



October 2017 Newsletter

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Let's Celebrate our 2017 Show Season!

Our Year End High Point totals are on the website and we are ready to celebrate with you! The annual CAQHA Awards Banquet and General Meeting will be Sunday, November 12th from 4 to 7 PM at Moreila Mexican Restaurant, 608 W. Alamo St., Elgin TX 78621 (right off Hwy. 290 in Elgin). In addition to yummy food, water and soft drinks, a cash bar will be available. We hope ALL of our winners will be able to make it, along with any CAQHA members. The event is FREE to our CAQHA members and one guest, and children under 10 years old. Additional guests may pay \$10 at the door. Please let us know you are coming and the number in your party by sending your RSVP on or before Wednesday, November 8th to Penny Reeves at penny.graymar@gmail.com



Important Board Member Election!

At this meeting we will be voting for new board members as well as officers for 2018. If you are an adult member of CAQHA, please cast your vote. A ballot can be downloaded from our website – caqha.com. You can also find the ballot on the last page of this newsletter. Please print it, cast your vote, scan and email it back to penny.graymar@gmail.com. You may also print it, fill it out and return it via USPS to the address listed on the ballot. We will also have ballots at our General Meeting / Awards Banquet. Thank you!

CAQHA Show Dates for 2018

May 5

CAQHA All Breed Open Show – Dripping Springs Ranch Park

May 19

CAQHA All Breed Ranch Horse Show – Llano Events Center
Ranch Horse Clinic on Friday 5/18

July 14

CAQHA All Breed Ranch Horse Show – Dripping Springs Ranch Park

August 4

CAQHA All Breed Open Show – Dripping Springs Ranch Park

October 13

CAQHA All Breed Open Show – Dripping Springs Ranch Park

October 14

CAQHA All Breed Ranch Horse Show – Dripping Springs Ranch Park


These last two shows on October 13 and 14 will be a joint celebration with exhibitors from both our All Breed Open Shows and our All Breed Ranch Horse Shows! We're planning a Saturday night party and get-together at DSRP. Details coming in 2018!

CAQHA will also debut some changes to our show classes, categories, and show rules for 2018. Exciting new things are in the works! Do you have any suggestions or input to share regarding the CAQHA open horse shows? Send your thoughts to penny.graymar@gmail.com or mail to Penny Reeves (175 Darden Hill Rd., Driftwood, TX 78619) suggestions may be submitted signed or anonymously.

You may also choose to include your ideas with your mailed-in ballot. We look forward to hearing from you, and having you join us again next year!

LOVE our Sponsors ~ SUPPORT our Sponsors!

Special thanks to each of our CAQHA Sponsors who have helped make 2017 such a fantastic year for our club! Their financial support is critical for the continued success of our shows and our scholarship/grant mission. If you know any of these folks, please make sure to tell them that you're a member of the Capitol Area Quarter Horse Association, and give them a big "Thank you



CAQHA would like to salute our wonderful sponsors!! Their financial support of our organization help make our shows, scholarships and grants possible. If you have the opportunity to do business with any of these wonderful folks, please do so! If you know them, please tell them **THANK YOU!**

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2018 Ballot - CAQHA Officers and Board

Please check the circle for the nominee or write in a name in the blank. Must be an adult member of CAQHA to vote. All nominees must be a current 2016 CAQHA member to be eligible.

Nominees for 2018 Officers – (all officer terms expire on 12/31/2018)

President: – Janine Hess

 _____ (write in)

Vice-President: - Penny Reeves

 _____ (write in)

2nd Vice President: - Kelly Haydon

 _____ (write in)

Secretary: – Jessica Twohig

 _____ (write in)

Treasurer: – Amber Parr

 _____ (write in)

Nominees for 2018 Board:

– Jeanette Abbe (term will expire in 2020)

 – Alison Cowden (term will expire in 2020)

 - _____ (write in)

Please bring ballot to Year End Meeting, or mail ballots to: CAQHA, 175 Darden Hill Rd., Driftwood, TX 78619. Mailed ballots must be received on or before our End of Year Awards Banquet & General Meeting on Sunday, November 12 from 4 to 7 PM at Moreila Mexican Restaurant, 608 W. Alamo St., Elgin, TX 78621 (right off Hwy 290 in Elgin).

Your Name: _____

Please Print (You must be a current adult CAQHA Member to vote.)