



NEW ZEALAND MINIATURE HORSE ASSOCIATION INC

NORTH ISLAND JUDGES Clinic
(Following the NZMHA National Show)

Monday March 25, 2013
Egmont A& P Show Grounds and Park Motel Conference Room, Hawera

SEMINAR FACILITATOR
MICHAEL GOODWIN

Michael is the only AMHA carded judge in New Zealand and to date has judged miniature horse shows in the US, the Horse of the Year Show England as well as shows in Belgium and Australia. Michael is also carded with NZMHA; AMHR; NZ PHA; NZWPS; RAS NZ. Michael will also judge at the AMHA World Show in the US in 2013.

Seminar Format:
9am – 2pm Clinic
Practical and Theory
Followed by
Judge Candidate Interviews for Candidate Judges

Clinic Information

The clinic is open to all judges, applicant judges, exhibitors and those interested in Miniature Horses.

Tea & coffee will be provided at the clinic. Bring your own lunch.

Seminar Fee: \$30.00 per person payable at time of registration.

Rule Book Exam:

This must be completed by Candidate Judges prior to the clinic and is an open book exam to be completed and returned by February 15th 2013. This exam will be posted to all Candidate Judges on receipt of the Application for Judge Certification and Clinic Registration forms. Applicants must hold a copy of the NZMHA Show Rules 2012/2013.

Return all forms and exams to:

Denise Wilson
108 Calypso Road
Makarewa RD 6
Invercargill 9876

BECOMING AN NZMHA JUDGE

NZMHA have scheduled a Judges Clinic for Monday March 25th 2013 at Hawera, Taranaki. The clinic will take place at the TSB Arena at the Egmont A&P Showgrounds and the Park Motel Conference Room. The Park Motel is adjacent to the Egmont showgrounds. In this Clinic Package you will find all the necessary forms you should complete - These forms are the Application for Judges Certification Application and the Seminar Registration. Applicants for judge accreditation should be 21 years of age and over. Renewing judges, other accredited judges and interested persons are very welcome to attend.

Judges Certification Application

This form is to be completed by anyone wishing to apply to be a NZMHA Judge whether as a new judge or a judge credentialed from another organisation wishing to become a NZMHA judge. The form is in 2 parts.

Personal Details: All fields are required to be completed.

Resume: For existing judges from other Associations these details are required as they are included in the records held for each NZMHA judge. It is accepted that applicant (new) judges may have had no show judging experience but other horse related activities are important so please include these.

Existing NZMHA judges who wish to attend the seminar to refresh need only complete the Seminar Registration form.

Seminar Registration Form

All attendees are to complete this form. Whilst the Seminar is primarily to credential new Judges and to refresh renewing NZMHA judges it is also open to anyone who wishes to attend as an observer.

Renewing NZMHA judges please indicate you are renewing on the Registration Form and include an updated copy of your judging resume.

Seminar fees must accompany the Registration Form – the fee for the seminar is \$30.00.

What will be covered in the Seminar

All Judge Applicants and renewing Judges will be sent a Rule Book Exam which is to be completed and returned before the Seminar. This is an open rule book exam and a 90% pass is required. All applicant judges will be required to have an interview following their exam.

Course content will include:

- The work of a Judge: commitment to excellence; being professional, keeping informed, ethical Issues.
- The Miniature Horse as a Breed – Breed Standards, Show Rules.
- Tools for Judges – resources within the Breed, keeping up to date, score sheets and tools.

There will be an emphasis on performance classes at the seminars and the tools available to judges to assist them in judging and scoring these classes.

All attendees will receive an information pack which is included in the seminar fee. Please bring your own lunch, tea and coffee will be made available.

For further information please contact Denise Wilson

denise.wilson@xtra.co.nz

03 235 8192

New Zealand Miniature Horse Association Inc.



Return completed form to

NZMHA Licensed Officials Committee

APPLICATION FOR JUDGES CERTIFICATION

I _____ (full name of applicant)

of _____ (address)

Occupation _____

Phone (____) _____ Fax (____) _____

Mobile (____) _____ Email _____

hereby apply to become a Licensed Miniature Horse Judge for the New Zealand Miniature Horse Association Incorporated.

Please attach a resume including the following details as a minimum:

1. Formal education, including course work pertaining to horse judging;
2. Judges licenses held for other breed associations, breed societies, performance disciplines and equestrian federations (including livestock organisations). Include the following:
 - Name of licensing body;
 - Year judges license was issued and classification;
 - Number of shows judges for organisation;
 - Educational seminars attended and dates;
 - Other relevant information;
3. Number and type of horse shows judges. Provide name of show, location, year and horse breeds judged;
4. References – names and addressed of two (2) people who can be contacted to verify your abilities;
5. Horse related experience and interests (eg. Breed and show Welsh Ponies);

Privacy Act: I understand that the information provided will be utilised on the NZ Miniature Horse Association (Inc) Judges List which will be made available to NZMHA Council Members, NZMHA Affiliated Clubs, the Royal Agricultural Society and its Affiliates and any other party as deemed appropriate by NZMHA Council.

Declaration: I hereby certify that all information supplied in relation to this application is true and correct to be best of my knowledge. I agree that:

- If this application is accepted, and
- I satisfactorily complete the certificate process and
- I am granted a NZMHA Judges Licence

I will Judge Miniature Horse Classes in accordance with the Official Show Rule Booklet of the New Zealand Miniature Horse Association Inc. and any amendments made thereto. In signing this application, I understand that I am personally responsible for the information submitted. I also understand that in the event that said information is determined to be inaccurate or fraudulent, I am subject to penalty and/or loss of NZMHA Judges Licence (if issued).

Signed: _____

Date: / /

Checklist

- All details completed Form Signed by Applicant Resume Attached

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NEW ZEALAND MINIATURE HORSE ASSOCIATION INC

2013 JUDGES CLINIC – REGISTRATION FORM

NAME

ADDRESS

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PHONE EMAIL.....

ATTENDANCE TYPE – please circle where applicable

JUDGE CANDIDATE

JUDGE RENEWAL Please attach an updated Resume detailing Miniature Horse shows judged and date of last seminar attended.

OTHER

COST \$30.00

PAYMENT ATTACHED \$.....

Return Application for Judge Certification and Clinic Registration Form by:

15 February for Judge Candidates

And Registration form by:

10th March for Judge Renewal/Other

Judge Candidates:

A Rule Book Exam will be sent to you on receipt of Judge Application Form, Registration and Fee.

The Rule Book Exam must be completed prior to the Seminar and is to be returned no later than 15th March.

Return Registration Form and Exam to:

Denise Wilson, 108 Calypso Rd, Makarewa, RD 6, Invercargill 9876

Email:denise.wilson@xtra.co.nz