

New Mexico Palomino Exhibitor Association – February 2018 Newsletter

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Join us in celebrating our 75th Anniversary in 2018!



NMPEA invites you to join us

- Membership
 - Membership in PHBA includes an affiliate membership in your state or local palomino club.
 - You can join PHBA and NMPEA at a PHBA sanctioned show.
 - NMPEA affiliate memberships are available for exhibitors who live outside of NM.
 - Membership forms are available to download on webpage.
- Shows
 - Shows include classes for open, amateur and youth exhibitors.
 - Most shows offer classes for palomino, palomino bred and all breed horses.
 - Show high point awards - all divisions.
 - PHBA horses (Palomino & Palomino Bred) can be registered at a PHBA sanctioned show (prior to showing) with completed application, photos, and appropriate fees.
 - PHBA youth exhibitors DO NOT have to own the horse to exhibit in PHBA classes. The youth and the owner must be paid members of PHBA.
- Year End Awards
 - NMPEA offers a year end awards program for both palomino and palomino bred horses.
 - To be eligible for NMPEA yearend awards, the horse must be enrolled.
 - A \$20 annual enrollment fee allows a horse to be exhibited in all divisions – youth, amateur and open.
 - Exhibitors and owners do not have to be residents of NM to compete for NMPEA awards but do have to be members of NMPEA.
 - Points can be earned at PHBA sanctioned shows and at up to six other non-sanctioned shows. Shows must be held in NM.
 - Show season – November 1, 2017 – October 31, 2018
 - See Year End Award Rules and/or enrollment form for more information (available online).
- Outreach
 - NMPEA offers awards to Palominos around NM at other local and 4-H horse shows. Contact Ron Morris at lhrramorris@juno.com if interested in more information about this program.
 - NMPEA provides a palomino for the NM Horse Council Booth at the NM State Fair in September where fair visitors can meet a horse up close.

2018 SHOW SCHEDULE

- PHBA SANCTIONED SHOWS:

GREEN CHILE DAYS

JUNE 2, 2018 – Valencia County Fairgrounds

Horseman's Arena, Belen

- Double Judged / Single Day
- Hosted by Pinto Horse Association of NM
- Offering
 - Palomino Classes for Open, Amateur (including Amateur Walk/Trot Classes), Youth and Youth Walk/Trot Classes
 - Open Palomino Bred Classes
 - Pinto Classes for Open, Amateur and Youth
 - Solid Bred Pinto Open Classes
 - All-breed Classes for Open and Youth (including adult and amateur walk/trot classes)
- High Point Awards in All Divisions

RED CHILE FIESTA

AUGUST 18-19, 2018 – Wright's Arena, Stanley

- Triple Judged
- Split/Combined Format
- Co-Hosted by NM Palomino Exhibitors, NM Paint Horse Club and Pinto Horse Assoc. of NM
- Offering
 - Palomino Classes for Open, Amateur (including Amateur Walk/Trot Classes), Youth and Youth Walk/Trot Classes
 - Palomino Bred Classes for Open, Amateur and Youth
 - Paint Classes for Open, Amateur, Novice Amateur, Amateur Walk/Trot, Youth and Youth Walk/Trot age 5-10
 - Solid Bred Paint Classes for Open, Amateur and Youth
 - Pinto Classes for Open, Amateur, Amateur Walk/Trot, and Youth
 - Solid Pinto Classes
 - All-breed Classes for Open, Amateur, and Youth (including numerous walk/trot classes)
 - Ranch Horse Classes
- High Point Awards in All Divisions
- Join us for an exhibitor get-together

NM STATE FAIR PALOMINO SHOW

SEPTEMBER 2018 (dates to be announced)

EXPO NM Horse Arena, Albuquerque

- Double Judged / Split Combined Format
- Concurrent with AQHA show

The NMPEA Website, www.nmpea.com, is currently being updated with Newsletter, Rules, Forms and Show Premiums (as available). Many of these items are also posted on our facebook page, www.facebook.com/nmpalomino.

