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AMERICAN SADDLEBRED HORSE ASSOCIATION OF VIRGINIA NEWSLETTER

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A Message from your President ...

The year 2016 is now in the history books and I hope everyone is looking forward to the 2017 Show Season that is fast approaching us. The Board has worked hard on the upcoming convention, and my hope is that each of you will plan to attend and join in the fun. I hope everyone will attend the Whole convention, starting at 2pm, as we have really Great topics & Speakers this year. We are having this year's convention at the Virginia Horse Center, up in the Appomattox Mezzanine.

It is also very important that everyone attend the General Membership meeting **Saturday afternoon** at 3:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. This is a time when you can voice your concerns, ideas and direction you would like to see the organization go, as well as elect your Officers and Zone Directors.

ASHAV members have many things to be Proud of this past year. UPHA Chapter 18 voted the 2016 ASHAV Horse Show as their Chapter Honor Show. This is truly an honor to be selected by our professional horseman as one of the best. ASHAV also is the recipient of the ASHA Breed Ambassador Award- Reserve World Champion Charter Club.

I want to once again Thank-you for giving me the opportunity to have served as your President for the past 14 years!

Sincerely,
Carol S. Reedy
ASHAV President

UPHA Clinic ~ February 17th and 18th
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ASHAV Convention
March 4
Virginia Horse Center

Heads Up Virginia!

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NOTICE TO MEMBERSHIP GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

**MARCH 4, 2017
3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Virginia Horse Center
Appomattox Mezzanine**

**2017 Slate of Officers
as presented by the Nomination Committee
to be voted on at the General Membership meeting**

**President: Kiani Fridley
Vice President: Leslie Melvin
Secretary: Amanda Ohlson
Treasurer: Jennifer Crozier**

ATTENTION ALL 2016 HIGH POINT WINNERS

**Please send Pictures of your Horse to:
ashavslideshow@gmail.com
Be sure to state Division & placeing
We want “candid” Photos too!**

AUCTION ITEMS NEEDED!!!



ASHAV CONVENTION
March 4, 2017
Virginia Horse Center Appomattox Mezzanine
Lexington, VA

SATURDAY, March 4, 2017

12:00 noon	Accepting Silent Auction Items Location: Virginia Horse Center Appomattox Mezzanine
2:00pm – 3:00pm	Sportsmanship: What is it and do you have it! Leah Barron Wilson
3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	ASHAV Annual Membership Meeting Election of New Officers Voting on New Logo Location: Virginia Horse Center Appomattox Mezzanine
4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Happy Horse's Trot Higher! Smith Lilly
5:15 pm	ASHAV High Point Awards Dinner & Silent Auction Location: Virginia Horse Center Appomattox Mezzanine **Cash Bar**
	ASHAV High Points, Academy High Point Awards, High Point Horse of the Year, High Point Trainer of the Year, Adult & Youth Sportsmanship Virginia Winter Tournament High Point awards.

ASHAV Convention

As you know, the ASHAV convention is Saturday, March 4 on the mezzanine at the Virginia Horse Center. First event we have had their in quite a while!

Each table seats 8 people, so if you would like for your barn customers to sit together, they must pre register by the closing date and you must send the number of tables that you need to Kiani Fridley at KLFridley11@aol.com 540-797-5572.

Convention forms are being mailed out in a few days, and the late fee will be enforced, so save money and register on time please.

Be sure to send your pictures to

ashavslideshow@gmail.com

early so Jamie can get all of them downloaded and ready.

Dear ASHAV Members:

We hope you will join us for the annual **ASHAV Convention at the Virginia Horse Center, Appomattox Mezzanine, Lexington VA, March 4th 2017**. We hope you will enjoy this fund raising event for ASHAV.

