQHA Junior Reining

184. AQHA Novice Youth Reining

185, AQHA Youth Reining

186. AQHA Novice Amateur Reining

187. AQHA Amateur Reining

188. AQHA Senior Reining

189. APHA Reining All Ages

190. APHA Solid Bred Reining All Ages

All Futurities are open to APHA & AQHA Horses

See Futurity Rules for Full details!!

Friday - July 6

300. MQHA Open Yearling Lunge Line Futurity - \$250 added (1# go) 301. MQHA Non-Pro Showmanship Challenge - \$250 Added

Saturday - July 7

302. MQHA Open Reining Futurity - \$250 Added

Sunday - July 8

300. MQHA Open Yearling Lunge Line Futurity - \$250 added (2nd Go) 303. MQHA Non-Pro Hunter Under Saddle Futurity - \$250 Added

Monday - July 9

304. MQHA Non-Pro Western Pleasure Futurity - \$250 Added

MQHA Show Book: Checklist

To help our office staff, please review the following checklist before you leave home & ensure you have everything you need for a stress-free horse show.

Booking Stalls

Stalls are to be booked with the show manager prior to arrival on the show grounds. Cancellation of stalls must be done by the Monday of show week to avoid being charged. Any stalls booked and not cancelled by the Monday deadline will be charged 50% of the stall fee. The barns open the day before the show starts at 8 am. Arrival before this time **must be arranged in advance with the show manager.**

Entering the Show

Please send in all your entry information and payment before the show. EMAIL mlynnekeith@gmail.com, or online submission at www.maritimeqha.com This will make your registration at that show run much smoother and quicker. Horses and riders must be registered, and classes and fees paid for prior to being allowed to compete. Competitors may add classes at the office throughout the weekend if they chose to do so. It is the exhibitors' responsibility to know the AQHA and MQHA rules. AQHA rule books are free when requested from AQHA once your membership has been paid.

Performance Halter Entry

Proof of ROM for Performance Halter – you must provide proof of ROM with your entry. The show office will not go online to retrieve this info on your behalf at the show. If you do not have proof of ROM, you will not be able to enter Performance Halter

Futurity Entry

All MQHA Futurity and Stakes Classes MUST be entered at the latest the night before the first go of the class. NO EXCEPTIONS. Futurity & Stakes classes will require a minimum of 3 entries to be run. If there are less than 3 entries, the futurity class will be cancelled and futurity entry fees refunded to exhibitors.

Memberships

Remember – to ensure all your points count towards MQHA Year End Awards, the exhibitors and horse owner MUST BE AN MQHA MEMBER BEFORE YOU SHOW. You and your horse become eligible once your membership has been paid. Membership forms are available in the show office during shows, as well as on the MQHA website. www.maritimegha.com

When you arrive at the show grounds

Once you locate your stall, please check in at the show office. Each exhibitor must present:

AQHA registration papers for each horse being shown

AQHA Membership card **if you forget your membership, you must purchase another membership at the show. AQHA tries to ensure memberships purchased at shows are credited to your account thus extending your membership by the amount of time you purchased, however this is not guaranteed.

Proof of AQHA lease arrangement if showing a leased horse as per AQHA rules.

Payment must be made with the office upon registering for classes the evening before the show begins.

NSF Policy

A fee of \$40.00 will be charged on all NSF payments in addition to replacement of the original amount. This payment must be made in cash/email transfer. Further payments to MQHA for the remainder of the year by that person must be in cash or email transfer.

Unsettled Accounts

All accounts must be settled in full with the office prior to competing. Person(s) departing the show grounds with an unpaid MQHA Account will have their accumulated MQHA points voided and may be reported to AQHA, resulting in membership suspension. Subsequent bills in the same year MUST BE PREPAID. This applies to all fees including tack stalls and electrical hookups.

General Show Rules

Youth – is 18 years of age & under as of January 1st of the show year Youth/Novice Youth must have the appropriate AQHA Youth/Novice Youth membership card or purchase at show

Stallions are NOT permitted in Youth Classes. NO EXCEPTIONS

Maritime Quarter Horse Association is an affiliate of AQHA. All shows will be run in accordance with AQHA rules. It is the exhibitors responsibility to know the rules.

Amateurs/Novice Amateurs must show valid Amateur/Novice Amateur Card or apply at show. Amateurs must comply with ownership rules per AQHA Rulebook.

Leases as applicable per AQHA rules re: showing non-owned horse are required and must be provided to Show management. Leased horses are eligible for Year End Awards with MQHA, same membership rules apply.

Fees & Stall Info

Hay & Feed will NOT be available at the show. Bedding is available for purchase directly from PLP Show Park Staff.

