



# South Florida Horse Show Association



Newsletter

July/ August 2009

## A Goodbye Message From Your 2008-2009 President

Dear Members,  
What a wonderful season it has been and a pleasure to have served you. South Florida Horse Show Association has a bright future. I encourage each and every member to get involved in your organization and be a part of something great. I am pleased and very excited about our new Board of Directors and look forward to working with each and every member. A big thank you to our many sponsors and volunteers for a wonderful job well done. Congrats to all our winners at the End of the Year Banquet. We had a great time! My last words as your President: be encouraging, supportive and work hard together for this organization has been built up strong but can not work without each and every members' support. No matter what each of our disciplines are we are connected together by one source, the love of the equine sport. Thank you all for your support and dedication thus far. Hope to see you at the next show...

Sincerely,  
Natasha Goodman

## A Message From Your 2009-2010 President-Elect

Congratulations to all of the members that made their voices heard during the June election. You voted in a Board of Directors that are not only an enthusiastic group, but members that have already demonstrated their willingness to work hard to improve SFHA. The Board, which is the governing arm of SFHA, also represents all of SFHA's disciplines. To better represent you, SFHA's Board will be surveying the membership to ensure that the Board is clearly representing your wishes for the 2009-2010 show season and achieving the Club's mission of improving the horsemanship skills of all members. The Board will also ensure transparency in the decision-making process, by publishing show rules, and class and award qualifications before the start of the season. Additionally, Board of Director meetings will be open to the membership and members may provide comment at any Board meeting. The 2009-2010 Board is already hard at work, so get involved and help make SFHA's sophomore season a memorable one!

Sincerely,  
Donna Fries

## Congratulations to the 2009-2010 South Florida Horse Show Association Board of Directors and Junior Board

**President** - Donna Fries

**Vice President** - Natasha Goodman

**Treasurer** - Lillianne de Zendegui

**Recording Secretary** - Miriam Neville

**Corresponding Secretary** - Cecelia Magrath

### Board of Directors

Christine Bowden  
Mindy Hellreigel  
Kathy Rogers

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Stephanie Laricci  
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Stacy Gonzalez  
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### Junior Board

Aubrey Jones

Samantha Raulerson

Kaylee Scott

Summer Smith

## 2009 - 2010 Show Circuit at Tropical Park Equestrian Center

September 19<sup>th</sup>  
October 3<sup>rd</sup>  
January 9<sup>th</sup>  
February 27<sup>th</sup>  
April 3<sup>rd</sup>  
May 15<sup>th</sup>  
June 12<sup>th</sup>

## End of the Year Awards Ceremony

The Denim and Diamonds Inaugural End of the Year Ceremony was a huge success with over 100 persons attending the banquet. Everyone enjoyed a wonderful dinner catered by Smoke & Spice. The kids had a great time on the dance stage as they were led by Natasha Goodman doing the "Get Funky" line dance. Congratulations to all our winners who received custom made awards & beautiful ribbons. A special thanks to the Homestead Rodeo Association for their generosity!

## Congratulations to our 2008 - 2009 High Point Division Winners

**In-Hand Youth** - Francesca de Zendegui, Jennifer Abbot, Everett Gilchrist

**Adult In-Hand** - Taylor Haskin, Kathleen Young, Donna Fries, Lillianne de Zendegui

**Leadline English** - Emma Bowden, Katherine Monzon

**Saddleseat/English Pleasure** - Sarah Castle, Lucy Zelman

**Gaited** - Sarah Castle

**Youth English** - Courtney Furton, Kelly Murphy

**Open English** - Stacy Gonzalez., Steven Saumell

**Jumping** - Kelly Murphy, Steven Saumell

**Youth WJ** - Samantha Borek, Everett Gilchrist, Jennifer Abbott

**Adult WJ** - Donna Fries, Kathleen Young, Lillianne de Zendegui

**Adult Western** - Kathy Rodgers, Stacy Gonzalez

**Open Western** - Stacy Gonzalez, Kathy Rodgers

**Leadline Western** - Francesca de Zendegui, Jordan Ingram

**Reining** - Taylor Haskin, Jessica Niles, George Tapia

**Youth Showmanship** - Samantha Raulerson, Aubrey Jones, Summer Smith, Francesca de Zendegui

**Adult Showmanship** - Donna Fries, Kathleen Young

**Youth Equitation** - Kelly Murphy, Courtney Furton., Steven Saumell

**Adult Equitation** - Stephanie Laricci, Lucy Zelman

**Youth Horsemanship** - Aubrey Jones, Summer Smith, Francesca de Zendegui, Samantha Borek, Jordan Ingram, Everett Gilchrist.

**Adult Horsemanship** - Donna Fries, Lillianne de Zendegui, Kathleen Young

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