

2011 State 4-H Horse Show



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DEDICATION

Tresa Skaggs



Tresa Skaggs was born into an active 4-H family in Henderson, KY. Tresa grew up riding horses, attending 4-H Horse Camp and competing in everything 4-H had to offer. She loved the friendship and the interaction with both human and horse friends.

After graduating from Henderson County High School, Tresa attended Murray State University and majored in Animal Health Technology where she passed their State Vet Tech Boards. She then attended Georgetown and received a Masters Degree in Special Education. Tresa never missed a beat in college, at age 19 she transitioned from 4-H member to 4-H Volunteer leader and helped to instruct at the West Kentucky 4-H Horsemanship Camp at Murray State University which then combined three areas; Purchase, Pennyrite and Green River. When the areas were combined into districts, she continued instructing in her home camp in Murray State while working to begin a new camp in Sturgis, KY in District 6.

Tresa's parents, Alice & Ralph, liked keeping their three kids in 4-H. "4-H kept them busy, focused on goals and out of trouble," Alice says. "It taught them many valuable lessons. One that Tresa learned early is there is no room for the word can't in her vocabulary! When the going gets tough, just keep trying."

Tresa imparts that wisdom as a Special Education Teacher at Niagra Elementary School in Henderson County, with her 4-H Members in the Horse Club and when she instructs or judges 4-H Horse Shows all across Kentucky and Indiana. Her most recent labor of love is the "Hoof Prints in the Sand, Inc." Therapeutic Riding Program she runs at her own farm in Henderson where special needs youth and adults learn patience, sportsmanship, work ethic and positive attitude. Tresa identifies with these and other 4-H youth who must work just a little harder to achieve their goals.

For 25 years Tresa has been volunteering at the State 4-H Horse Show in Louisville, KY. You can find her before the show begins and late each evening after each show ends, putting together all the trays of ribbons for each class, preparing for the next day where she will serve as a Ring Steward and supervises ribbon youth. She would say that she owes 4-H a lot, but follow her at a judging clinic, horse camp or state show for just one of her many 15 hour days and you will see why the word can't is not in her vocabulary and why it is really 4-H who owes her a debt of gratitude.

Please join the Kentucky 4-H Horse Program in honoring Tresa Skaggs' contributions to the youth of Kentucky at the Dedication Ceremony, Friday, July 8th at approximately 6 pm.

**The Kentucky 4-H Horse Program would like to
thank our
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These agents work hard all year to bring information from the State to the District regarding the 4-H Horse Program, run meetings, shows, camps, clinics, and keep up with many loads of paperwork. We appreciate all that you do!

**District 1-Becky Stahler, Bath County
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District 5-Bonnie Jolly, Hardin County
District 6-Janet Turley, Warren County
District 7-Paula Jerrell, Ballard County**

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The 2012 Scholarships to be awarded are:

The Kentucky Quarter Horse Association Scholarship
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C.H. Wood Outstanding District: This award is designed to award Districts for their exceptional efforts in conducting District events and providing educational opportunities. In 2011, the C.H. Wood Outstanding District was District 7.

Outstanding Agent & Volunteer Awards: In 2011, the Outstanding Agent was Sheena Thomas-Brown of Livingston County and the Outstanding Volunteer was Michael Woods of Shelby County.

**These scholarships and
awards will be given out this
year at the State Show Dedic-
ation Ceremony, Friday July 6th
in Broadbent Arena at approxi-
mately 6pm.**

2011 STATE 4-H HORSE SHOW

Kentucky Fair & Exposition Center
Louisville, Kentucky

Saturday, July 2nd

Hunter Division– Outdoor Arena
8:00AM

- 1 Dressage-USDF Introductory Test B
- 2 Dressage-USEF Training Level 1
- 3 Dressage-USEF Training Level 2
- 4 Dressage-USEF Training Level 3

Hunter Division

Immediately after Dressage classes are finished in the Outdoor Arena-approx. 5pm

- 5 Showmanship III
- 6 Showmanship II
- 7 Showmanship I
- 8 Hunter Horse & Pony Yearling (Open Invitational)

