



South Florida Horse Show Association



May 2009

2008-2009 Show Circuit
June 13- Challenge Trophy and
Regular Schooling Show
2009-2010 Show Circuit
Begins September 19th

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A Message From Your President

Dear Members,

What a great show! Not only did we have wonderful attendance but it was a successful AQHA Introductory Show, kudos to you all! I would like to welcome our new members and a huge thanks to all our current members for supporting SFHA. Our Board has worked very hard in making each show bigger and more successful. During our April show, we put into place several strategies to make the show run on time. I'd like to thank the Board Members who worked tirelessly to adhere to our time schedule. Many riders expressed their gratitude. We will continue to work diligently to produce a good time line for our Challenge Trophy Show on June 13th. The show bill and Challenge Class qualifications will be posted on the SFHA website.

Our End of the Year *Denim & Diamonds* Banquet will held on June 27, 2009 at the Homestead Rodeo Grounds. SFHA is committed to recognizing *all* of its members for their hard work in the arena. We have exciting awards, door prizes, raffles and activities planned. Bring your dancing shoes or boots as we dance the night away. Tickets will be on sale at the show office during the June Challenge Trophy show or you may contact Lillianne de Zendegui, Treasurer, at ledezendegui@gmail.com. Tickets are \$15 for adults and \$7 for children under 10.

We are also working very hard in preparing for the 2009 - 2010 Show Circuit with many new exciting venues including additional joint breed shows. The 2009-2010 season kicks off on September 19, 2009. Additional show information will be posted on our website.

Once again thanks to all our members and be safe out there. As always, I am here to serve your show needs. If you have any suggestions I am always available by email at CircleGFarm2@aol.com or by phone at 305.389.3091.

Natasha Goodman
SFHA President

2009 Miami International Agricultural and Cattle Show

The International Agriculture and Cattle show started off misty, but soon cleared as our members arrived for SFHA's demonstration. As trailers were unloaded and horse were saddled, one of our youth members encountered his first cow up close and was left speechless by the sheer size of the bovine. Everyone was a little nervous about whether or not any of the horses would be cowey, but alas warm-up went well - until a cow, yes cow, charged one of the Paso Fino stallions. Everyone made it safely into the arena, to mount up for the demonstration.

The spectators especially loved the youth members, who did a terrific job. The overall fan favorite however was the meet and greet on the rail. Our members answered questions about their horse's breed, riding style, and SFHA. The horses all loved the attention. Thanks to everyone that assisted with the preparation and participated in the demonstration. Let's do it again next year!

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