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# RHBAA NEWSLETTER

## Make Plans to attend RHBAA Winter Meetings January 28th and 29th

**Double Tree, By Hilton Decatur AL**

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# OFF THE RACK

Winter Meeting Issue

January 2022

## 2022 Winter Meetings

Make plans now to attend this year's Annual Winter Meeting, January 28th and 29th in Decatur Alabama.

Meetings will begin Friday morning at 9:00am. Please see enclosed Schedule of events for meeting times.

### A WORD FROM OUR PRESIDENT

Greetings Members,

I hope this newsletter finds everyone healthy and ready to start the New Year off on a positive note. Our annual Winter Meetings are set for January 28th and 29th at the Double Tree Inn in Decatur, Alabama. I hope all of you are planning on attending this celebration of 2021 year. We will not only celebrate a successful 2021 show season with awards but also start planning for our 2022 season.

We had a very good year at the RHBAA, ending with a great 2021 World Celebration. We are proud to report that over $84,000 was awarded to our winners. The last two years have presented us, as well as the rest of the world, with many obstacles that required thinking outside the box. The RHBAA staff stepped up to the challenges and through it all show cased our horse to the world. The staff endured with fewer personnel and frankly harder than normal working conditions, due to COVID. They worked countless hours to celebrate our 50 years as a breed at the 2021 World Celebration. I would be remised if I didn't recognize the volunteers that stepped in to help and a lot of the times, take projects on that made this celebration an absolute success. I personally want to thank Lora Holcombe, Jim Bowman and Dallas Eubanks for their dedicated services to pull off a decorating marvel for center ring and the arena; as a whole. The character of our Racking Horse family shined through this year. To the Board of Directors, I want to say thank you for all your countless and dedicated hours to benefit the RHBAA. To the new Board of Directors, welcome and tighten up your girths for the ride ahead!

The year we are entering will not be without its challenges as we continue to deal with COVID as well as possible changes made to the rules by the USDA. We will approach these challenges together just as we have over the past two years. Our strong love for the Racking Horse will continue to guide us as it has for 50 years.

I wish each of you a Merry Christmas and a prosperous new year.

RHBAA President

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DOUBLETREE
BY HILTON

Decatur, AL
1101 6th Avenue
For Reservations Call: (256) 355-3150



**Hotel Room Discount Rate $78 plus Tax**

To receive these rates you must call the Double Tree.
Request the rates for the Racking Horse Breeders

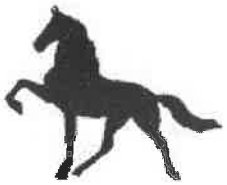
# SpringCelebration 2022

## April 27th – 30th

www.rackinghorse.com
https://www.facebook.com/groups/RHBAACurrentMembers/



**2021 RHBAA WGC I'm McGregor**
Ridden By: Chris Zahnd
Owner: Brian Rolen



# 2022 Winter Meetings
# Schedule of Events



## Friday, January 28th

| | | |
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| 9:00 am – 12:00pm | University Conference Room (UCR) | Board of Directors Meeting |
| 12:00pm – 12:30 pm | Community Boardroom | Speed Association Board Meeting |
| 12:30pm – 1:30 pm | UCR | Breeders Committee Meeting |
| 12:30pm – 1:30pm | Community Board Room | Judge's Apprentice Program Test |
| 1:30 pm – 2:30pm | Community Board Room | Judge's Committee Meeting |
| 1:30 pm – 2:30 pm | UCR | Advisory Committee Meeting |
| 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm | UCR | Rules Committee Meeting |
| 6:00 pm – | Ball Room | RHBAA and Pro Trainers Assoc. Annual Awards Banquet |

## Saturday, January 29th

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| 7:00 am – 8:00 am | Dedication Room | Speed Association Meeting |
| 8:00 am – 9:00 am | Dedication Room | Judge's Meeting |
| 9:00 am - 10:00 am | Dedication Room | Commissioner Meeting |
| 9:00 am – 10:00 am | Excellence Room | Ladies Auxiliary Meeting |
| 10:00 am – 11:00 am | Dedication Room | Amateur Association Meeting |
| 11:00 pm – 12:00pm | Ball Room | General Membership Meeting |
| TBA | | Juvenile Auxiliary Meeting |
| 10:00 am – 11:00 am | UCR | Trainers Board of Directors Meeting |
| 12:30 pm – 1:30 pm | UCR | Trainers General Membership Meeting |
| 12:30 pm – 1:30 pm | Dedication Room | Pleasure Association Meeting |

