



## ARABIAN HORSE ASSOCIATION

# REGION I

March 2016

### DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

HAPPY NEW YEAR EVERYONE!

My wish for all of Region One is that 2016 will be a year filled with fun, laughter, and prosperity!

The first thing I want to do is thank all of you for electing me as your Region One Director. Mary Ann is going to be a tough act to follow as she did an outstanding job as director.

I am not quite sure what to say, in this my first letter, to all of Region One, other than to ask for all of you to help me make my term as director a good one for all of us. We are all horse lovers and lovers of the Arabian Horse in particular. One of my goals is to get the word out to all the other horse lovers in Region One that don't own Arabians that this should be their horse of choice. There are lots of ways that this can be done, but I can't do it by myself. I am going to need the help, support and ideas from all of you. In my book there is no idea that is too outlandish. We need to start thinking out of the box and find innovative ways to get the word out to the general public about our wonderful horses.

For those of you that were not able to go to the convention, one of the major things that was passed was the reduction of the club members for each delegate. Instead of the number of members being 50 per delegate it will be 35 members per delegate. This new ruling will go into effect in December of 2016.

Now before you all think that I have lost my mind and don't realize that we are almost through the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter of the year you need to remember that we did not have a newsletter at the beginning of the year as Malissa's computer crashed and she lost all the stuff for our first newsletter of 2016. So rather than reinvent the wheel I decided to just go with what I had already written and just add this little bit to it..

I look forward to working with all of you in the year ahead.

Mimi Gaffey  
Director, Region One

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- March 19
- August 13
- November 5



## **REGION I OFFICERS & COMMITTEES**

**DIRECTOR:**

Mimi Gaffey (760)518-6745

**VICE DIRECTOR:**

**SECRETARY:**

**TREASURER:**

Past Director

Mary Ann Hughes

AMATEUR– Janet Stevenson

ANNUAL CONVENTION PLANNING– Mary Ann Hughes

BREED PROMOTION-Vandi Reeves

BUDGET AND FINANCE-Bob Henry

CONVENTION PLANNING-Mary Ann Hughes

COMMUNICATIONS-Nancy Harvey and Vandi Reeves

DISTANCE RIDING– Bob Insko

DRESSAGE– Carol Spangler

EQUINE STRESS– Sheri Odom

EQUITATION- Debbie Price

EVENTING & DRIVING– Inge Schuler

HUNTER/JUMPER– Ted Lange

JUDGES SELECTION– Kathy Callahan-Smith

MEMBERSHIP- Mimi Gaffey

NEWSLETTER– Malissa Tarman

PACIFIC SLOPE– Phil Bourgeois

PROF. HORSEMEN- Sheri Odom

RACING- Leslie Smith

REGION I DIRECTORY-Carol Spangler

SCHOLARSHIP– Mary Ann Hughes

SPORT HORSE– Carol Spangler

WORKING WESTERN– Bill Hughes

YOUTH ACTIVITIES– Debbie Price and Sheri Odom

YOUTH DIRECTOR-Mackenzie Wayne

**Arabian Horse Association** - (303) 696-4500

10805 E. Bethany Drive Aurora, Colorado 80014

Website: [www.arabianhorses.org](http://www.arabianhorses.org)

**Region One Website:** [www.aharegionone.org](http://www.aharegionone.org)

### **Dinner Meeting**

March 19th

**Pat & Oscar's**

**29375 Rancho California Rd**

**Temecula, CA 92590**

**951-695-2422**

Social Time 5:30

Dinner 6:00

Cost: \$25/person

Please RSVP to Mimi Gaffey at

[gaffey@cox.net](mailto:gaffey@cox.net) or 760-518-6745



# Region I, March 2016

## Region I Minutes

November 19, 2015

**Call to order:** At 7:00 PM

**Roll Call:**

Executive Board: Mary Ann Hughes, Director; Mimi Gaffey, Vice Director, Kathy Callahan-Smith, Secretary; Rose Marie Henry, Treasurer ( Absent). Nancy Harvey AHA Vice President

10 Delegates- not including 3 BOD

1 Delegate at Large- Bill Hughes

2 Alternates-

1 Guests-

**Minutes:** from August 8, 2015 and November 7<sup>th</sup>, 2015 - Mimi Gaffey Made Motion to accept, Phil Bourgeois seconded, passed unanimously.