Waiver: All exhibitors and owners (parents of exhibitors under 18 years of age), must sign a waiver stating sponsors, organizers, staff, MQHA, AQHA do not assume responsibility for accident or illness to horses, attendants, riders, spectators, or others on the property or loss of/damage to equipment or personal belongings and that you assume all risks.

Fees:

Box Stall - \$25/day Grounds Fee \$25/day Extra Night Stall \$25/day Tack Stall \$25/day Double Stall (barn 1-4) \$45/day Stalls **Barn 5** \$45/day Tack Stall **Barn 5** \$45 day Office Fee \$10/judge Electrical (2 way) \$25/day Electrical (3 way) \$35/day Drug Fee \$4/horse/judge AQHA Fee \$7/judge Class Fee \$10/judge

PLEASE NOTE: If you are parked in a spot where hookup is available, you will be charged hookup fees. Dry camping is limited but available in the parking lot and behind Barn 4. "Piggybacking" of hookups will be charged per unit connected to the trailer parked in the space. Example: Mark plugs into Robb's trailer for 2 days, Robb will be charged for 2 hookups for 2 days.

If an exhibitor shows in a Performance class, they are able to enter the coinciding halter class for free. * Exhibitors competing in the Walk/Jog classes are not permitted to lope ANYWHERE ON THE GROUNDS

Futurity & Stakes Classes Rules

- 1. Futurities and Stakes Classes are open to Registered AQHA & APHA horses
- 2. Both the Owner and Exhibitor MUST be current MQHA members. MQHA Futurity/Stake Exhibitor Requirements: an individual/handler may not show an entry in a Futurity/Stake Class for which the exhibitor would require an AQHA permit to exhibit the entry in a regular AQHA class. (Novice, Youth, and Amateurs please take note). A leased horse may be shown in the open Futurity classes, see Lease requirements in Show Rules.
- 3. Owners, exhibitors and parent or guardian of exhibitor or owner are under 18 years of age, are required to sign a waiver.
- 4. All Futurities/Stakes Classes EXCEPT Yearling Lunge Line, will be one go, double judged.

 Payouts will only be issued for the amount that is in the class. EXAMPLE: If there are only 3 exhibitors in the class, the money added and entry fees will only be paid out to the

- exhibitors in the class. The remaining amount will be retained by MQHA.
- 5. Entry Deadline for these classes is no later than the evening before the 1st go. Fees will be added to your show bill. There are no refunds for scratched futurity classes.
- 6. Placings will be calculated by converting each judges' placings into numerical scores. (see chart below) If the combined score results in a tied placing, then a tie-breaking judge will be used. First place ties will be broken.
- 7.20% of Entry fees will be retained by MQHA to support expenses.
- 8. Dispersal of Prize money is as follows: 1^{st} Judge 25%, 2^{nd} Judge 25%, Overall 50% 1^{st} 38% 2^{nd} 22% 3^{rd} 15% 4^{th} 11% 5^{th} 8% 6^{th} 6%

1 st 120	6 th 55	11 th 15
2 nd 105	7 th 45	12 th 10
3 rd 91	8 th 36	13 th 6
4 th 78	9 th 28	14 th 3
5 th 66	10 th 21	15 th 1

Lead Line 8 & Under Rules

- 1. Lead Line competitors must be 8 years or younger as of January 1 of the show year
- 2. Horses to be shown at the walk in both directions of the ring. At the jujdges discretion, the ring may be halved. Horses will be shown in proper tack for Western or English and will be led by a person with a halter and lead. As per AQHA Rules exhibitors must have their feet in the stirrups. "Buddy Stirrups" are permitted. Reins will be held by the exhibitor. Exhibitors will show a suitable attire for Western or English.

MQHA Year End Awards Eligibility & Requirements

- 1. Horses become eligible for year end awards when owners and exhibitors membership has been paid in full for the year. A horse purchased from a non-member becomes eligible for points only from the date of purchase by MQHA member. Transfer of ownership between members will not alter Open points. Points accumulate only after membership has been paid. NO EXCEPTIONS!
- 2. For a horse to be eligible for an award, the class must be offered at and shown in at least 60% of the MQHA pointed shows. Please note the number of shows is based on the individual days and will be rounded up or down at the 0.5 mark.

