

ECAHS NEWSLETTER



ANNOUNCEMENTS

ECAHS to Award Achievement Ribbons at the Biltmore & ODEE

ECAHS has coordinated with Cheryl Newman to make Achievement Awards at the Biltmore on May 3 and 4, 2024. An entry form is included in this newsletter.

We also have permission from Diane Connolly with the Old Dominion Equestrian Endurance Rides Organization to make Achievement Awards at their rides on June 7 and 8, 2024. That entry form is also included in this newsletter.

A big congratulations to ODEE as this is their 50th Anniversary.

2024 Dues

Response has been great so far, keep up the good work. If you have not paid your dues for 2024, there is a current Membership Application included in this Newsletter. Thanks to everyone for helping to revive ECAHS.

A New Directory Coming Soon!

It takes an Army! If you want to be included in the Directory, your dues must be current. Emails have been sent to everyone to update their contact information and their stock list. If you have not received this information, please contact Vivian Mack (Vivian@vivianmack.com or 757.647.7826). We are hoping to have a proof requested soon. Please don't delay updating your information. We want the Directory to be a useful tool for our members.

Be a Top Contributor on Friends of Eastern Crabbet Arabian Horse Society's Facebook Page

Great historical information along with current and past ECAHS members are being highlighted through Facebook posts. Lonny Hitchens, Jim Robbins, Dawn Jones-Low, Lisa Littrell, The Noonans to name a few of the top contributors.

Message from the President

Settling in and looking forward.

January is a very busy travel month for me, but as I settle into the position there are a couple of thoughts I would like to convey as I look forward to the coming months:

1) The purpose of the Society is to promote the purity, beauty, utility, tractability and versatility of Arabian horses descending from the Crabbet sources. To this end, I think it is important to increase Arabian owner's awareness of their horse's pedigree and place some importance on it. Seems to me most owners are unaware of how their horses are bred, much less their heritage. The current program is recognizing Crabbet bred horses at designated shows and endurance rides. I feel this has made strides in accomplishing this and I would like to see this program moving forward in an expanded format. Many times I run across people that do not know that ECAHS exists.

2) Our world has changed from club meetings and farm visits, to Facebook groups and virtual team meetings. While I find that regretful in many ways, it is the reality our current society must face. Increasing our presence on Facebook and other social media outlets to grow our membership/ educate owners will be the short term goal. I encourage each member to post at least monthly about their life with their Crabbet Arabians. Shows, trail rides, foals, 2024 breeding plans are all of interest, so please share on the ECAHS Facebook page, Friends of Eastern Crabbet Arabian Horse Society. Engagement as such, can only help us all get to know each other and is fun.

A recent idea from Jody Buttram that seems to accomplish both of the above, was to pick an outstanding Crabbet stallion or mare and post a question on FB in order to get people thinking such as "Is XXX in your horse's pedigree? Did you know that he sired over 20 National winners in 5 different disciplines as well as a Tevis Top 10? Did you know he was XX% Crabbet breeding?"

Be looking for information on our next Club Teams meeting in the next week or so. As we will need several to work on the above ideas and hopefully more as we spread the word about the benefits of a Crabbet Arabian.

Lisa Littrell

President-Lisa Littrell
Vice President-Patty Gerdes
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 Dawn Jones-Low
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The Eastern Crabbet Arabian Horse Society

Promoting the use and preservation of Crabbet Arabian bloodlines around the world since 1994!

The Eastern Crabbet Arabian Horse Society was formed in late 1994 for the expressed purpose of promoting the purity, beauty, utility, tractability and versatility of Arabian horses descending from the Crabbet sources.

Membership Application

January 1-December 31, 2024

(Check One)

- One Year Family Farm Membership - \$45 - two votes
- Three Year Family Farm Membership - \$125
- One Year Individual Membership - \$30 - one vote
- Three Year Individual Membership - \$85
- One Year Youth Membership - \$10 - no vote
- Introductory Membership - \$15 - no vote - First Year Only