2018 SHOW SEASON IS UNDERWAY

November 1, 2017 through October 31, 2018

Enroll your horse in the NMPEA yearend awards program before your first show and start earning points towards yearend awards! You can enroll during the show season but points towards yearend awards will only count after enrollment is paid. Points can be earned at PHBA approved shows (palomino and palomino bred) and up to six non-sanctioned shows held in NM (such as Quarter Horse Shows, Hunter/Jumper Events, 4-H Shows, All-Breed Shows and more). Only points from shows held in NM count towards yearend awards and a **horse must be shown in at least one PHBA approved class offered in NM (New Rule).**

Membership in NMPEA and PHBA required but horses, exhibitors and owners need not be NM residents. Check your PHBA membership card to make sure your NM affiliate membership is current (NMPEA affiliate memberships are available if you live outside NM or you are a life member of PHBA). Complete rules can be found on our website and a rule summary is listed on the enrollment form. NMPEA also awards a participation award at our year end banquet. Each entry in a PHBA approved class offered in NM enters NMPEA members in a drawing for the participation award plus an entry is earned by members for volunteering at an NMPEA sponsored show.

NMPEA Year End Awards Program Enrollment Checklist

- Mail or email forms (and mail fee) to point keeper prior to the first show date you will be using towards yearend awards: c/o Ron Morris, PO Box 908, Belen, NM 87002, email lhrramorris@juno.com (or enrollment can be made at a NMPEA sponsored show prior to showing)
- Completed enrollment form (can be downloaded online).
- **\$20.00 enrollment fee per horse (allows a horse to be shown in all divisions – open, amateur and youth). Fee structure change.**
- Copy(ies) of current PHBA membership card(s) for exhibitor(s) and owner(s)
- Copy of horse's PHBA registration papers

Show Report Card Checklist (report card available on website)

- Mail or email report card (or acceptable substitute) to point keeper no more than 30 days after the end of show or event (or by November 15th if show is October 15th or later).
- Copy of show premium (class list)

Welcome to new NMPEA members (July - November 2017):

Teris Clayton, Julie Walsh-Overson, Donna Overson, Lela Wright, Stori White, Adrianna Recio, Karen Dewees-Lee, and Levi Danforth.

SPRING TACK SALE at Paul's Veterinary Supply – Saturday, April 7th.

2018 Officers and Board Members:

President – Ron Morris, email – lhrramorris@juno.com, phone (505) 417-6167

Vice-President – Nancy Grice, email – whitesadow390@aol.com

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Dr. Jason Turner – jltturner@nmsu.edu

PHBA Affiliate National Directors – Ron Morris & Marcus McClain

PHBA Affiliate Alternate National Directors – Berniece Zielke

PHBA Affiliate Amateur National Directors – Nancy Grice, Berniece Zielke, Sharon McClain

PHBA Affiliate Amateur Alternate National Director – Marcus McClain

PHBA Affiliate Youth National Directors – Mariah Montoya and Yvonne Saavedra

PHBA Affiliate Youth Alternate National Director – Denny Turner

Field Inspectors – Ron Morris, Nancy Grice & Dr. Jason Turner

We extend a special thank you to our 2017 sponsors and volunteers:

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Sharon and Marcus McClain, Santa Fe

Ron Morris and Berniece Zielke, Belen, www.littlehillsranch.com

Carlos, Margaret and Yvonne Saavedra, Albuquerque

Ray and Patti Martinez, Arizona, www.sunsetpaints.com

Tanya Dodds, Albuquerque

Nancy Grice, Veguita

Lillian Creel, Albuquerque

Kay Coen, Espanola

Wayne & Cathy Rae Justus, Colorado,

www.waynejustus.com

2017 Year End High Point Awards Banquet

The Sheriff Posse Café in Belen was the site of the NMPEA awards banquet on December 9, 2017.

Members from NMPEA, the NM Paint Horse Club, and the Pinto Horse Assoc. of NM celebrated with a steak and enchilada dinner, costume competition (Toy Story Theme) and award presentations. A raffle was held to benefit all three clubs with items ranging from a free show class certificate to grooming supplies and more; and the NMPEA raffle and participation winners were announced.

Congratulations to 2018 Year End Award Winners!

High Point Senior Horse – Golds Exquisite Lady owned and shown by Julie Montgomery

Find us on Facebook – www.facebook.com/nmpalomino where up to date information and news can be found.