Saddleseat Division– Broadbent Arena
8:00AM

- 201 Showmanship III
- 202 Showmanship II
- 203 Showmanship I
- 204 Green Rider Pleasure Horse & Pony Walk/ Trot
- 205 Green Horse & Pony Walk/ Trot (Open Invitational)
- 206 Green Rider Equitation Walk/ Trot
- 207 Show Pleasure Horse & Pony
- 208 Country Pleasure Horse & Pony
- 209 Non-American Saddlebred English Pleasure
- 210 KHC Natural Pleasure Horse & Pony
- 211 Saddleseat Equitation – Jr. Rider
- 212 Saddleseat Equitation – Sr. Rider
- 213 Versatility Pattern Horse & Pony

Miniature Horse Division

Immediately after Saddleseat classes are finished in the Broadbent Arena

- 101 Miniature Horse Halter (Open Invitational)
- 102 Showmanship-Junior
- 103 Showmanship-Senior
- 104 Hunter-Junior
- 105 Hunter-Senior
- 106 Halter Obstacle-Junior
- 107 Halter Obstacle-Senior
- 108 Pleasure Driving-Junior
- 109 Pleasure Driving-Senior
- 110 Miniature Horse Pleasure Driving (Open Invitational)

After the Saddleseat Division, the arena will be closed to all riders to set up the jump course. Jumping practice will take place on Sunday morning only!

Sunday, July 3rd

Hunter Division-Broadbent Arena

6:00AM-Jumping Practice Begins

8:00AM-Show Begins

- 9 Walk/Trot Over Cross Rails
- 10 Beginner Rider 2' O/F
- 11 Beginner Horse/Pony 2' O/F
- 12 Hunt Seat Equitation Over Fences 2'
- 13 Intermediate Horse/Pony Over Fences
- 14 Hunt Seat Equitation Over Fences 2'3"-2'6"
- 15 Low Horse/Pony Over Fences
- 16 Hunt Seat Equitation Over Fences 2'9"-3'
- 17 Jumpers

Break (15 Minute Schooling in Arena)

- *18 OI-2 & 3 Year Old Hunter Under Saddle
- 19 Hunter Under Saddle- Walk/Trot
- 20 Hunter Under Saddle- Pony
- 21 Hunter Under Saddle Horse- III
- 22 Hunter Under Saddle Horse- II
- 23 Hunter Under Saddle Horse- I
- 24 Hunter Seat Equitation- Walk/Trot
- 25 Hunter Seat Equitation- III
- 26 Hunter Seat Equitation- II
- 27 Hunter Seat Equitation- I

After the Hunter Division, the arena will be open to W/R/M horses for 2 hours. It will be open for all horses after that.

Monday, July 4th

Walking/Racking/Mountain Division-Broadbent Arena

8:00AM

- 301 Showmanship III
- 302 Showmanship II
- 303 Showmanship I
- 305 English Plantation Pleasure Walking Specialty
- 306 English Country Pleasure Racking Lite Shod
- 307 English Pleasure Mountain Horse
- 308 English Country Pleasure Walking
- 309 Western Plantation Pleasure Walking Specialty
- 310 Western Country Pleasure Racking Lite Shod
- 311 Western Pleasure Mountain Horse
- 312 Western Country Pleasure Walking
- 313 Trail Pleasure Racking Lite Shod - Junior Rider
- 315 Trail Pleasure Mountain Horse - Junior Rider
- 317 Trail Pleasure Walking - Junior Rider
- 319 Show Pleasure Racking
- 320 Country Trail Pleasure Mountain Horse
- 321 Style Pleasure Racking
- 4 322 Classic Pleasure Mountain Horse

Tuesday, July 5th

Walking/Racking/Mountain Division-Broadbent Arena

8:00AM

- 314 Trail Pleasure Racking Lite Shod - Senior Rider
- 316 Trail Pleasure Mountain Horse - Senior Rider
- 318 Trail Pleasure Walking - Senior Rider
- 323 W/R/M English Equitation – Junior Rider
- 324 W/R/M English Equitation – Senior Rider
- 325 W/R/M Bareback Equitation – Junior Rider
- 326 W/R/M Bareback Equitation – Senior Rider
- 327 W/R/M Stock Seat Equitation – Junior Rider
- 328 W/R/M Stock Seat Equitation – Senior Rider
- 304 Pleasure Flat Shod Canter Class (Open Invitational)

After the show and High Point Award Presentations, the arena will be open to contest horses for 2 hours. It will be open for all horses after that.