Name: _____

Farm Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____


Fax #: _____

E-mail: _____ Web Site: _____

If you are interested in serving on a committee, check any that interests you:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Show | <input type="checkbox"/> Futurity | <input type="checkbox"/> Publicity | <input type="checkbox"/> Fund Raising |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Finance | <input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality | <input type="checkbox"/> Newsletter | <input type="checkbox"/> Archives |
| <input type="checkbox"/> By-Laws | <input type="checkbox"/> Nominating | <input type="checkbox"/> Membership | <input type="checkbox"/> Certification |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Honoree | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth | <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation | <input type="checkbox"/> Crabbet Celebration |

Make checks payable to: **ECAHS** or send your payments via

 **PayPal** to EasternCrabbetArabianHorseSoc@gmail.com

Send completed form & check via mail to: **Vivian Mack**
Treasurer
22371 Courthouse Road
Yale, VA 23897

ECAHS Honorees 2022

Lifetime Achievement Award

Bill, Sharon & Will Noonan
True Blue Arabians
Oxford PA

Hall of Fame

Margaret & David Portman
Sheridan Madison County MT

Richard & Helen Newman
Connifer CO

Benefactor of the Breed

Georgia Cheer
Chuck & Judy Kibler
Valerie Kanavy

Horse of the Year

Gold Reflection++++//
86.48% ECAHS Certified
Owned and Ridden by Abby Tymchakers
Reading PA



Enter to Win!
The Eastern Crabbet Arabian Horse Society's
CRABBET-RELATED HORSE
BILTMORE CHALLENGE 2024

**AWARDS TO BE PRESENTED TO THE
HIGHEST PLACING PUREBRED, HALF ARABIAN
OR ANGLO ARABIAN CRABBET-RELATED HORSE**
IN



- THE BILTMORE CHALLENGE **25** (FRI)
- THE BILTMORE CHALLENGE **50** (FRI)
- THE BILTMORE CHALLENGE **30** (SAT)
- THE BILTMORE CHALLENGE **55** (SAT)
- THE BILTMORE CHALLENGE **75** (SAT)
- &
- THE BILTMORE CHALLENGE **100** (SAT)

REQUIREMENTS
1. You must be pre-entered and
2. Your horse must be ECAHS certified to be 25% or greater Crabbet bloodlines before the deadline entry date.
(see certification instructions)

*RIBBONS WILL BE AWARDED TO SENIOR AND JUNIOR/YOUNG RIDER DIVISIONS



The ECAHS Award Form for the Biltmore Challenge Rides 2024

Complete and return to Pat Bobb, 86 White Road, Columbia, VA 23038 or email pbobb@aol.com
Last date to enter **April 28, 2024**

Name: _____
 Address: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____
 Email: _____ Telephone #: _____
 ECAHS Certified: _____ % (if previously certified)
 Horse's Name: _____
 Ride(s) entered: 25 , 50 (Fri)
 30 , 55 , 75 and 100 (Sat)
 Senior Rider Junior/Young Rider (check one)

To certify your horse:

Horse's Name: _____
 Registration #: _____ Stallion Mare Gelding
 Color: _____ Horse's Date of Birth: _____

Checks for Certification should be made payable to ECAHS and mailed to Pat Bobb with this form or payments may be made by PayPal at EasternCrabbetArabianHorseSociety@gmail.com

\$5 for ECAHS members
\$30 for Non-members

Note: There is no entry fee, only a charge for certifying your horse if not previously certified.

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CRABBET-RELATED HORSE
OLD DOMINION EQUESTRIAN ENDURANCE RIDES

AWARDS TO BE PRESENTED TO THE
 HIGHEST PLACING PUREBRED, HALF ARABIAN OR ANGLO
 ARABIAN CRABBET-RELATED HORSE

- IN
- THE OLD DOMINION 75** (FRI)
 - THE OLD DOMINION 55** (FRI)
 - THE OLD DOMINION 25** (FRI)
 - THE OLD DOMINION 100** (SAT)

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The ECAHS Award Form for the Old Dominion Equestrian Endurance Organization Rides

Complete and return to Pat Bobb, 86 White Road, Columbia, VA 23038 or email pbobb@aol.com
 Last date to enter **May 31, 2024**

Name: _____
 Address: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____
 Email: _____ Telephone #: _____
 ECAHS Certified: _____ % Horse's Name: _____ (if previously certified)
 Ride(s) entered: ODEE 75, 55, 25, 100 (circle applicable ride[s])

Senior Rider Junior Rider (Check one)

To certify your horse:

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 Registration #: _____ Stallion Mare Gelding
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