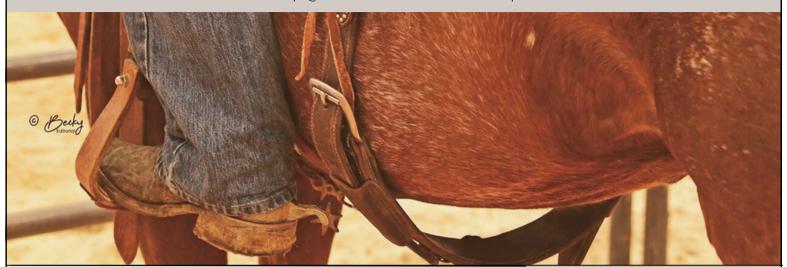


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# First and foremost... A letter from the editor

Hello, friends, and welcome to August! This is the month of our annual Chief Joseph Trail Ride, August forth through tenth. Stay tuned for some amazing pictures of the beautiful horses and scenery.

After a successful National show, we are moving on to the Appaloosa World Show in October. I hope everyone who will be attending is getting prepared and ready for the big event.

Thora

#### Top news from the ApHC



#### **Youth Department**

#### An AYA Contest You Don't Want To Miss

The AYA art and photo contest is coming to an end on August 31st, so be sure to get out and get some shots of those spots or try your hand at drawing your favorite appaloosa. All AYA members are welcome to the contest—there are cash prizes for the top three winners in each category! For more information visit the following link. We want to see your artwork!

### Link to More Information



#### **Youth Department**

Do you want to know more about being a leader, specifically in the Appaloosa Youth Association? The AYA invites you to join our very first Leadership workshop event via zoom call. In this workshop, we will discuss professional communications, event coordination, and team leadership. This meeting will be led by your AYA Youth Board. The last half hour of the workshop will be dedicated to asking the hosts questions about what it takes to be an AYA Board of Director. Join us to gain knowledge and win prizes! Anyone who joins the zoom call will be automatically entered into a raffle for prizes. Stay tuned for more prizes and other information.

### <u>August Shows</u>

**Aug. 1-4:** SUMMER COLOR CLASSIC - Nampa, Idaho

**Aug. 2:** MIDSUMMER SPECIAL - Jacksonville, Florida

**Aug. 2-4:** BEST OF THE WEST - Abilene, Texas

**Aug. 2-4:** MICHIGAN SUMMER SIZZLER SHOW - East Lansing, Michigan

**Aug. 3:** BROKEN ARROW APPALOOSA SHOW 2 - *St. Clair, Missouri* 

**Aug. 3-4:** MOMENTUM CIRCUIT PROGRESSIVE 1 & 2 - Cannon Falls, Minnesota

**Aug. 9-11:** GARDEN STATE SUMMER SIZZLER - *Logan Township, New Jersey* 

**Aug. 9-11:** SUMMER FLING APHC SHOW - Cloverdale, Indiana

**Aug. 10:** ARKANSAS CLASSIC SUMMER SHOW - Benton, Arkansas

**Aug. 10**: KAWARTHA APHC/OPEN BREED SHOW - Asphodel-Norwood, Ontario, Canada

**Aug. 10-11:** SUNSHINE N WINE ALL BREED 3 - Clements, California

**Aug. 11:** UK NATIONAL APPALOOSA - Warwickshire, United Kingdom

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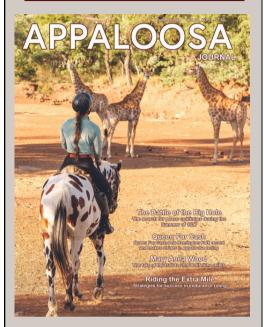
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### **2024 Summer Journal**



If you've been eagerly waiting by your mailbox for the arrival of this summer's Appaloosa Journal, your wait will soon come to an end.

Expect your issue to arrive around August 20! This issue is packed full of articles on trail riding, the ApHC distance program, and ApHC racing. Plus, get ready to be dazzled by the adorable 2024 foal showcase and a few exciting surprises that we'll keep under wraps for now.

Should your issue not arrive by September 1, please reach out to Amber Miller at marketing@appaloosa.com.

Don't Forget: Camera ready ads for the Fall issue are due August 30.

Happy reading, and stay tuned for a fantastic issue,

ApHC Journal Team



### **National Show Comments**

"What a hot one the Youth World and National show was! One of the brightest spot for me is how enjoyable and memorable it was for so many youth kids. Several attended for the first time, several spent their last youth year with us. Eli from Alabama attended for the first time and won his class! The Bradley sisters (all 3 of them) from Florida are another feelgood story. The youngest sister lost her horse suddenly right before the show. Ryland, who is in her last year as a youth, graciously agreed to share her horse and let her little sister show it as

The Non Pro and Open riders-Whether it was their first show, their 10th show, or their first time back in several years everyone enjoyed the comradery.