Wednesday, July 6th

Western Division-Contest

8:00AM -Broadbent Arena

- 401 Showmanship III
- 402 Showmanship II
- 403 Showmanship I
- Break**
- 404 Pole Bending Pony-Jr. Rider
- 405 Pole Bending Pony-Sr. Rider
- 406 Pole Bending Horse III
- 407 Pole Bending Horse II
- 408 Pole Bending Horse I

After the show, the arena will be open to contest horses for 2 hours. It will be open to all horses after that.

Thursday, July 7th

Western Contest Division-Broadbent Arena

8:00AM

- 409 Barrel Race Pony-Jr. Rider
- 410 Barrel Race Pony-Sr. Rider
- 411 Barrel Race Horse III
- 412 Barrel Race Horse II
- 413 Barrel Race Horse I
- 414 Flag Race Pony
- 415 Flag Race Horse III
- 416 Flag Race Horse II
- 417 Flag Race Horse I
- 418 Stake Race Pony
- 419 Stake Race Horse III
- 420 Stake Race Horse II
- 421 Stake Race Horse I

Immediately after the show, the arena will be used for Drill Team Practice only. Afterwards, it will be open to Western Judged horses.

Friday, July 8th

Drill Team Practice

8:00 AM-4:00 PM-Outdoor Arena

Only Drill Teams will be permitted to use the Outdoor Arena during this time.

Western Division-Judged

8:00AM-Broadbent Arena

- 501 Showmanship III
- 502 Showmanship II
- 503 Showmanship I
- *504 OI-Western Horse Yearling
- *505 OI-2 & 3 Year Old Snaffle Bit Western Pleasure
- 506 Hunter Under Saddle Walk/Trot
- 507 Hunter Under Saddle III
- 508 Hunter Under Saddle II
- 509 Hunter Under Saddle I
- 510 Western Versatility- Jr. Rider
- 511 Western Versatility- Sr. Rider

Drill Team Competition & State Show Dedication- Broadbent Arena

6:00pm-The Small Teams will compete first followed immediately by the State Show Dedication. Large Teams will finish up the night and results will be announced immediately following. Winning teams in both the Small and Large Team competition will receive the Mr. & Mrs. Robert & Freda Carlin Drill Team Traveling Trophies.

Saturday, July 9th

Western Division-Judged

8:00AM-Broadbent Arena

- 512 Western Pleasure Walk/Jog
- 513 Western Pleasure Horse III
- 514 Western Pleasure Horse II
- 515 Western Pleasure Horse I
- 516 Western Horsemanship Walk/Jog
- 517 Western Horsemanship III
- 518 Western Horsemanship II
- 519 Western Horsemanship I
- 520 Reining-All Ages

Join the Kentucky 4-H Horse Program Team as they compete for Regional honors at the 2011 Southern Regional 4-H Horse Championships in Tunica, Mississippi!!

July 26th-31st, 2011
Get more information in the
SHOW OFFICE!!

2010 State 4-H Horse Show Champions

2010 Stable Management

Place	County/Club
1st	Boone County Desperados
2nd	Jessamine County Colonels
3rd	Clark County Ponies and Partners
4th	Jefferson County Elite
5th	Ballardsville High Riders

2010 Drill Team, Division I

Place	County/Club
1st	Young Guns
2nd	Kenton County 4-H Wranglers
3rd	Licking River Riders Drill Team
4th	Shelby County Rhythm Riders
5th	Montgomery Co. 4-H Bit & Stirrup Wranglers
6th	Union Co. Drill Team
7th	Desperado Drill Team
8th	FairOaks Drill Team
9th	LEC Step-Ahead Saddlebreds SR Drill Team
10th	Hardin/Breck Mini Wheelers

2010 Drill Team, Division II

Place	County/Club
1st	Muhlenberg County Mustangs

Drill Team Sportsmanship Award

2010– FairOks Drill Team Jefferson Co.