2017 High Point Results cont...

Reserve High Point – Absolutely Blonde owned by Ron Morris and shown by Berniece Zielke

High Point Junior Horse – Zippos Lacy Pine owned by diRusso and Montoya and shown by Mariah Montoya

High Point Amateur – Berniece Zielke showing Absolutely Blonde

Reserve High Point – Raymond Martinez showing Zips Cool Cowboy

High Point Amateur W/T – Sharon McClain showing Suretoskip

High Point Youth 14-18 – Mariah Montoya showing Zippos Lacy Pine

High Point Novice Youth & Youth 13 & Under – Yvonne Saavedra showing NMSU Love Me Tender

High Point Palomino Bred Open and Amateur – Absolutely Blonde shown by Berniece Zielke and owned by Ron Morris

Participation Award – Berniece Zielke

Raffle Winners: Grand Prize (50" flat screen TV – Crystal McClain, 2nd (GoPro Camera) – Anthony Montoya, 3rd (\$50 gift card) – Crystal McClain

PHBA NATIONAL NEWS:**OPEN NEW MEXICO TOP PALOMINOS LISTED FOR 2017:**

1. Absolutely Blonde owned by Ron Morris, 21 pts
 2. Suretoskip owned by Sharon & Marcus McClain, 9
 3. Top N Doc Bar owned by Donna & Julie Overson, 7
 4. Suretuffskippin owned by Marcus & Crystal McClain, 5
 5. Zippos Lacy Pine owned by diRusso & Montoya, 4
 6. Golds Exquisite Lady owned by Julie Montgomery, 1
- Congrats also to AZ Top Palomino showing with us in 2017:**

3. Zips Cool Cowboy owned by Ray Martinez, 10 pts

Palomino Horse Breeders of America (PHBA) registration and transfer special: PHBA has reduced registration and transfer fees

from January 1, 2018 through March 31, 2018 (postmark date). The registration special is for any age horse and includes PALOMINO, PALOMINO BRED and color & conformation registration for horses not registered with another Breed Assoc. that PHBA recognizes (geldings and spayed mares only).
Registration Fee: \$50 plus membership. Transfer Fee: \$20 plus membership. Current membership is required when registering or transferring ownership of a horse. If your PHBA membership is current, you DO NOT have to pay an additional membership fee to register or transfer a horse. More information and forms available online at www.palominohba.com.

Palomino Bred Horses (with at least one PHBA registered palomino parent and that didn't inherit the gold coat or is gold but has excessive white) can be registered and show in Palomino Bred classes at sanctioned PHBA shows. The PHBA registration special applies to these horses. Palomino Bred registration form and requirements can be found on the PHBA website.

PHBA Youth Scholarship Application deadline – February 17, 2018 (see website, www.palominohba.com, for more information).

PHBA National Convention – March 7-10, 2018, Tulsa, OK.

Your chance to participate and be involved in your club at the national level. Many rule changes will be voted on at convention including rules

- Reducing number of horses required for class "A" show to 50.
- Reducing the required number of horses in a class for points to two (three currently required)
- Requiring horses to qualify for PHBA World Show; several rule changes proposed.
- Adding Ranch Rail Class.
- Allowing palomino bred horses to show in classes with regular registry palominos when there are less than three PB entries. Points will be awarded per registry type.
- And many more.

Let your national directors know your thoughts and concerns so that they can represent NMPEA members at convention. Convention registration forms, agenda and all proposed rule changes can be viewed at www.palominohba.com, click on "The Association" tab and look for "National Convention" in menu on left side of page.

PHBA World Show Dates – July 11-21, 2018, Tunica, MS

Check out the PHBA **Palomino Performance Program** at www.palominohba.com! Your accomplishments in the show arena at shows that are NOT PHBA sanctioned can be recorded on your horse's permanent PHBA record and recognition awards can be earned starting at 25 points. Annual enrollment is necessary and show results must be submitted to PHBA. Note: This is a separate program from the NMPEA yearend awards program.

We look forward to seeing you at our NM shows in 2018! Bring your palomino, palomino bred, paint, pinto and/or all breed horses and friends for some friendly competition.

Ron Morris
NMPEA President