Sincerely,

Convention Committee

ASHAV CONVENTION REGISTRATION FORM

NAME: _____ **PHONE:** _____

ADDRESS: _____

NUMBER ATTENDING **AMOUNT**

_____ Attending Awards Dinner
\$25.00 per person _____

_____ \$15.00 Children 10 & Under _____

_____ *** Children 6 & Under No charge*** _____

****\$25.00 Late Charge per person after February 24, 2017 ****

**** TOTAL PAYMENT ENCLOSED**** _____

Please make check payable to ASHAV and mail with completed forms to:

Jennifer Crozier
2406 Constitution Dr.
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(540) 387-4312

PAYMENT MUST ACCOMPANY REGISTRATION

2016 ASHA High Point Standings

Congratulations to the National, Region 9 & Region 10 ASHA High Point Winners:

Amateur 5-Gaited:

Treasurers in the Park ASHA Region 10 Champion
Mucha Muchacha ASHA Region 10 Reserve Champion

Juvenile 5-Gaited:

Slate ASHA National 7th place, Region 9, 3rd place & Region 10 Champion
Here to Win ASHA Region 9 Champion

Juvenile 5-Gaited Pleasure:

Cosmic Venus Region 9 Champion & Region 10 Reserve Champion

Fine Harness:

Take Me Home Tonight ASHA National Open 7th place, ASHA National Amateur 5th place,
ASHA Region 9 Open Champion, ASHA Region 10 Amateur Champion
Callaway's Sneakingout of Here ASHA Region 10 Open Reserve Champion
Captain Breckinridge ASHA National Open 5th place, ASHA Region 10 Open Champion

Open 3-Gaited:

Sedgefield's Graceful Air ASHA Region 10 Champion

Juvenile 3-Gaited:

LuLu Guinness ASHA National Champion, ASHA Region 9, 3rd place, & Region 10 Champion

3-Gaited Pony:

CH A Starless Nite ASHA National Champion, ASHA Region 9, 3rd place, & Region 10 Champion

Open 3-Gaited Park:

Young Money ASHA Region 10 Reserve Champion

Amateur 3-Gaited Park:

Indigo Sky ASHA National 11th, & ASHA Region 10 3rd place
He's Legend ASHA Region 10 Reserve Champion

Juvenile 5-Gaited Park:

Cedar Winds Touch of Pride ASHA National 6th place, & Region 10 Reserve Champion

ASB Park Pleasure:

I'm Romeo ASHA Region 10 Reserve Champion

Juvenile ASB Pleasure:

Now and Again ASHA Region 10 Reserve Champion
Leatherwood's Hancock ASHA Region 10, 3rd place
Stonecroft First Impression ASHA Region 10, 4th place
LA Sir Top Hat ASHA Region 10, 5th place

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ASB Pleasure Driving:

I'm Mighty Bewitching ASHA National 7th place, ASHA Region 9, 3rd place &
ASHA Region 10, Champion
Flashy Heir ASHA Region 10, 3rd place

Adult ASB Country Pleasure:

CH Positive Out Look ASHA National 11th place, Region 10 Champion
Jatana's Bidding on the Ritz ASHA "Combined" Region 10 Reserve Champion, Region 10 6th place
Just As I Am ASHA "Combined" Region 10 Champion
The Perpetual Motion Machine ASHA National 15th place, & Region 10 3rd place
Marching Royally ASHA Region 9 6th place

Juvenile ASB Country Pleasure:

Mountainview's Supreme Ruler ASHA National 5th place, ASHA Region 9, 8th place &
ASHA Region 10 Champion
The Oberoi ASHA Region 10 3rd place
Master of the Universe ASHA Region 10, 5th place
The Perpetual Motion Machine ASHA Region 10, 7th place

Country Pleasure Driving:

Michael's Moving Man ASHA Region 9, 3rd place & Region 10 Champion

ASB Western Country Pleasure:

Lovin Louie ASHA National 6th place, & Region 10 Champion
Mountainview's Supreme Ruler ASHA National Reserve Champion, and
ASHA Region 9 & 10 Reserve Champions

ASB Hunter Country Pleasure:

Giovanni's Primo ASHA National 15th place & ASHA Region 10 Champion
Impending Storm ASHA Region 10 Reserve Champion

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ASHAV on the Net

"Heads Up Virginia!" online may now be found at ashav.net Please bookmark the site and visit often for news and announcements.

