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WINTER MEETINGS ISSUE

January 2016

2016 Winter Meetings

Make plans now to attend this year's Annual Winter Meetings, February 26th-27th in Huntsville, Alabama.

Meetings will begin Friday afternoon at 2pm. Please see enclosed Schedule of Events for meeting time.

Also, on Saturday there will be a General Membership Luncheon and High Point Awards Presentation followed by the General Membership Meeting.

Then Saturday Evening at 6pm will be the Annual PRHTA Awards Banquet.

spring Celebrary 2016

April 27th-30th

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Congratulations to Our New Board of Directors

Alabama

Ricky Parker

Georgia & Florida

Danny Musick

Kentucky

Brian Perkins



Holiday Inn Huntsville, AL

For Reservations: Holiday Inn Huntsville- Research Park

> 5903 University Drive Huntsville, AL 35806 256-830-0600 1-800-845-7275

RHBAA Members are being offered discount room rates for \$89 per night make your reservations early!

BE SURE TO ASK FOR YOUR DISCOUNT!

A WORD FROM OUR PRESIDENT

Bobby Simmons

I want to take this opportunity to wish everyone a safe and happy new year and to thank all of you for helping in 2015 to make a wonderful celebration. We made progress in 2015 but still have a lot of work to accomplish; with your help we can do it, and with all of us who love the breed we can make 2016 an even better year. Please encourage everyone to attend

Please encourage everyone to attend winter meetings February 27th and 28th in Huntsville, AL. It's always lots of fun and a great way to kick off the 2016 show season. Look forward to seeing everyone.

Price Increase for 2016

Commission Registration -\$60 for members and \$120 for non-members.

Pedigree registrations under 30 days from foal date - \$30 for members and \$60 for non-members.

All geldings under 5 years old must now submit DNA the same as stallions and mares.

Transfers - \$25 for members and \$50 for non-members with a transfer day under 30 days.

Other registration fees will remain as shown on the schedule.

After March 15th 2016 there will be a \$10 late fee for memberships



Ronnie Hooker Vice President of the Futurity Breeders Association would like to thank everyone who contributed to a successful year for the FBA.

We need your help in promoting the FBA; will you be a part of it? Join us Saturday Morning at the Winter Meetings as we gather to discuss our plans for 2016!

Everyone is encouraged to be a member of the Futurity Breeders Association and the challenge this year is to ask a friend to join! Let's make this year another successful year!



Please join us for a fun filled night on February 27th 6pm at the Holiday Inn Research Park, Huntsville AL. The high point awards will be presented and along with Horse of the Year we will be presenting Specialty Action and Pleasure Horse of the Year. We had a wonderful time last year. Please come and enjoy the friendship.

Meeting schedule for winter meetings: Friday February 26th BOD meeting 6pm

- 1. Point System
- 2. Horse Show
- 3. Committees
- 4. Banquet

Saturday February 27th General Membership meeting immediately following RHBAA luncheon

- 1. Election of Offices
- 2. Horse Show
- 3. Points System
- 4. Membership

Saturday February 27th 6pm Awards Banquet Please make plans to attend.

We would like for you barn to buy a table for \$240.00 or \$30.00 per ticket to the banquet. Several tables have already been reserved. Call Barbara Johnston or Barbara Appleton for table reservations or tickets as soon as possible.

Reservations can be made by calling the Hotel @ 256-830-0600 Ask for the racking Horse Rate. \$89.00

Please help us with our Silent Auction by donating a basket or something to include in the sale.

We hope to see you there.



Hello to all Juvenile auxiliary members! We will be having a meeting before the general membership meeting on Saturday. We will be putting together ideas for spring and fall celebration. We will be doing a raffle for a saddle and bridle from Bedford Tack to be given away at fall celebration. The saddle and bridle will be on display at winter meetings and we will be selling raffle tickets for it during the weekend.

The tickets will be \$1.00
Or 6 for \$5.00





2016 RHBAA WINTER MEETINGS February 26 – February 27



THURSDAY, February 25, 2016

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

	42nd St.	Board of Directors
FRIDAY, February 26, 2016 8:00 a.m 3:00 p.m.	42 nd St.	Board of Directors Meeting
2:00 p.m3:00 p.m.	Wall St.	Breeders Committee Meeting
3:00 p.m 4:00 p.m.	Wall St.	Personnel & Property Meeting
4:00 p.m 5:00 p.m.	Wall St.	Membership & Promotions Meeting -Horse Show Committee Meeting
4:00 p.m 5:00 p.m.	42 nd St.	Commissioners Meeting
5:00 p.m 6:00 p.m.	Wall St.	Pleasure Association Meeting
6:00 p.m 7:00 p.m.	Wall St.	Ladies Auxiliary Meeting
6:00 p.m 7:00 p.m.	42 ^{ng} St.	Judges Meeting
6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Madison Ave. North	HIO Oversight Committee Meeting
7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Wall St.	Speed Association Meeting
8:00 p.m	42 nd St.	Trainers Board of Directors Meeting
SATURDAY, February 27, 2016		
8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Wall St.	Rules Enforcement Meeting
8:00 a.m 9:00 a.m.	42 nd St.	Judge's Apprentice Program Test
9:00 a.m 10:00 a.m.	Madison Ave. North	Judges Committee Meeting
9:00 a.m 10:00 a.m.	Wall St.	Trail, Field & Pleasure Meeting
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	42nd \$t.	Futurity Association Meeting
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Wall St.	Advisory Committee Meeting
10:00 a.m 11:00 a.m.	42 nd St.	Amateur Association Meeting
ТВА		Juvenile Auxiliary Meeting
11:00 a.m 12:00 p.m.	5 th Ave. & Times Square	General Membership Luncheon
12:00 p.m 2:00 p.m.	Madison Ave.	General Membership Meeting
2:30 p.m	Wall St.	Trainers General Membership Meeting
6:00 p.m	5th Ave. & Times Square	Pro Trainers Assoc. Annual Awards Social

^{*****(}Please remember to bring your Membership Card)****