## RHBAA Deadline Dates

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| January 1 | All Show Cards | Membership Dues |
| January 31 | Judges Application | Commissioner Renewal |
| March 15 | Stalls, Box Seats, and Camper Reservation for Spring Celebration<br>Membership and Amateur Show Card Late Fee | |
| March 31 | Vendor Contractors Spring Celebration | |
| August 15 | Stalls, Box Seats, and Camper Reservations for World Celebration | |
| October 15<br>Affiliated Show | Stallion Report Late Fee<br>90 Days prior to show Affiliation Fee, Application and Show Bill | |

DOUBLETREE
BY HILTON

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January 28th and 29th, 2022
1101 6th Avenue Decatur, AL 35601
256-355-3150

**Hotel Room Discount Rate $78 plus Tax**

To receive these rates you must call the Double Tree - You can also request an Early Check in at 2pm, early check in is based on availability normal check-in in at 4:00pm
Request the rates for the Racking Horse Breeders

Entertainment
Silent Auction
Winter Meetings Banquet

Banquet Menu: Fried Chicken, Roast Beef Au Jus, Garlic Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans w/ Bacon, Baked Squash Casserole, Fruit Salad, Garden Salad, with Ranch and Thousand Island Dressing, Warm Rolls with Butter, Assorted Cream Pies, Coffee, Sweet Iced Tea And Water, Open Bar

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# Banquet Reservation Form

*$20 Adults*
*$10 Children 10 & Under*

Name: _____ Phone: _____
Address: _____
Phone: (  ) _____
Adult #: _____ Children #: _____
Credit Card # _____ Exp._____ CVC____

****** ALL RESERVATIONS ARE NON-REFUNDABLE******

Return this form along with payment to
RHBAA -67 Horse Center Rd. Suite B – Decatur, AL 35603

# Reservation Deadline January 20, 2022



# RHBAA EXHIBITOR STATUS CARD APPLICATION

Please PRINT and complete ALL of the information below so that we may issue your card correctly. All applications must be approved by the Chairman of the RHBAA Exhibitor Status Committee. If more than one person is applying for an Exhibitor Card, please feel free to make as many copies as needed. ALL Applications must be signed.

**Name** _____ **Membership #** _____ **Birth Date**_____

**ADDRESS** _____ **SS#**_____

**City, State, Zip** _____

**Home Phone** _____ **Cell Phone** _____

**FOR: (Check One)** ☐ **New Application** ☐ **Renewal**

**AMATUER SHOW CARD, fee $15 (After March 15th, fee will be $25)**

**Have you ever trained or assisted in training horses for a living?**

☐ **YES** ☐ **NO**

**If yes, how long?** _____

**JUVENILE SHOW CARD, fee $5.00**

**Birth Date** _____

***A juvenile for horse purposes is a person who has not reached the age of 18.***

**ALL Cards expire December 31 of Each Year**

**NOTE: Exhibitor Status is REQUIRED for Spring and Fall Celebration.**

**Under the penalties of perjury, I certify that the above information is true and correct:**

**SIGNATURE REQUIRED** _____ **Date** _____

***Professional Trainers will need to go to our website and download an application for the RHBAA Trainers Show Card.**



# RHBAA Membership Application

☐ Individual Membership $35 ($45 after March 15th)

☐ Family Membership $45 ($55 after March 15th) includes 2 adults & 2 children

**Membership Cards Expire December 31st of each year.**

We encourage all persons who are actively involved with the Racking Horse to become members. Your involvement in the RHBAA is important and we encourage you to join in making us strong and unified. Mail your application with a check or money order to:

**RHBAA, 67 Horse Center Road, Ste. B, Decatur, AL 35603**

**Phone: 256-353-7225** **FAX: 256-353-7266** **Email: info@rackinghorse.com** **www.rackinghorse.com**

**AMOUNT ENCLOSED $ _____** ☐ **Cash** ☐ **Check** ☐ **Money Order** ☐ **Visa /Mastercard**

**Check/Money Order # _____ Credit Card # _____ Exp. Date _____ CVC Code _____**

**Name on Card _____** ***There will be a 3% surcharge added to all credit card payments.***

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**1. _____ Membership # _____ Birth Date _____ SS# _____**

*Primary member, entitled to one (1) free pedigree registration, during the year folded each year membership dues are paid.

**ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____**

**CITY, STATE, ZIP _____ EMAIL _____**

**2. _____ Membership # _____ Birth Date _____ SS# _____**

**3. CHILD _____ Membership # _____ Birth Date _____ SS# _____**

**4. CHILD _____ Membership # _____ Birth Date _____ SS# _____**

**A Juvenile (Child) member must be under 18 years of age. Date of birth is mandatory for Juvenile Members.**

**Under the penalties of perjury, I certify that the above information is true and correct:**

**SIGNATURE OF PRIMARY APPLICANT REQUIRED _____**

**Agrees to abide by the Rules and Regulations of the RHBAA. I am also entitled to conduct business with the RHBAA at reduced prices.**

***This application cannot be changed or altered in any way once it has been submitted and accepted by the RHBAA.***