ASHAV is on Facebook:

<http://www.facebook.com/pages/American-Saddlebred-Horse-Association-of-Virginia-ASHAV/39376815847>

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2016 AHHS AWARDS

AHHS Youth Medallion High Point Road Pony Under Saddle Champion :

Cory Morrison

AHHS Youth Medallion High Point High Point Roadster Pony 14-17 Reserve Champion: Morgan Hylton

AHHS National Junior Exhibitor Award: Christopher Chase Tibbs

2016 USEF Horse of the Year

Sheriff Andy Region 9 Champion: Amateur Harness Pony

Reserve Champion: Open Harness Pony

Champion: Amateur Roadster Pony

Take Me Home Tonight National: Amateur Fine Harness Champion

Region 10: Amateur Fine Harness Champion

Open Fine Harness Champion

Cedar Winds Touch of Pride Region 10: 3-Gaited Park Champion

Lovin' Louie Region 10: Hunter Country Pleasure Champion

Western Country Pleasure Champion

CH Cosmic Sunfire Region 10: Hunter Country Pleasure Reserve Champion

Western Country Pleasure Reserve Champion

Mountainview's Supreme Ruler Region 10: Country Pleasure

Reserve Champion

Positive Out Look Region 10: Fifth Place

Now and Again Region 10 Juvenile 3-Gaited Show Pleasure Champion

ASHAV YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP

ASHAV offers a scholarship to one or two individuals, depending upon the number of applicants, for each college or university school year. The completed application, attached transcripts and tax information are due on the desk of the Scholarship Chairman no later than April 30 of the year you wish to receive the scholarship. Letters of reference are also due by April 30.

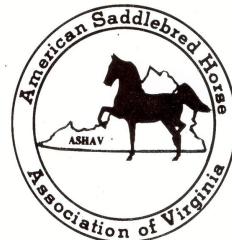
Download all four parts of the application from the ASHAV website or feel free to contact the Scholarship Chairman by using the contact information found below.

The individual applying should be 21 years of age and under, at grade 11 or higher, who demonstrates financial need, a commitment to the American Saddlebred industry and academic success.

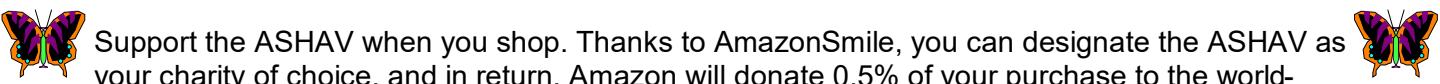
If you have any questions about the scholarship or the application procedure, please contact Heather Dudley via email at htobey@vt.edu or 540-389-3960 .

Best of luck to you! We eagerly anticipate learning more about the Virginia youth of the American Saddlebred industry.

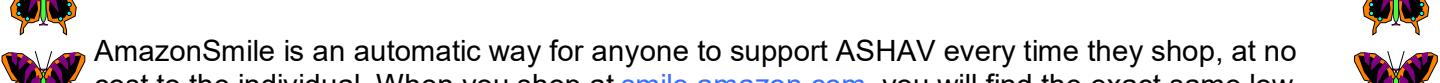
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ASHAV Scholarship Chairman