**Correspondence:** Nothing

**Directors Report:** Discussed Future state, AHA website will be up on Jan 11<sup>th</sup>, 2016.

**Treasurer's Report:** No report

**Horse Show Report:** Nancy Harvey will be doing an E-blast, with new Regional Dates.

**New Business:**

**Elections of Region I Youth Director** – New Region I Youth Director will be Mackenzie Wayne.

Motion to approve- Phil Bourgeois, 2<sup>nd</sup> – Leslie Smith. Motion approved.

**Region I meeting dates for 2016 –**

January 30<sup>th</sup>.

March 19<sup>th</sup>

August 13<sup>th</sup>

Nov 5<sup>th</sup>

**Dates for shows in Region I in 2016 –**

January 22-24, 2016 So Cal Half Arabian Assoc – Burbank, CA

March 24-27, 2016 Rancho California Arab Horse Assoc – Burbank, CA

April 3, 2016, TBA AHASC ACS show – McCoy Horse Center, Chino, CA

April 8-10, 2016, Fiesta Del Mar – Del Mar, CA

May 1, 2016, May Day ODS Dressage show – Norco, CA

May 18-22, 2016, Region I Championships – **NEW DATE!** Del Mar, CA

Sept 2-4, 2016, AHASC Futurity/Maturity show – Santa Barbara, CA

Nancy Harvey will be sending e-blasts!

**Budget request to Bob Henry by December 31st** - Get all budget requests to him before 12/31/15.

**Committee Chairs** - updated Committee Chairs for 2016

**Newsletter deadline-** January 9<sup>th</sup> is the newsletter deadline for the next newsletter.

**Old Business:** Nothing to report

**Committee Reports:**

**Amateur-** Janet Stevenson

**Annual Convention** –MaryAnn Hughes- Convention will be in Denver in 2015 & 2016.

**Awards-** Darlene Barrett – No Activity, will be removed from list in 2016.

**Budget & Finance-**Bob Henry – Get all budget requests to Bob Henry by 12/31/15.

## Region I, March 2016

**Minutes continued...**

**Communications**-Nancy Harvey – No report

**Convention Planning** –MaryAnn Hughes-will be in denver 2016 & 2017

**Distance Riding**- Bob Insko – No report

**Dressage**- Carol Spangler- A 4-5 yr old dressage class will be added at SH Nationals with \$15,000.

Can quality off points at Open shows

**Equine Stress** –Sheri Odom- They are trying to control the bagging in the arena before halter classes. Shoe issue is going back to committee, how many pads, is the bar acceptable, measure from the hair-line.

**Equitation**-Debbie Price – Lots of Showmanship and Horsemanship Resolutions.

**Eventing/Driving** – Ted Lange

**Hunter/Jumper**-Inge Schuler- Ted Lange gave report and will be the chair in 2016. Lots of Resolutions to discuss.

**Judges Selection** – Bill Hughes – Judges have been picked- Kathy Callahan Smith will be the chair in 2016

**Membership**- Mimi Gaffey – No Report

**Newsletter**- Malissa Tarman – January 9<sup>th</sup> is the newsletter deadline for the next newsletter

**Pacific Slopes**-Phil Bourgeois – No Report

**Professional Horseman**-Sheri Odom – No Report

**Racing**-Leslie Smith – Darley awards will be April 1-3, 2016. \$100,000 Race on Saturday.

**Region One Directory**- Barbara De Bois – Carol Spangler will be the chair in 2016

**Scholarship**-Mimi Gaffey –Skylar Martin was the 2015 Recipient. Mary Ann Hughes will be the chair in 2016

**Sport Horse**- Carol Spangler- No Report

**Working Western**-Kathy Callahan Smith- They want Ranch Pleasure. Bill Hughes will be the chair in 2016

**Youth Activities**-Debbie Price – Have an application from Mackenzie Wayne for Region I Youth Director. Want to plan some activities in Region I

**Youth Director**-Emily Barker – out going Director. Thanked the Region for everything we have done for her. –Mackenzie Wayne will be the Youth Director in 2016.

