



ANNOUNCEMENTS



Crabbet Celebration AVS Plans in the Works

Plans are being made to hold the Crabbet Celebration AHA Recognized Value Show that had been planned for last year. A tentative date of August 22nd is on the calendar at Harford Equestrian Center in Bel Air, MD. BRAHA will also be on the grounds that weekend. More details to follow soon. Details will be forthcoming from Cricket Gates as time gets closer. Cricket can be reached by emailing cgateman@hotmail.com or phoning 717.579.1565.

Website Farm and/or Stallion Profiles

Add your farm profile or a stallion profile to our new website. It is easy to do once you have created a login. If you have any questions, comments or concerns, please contact Vivian Mack (vmack53@wildblue.net) or Dawn Jones-Low (dawnjl@faeriecourtfarm.com).

Facebook Admins Needed

Dawn Jones-Low is looking for additional admins to help with FB. At the current time, Dawn is the only admin. Volunteers are needed.

Officers-Directors-Advisors

President-Buzz Moore
Vice President-Pat Bobb

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Cricket Gates (2020-2021)
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Dawn Jones-Low (2020-2021)
Randy Stoneback (2021-2022)

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Sherry Crow
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Announcing ECAHS' 2021 Honorees

Coming soon—look for their stories in the next 2021 Directory and on ECAHS.org!

Lifetime Achievement Award

Dirk and Kimberly Johnson
Belesemo Arabians
Caldwell, ID

Hall of Fame

Dr. James & Jeanne Rooker
JR Arabians
Davidson, MI

Margaret Haverstock
Haverstock Arabians
Murrieta, CA

Benefactor of the Breed

Randy Stoneback
Randy Stoneback Arabians
Strattanville, PA

Laura Anderson
Randy Stoneback Arabians
Strattanville, PA

Jim Robbins
R-Farm Arabians
Oregon City, OR

Wayne E. Thompson
St. Paul, MN

Lonny Hitchen
B V L Arabians
St. Mary's, OH

Horse of the Year

Jubilee WGR
63.60% Crabbet
Owned by Lisa Pembleton-Del Mundo
San Antonio, TX

Exemplary/Extraordinary Achievement

Russian Enncore
52% Crabbet
Owned by Lisa Beckwith
Hanover, VA

and

Madison Sexton
Russian Enncore Rider/Handler

Eastern Crabbet Arabian Horse Society
ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS 2021

**The Eastern Crabbet
 Arabian Horse Society**

Promoting the use and Preservation of
 Crabbet Arabian bloodlines around the
 world since 1994!
Ecahs.org
[Facebook.com/ecahts](https://www.facebook.com/ecahts)



**The Biltmore Challenge
 is scheduled for 2022**

ECAHS is gearing up for another year of achievement awards in 2021. Look for entry forms on the event websites, ecahts.org or contact vmack53@wildblue.net. The following events will be included:

**Old Dominion Equestrian Endurance
 Organization Ride**

June 11 and 12
olddominionrides.org

Coates Creek Challenge

July 10 and 11
octra.on.ca

The Tevis Cup

July 24
teviscup.org

East Coast Championships

August 5 thru 8
eastcoastshow.com

**AHA Distance National
 Championships**

September 10 thru 12

arabianhorses.org/competition/national-events/distance-nationals



Fairfield Farm Continuum

is proud to announce the birth of two fillies. The first arrival is by TB Song of Qarada out of TB Sharmara Camera. Our second filly also a TB Song of Qarada out of FFC Brigeyst++.



**Cute filly born at True Blue Arabians.
Filly born April 16 Th.**

**Sire Twinbrooks Arabians
TB Razmataz.**

**Dam Rahar GaiSavanna.
We like her!!!**



Reflections of One Endurance Rider on the Year of the Pandemic

I am a teacher and on March 17, 2020, my school closed. Students were excited and the atmosphere had the feeling of a snow day . . . all of us thought that we would shortly return to normal. How naive we all were.

Normal is still not in our sight, but it is not as bad as one would think. As I reflect back, I see some very positive things have come out of the pandemic.

When I was not able to teach human students my mare went back to “school” as I affectionately call it. I had the time to spend with her and train her to be a better endurance horse. By early summer, our mares were in excellent shape and ready to hit the trail. However, all of the Endurance rides had been cancelled or postponed. We chose instead to go to the Pennsylvania Mountains and spend time as a family, with the dogs and horses. Many of our activities became simplified and revolved around our own family spending time together.

Shortly after, the rides began opening up and those that had been cancelled, were rescheduled.

As I reflect on the rides, we were able to attend the planning, diligence and care that each ride manager put into each of their rides needs to be recognized and commended. Every aspect of the ride had to be rethought, just as each aspect of our daily life had to be rethought. Even trips to the grocery store took new precautions. The new processes and procedures that the veterinary staff had to adhere to, in order to keep themselves, competitors, and ride staff safe were easy for competitors to follow and kept everyone healthy.

As I look back at these rides, our mares excelled because they were happy and ready to compete. For me, less time in the classroom meant more time riding and schooling my horses. The trips to the mountains allowed us to condition in varied terrain and, more importantly, allowed us time to bond with our horses, which paid off during competition.

In this new competition year, the new precautions are still in place to keep everyone safe, but they do not feel new. I ask myself, “is this the new normal?” It is surprising how quickly new practices become “normal”. I know that because of the Covid Pandemic, I now appreciate and cherish the small things, like just getting a chance to compete with my horse, health, a new day, and relationships with others. These are all things that I took for granted a little more than a year ago, but now I realize that they are very important.

Sandy Rolland's son called today and told me about the "celebration of life" they are planning for Sandy. They are hoping for letters/memories from friends to share there. He is to send me the information/address. The celebration isn't until July 18 so we have time for another newsletter, but I will send the information to you as soon as I get it.

Carolyn Hasbrook

Virginia will be 91 Friday. Here she is last Sunday with Muggles at the southeast Pennsylvania Arabian Horse Association driving clinic.

