



Arabian Horse Association

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Hello!

First, we want to thank all of you for making the 2009 Region 15 show one of the largest regionals in the country! Your support was a major factor in the success of the show and allowed us to expand and add a number of activities!

The prize list will be mailed to be in your hands by April 1; it will also be available on the web site at www.Region15.com. Included in it are schedules for both shows; the Firecracker Classic (pre-show) and the Region 15 Championship Horse Show. Advertising space is still available on a limited basis and is due by February 1, 2010.

The Firecracker Classic sponsored by Region 15 has cut and combined classes to make the numbers larger and qualifying easier. We will offer TBA classes and have 10 openings; classes **MUST BE PURCHASED** by May 1. Firecracker Cash will once again be available with five, \$100 drawings just for entering!

The schedule for the Regional Championship Show has been tuned from your suggestions from the main ring to the working classes. In a change, Over Fences Classes will begin on Friday evening with the Hunter Hack classes while the remaining over fences classes will be on Saturday. Working Western classes will once again be on **WEDNESDAY**: Regional Trail in the morning and Regional Reining in the afternoon & evening. **WEDNESDAY** will also feature our big money Region 15 Championship Reining; \$5,000.00 in matching money for a possible pot of \$10,000 or more!. It will serve as the entertainment for our exhibitor dinner, held at ringside at Moore arena; it's **FREE** to all exhibitors!

We will once again offer the \$1,000 in matching money for open Country English, English, Hunter and Western Pleasure (Purebred & Half-Arabian). The popular "Be Fuelish with 15"; will be back and the size of drawings has **DOUBLED** to \$50.00 payouts for a fuel rebate throughout the show. We will also be continuing with **TWO**, Trainer's Cash Draw each session and multiple Amateur Gift Certificate Give-a-ways each session; plus *Mrs. Rowe's has returned to CATER the Patrons Lounge*

The judging panel, selected by the exhibitors, includes Wendy Gruskevicz, Jim Hitt, Van Jacobsen for the main ring; Dr Paramjeet Chopra for Dressage, Debbie Rodriguez for Dressage/Sport Horse and Diana Cappellanti for Hunter/Sport Horse with Anne "Bubbles" Hiller doing the Firecracker Classic For those of you who joined us and enjoyed the show in 2009 we promise even better in 2010 and for those of you who missed it come on back and see what you missed.

Any thoughts or suggestions please let us know. Looking forward to a great show season in 2009!!!

Regards,

Marty

Martin E. Kleiner, Show Co-Manager

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