So many memories that we can all look back on and smile, laugh or chuckle. I think we can all agree that the kids stole the show, especially the awards girls- the Maddox twins and Ramzi!

Thank you to all of the staff, volunteers, exhibitors, trainers and owners who helped make the show so memorable. We're already working on great things for the 2024 ApHC World Show!!

As always, anyone can reach me at MStreet@appaloosa.com or ext. 288."

-Melissa Street, Marketing Consultant





"As a first-time youth coordinator, attending such a large show for the Appaloosa Horse Club was a bit daunting, but very exciting. I want to first and foremost thank everyone for their patience and helpfulness during the youth events. I also want to thank all of the youth who participated in our AYA events; it was so fun getting to know everyone. Hands down, I would say my favorite part of the show was seeing the kids' smiles as they participated in AYA events, and then seeing them beaming ear to ear if they received a prize. It was a joy working with the Appaloosa youth-what a great, respectful, and helpful bunch of youth members we have! These guys and gals are the future of the ApHC, so it was great to see just how lucky we are with these up and coming generations."

-Rachel Daugherty, Youth Coordinator



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#### **2024 Save The Dates!**

Chief Joseph Trail Ride Darby, Montana to Wisdom, Montana (Big Hole Battlefield) **August 4 - 10** 

Appaloosa National Championship Endurance & Competitive Trail Rides Iron Mountain Jubilee - Cripple Creek, VA

August 23 - 25

Camera ready ads due for World Show (Fall) issue of Appaloosa Journal

August 30

Cricket Bars Futurity
Will Rogers Downs - Claremore,

September 16 (trials) September 30 (finals)

World Championship Appaloosa Show Will Rogers Memorial Center Fort Worth, TX

October 25 - November 2

### <u>August Stakes</u>

**Aug. 1:** Colors of the Alamo Futurity G3 Trials - *Retama Park, Selma, Texas* 

**Aug. 12:** Rocky Mountain Classic Futurity G3 - *Oneida County Fair Grounds, Malad, Idaho* 

**Aug. 17:** Colors of the Alamo Futurity G3 Finals - *Retama Park, Selma, Texas* 

**Aug. 17:** Colors of the Wind Maturity (Tx-Bred Pref) G3 -Retama Park, Selma, Texas

**Aug. 19:** Cassia County Fair Futurity - Cassia County Fair & Rodeo Grounds, Burley, Idaho

### **Affiliate Spotlight**



Meet one of our approved specialty associations—the Appaloosa Ranch Riding Association (ApRRA)!



The ApRRA is dedicated to encouraging the breeding and showing of the Appaloosa ranch horses, as well as promoting the versatility of the Appaloosa horse in ranch events. This association provides both jackpots and sweepstakes at large shows such as the World Championship Appaloosa Show. Dedicated to their exhibitors, they paid out over \$25,000 in monetary prizes during the 2023 World Championship Appaloosa Show.



ApRRA and ApHC Board of Director Alison Phillips said, "The Appaloosa Ranch Horse Association is made up of 130 members who are passionate about the showing and promotion of Appaloosa Ranch Horses. We host 3 stand-alone classes at the ApHC World Show including a 3 year-old Ranch Riding Futurity, Non-Pro Ranch 4-6YO Riding Maturity, and Open 4-6YO Ranch Riding Maturity. The ApRRA has also support youth participants, offering a \$500 award and buckle to the high point 13&U and 14-18 Ranch Riders at the ApHC Youth World Show."



We are excited to see what the 2024 year brings for the ApRRA and are thankful for their commitment to the ApHC. For more information on the ApRRA or to learn about sponsorship opportunities feel free to contact them at appyranchhorse@gmail.com.

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### **Regional Club Spotlight**

#### Louisiana Appaloosa Horse Club

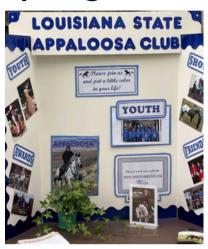
The Louisiana Appaloosa Horse Club was founded in 2006 and has been active since. The club has participated in a variety of events from education to performance.

Though the club had to pull back from the regularly scheduled events amidst the pandemic, they are working hard to get back on track. In the past they held two shows for their members to compete in. They also hold events at a barn located in the city of Ball twice a year to educate fourth and fifth grade children about agriculture twice a year. With a continued dedication to youth development, the club also offers two royalty positions: a senior and a junior queen.



year, their members ride in parades, and they partner with the Louisiana Equine Council from time to time. Appaloosas can also be spotted at tribal events, the Louisiana Women in Agriculture Conference, and during their barn days.





It is clear that the Louisiana Appaloosa Horse Club is committed not only to the horse and their members, but also to educating the public. Congratulations Louisiana ApHC on your success as an ApHC regional club!



### Regional Club Near You

Interested in joining a regional club but not sure where to start looking? We're here to help!

Visit the QR Code below and search for regional clubs by state!



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