

February 2019 VPHC enewsletter

Happy snow day VPHC & VjPHC members!

This email contains information on the following VPHC events and happenings:

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VPHC Awards Banquet

Thank you to all who attended and congrats again to our winners! Please find the banquet program attached. It can also be found on the website at: <http://tinyurl.com/VPHCAwards>

Mid-Atlantic Paint Classic

Please find the Mid-Atlantic Paint Classic showbill, classes by division and the 2019 Paint Horse Championship criteria attached to this email.

Here are the links to find this info online:

Showbill: <http://tinyurl.com/MAPC2019>

Classes by Division: <http://tinyurl.com/MAPCclassesbydivision>

Paint Horse Championship Criteria: <http://apha.com/wp-content/uploads/2018/12/FINAL-2019-Paint-Horse-Championship-Criteria.pdf>

To our members - we need your help! As you know, it takes a village to put on quality, exhibitor-friendly horse shows without breaking the bank. If you have some free time during the May show, please sign up to help out. This is your club and we need everyone to participate to be successful! Find the volunteer sign-up sheet here: <http://tinyurl.com/MAPCvolunteers> We will be creating a similar form for the futurity show. Thank you for your help!

To support the Mid-Atlantic Paint Classic as a sponsor, please complete the sponsorship form found here: <http://tinyurl.com/MAPCsponsors>

For camper reservations, please complete the online form here: <http://tinyurl.com/MAPCcampers>

APHA Governance Task Force

APHA convened a task force in 2018 to evaluate the current governance structure and make recommendations to modernize how the association conducts business. Please find a summary of the recommendations along with a FAQ document attached. The GTV recommendations will be discussed in detail at the APHA Convention, March 1-3

in Fort Worth. To prepare National Directors for this discussion, the GTV has provided the following report: <http://apha.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/02/Governance-Task-Force-Summary.pdf>

As well as list of Frequently Asked Questions: <http://apha.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/02/FAQs-V3.pdf>

VPHC online membership form

Please be sure to renew your VPHC & VjPHC memberships for 2019. The online form can be found here: <http://tinyurl.com/VPHCmembership>

We also encourage you to make sure your APHA memberships are up to date before the first show: <https://apha.com/forms/membership-forms/>

APHA Eastern National Championship

Please find all information about the new APHA Eastern National Championship show on the APHA website at: <http://apha.com/eastern-national-show/>

VPHC March board meeting

Saturday, March 30th at 11am

Hanover Tavern

13181 Hanover Courthouse Rd. (Route 301)

Hanover, VA 23069

<https://hanovertavern.org/>

All are welcome to attend!

VjPHC call for sponsors

It is sponsorship time again!! We would like to thank all of our sponsors from last year. This year we are traveling to Texas for the APHA annual convention and hopefully again in June for the AjPHA World show. Your sponsorships make a huge difference in what we are about to do as members. We have 3 National Directors, as well as the National Secretary for the 2nd year in a row. Us traveling to these events changes our lives and makes us better leaders and better individuals. Please take the time to donate! You can donate through PayPal. \$2 fee for \$50 and \$4 fee for \$100.

VjPHC sponsorship form: <http://tinyurl.com/VjPHCsponsors>

PayPal links available at: <http://virginiapainthorseclub.org/id28.html>

Color Classic Stallion Service Sale

The 2019 Color Classic Stallion Service Sale is underway! If you're making breeding plans, please be sure to check with Sarah to see if she has a stallion to meet your needs. Find the list of nominated stallions in the attached advertisement and on the Color Classic facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/Color-Classic-Stallion-Service-Sale-Futurity-473557029412647/>

Please email Sarah at sadiesue18@hotmail.com with any questions.

Spring Trail Ride & Work Day

The spring trail ride is scheduled for March 28-31 at Staunton River State Park. The park is in Scottsburg which is outside of South Boston. Limited stalls and camping spots

remain. Please contact Ann Walker at (276) 634-7619 if you'd like to attend.

As part of the spring trail ride, VPHC will take part in a work day at Staunton River State Park on Friday, March 29 at 10am. We may move it to Saturday, March 30 depending on the weather and how many are able to make Friday. Possible a little work both days!! The park sustained a lot of damage to their trails during flooding in the fall. Most trails should be open by our late March ride dates. We will be assisting with trail cleanup where needed and trimming high limbs. More info will be posted as it gets closer.