**Resolutions:** Went over all 36 resolutions.

**Convention Elections**- Went over convention nominees.

### **Club Reports**

**AHASC**

**RAHA(Ramona)**

**RCAHA**

**SCHAA** – show is in Jan 2016

**SEAHA**

**DAHA & TDNAHA**- both DAHA and TDAHA will combine to be the San Diego AHA

**Motion to Adjourn:** 8:45Pm, motion made by Diana Bien and seconded by Laurie Henkel. Passed Unanimously.

**Submitted Respectfully by**  
**Debbie Price**

# Region I, March 2016

## 2015 Resolution Results

If you have any questions, contact your local Club representatives or Delegates for more information

### Resolution

1-15 Article I & II Bylaws Amendments	Approved	Effective Dec ember 31,2016
2-15 AHA Bylaw Restructure	Approved	Effective December 31, 2016
3-15 Change in Delegate Count to 35 members	Approved	Effective December 31, 2016
4-15 Definition of Family	Approved	Effective December 31, 2016
5-15 Leased Horses allowed to show as AOTR	Withdrawn	
6-15 Joint Ownership Non Rescue	Dis-Approved	
7-15 Joint Ownership with a Rescue	Dis-Approved	
8-15 Clarity Working Hunter Over Fences Rules	Approved	Effective December 31, 2016
9-15 Leveling up Modification	Approved	Effective December 31, 2016
10-15 Performance Halter Requirements	Approved	Effective December 31, 2016
11-15 Working Hunter Over Fences Rules Repair	Withdrawn	
12-15 Working Hunter/Jumper Course Designer	Approved	Effective December 31, 2016
13-15 Cross Rail 10 & under Class	Approved	Effective December 31, 2016
14-15 Clarity on Hunter Hack Fence Heights	Approved	Effective December 31, 2016
15-15 Creation of Sport Horse Showmanship	Approved	Effective December 31, 2016
16-15 Limited Reined Cow Horse Defined	Approved	Effective December 31, 2016
17-15 Recind Resolutionn 12-13	Withdrawn	
18-15 Hunter Seat Equitation Updates	Approves	Effective December 31, 2016
19-15 Fence Heights/Age Split for Hunt Seat Eq	Withdrawn	
20-15 Western seat Eq	Approved	Effective December 31, 2016
21-15 Western Horsemanship Score Sheet	Withdrawn	
22-15 Western Horsemanship Extended Gaits on rail		Approved Effective December 31, 2016
23-15 Western Horsemanship Causes for Elimination		Approved Effective December 31, 2016
24-15 Western Horsemanship Rider Position in Extended Gaits	Approved	Effective December 31, 2016
25-15 Adult Amateur Hunt seat Eq Medals Over Fences	Withdrawn	
26-15 Showmanship Score Sheet	Withdrawn	
27-15 Showmanship Class Procedure	Approved	Effective December 31, 2016
28-15 Showmanship Judging Guidelines	Approved	Effective December 31, 2016
29-15 Removal of Showmanship Tests	Approved	Effective December 31, 2016
30-15 Showmanship Causes for Elimination	Approved	Effective December 31, 2016
31-15 Defining Sport Horse Under Saddle Walk/Trot		Approved Effective December 31, 2016
32-15 Additional Funding for Education of AHA Judges And Stewarts	Approved	Effective December 31, 2016
33-15 Ranking of Top Ten Awards	Approved	Effective December 31, 2016
34-15 Qualification Time Frame	Withdrawn	
35-15 National/Regional Judges Ongoing Evaluation	Approved	Effective December 31, 2016
36-15 Modifying Lifetime Qualifications for Sr Stallion And Sr Mares at US and Canadian Nationals	Withdrawn	