2010 County Awards

High Point County: Boone County
High Point Average County: Barren County



2010 State 4-H Horse Show High Point Awards

Racking Horse Division:

Division I

High Point: Angels Black Sable, Angel Tucker, Wayne

Division II

High Point: Dreamer, Kaitlyn Crabtree, Wayne

Res. High Pt: He's The Last Spot, Shayla Robinson, Whitley

Division III

High Point: Scout, Rachel Wilson, Graves

Res. High Pt: Buck, Toraleah Sowders, Whitley

Mountain Horse Division:

Division I

High Point: Strollin' Thunder, Jennifer Yates, Montgomery

Res. High Pt: Timeless Journey, Kaylee Potts, Clark

Division II

High Point: Smokin' Rambo, Cassidy Potts, Clark

Res. High Pt: Summer Shades Style, Chelsea Haddix, Clark

Division III

High Point: Smokey's Cool Shadow, Alexandria Haggard,
Clark Co

Res. High Pt: Mistee Mountain Mornin' Megan McCoy,
Montgomery Co.

Walking Horse Division

Division I

High Point: Paging Willie, Allie Easley, Butler Co.

Res. High Pt: Chester, Cody Edmond, Fleming Co.

Division II

High Point: Alen's Battle Colors, Cassie Landsdale, Mont-
gomery Co.

Res. High Pt: Duramax, Courtney McCane, Clark

Division III

High Point: Rachel's Sweetie Pie, Rachel Woosley, Mont-
gomery Co.

Res. High Pt: Blaze, Brandon Wells, Washington Co.

Saddleseat Horse Division:

Division I

High Point: PF Barkley, Aidan Greene, Jefferson Co.

Res. High Pt: Confiscated Assets, Channing Barker, Boyle

Division II

High Point: Worthy's Meant For You, Lexi Bergman, Oldham

Res. High Pt: Hollywood Star, Raquel Loftus, Boyle

Division III

High Point: My Genius' Angel of Fortune, Christa Giroux,
Jefferson Co

Res. High Pt.: The Star of April, Kaitlynn Powell, Jefferson Co

Hunter Over Fences Division:

Beginner Horse/Pony

High Point: Folie A Deuv, Madison Deaton, Jefferson
Res. High Pt: Take me There, Alex Johnson, Woodford

Beginner Rider

High Point: Ready For Logan, Cassandra Parker, Campbell
Res. High Pt: Adagio, Lindsey Brown, Boone

Intermediate Hunter

High Point: Jumpin Mac Flash, Katelyn Freeman, Bourbon
Res. High Pt: Sonny's Hot Diva, Molly Berkemeyer, Campbell Co.

Low Hunter

High Point: Elegance Defined, Morgan Restaino, Boone
Res. High Pt: Duchess, William Robertson, Madison

Hunter On The Flat Division:

Division I

High Point: For Sure, Savanna Rennirt, Jefferson Co.
Res. High Pt: WWW Bay Dot Com, Emily Bennett, Jefferson Co.

Division II

High Point: Unico, Rebekah Mingari, Oldham
Res. High Pt: Authorized Ace, Jaclyn Zembrodt, Boone Co.

Division III

High Point: Scarlet Invitation, Alexandra Maley, Boone Co.
Res. High Pt: Cue Card Classic, Lauren Zembrodt, Boone

Western Judged Division:

Division I

High Point: Rip My Stocking, Cassie Mattingly, Nelson
Res. High Pt: Justa Merry Melody, Adison Sheppard, McCracken

Division II

High Point: RV Blazin Hot Zipper, Kevyn Ann Cunningham, Ballard Co.
Res. High Pt: High Tech FX, Savannah Leon, Graves Co

Division III

High Point: Silver Dollar Sandman, Abigail Tanner, Boone
Res. High Pt: JS Slow Chuter, Lydia Uhlyarik, Boone

Western Contest Division:

Division I

High Point: Rapt In Sugars Pride, Jessica Fields, Boone
Res. High Pt: Bully, Lexus Gonterman, Hardin Co.

