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AHBAO Scholarship Deadline

Attention High School Seniors – The deadline to submit your application for the AHBAO Scholarship is April 1, 2013. Get your entries in NOW!!! Forms and rules available on our web site: AHBAOregon.com.

Board Announces AHBAO Futurity Changes Effective with this year's nominations and the 2014 Futurity Classes.

Board members attending the last board meeting unanimously agreed the Futurity was in need of a change to increase participation and payout. It was recommended the AHBAO Two-Year-Old Futurity Program become a Yearling event and fees be increased. One of the reasons for the change, is that the two other Oregon halter futurities are yearling programs, as is the Breeders Sweepstakes. What these changes mean:

The AHBAO 2014 Spring Classic Show will have the *last* Two-Year-Old Futurity classes, and the *first* Yearling Futurity classes (2012 nominated horses). Prize money for both the Two-Year-Old and Yearling classes will be based the money collected under the old fee amount totals.

Starting in 2013 Futurity fees are \$25 to nominate; \$25 year of birth; and \$25 yearling (show) year. Fees are due as follows: by December 31 of the year of breeding, the year of birth, and Show entry deadline. There will be no nomination refunds or credits. AHBAO continues to add \$50 for each Futurity class with entries.

The new rules and form can be found on the club's website www.AHBAOregon.com or by contacting the Futurity Chair. Please be sure to use the new form if nominating a horse this year. 2012 nominations that remain in the program for the 2014 Futurity classes, will be sent a new certificate

once their dues are paid in full. Old certificates must be returned with the next fee. Refunds of all paid dues are available until July 1, 2013 for the 2012 nominations that do not choose to remain in the Futurity and show as yearlings in 2014.

We hope these changes add value to, and meet the expectations of, those that have or would like to participate in AHBAO's open Futurity.

Shelley Jones – Futurity Chair
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Karla Moffitt Riding Clinic, April 7, 2013

AHBAO will sponsor a clinic with Karla Moffitt, April 7, 2013 at Thompson Equestrian. It starts at 9 a.m. with horsemanship, equitation and showmanship until noon. Then from 1-4 will be western and hunter pleasure. All information is available on our website: ahbaoregon.com.

New Horse Owner Clinic - June 9, 2013

Attention beginners, new horse owners or anyone interested in horses. This is for you! Go to our web site to read all about this exciting clinic. \$15 per person or \$10 kids (14 & under), lunch included. Gentle horses provided for hands on instructions.

2013 Calendar of Events

April 7 – Karla Moffitt Clinic, Thompson Equestrian.

May 25-27 IEAHC Memorial Day Classic, Spokane, WA. Contact Carol Rasmussen (509)710-5477, www.ieahc.org

June 7-10 Mid Summer Classic Concurrent, Monroe, WA. Contact Betty Engleman (360) 425-7798, windwalker@cni.net

June 9 – New Horse Owner Clinic

June 17-23 Region 4 Championships, Nampa, ID. Contact Pat Hough (253) 847-8842, peprmntpatii@q.com, www.aharegioniv.com

June 29-July 1 AiM Sport Horse Classic & Region 4 Sport Horse Championships. Devonwood Equestrian Centre, Sherwood, OR. Contact Nancy Goertzen (951)302-6045, goertzenarab@gmail.com

July 6-14 Region 5 Championships, Monroe, WA. Contact Pat Hough (253) 847-8842, peprmntpatii@q.com,

July 8-14 Region 3 Championships, Reno, Nevada. Contact Sharon Richards (916)645-2288, sharon789@yahoo.com

July 21-28 AHA Youth Nationals, Albuquerque, New Mexico
Contact AHA (303)696-4540, www.arabianhorses.org

July 28-29 Pas de Deux Arabian Sport Horse Shows, DevonWood Equestrian Centre, Sherwood, OR. Contact Kaye Phaneuf (50)651-3037, phaneuf@canby.com

Aug 3-5 Daffodil Summer Show, Puyallup, WA. Contact Lisa Gardner (253) 208-8319, cuteloper@aol.com

Aug 13-18 Canadian Nationals, Brandon, Manitoba, Canada. Contact AHA (303)696-4540, www.arabianhorses.org

Aug 23-Sept 3 Oregon State Fair, Salem, OR. Contact www.oregonstatefair.org

Sept 19-23 Sport Horse Nationals, Nampa, Idaho. Contact AHA (303)696-4540, www.arabianhorses.org

Sept 28-30 Oregon Fall Classic, Eugene, OR. Contact Heather Engstrom (541) 6899700, www.oregonhorsecenter.com

Oct 6-7 Pacific Rim Arabian Fall Classic, Elma, WA. Contact Lanora Callahan (360)832-6076, www.pacificrimarabianhorseassn.com

Oct 19-27 U.S. National Championships, Tulsa, OK. Contact AHA (303)696-4540, www.arabianhorses.org

Nov 14-18 AHA Annual Convention, Denver, CO. Contact AHA (303)696-4540, www.arabianhorses.org

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