## Region I, March 2016

### Region I Fun at Convention



Don't forget to follow Region One on Facebook!

at <https://www.facebook.com/Region1AHA>

# Region I, March 2016



Arabian Horse Association of Southern California

All Breed "Arabian Community Show"

ACS Recognition #100557

Date - April 3, 2016 - Rain Date: April 10th

Location McCoy Equestrian Center

14280 Peyton Dr • Chino Hills, CA 91709

Judge: Ted Lange

ARABIAN  
Community Shows™

\*\*\* ALL proceeds benefit the AHASC Youth \*\*\*

Show starts at 9:00am

Show Manager: Debbie Price (951)897-5701

1. Showmanship 18 & Under
2. Showmanship 19 & Over
3. ACS A/HA/AA Showmanship 18 & Under
4. ACS A/HA/AA Showmanship 19 & Over
5. Halter All Breeds
6. ACS A/HA/AA Halter Open

35. Western Pleasure Walk-Trot - All Ages
36. Western Pleasure 13 & Under
37. Western Pleasure 14-18
38. Western Pleasure 19 & Over
39. Western Country Pleasure - Open
40. ACS A/HA/AA Western Pleasure 18 & Under
41. ACS A/HA/AA Western Pleasure 19 & Over
42. Reining - Open
43. Reining Seat Equitation - Open

Break - 10 Minutes

7. Hunt/Saddle Seat Equitation Walk-Trot - All Ages
8. Hunt/Saddle Seat Equitation 13 & Under
9. Hunt/Saddle Seat Equitation 14-18
10. Hunt/Saddle Seat Equitation 19 & Over
11. ACS A/HA/AA Saddle Seat Equitation
12. ACS A/HA/AA Hunt Seat Equitation 18 & Under
13. ACS A/HA/AA Hunt Seat Equitation 19 & Over
14. Hunter/English Pleasure Walk-Trot - All Ages
15. Hunter/English Pleasure 13 & Under
16. Hunter/English Pleasure 14-18
17. Hunter/English Pleasure 19 & Over
18. Hunter/English Country Pleasure - Open
19. ACS A/HA/AA Country English Pleasure
20. ACS A/HA/AA Hunter Pleasure 18 & Under
21. ACS A/HA/AA Hunter Pleasure 19 & Over
22. ACS A/HA/AA Show Hack
23. Sport Horse Under Saddle
24. Dressage Seat Equitation

## Fees:

Entry Fee \$8.00/Class  
Grounds Fee \$5.00/horse  
Drug Fee \$3.00/horse

Awards to First, Ribbons to Sixth. Daily High Point Awards.  
Awards are given in age categories for English and Western.

**SHOW REQUIREMENTS:** Proper show attire is required. No training devices are allowed.

**GENERAL RULES:** AHASC recommends and approves the wearing of helmets for all exhibitors. All dogs must be on a leash at all times while on the show grounds. Show management reserves the right to cancel or combine classes with fewer than two entries. Refunds are given only if show management cancels the class. "ACS A/HA/AA" designation requires the horse to be a Purebred, Half-Arabian or Anglo-Arabian, and the exhibitor to be a member of the Arabian Horse Association. Results from all ACS Classes will be submitted to AHA. Country Pleasure class is walk and favorite gait.

AHASC is not responsible for the loss of property or personal injury. The decisions of the Judge and show management are final.

McCoy Equestrian Center is located at 14280 Peyton Drive Chino Hills, CA 91709

Lunch Break - 30 Minutes

25. Lead Line - 8 & Under
26. Walk Trot English/Western 1000 Under
27. ACS A/HA/AA Western Costume
28. ACS A/HA/AA Western Side Saddle
29. Western Equitation Walk-Trot - All Ages
30. Western Equitation 13 & Under
31. Western Equitation 14-18
32. Western Equitation 19 & Over
33. ACS A/HA/AA Western Equitation 18 & Under
34. ACS A/HA/AA Western Equitation 19 & Over

## Region I, March 2016



ARABIAN HORSE ASSOCIATION OF  
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Arabian Community Show

April 3rd, Rain Date Apr 10<sup>th</sup> 2016

Dear Arabian Horse Enthusiast,

On April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2016, (Rain Date April 10<sup>th</sup>) the Youth of AHASC are hosting the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Community Show at the McCoy Equestrian Center in Chino Hills. The proceeds from the show will go to the AHASC Junior Club and the AHASC Judging Team.