Division II

High Point: Lad O'Lenas Prince, Shelby Gilpin, Barren
Res. High Pt: Lilly Yalls Rare Charm, Ellie Davenport, McCracken

Division III

High Point: Sweet Charming Star, Shane Wright, Grant Co
Res. High Pt: Ready Made Skip N Te, Cody Bridges, Barren

Miniature Horse Division:

Junior

High Point: Still Smokins Hot Shot, Hannah Myers, Campbell Co.
Res. High Pt: Sugar-N-Spice, Sarah Lucas, Boone Co.

Senior

High Point: Still Smokin A Little Bit, Aaron Myers, Campbell
Res. High Pt: Mythbuster, Sadie Boschert, Campbell

Past State 4-H Horse Show Dedication Recipients

1985	Jerome Ogden Jessamine County
1986	Fred & Bonnie Neuville Scott County
1987	Sue Robinson Livingston County
1988	Anna Marie Evans Grant County
1989	Winky Sandy Boyd County
1990	Tammy McMillian & Judy Willard Morehead State University
1991	Howard M. Rea Oldham County
1992	John & Sue Curry Simpson County
1993	Verna M. Stewart Owen County
1994	Junior Paris Livingston County
1995	Cliff Burgess Nelson County
1996	Craig H. Wood University of Kentucky
1997	Steve & Debbie Jackson Woodford County
1998	Alice Skaggs Henderson County
1999	Jane & Junior Humphrey Ballard County
2000	Kentucky Fair and Exposition Center Louisville, Kentucky
2001	C. Oran Little and Walter J. Walla University of Kentucky
2002	Billy Ray Smith Kentucky Dept. Of Agriculture
2003	Dick & Charlotte Klapheke Jefferson County
2004	Bill & Rhonda McCardle Boone County
2005	John & Sue Likenhaus Anderson County
2006	Melanie Wilson Kelley Ballard County
2007	Tom Curry Campbell County
2008	Beth & Gus Wagner Trimble County
2009	Mike Butler Jefferson County
2010	Larry & Linda Starnes Edmonson County

2011 State 4-H Horse Judging Contest Winners

Kentucky Horse Park, Lexington, June 2nd, 2011

High Junior Ind.– Braden Young, Mercer Co.
High Junior Team– Mercer County
High Senior Ind.– Chelsea Whittle, Anderson Co.
High Senior Team–Mercer County
Jackson Award for Reasons– Luke Hopkins, Mason Co.

2011 State 4-H Horse Contests Winners

Clarion Hotel, Lexington, June 9th & 10th, 2011

Art (Kit):

Junior– Lauren Baylee Cissell, Nelson
Senior-Lauren Chesser, Nelson

Art (Pattern/Blueprint):

Junior-Morgan Askins, Warren
Senior-Emily Kane, Bracken

Art (Original Design):

Junior-Allison Adams, Anderson
Senior-McKenna Vierstra, Hart

Equipment:

Junior-Morgan Askins, Warren
Senior-Emily Drury, Anderson

Clothing:

Junior-John Paul Walther, Warren
Senior-Hannah Himmelmann, Boone

Sewing:

Junior-Hope Haynes, Pulaski
Senior-Kathrine Ditmore, Allen

Level 1 Photography-Single:

Audrey Halcomb, Pulaski

Level 1 Photography-Sequence of 3:

Chelsea Whittle, Anderson

Level 1 Photography-5 Photos of an Event:

Deana Curran, Jessamine

Level 2 Photography-5 Photos Showing Movement:

Hannah Himmelmann, Boone

Level 2 Photography-Collection

Hannah Himmelmann, Boone

Level 2 Photography-Digital Collage

Morgan Askins, Warren

Public Speaking:

Junior-Lily Hopkins, Mason
Senior-Anna Meurer, Mercer

Individual Demonstration:

Junior-Morgan Askins, Warren
Senior-Anna Meurer, Mercer

Team Demonstration:

Junior-Morgan Askins and Aspen Hennessey, Warren
Senior-Ethan Turley and Savanna Mosley, Warren

Horse Bowl:

Junior Ind.-Maria Hyrcza, Bracken
Junior Team-Warren County: Michaela Hathaway, Michael Hathaway, Morgan Askins, Aspen Hennessey
Senior Ind.-Emily Kane, Bracken
Senior Team-Mercer County: Georgia Skelton, Brittany Sims, Deana Curran, Anna Meruer

Hippology:

Junior Ind.-Rebecca Norris, Bracken
Junior Team-Warren County: Aspen Hennessey, Morgan Askins, Michaela Hathaway, Michael Hathaway
Senior Ind.-Georgia Skelton, Mercer
Senior Team-Mercer County: Georgia Skelton, Brittany Sims, Deana Curran, Anna Meurer

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for providing leather halters to the
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Dr. Robert Levy*Indiana**Dressage-Hunter Division*

Levy is an active volunteer for the dressage community. He is currently President of the Indiana Dressage Society and serves nationally as the United States Dressage Association's Region 2 Director. Ken Levy has been an active equestrian for the past 20 years. His experience includes Fox Hunting, show hunters, Eventing and Dressage. Ken owns and operates Legacy Farm Dressage in Noblesville, Indiana where he trains and teaches beginners through advanced horses and riders.



Ken is a United States Equestrian Federation "r" Dressage Judge, a USDF Associate Instructor, and an active dressage competitor (competing horses from training through Grand Prix). Levy has won many local, state, regional and National awards, most recently winning the Indiana State Championship at the Grand Prix (Olympic) level.

John Berkos*Illinois**Hunter Division*

John comes from a rich background in riding and judging. He grew up on Primrose Farm in St. Charles, IL, which has been in his family for 5 generations. He began showing with his uncle who was a professional rider and trainer. John holds the record for most consecutive state championships at the Illinois State Fair. He went on to ride at the Winter Equestrian Festival and at the age of 17 rode in his first grand prix. John has represented the USA in international competition at a young riders invitational in Bombay, India and at the Nations Cup in Dublin, Ireland. He has owned many successful horses, having taken several to the Washington Horse Show and to the national finals in Harrisburg, PA.



John began judging at the age of 12 when his uncle offered him to tag along with him while he judged a show, having forgotten he promised John they would hang-out that day. John's uncle thought a 12 year old would not be interested in spending all day judging horses, however to his surprise John jumped at the opportunity. And the rest is history!

Jennifer Moshier*Ohio**Western Contest
Division*

Jennifer is a well known judge and professional within the Kentucky State 4-H Horse Program. As a career judge of 19 years nearing 500 shows judged lifetime, Jennifer finds the greatest satisfaction in working with youth, as her own path in the horse industry began in 4-H in New York in the 70s. Jennifer holds 7 national breed cards and is an approved "A" or "Sr." judge in 8 states. She has previously judged 4H state shows in a variety of divisions in KY, SC, NY, MD and VA in addition to serving on the judging panel at the 2007 Southern Regional in Memphis, TN. Passionate in the area of continuing education, Jennifer serves on the State 4H Horse Judges Committee in Ohio and has acted as an advisor in the current rule book and Danish scoring revisions for Kentucky. In Ohio, Jennifer acts as an advisor to the Easy Gaited and Hunter divisions as well as supervising and assisting with the operation of the 1500+ horse State 4-H Horse Show in July. In the Walking Horse arena, Jennifer's clients have earned local, state and national honors in Walking Seat Equitation, Showmanship, Stock Seat Equitation, Lite Shod and Plantation pleasure classes.

**Carol Smithson***Tennessee**Walking/Racking/Mountain
Division*

Carol is a former high school mathematics teacher, however she is currently an adjunct professor at a technical college. Carol has been judging horse shows since 1993 and currently serves on the judges panel for SHOWHIO and is a SHOWHIO DQP. She has judged the Tennessee Walking Horse Breeders' and Exhibitors' Association World Versatility Show, the United Mountain Horse World Championships, and the National Walking Horse Association National Championship.

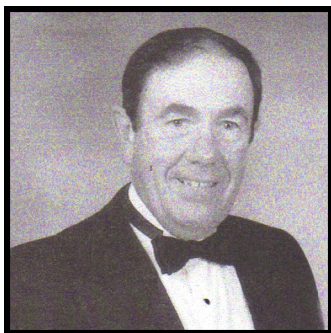


Carol also has owned and trained two amateur Tennessee Walking Horse Breeders' and Exhibitors' Association Supreme Versatility Champions, as well as Walking Horse Owners Association Register of Merit Champions.