2018 MQHA Pointed Shows

For 2018 the qualifying number of shows/judges will be SEVEN (7)

Date	Show Format	Value of # of Shows
July 6 – 9, 2018	Split Combined, Double Judged	4 shows
August 3 -6, 2018	Split Combined, Double Judged	4 shows
September 1-2, 2018	**MPHC Hosted Show 3 Judges	3 Shows
Total Eligible Judges		11

- 3. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to advise the point secretary of any change in ownership.
- 4. Points will be based on the following: Horses placing in the top 10 will be given a point for each horse placing below them, plus one point. Not to exceed 10 points EXAMPLE: in a class of 10 horses, 1st place receives 10 points, 2nd place receives 9 points, etc

- 5. Grand & Reserve could receive additional points. The Grand Champion horse must receive one point more than any other horse in the same sex division, and the Reserve horse must receive one half point more than any other horse in the same sex division, except the Grand horse. These additional points are not awarded for the individual class but to the overall division awards.
- 6. All Around points for each horse in the Open division and each horse/rider combination in the Amateur, Youth & Novice divisions are then added together to obtain the overall yearend awards.
- 7. In order for a horse to be eligible for MQHA Year End All Around (High Point & Reserve High Point) they must: a. Compete in at least 3 division classes per show at a minimum of 60% of the MQHA pointed shows. b. Open, Youth & Amateur All Around Horses **must** show in the halter class of their respective division. c. Novice Halter will not be a required class for Novice High Point All Around.
- 8. There will be no year end award for Novice Halter classes in 2018.
- 9. In the event of a tie for High Point Overall Halter in any division, the award will go to the horse earning the most Grand Champions.
- 10. In the event of a tie for a High Point Class Award, the award will go to the horse with the most first place wins. If there is still a tie, then the award will go to the horse that has shown in the most classes for that event. If a tie still remains, the award will go to the horse with the highest placing under the last judge both horses showed under.
- 11. High point for Lead Line is based on the exhibitor only. Both rider and horse owner must be MQHA members in good standing for points to count. EXAMPLE: Sally rides Rusty at show # 1, and Snoopy at show # 2, both Rusty & Snoopys owners must be MQHA members, in addition to the exhibitor.

Lunge Line Futurity Guidelines

- 1. Horses are to be shown in a halter, regular or show type is acceptable.
- 2. For the longing demonstration, the only attachment to the halter allowed is the lunge line.

 The lunge line may not exceed 30' in length, with a snap attached to the halter. The lunge line must hang free from the halter without touching any part of the horse. Lunge whips are permitted.
- 3. No other equipment is allowed on the horse during the class except for a lead shank during the conformation judging. Mechanical or retractable lunge lines are not allowed.
- 4. For the conformation inspection, a lead shank such as used in halter or showmanship classes may be exchanged for the lunge line prior to the lunging demonstration.
- 5. Exhibitors are not to be penalized for using regular halters and plain lunge lines, nor are they to be rewarded for using show halters and plain lunge lines, or show lunge lines. Only movement, manners/expression/way of going, and conformation are being judged. The type of equipment used is not to be a consideration in placing the horse as long as the equipment meets the requirements stated above.

Attire

Conventional Western attire (similar to that worn in Halter or showmanship) is mandatory, except if a prospect is considered to be a Hunter prospect, then conventional English attire is suggested. The type of attire worn by the exhibitor is not to be a consideration in placing the horse as long as the attire meets the requirements stated above.

Gaits Gaits are to be judged according to the rules for Gaits for Western Pleasure and Hunter Under Saddle classes. Conformation & Equipment inspection

Each horse is to be inspected by the judge(s) on conformation, proper equipment and for evidence of abuse or inhumane treatment. It is mandatory that a "trot off" be administered by the judge in the conformation portion of the class prior to lunging. Horses that show evidence of lameness will be excused prior to the lunging demonstration.

When Judges See Things Differently

By Stephanie Lynn on gohorseshow.com

Do you ever wonder how you can receive two firsts and a gate in a class at the horse show? It happens quite commonly, yet always creates a bit of a stir. Most of the time the odd judge is thought to have "missed" something. But more often than not, the odd judge did not miss something, but rather saw something that the others did not.

Riding on both sides of the fence, I have been the odd judge who saw or missed something and the exhibitor whose mistake was seen by one, but not by all. After my initial disappointment of not receiving a clean sweep, I remember the far corner where I had an ugly departure that I thought no one saw and must acknowledge my performance was less than perfect.

Most of the time now, I am the one in the center of the pen who misses or catches – sometimes it makes me the odd judge and sometimes my scores match my peers. Regardless of the outcome, judges mark what they see and what they see influences how they score the performance.

It is not uncommon for judges to place more emphasis on one aspect of a performance over another. For instance, in showmanship, I think the most important part of the performance is tracking and setting your horse up straight in front of the judge. If an exhibitor misses their line and is off, their score is going down on my card.

However, if one judge is sitting three chairs away from the steward who is walking the class, viewing the performance from an angle, they will not be able to see if the exhibitor is getting straight to the steward. Unless the horse is standing sideways, the judge viewing from an angle will not able to place a great deal of importance on straightness. Lining up in front of the steward is important to me so you will



always see me sitting as close to the steward as I can without interfering in the exhibitors' performance.

It is human nature to remember the good over the bad, the positive aspects over the negative aspects of our performances. Judges' results and scores reflect their view of a performance from the judges' unique perspective based on their vast experience. A judge that has experienced a horse trip and fall resulting in an ambulance ride may fault your horse for tripping more than the judge who has never experienced a wreck caused by a horse stumbling.