We are asking for a small donation- \$10, \$20, \$50 ( or More) so that we can provide ribbons, prizes, and the Highpoint award for the Western and English divisions JTR and AATR . We are a 501c(3) so your contribution is tax deductible.

If you have any questions, you can contact Debbie Price (951)897-5701.

Please fill out the form below and mail your check made out to **AHASC** to:  
**Debbie Price, 7031 Opal St, Alta Loma, CA 91701.**

Thank you so much for helping the Youth Members of AHASC.

Very Truly Yours,

Debbie Price

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Yes, I'd love to contribute to the AHASC Community show April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2016.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \_\_\_\_\_



**Region I, March 2016**

**Arabian Performance Horse Club &  
So. Calif. Half Arabian Association  
AHA ONE-DAY SHOW**

# **MAY DAY DRESSAGE**

**Sunday, May 1, 2016.  
Pepperglen Farms, Norco CA.**



**Qualifying show for  
Region 1 and Nationals  
Intro thru 4<sup>th</sup> ATR and Open**

**Judge: Carolyn Lindholm 'R'  
Contact: Carol Spangler  
909 573-4983**

**Pepperglen Farms  
3563 Pedley Avenue, Norco CA 92860  
[www.pepperglen.com/](http://www.pepperglen.com/)**

# Youth News

## REGION ONE SCHOLARSHIP

EDUCATIONAL SCHLOARSHIP APPLICATION

ALL APPLICATIONS DUE ON OR BEFORE JUNE 30, 2016

Please read the following information carefully and submit all the necessary requirements

Each year Region One awards educational scholarships to deserving students.

Applicants must be members of an AHA club in Region One.

Scholarship applicants will be selected on the basis of academic ability, financial need, leadership, and equine activities.

Each applicant must submit three (3) letters of recommendation with their application. Required letters include one (1) letter from an officer of an AHA club, one (1) letter from 4-H club, FFA club, civic or community leader, and one (1) letter from the applicant's high school principal counselor, or college/university faculty member. Applicants must submit an official high school or college transcript. Copies of official ACT< SAT, or similar exam results must be attached. Each application is carefully reviewed by the Scholarship Committee of Region One. Applications are evaluated based on the following criteria: 25% based upon involvement in the Arabian industry, 50% based upon grade point average, 10% based upon the essay each applicant must submit with their application on why they feel they deserve a scholarship, 10% based upon extra curricular equine activities, 5% based upon extra curricular school and community activities.

Scholarships are awarded annually, preceding the school year for which they must be used. Upon notification of enrollment, a check from the scholarship fund will be sent to the college/university by Region One to be applied to educational expenses in the recipient's behalf.

### INFORMATION NEEDED FOR APPLICATION

1. The application must be made on an official application form and must be filled out and signed by the person applying for the scholarship
2. A official grade transcript from the applicant's most recent high school or college/university must accompany the application
3. Additional information may also be attached. The application becomes the property of the Region One Scholarship Committee and cannot be returned.
4. Scholarship selection is based on scholastic aptitude, involvement in the Arabian industry, leadership potential, sportsmanship, extra curricular activities, and personal references.
5. In order to apply for this scholarship, the applicant must hold a high school diploma or equivalent certification, or must be anticipating high school graduation this year. GPA must be at least 2.5 on a 4.0 scale or a 3.8 on a 6.0 scale.
6. It is to each applicant's advantage to submit a very complete, neat and informative application.
7. A copy of your official ACT, SAT, or similar exam results must be attached.

A current picture must accompany this application.

Continued on next page.

## Youth News continued

This application must be completed and received by the Region One Scholarship Committee by June 30, 2016 to be considered.