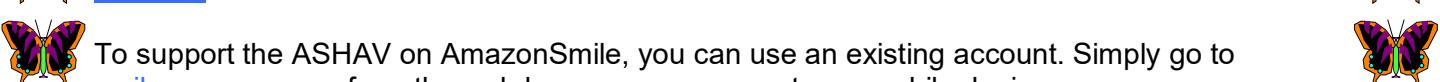
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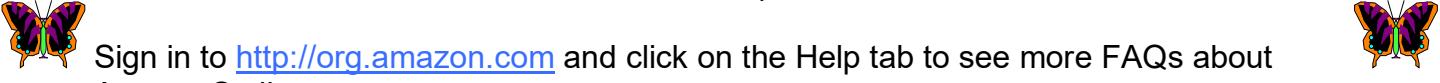
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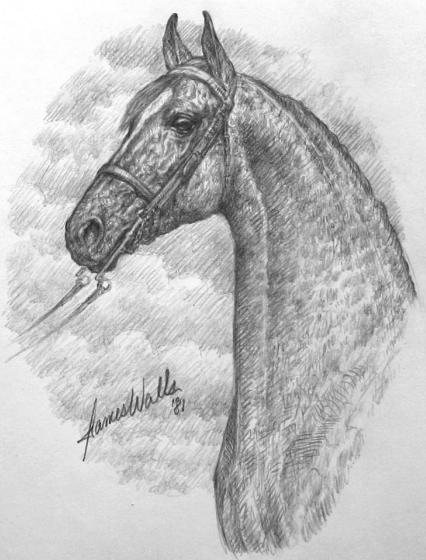
It is not too early to be making plans to attend the UPHA Spring Riding Clinic sponsored by Chapter 18, Virginia and West Virginia. This year will mark the 23rd year in a row for this very special event and, as in the past, it will be held at the Virginia Horse Center on February 17th and 18th 2017. We are very pleased to feature the popular World Champion instructor Ellen Beard. Ellen has taught two of our clinics in the past and has been one of our most popular instructors, so make your plans to come take a lesson from her. Also, on Saturday afternoon, February 18th we will hold our last Winter Tournament for the season, this is a great opportunity to take a lesson and then show to practice what you just learned!

Private lessons as well as group lessons are offered and you have the option of bringing your own horse to get in some real show ring experience or riding a lesson horse that can be provided. It is an excellent way to brush up for the upcoming show season, work on some problem areas, or just get more riding experience under the expert guidance of Ellen Beard. Spectators are welcome too.

For more information contact Nancy Troutman (540)598 9083 MWSINC516@aol.com, or Andre' Fourie (304)327-7718. Clinic registrations must be made in advance. To receive info about the Winter Tournament, please contact Nancy Troutman.

Plan to come join in this fun and great learning experience!

A Special Treat for Us!



Jim Walls has graciously agreed to let me put some of his artwork into our newsletter. Please do not use any of these for anything without contacting Jim first.

His facebook page is:
<https://www.facebook.com/jim.walls.90>

Here is what he says about this one:

"Here's a small pencil study of the Saddlebred stud, Guilford's Ace, a pretty and expressive son of the famous American Ace."

2016 High Point Champions

Open Five Gaited

1st Rappe'

Nancy & Danny Troutman

Amateur Five Gaited

1st Treasurers In The Park
2nd Mucha Muchacha

Leigh Kauffelt
Robert Valach/shown by: Charity Bishop

Juvenile Five Gaited

1st Slate
2nd Here to Win
3rd Turquoise

Snider Farms/Shown by Frankie Sue Snider
Olivia Horan
Madison Law

Adult Five Gaited Pleasure

1st Classic Bourbon
2nd Danny Ocean

LND Consultants/Shown by: Katie Dunn
Jennifer Crozier

Juvenile 5-Gaited Pleasure

1st Cosmic Venus
2nd Louie The Fabulous

Morgan Alley
Morgan Hylton

Fine Harness

1st Take Me Home Tonight
2nd Callaway's Sneakingout of Here
3rd Captain Breckinridge

