

October President's Corner

On Saturday, Oct. 15 a number of committee chairs and committee representatives met with several board members to present and discuss preliminary budget requests for 2012. Rob Beam, chair of the marketing committee, was responsible for initiating this meeting and chaired the event. The roster of those in attendance is provided by the office. Peggy Entrekin, executive director of the RMHA, and Tom Prewitt, our vice-president, were both unable to join us, as planned, because of family deaths.

I believe all in attendance found this presentation/discussion worthwhile for the future of the RMHA—not only for 2012 but as a venue that can be repeated to allow wider appreciation of the needs and aspirations of the association as expressed by the committees responsible for so much of our work in preserving, protecting and promoting our horse. I salute Rob for his idea and job well done and all RMHA volunteers who gave up their beautiful fall day to tend to “our” business. The more collective thought and effort we put into our association’s affairs, the more reason to expect more satisfactory results. I remain encouraged and encourage your involvement.

Ron Hatcher, President



Above: Dean Moon completing the Tevis Cup Competition in 24 hours on his RMH, Midnight Blue.

2011 RMHA Calendar

November 12th, 2011: RMHA Board Meeting, 12pm at the USPC

The Horse Exhibit at the International Museum of the Horse, Kentucky Horse Park: Going on now until April 6, 2012

Rocky Mountain Horse Association

Planning Session Roster:

Elsie Hatcher	Ron Hatcher
Vic Ayres	Suzie Clarke
Joe Jolley	Steve Autry
Steve Heuslein	Doug Pugh
O'Neil Lawrence	Kathy House
Tim Vivian	Cheryl Nyland
Rob Beam	Tom Thurman
Mark Eastin	Jeff McCarty
Jill Thompson*	

2012 RMHA Elections Fast Approaching

Offices up for election include the President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, Director of Examiners, Hearing Panel Member and three Members at Large

Qualifications for each office can be [viewed and printed here](#) as well as are posted on the RMHA Web site.

[Please view the Nomination Form here.](#)

If you have an interest or know someone who may wish to serve our Membership please contact the RMHA office at 859-343-0260 or a member of the RMHA Nominating Committee listed below:

December 3rd, 2011:

General Membership Meeting and Christmas Awards Banquet at [Natural Bridge State Park](#)***

Please remember to book your room!

5pm Reception at President Hatcher's Cabin
6:30pm General Membership Meeting
7pm Dinner with awards immediately following
Call RMHA office for your dinner tickets: 859-243-0260

September 10-15, 2012-
RMHA International Horse Show, KHP

Items of interest to KY Breeders and Farms

[Press Release](#) from KY Horse Council about Kentucky Proud Horses and How to Register

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Attention:

**Rules have been
updated as of
August 13, 2011
[here.](#)**

*****[Proposed Rule Change](#)
for Nov. 12th, 2011
Board Meeting--Please
send us your comments
executivedirector@rmhorse.com**

2011 RMHA

25th Anniversary

International Horse Show

Notice:

The Fall/Winter Issue of the RMHA Magazine will no longer have the Stallion List. This list will be provided (in the near future) online or by request mailed to persons who would like a paper copy.

Thank you to all who were able to visit the Kentucky Horse Park for the RMHA 25th Anniversary

International Horse Show. We could not have held such a great event without the many exhibitors/riders and their RM Horses, as well as the valued sponsors and dedicated volunteers. We hope that you were able to join us in all the fun, and look forward to seeing you [next year at the KHP, September 10-15th.](#)

Once Again, A Special Thank You to Our Sponsors:

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Steve Heuslein

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West Coast Rocky Mountain Horse Club

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Robin & Robert Ogilvie

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Elsie & Ron Hatcher

Congratulations to the Special Award Winners:

Morgan Riggs- Miranda Elliott
Carson Masters- Sullivan Ballou- Jane Seaton
Ashley Hytry- RGF Docs Big Deal- Alexandria
Hagerman
Sara Gwisdalla- Dixons Showdown- Langston Harvey
Rea Swan- Blue on Black- H.T. Derickson
Charles Kilburn- Majors Mustang Rebel- Jim Wilkerson
Sam Tuttle- Branson Blue -Charlie DeAtley

For detailed show results, [CLICK HERE!](#)

To see and order Show Photos by
Photographer Teresa Castle, [Click here.](#)

Hidden Barn Farm -
Nancy Copland
Baesler Farm –
Nancy & Robert Baesler
Central States Rocky
Mountain Horse Club
Carriage House Promotions /
Future Horse – Linda Hall
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