Return to: **Region One Scholarship Committee**  
**3217 English Road**  
**Chino Hills, CA 91709**

**All information will be held in strictest confidence by the scholarship committee. All applications and supporting material become the property of the Region One Scholarship Committee and cannot be returned.**

# Youth News continued.

## REGION ONE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Career Goal or Course of Study \_\_\_\_\_

School Planning to Attend \_\_\_\_\_

### Personal Background

Education: Schools attended – omit elementary and middle school

Name of School	Location	Dates Attended
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Grade Point Average \_\_\_\_\_

(Attach copy of transcripts)

College Entrance Exam Scores (attach copy of results)

ACT \_\_\_\_\_ SAT \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

(Name)

**Other Educational Information You Would Like Considered**

The three (3) letters of recommendation listed in the cover letter **MUST** be submitted with this application, on behalf of the applicant

**LIST THOSE YOU HAVE REQUESTED TO WRITE LETTES OF RECOMMENDATION**

Name		Name	
Title		Title	
Address		Address	
City & State		City & State	
Name		Name	
Title		Title	
City & State		City & State	

The information contained in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Applicant

Date

**ALL INFORMATION WILL BE HELD IN STRICTEST CONFIDENCE  
BY THE SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE**

**All applications and supporting materials become the property of Region One Scholarship Committee  
and cannot be returned.**



**APPLICATIONS SHOULD BE SENT TO:  
REGION ONE SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE**

**Mary Ann Hughes  
3217 English Road  
Chino Hills, CA 91709**

**APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN JUNE 30, 2016  
PLEASE ATTACH A RECENT PHOTOGRAPH**

**EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:**

**List other extra curricular activities you have been involved in and offices held: i.e  
Student government, sports, etc.**

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**What contributions did you make to the above organizations?**

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**What personal benefits did you receive from the organizations listed above?**

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**List any honors or awards you have received**

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**Describe your involvement and accomplishments in your Region One Club. (Club activities, offices held, etc.)**

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**ESSAY – WHY DO YOU FEEL THAT YOU DESERVE THIS SCHOLARSHIP**

*Feel free to use more space for essay if needed.*

## Stuff that is coming up.

**RCAHA Dual Region 1 & 2 Show March 24-27, 2016, Burbank (LAEC)**

Judges: RCAHA (Region 1) Main Ring- Marjie Becker; S/H- Lisa Klink; Dressage - Eileen Fagan

AHASJV (Region 2) Main Ring - Jacqui Dodd Doran; S/H & Dressage - Loris Henry

Region 2 Sporthorse & Dressage Championships: Creeky Routson

**AHASC Community Show April 3 at McCoy Equestrian Center.**

See premium in this newsletter.

**Fiesta Del Mar in Del Mar April 8-10**

**Arabian Community Show, 9am Sun. April 17th at Green Acres Ranch, Temecula.**

Full range of classes for English, Hunter, Western, Ranch Pleasure & Fun classes for all breeds.

For more information call Marsha at 951-302-6045 or

email: [marsha@greenacresranchinc.com](mailto:marsha@greenacresranchinc.com)

**Arabian Performance Horse Club and Southern Calif. Half-Arabian Assoc. AHA one day show. Sunday May 1 at Pepperglen Farms in Norco.**

See flyer in this newsletter.

**Region I Championship Show in Del Mar May 18-22**

**AHASC Futurity/Maturity show in Santa Barbara September 2-4**

**Nancy Harvey will be sending eblasts with more show information.**

Looking for Trail and Reining scribes for the Region One Horse Show in Del Mar Ca. Beautiful venue and lots of great folks to hang with. Dates are May 18th-22nd, 2016. Work 1/2 a day or more if you like. I'm happy to teach you and it helps to have some show ring experience. Great way to learn more about how the judge comes up with their scores. Please contact Kathy at [KCSequestrian@aol.com](mailto:KCSequestrian@aol.com)

Thank you,

Kathy Callahan-Smith  
USEF Licensed Steward