Carol Reedy
Debbie Ohlson
Mike & Debra Ohlson

Open Three Gaited

1st Sedgefield's Graceful Air

Burt Honaker

Juvenile 3-Gaited

1st LuLu Guinness
2nd Sir Smokey Robinson
3rd My Twinkle Toes

Snider Farms/Shown by: Frankie Sue Snider
Morgan Hylton
Morgan Hylton

3-Gaited Pony

1st CH A Starless Nite

Madison Alley

Open 3-Gaited Park

1st Young Money
2nd Guy's Sweet Caroline

Debbie Ohlson
Sherri Surface

Amateur 3- Gaited Park

1st Indigo Sky
2nd Unpretentious
3rd He's Legend
4th Just Out of Reach
5th Young Money

Kiani Fridley
Reberta Hirshon
Kendell V. Stuart
Emily Ball
Debbie Ohlson

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Juvenile 3- Gaited Park

1st Cedar Winds Touch of Pride

Bobby, Margaret & Kristen Crouch/ Kristen

Junior 3- Gaited Park Pleasure

1st Central Time

Casey Surface

ASB Park Pleasure

1st I'm Romeo
2nd Leatherwood's Highlight
3rd Guy's Sweet Caroline

Joann Bedsaul
Leatherwood Farm/Shown by; Sarah-Ann Fourie
Sherri Surface

ASB Adult Pleasure

1st WCC Royal Valentine
2nd Flashy Heir
3rd A Perfect Affair

Reberta Hirshon
Wanda Hensley
Kelli Woody

Juvenile ASB Pleasure 13 & Under

1st LA Sir Top Hat
2nd Stonecroft First Impression

Carousel Farm/Shown by: Dillan Emrich
Elizabeth Gentry

Juvenile ASB Pleasure 14 to 17

1st Now and Again
2nd Leatherwood's Hancock
3rd License To Fly

Caroline Stephenson
Maddie Blankenship
Gabrielle Clauser

Juvenile Pleasure W/T 12 & Under

1st Stir It Up
2nd Leatherwood's Highlight

Hannah Lacy
Leatherwood Farm/Shown by; BJ Fourie

ASB Pleasure Driving

1st I'm Mighty Bewitching
2nd Flashy Heir
3rd Stagleigh's Classic Melody

Leslie Melvin/Shown by: Janet Webster
Wanda Hensley
Robin Williams

Adult ASB Country Pleasure

1st Jatana's Bidding on the Ritz
2nd WCC Undulata's Snowflake
3rd CH Positive Out Look
4th Marching Royally
5th Just As I Am
6th The Perpetual Motion Machine
7th Sultan's Lovely Boy

Tommy Barron/Shown by: Leah Barron Wilson
Reberta Hirshon
Mary Dunker
Doris Tyler
Terry Wilson
Priscilla Barber/Shown by: Melinda Warden
Wanda Hensley

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Juvenile ASB Country Pleasure

13 & Under

1st Mountainview's Supreme Ruler
2nd Master of the Universe
3rd Steel Illusion
4th The Perpetual Motion Machine

Carlin Bumgarner
Carlie Hester
Emma Townley
Pris Barber/Shown by: Kristen Crouch

Juvenile ASB Country Pleasure

14 to 17

1st The Oberoi
2nd George W

Dana Ellington Mullins/Shown by: Joey Ellington
Robert Compton/shown by: Sarah-Ann Fourie

ASB Country Pleasure Driving

1st Michael's Moving Man
2nd CH Cabaret Blues

Janet & Eleanor Webster
Joy Bowman

ASB Western Country Pleasure

1st Lovin Louie
2nd Mountainview's Supreme Ruler
3rd CH Cosmic Sunfire

Anna Hudson
Carlin Bumgarner
Judith Gendarillas

ASB Country Hunter Pleasure

1st Giovanni's Primo
2nd Lovin Louie
3rd Impending Storm
4th CH Cosmic Sunfire
5th Paradocs What Zapnin?