That is what makes it so dang cool to receive high marks on all the judge's scorecards. It is truly impressive when an exhibitor can positively impact multiple opinions with one single performance. Keep at it and that exhibitor will be you!

MQHA Equine Review 2018

The Equestrian Event of the Year is almost here!!! We invite young and old Equine Enthusiasts, to come join in the fun and learning, May 5th and 6th at the Princess Louise Show Park in Sussex, NB.

You can feel the excitement in the air, anticipation of seeing friends and their horses, taking part in clinics, competitions, demos and shopping.

If you don't have the itch to get riding before the Review, you definitely will after.

This year Bonny Conrad is your Equine Review Chair. Bonny and her committee have been busy selecting clinicians, organizing volunteers, schedules, vendors and the list goes on.

Lots of surprises and new competitions that are guaranteed to entertain everyone.

MQHA depends on its members to step up and volunteer a few hours of their time every year, as this is the major fundraiser for the show season. We appreciate any help you can offer. Please contact Bonny if you wish to volunteer. bjc8199@gmail.com

Don't forget our USED TACK SALE, it's a good chance to sell off old tack and apparel for cash to go buy new!!!!

The MQHA Board of Directors are looking forward to seeing you all at, Atlantic Canada's Annual Equine Season opener, EQUINE REVIEW.



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2018 MQHA Equine Review Exhibitor Application

May 5th & 6th, 2018

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Booth Type	Unit Fee	Qty	Total
Commercial/Retail Booth 1 – 4 spaces	\$85.00 each		
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Tables – limited supply available	\$10.00 each		
Association Booth 1 – 4 spaces	\$70.00 each		
Association Booth 5+ spaces	\$65.00 each		
Horse Stall – with vendor or assoc.	\$70.00 each		
Vendor Passes – weekend	\$8.00 each		
Outdoor Vendors (Trucks/Trailers)	\$60.00 per unit		
RV Camping Semi Hookup (water/hydro)	\$45.00 per unit		
RV Camping Full Service	\$65.00 per unit		
TOTAL DUE:			\$

^{**} All Prices include HST

Shavings can be purchased directly from PLP Show Center.

Application deadline: April 20th, 2018

Required: Proof or Certificate of Liability Insurance (NBEA # or other) for anyone bringing horses.

Trade Show Setup: Exhibitors can set up booths and/or stalls between 12pm and 9pm on Friday, May 4th and <u>must stay intact</u> until 4:00 PM Sunday, May 6th.

2016 Canadian Bred Horse of the Year

One Hot Krymsun

The Canadian Bred Horse of the Year Award is given to a horse bred within Canada who holds an outstanding national or international performance record that has helped to enhance the reputation and visibility of Canadian bred horses.

The winner for 2016 is One Hot Krymsun, a 1999 16hh brown Quarter Horse stallion bred by Herb Best and foaled at Krymsun Farms in New Glasgow, NS. An American Quarter Horse Association (AQHA) All-Time Leading Performance Sire, One Hot Krymsun is out of Krymsun Jet Set, an AQHA Leading Dam.

A champion competitor in his own right, One Hot Krymsun is a three-time AQHA World Champion in Open Western Pleasure, a four-time All American Congress Champion, and a three-time All American Congress Reserve Champion.

As a sire, One Hot Krymsun has a truly incredible record, with a total of over 1,150 registered foals – dubbed 'Krymsun Kids' – to his name. To date, his

offspring have racked up more than \$1.3 million in earnings, over 23,700 AQHA points, 89 Superior Awards, 17 AQHA Champion titles, 1,284 All Around Wins and Reserves, and even an AQHA Superhorse title.

In addition, his list of offspring currently includes 100 World, Congress and National Champions and Reserve Champions across five breeds and three continents. In light of this success, One Hot Krymsun was the number one DQHA (German) Leading Sire for multiple years, and number two on the leaderboard for the AQHA Leading Sire of Open Performance Horses for the past four years.

One Hot Krymsun has helped to put Canada on the map as a producer of world-class horses, and the 'Krymsun' name is a familiar sight on the leaderboard at all levels of competition, from local to regional to international. Therefore, EC is thrilled to provide the 2016 Canadian Bred Horse of the Year title to One Hot Krymsun and his breeder, Herb Best of Krymsun Farms.



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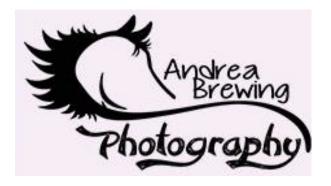






We are looking for more youth members and volunteers.

Please contact us if you are interested. Everyone is welcome.



A big thank you to Andrea Brewing for supplying us with pictures for this journal!