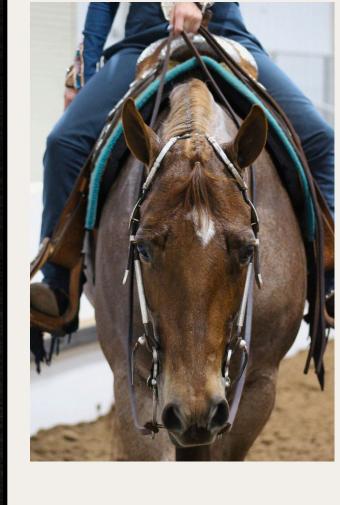
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Welcome to August

LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

Happy August! We hope this month brings

you long rides, cooler evenings, and plenty of time spent with your Appaloosa. This month, you'll find updates from the

Appaloosa Youth Association (AYA),information about the ApHC's upcoming relocation, details on the 2025 ANCER & ANCCTR rides, and a special spotlight on the 2025 Chief Joseph Trail Ride. Enjoy the read and we'll see you down the trail! Best,

Thora

AYA

UPDATES

The AYA is proud to share that this year's Youth World Show was a success! The

activities were a hit - we saw increased participation in many of our events, from

the 'Parade of States' to our new 'AYA Olympics' event. We are so grateful to everyone who helped prepare and run the events,

We also raised \$4,450 from fundraising efforts; this included our Silent Auction, 50/50 Raffle, and Hoverboard Raffle. Thank you so much to all who supported our fundraisers and gave back to the Appaloosa Youth! The funds raised will be going directly toward our bimonthly events (for AYA swag prizes and guest speakers) and next year's Youth World

and are especially grateful to everyone

who participated!

Show activities.







experience is welcome!



The AYA will bring on a professional judge (either a coach or carded judge) to provide a 101 on judging followed by a halter and horsemanship class for judging (just placings, no oral reasons). As scores are being tabulated, the judge will provide their overall placings with a set of reasons for the competitors. Any age or

give youth an opportunity to learn something new. Watch out for updates via our social media platforms as the event approaches! Event link: https://meet.google.com/jso-hjip-yyk

<u>CLICK TO VISIT EVENT</u>

This event is meant to be a fun competition to provide everyone with practice and





relocate to Oklahoma City this fall.

QUESTIONS?

Join us in the Idaho mountains for

(ANCER) and Competitive Trail Ride

showing

Competitive Trail Ride, this event is a

great way to challenge yourself and

in

Appaloosa

Office

Appaloosa National Championship Endurance & Competitive Trail Rides

2025

or

horsemanship

your Appaloosa.

Championship

the

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warmth,



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(ANCCTR)! Whether you're racing the clock in a 50 or 100-mile Endurance

off

a

Endurance

National

Ride

your

Hosted in partnership with the Arabian Horse Association, this multi-breed

timed

championship is open to registered Appaloosas—and those registered as ½ Arabian can compete for both titles. Come ride, log your miles, and be part of an unforgettable weekend! The 2025 Chief Joseph Trail Ride was

laughter,

and shared stories under the stars.

educational guest speakers, dancing

Commemorating what Chief Joseph,

the Nez Perce Tribe and the Appaloosa

went through in the 1877 War was on

the forefront of the Appaloosa Horse

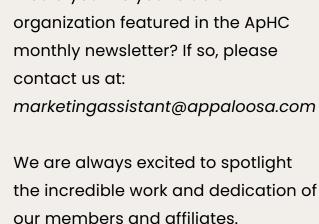
good

Club's 59th Chief Joseph Trail Ride.

This year's ride from Jackson, MT to Leadore, ID-crossing the Continental Divide-offered views that simply can't be captured in pictures. From the trails to the camps, while

riding the 7th of 13 legs alongside new

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August 29-31 | Old Selam Ride Site | New Centerville, ID

Photo by Barry Brubb

Spotlight 2025 CHIEF JOSEPH TRAIL RIDE Story and photos by Candyce McNab truly unforgettable. Evenings were full of



filled with meaning, camaraderie, and a

Looking ahead, the 2026 ride will

traveling from Spencer, ID to West

July 19-25, 2026.

continue the journey with Leg

Yellowstone. Mark your calendar:

deep sense of gratitude.

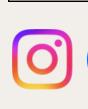
I can't wait to ride with you all again! *Look for a full article coming soon in

QUESTIONS

the Appaloosa Journal by Kristen Reiter

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