Emily Uy
Anna Hudson
Priscilla Barber/shown by: Melinda B. Warden
Judith Gendarillas
Joan M. Prasse, DVM Shown by Shauna Riggs

Model Two Year Old and Under

1st Sprout

Nancy & Danny Troutman

Open Road Pony

1st Regal's African Prince LF

LND Consultants/Shown by: Katie Dunn

Amateur Road Pony

1st Crystal Creek's Duchess
2nd Sheriff Andy
3rd Holyroller
4th Regal's African Prince LF

Phillip Geisel
Gordon Horn
Leigh Kauffelt
LND Consultants/Shown by: Katie Dunn

Juvenile Road Pony

1st Blackjack
2nd Extremely Intimidating

Chase Tibbs
Morgan Hylton

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Road Pony Under Saddle

1st Smokin Aces
2nd Pulitzer Prize
3rd Get Set-N-Go
4th Extremely Intimidating

Cory Morrison
Bent Tree Farm/Shown by: Jamie Houck
Sydney Fortuner
Morgan Hylton

Open Road Horse

1st Starstruck Medea

Michael Ohlson & Amanda Ohlson

Amateur Road Horse

1st S. Sparrow Express
2nd Starstruck Medea

LND Consultants/Shown by: Kim & Katie Dunn
Michael Ohlson

Open Harness Pony

1st Sheriff Andy

LND Consultants/Shown by: Kim Dunn

English Pleasure Pony

1st Sparkling Shiver

Leslie Melvin/Shown by: Emma Townley

Pleasure Pony Driving

1st Another Edition
2nd Romeo's Top Diplomat
3rd Just Like Daddy

Bent Tree Farm
Susan Matheney
Debbie Barron

EQUITATION:

Div. I Walk-Trot 10 & Under

1st Trainer: Cackie Stephenson

Emma Katherine Warren

Div. III 11 to 13

1st Kirstein Crouch

Trainer: Nancy Troutman

Div. IV 14 to 17

1st Gabrielle Clauser

Trainer: LaRue Dowd

Div. V Adult

1st Anna Hudson
2nd Melinda Warden

Trainer: Lee Hudson
Trainer: Melinda Warden

Academy Walk/Trot

1st Olivia Fobare
2nd Naomi Hess
3rd Makaylah Bishop
4th Abrlanna Bishop
5th Christy Bailey
6th Tatum Blake

Trainer: Jessi Schaaff
Trainer: Leslie Melvin
Trainer: Sherri Surface
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Academy Walk/Trot & Canter

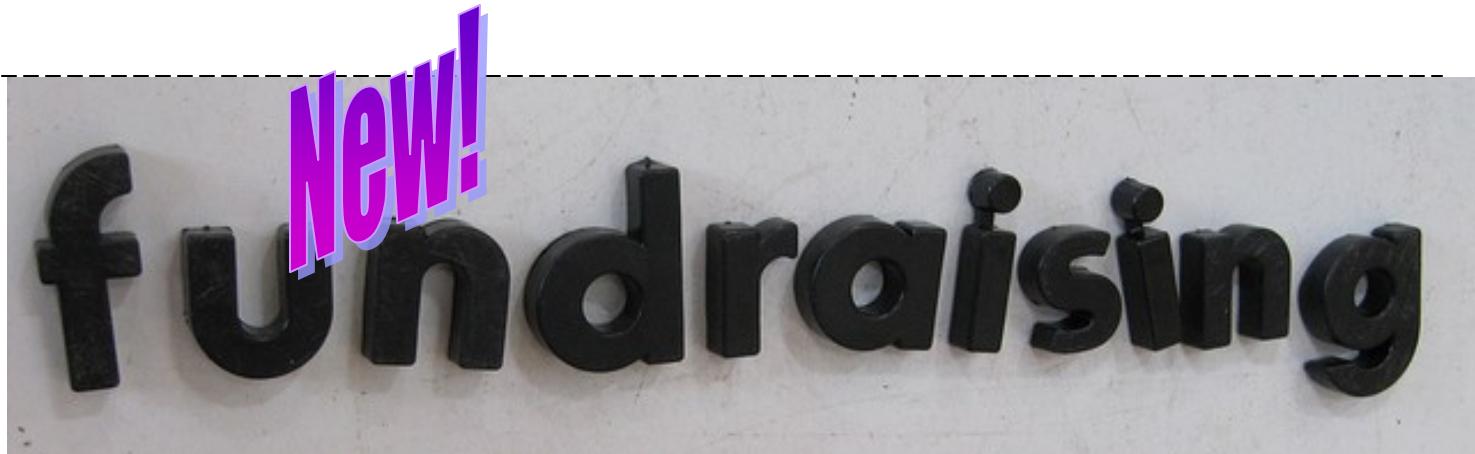
1st Christina Barfield
2nd Anna Rose Lucas