*Western Division***David Cunningham**

*Tennessee
Saddleseat/Miniature
Division*

David Cunningham began training American Saddlebreds as a teenager in Knoxville, Tennessee. He has been manager and trainer of Beaver Brook Stables most of his adult life. Under his direction, Beaver Brook has presented such National and World's Champions as [W/C ROAD HORSES] Diamond Hustler, Mad Max, Rusty Russ, Remington Steel, [RWC] Whistle Stop, Parker, [W?C ROAD PONIES] Eloquence, Batman, [RWC] Dunhaven's Model King, Late-Nite's Magic Moment, [HARNESS PONY W/C] El Toro, [COB TAIL W/C] Colour Guard, [FINE HARNESS W/C] Sunday's Coming, Super Masterpiece, Secret Service, [PL. DRIVING RWC] Roselawn's Magnificent Lady, [WALK-TROT W/C] Danish Dream, [LDS. 5 GAITED W/C] Dixie Wing, [5-GAITED PONY W/C] Rush Act, and others.



David is a member of the UPHA, ASHA, American Road Horse and Pony Association, and a lifetime member of the AHSA. He holds his AHSA judges license in the American Saddlebred, Roadster, Hackney/Harness, Saddle Seat Equitation, Morgan, and NSH divisions. As a judge, he has tied the cards at the American Royal, Lexington Jr. League, Toronto Winter Fair, Morgan Grand Nationals, the National [NSH], and almost every Saddlebred show more than once, including the Kentucky State Fair World's Championships.

Sid Griffith

*Ohio
Western Division*

While most kids were running around with their friends, 11 year old Sid Griffith could be found at a local dude ranch leading small children on ponies so that he could get riding time. After years of pleading and armed with \$500 from his 16th birthday he was able to buy his first gelding which was an American Quarter Horse. Sid was able to hone his riding skills under the guidance of hall of fame horsemen Dale Wilkinson and Bill Horn. At the age of 21 he won the National Reining Horse Association Open Futurity and remains to this day the youngest rider to have accomplished this. Sid also trained and rode top working hunter and jumping horses to numerous AQHA high point awards, as well as western pleasure and has finished many AQHA champions. Sid and his wife Leigh Ann now own and operate the Sid Griffith Equestrian Center in Columbus, OH. Sid is also a multi association international horse show judge. He holds cards with the AQHA, NSBA, NRHA, and USEF.

**Robert Lorbeer**

*California
Drill Team*

Bob is from Sacramento, CA where he rode drill with the Sacramento Sheriff's Posse for 17 years and was the Captain/Drill Master for 11 years. During his drill riding career, the Posse won California State Horsemen's Association drill competitions. Bob has coordinated and hosted numerous drill team competitions and was the CSHA Drill Team Committee Chair for 8 years. Bob has also ridden in dozens of parades, including the last 15 Rose Parades in Pasadena, CA on January 1 of each year. Bob holds Drill Judge licenses from USEDA, CSHA, WSEDTA, WLRCA, PNWDTA and OWDTA. Bob has judged Drill Team Competitions in California, Texas, Florida, Georgia, Washington, Kentucky, Virginia, Oklahoma, and Nevada. He has also taught drill clinics throughout the US. Bob has been inducted into the USED-CA Drill Team Hall of Fame, and CSHA has named their annual Drill Team Spirit Award in his honor.

**Elizabeth (Betsy) Connor**

*Pennsylvania
Drill Team*

Betsy Connor, Georgetown, Pennsylvania, has enjoyed a lifetime of horse involvement including riding, showing, drill team and traveling annually on one or more wagon trains (she has been Wagon Master, Chief Scout, and Wagon Scout). She is a member and judge in USEDA, a member of the Friendship Riders Horse Club (parade and drill team), Worldwide Sidesaddle Federation, Ohio Wagon Train Association, and Appalachian Wagon Train. She claims that she has to work at the Farm Service Agency to support her bad horse habits.



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