Trainer: Jessi Schaaff
Trainer: Jessi Schaaff

Academy Lead Line

1st Mila Honaker

Trainer: Burt Honaker



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Reside in County of: _____

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E-mail Address: _____

Membership: (Please check one) New _____ Renewal _____

Junior _____ Individual _____ *Family _____ Lifetime _____ *Lifetime Family _____
(\$10.00) (\$20.00) (\$30.00) (\$250) (\$350)

Current ASHA Member? Y _____ N _____

*Family memberships are for parents, their children under 18, and children over 18 but under 21 who live at home.
When lifetime family children no longer qualify for family membership, two family members may retain lifetime membership.

Make check payable to ASHAV

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Newport, VA 24128

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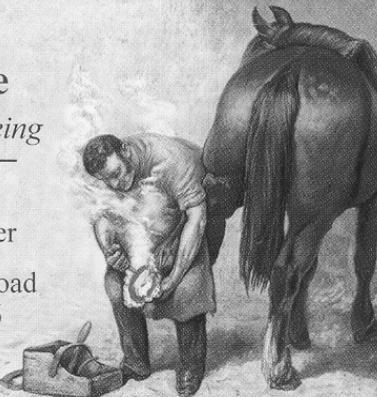
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If you know of any other fund raising opportunities that we can participate in, let an officer or the editor know and we will be sure the right person gets the information.

Thank you for helping ASHAV!

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2017 Horse Show Schedule

The ASHAV convention will be held March 4th

TOURNAMENT DATES All will be at the VHC
JANUARY 7th, JANUARY 28th, FEBRUARY 18th

April 21&22	Old Dominion
May 10-13	Bonnie Blue
May 25-27	Dublin, VA
June 8-11	Blowing Rock, NC
June 20-24	Rke Valley
July 3-8	Lexington Jr League
July 8	Pine Spur
<u>July 27-29</u>	<u>Rockbridge Cty fair</u>
Aug. 3-5	Morristown, Tn
Aug. 19-26	Ky state fair
<u>Sept. 28- 30</u>	<u>ASHAV</u>
?Sept 8&9	Bland County
Oct 18-21	NC State Fair

GOOD LUCK!

**Please send me horse show information as
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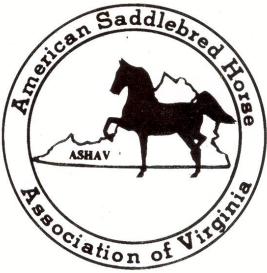
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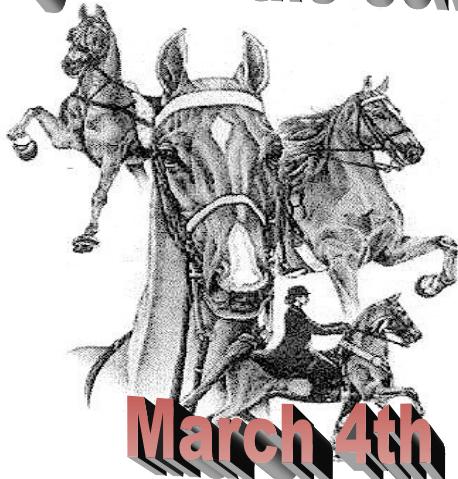
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