

**Recreational Activities Committee Agenda
San Francisco, California
2008**

Committee Guidelines

1. Develop and administer recreational programs and events which enhance and encourage American Quarter Horse ownership, participation, and enjoyment.
2. Develop and administer programs for AQHA members who enjoy caring for and/or training their horses, generally for recreational activities.
3. Oversee development and promotion of educational programs, activities and curricula that will benefit recreational owners.
4. Recommend adoption of or amendment to Association rules and fees pertaining to recreational programs.
5. Develop programs that encourage AQHA members to participate in trail advocacy activities.
6. Serve as the Public Policy committee's resource for trail legislation and regulation.
7. Develop coalitions with other recreational organizations.
8. Work to preserve open space for equestrian use.
9. Travel to appropriate venues to promote AQHA's recreational programs.
10. Be willing to serve on various task forces between annual meetings.

Agenda

1. Welcome by Chair
2. Review committee guidelines
3. Meeting protocol
4. Member review of and comment on agenda items
5. Review report from 2007 meeting in Houston
6. Review Recreational membership action plans
7. Discuss member recommendation to reinstate the Congressional Trail Ride (**Public Policy primary, with Recreational Activities recommendation**)
8. Review recommendation from Cowboy Mounted Shooting Association to pursue approval as a class and a recognition program (**Show primary, with Recreational Activities recommendation**)
9. Review recommendation from Single Action Shooting Society to pursue approval as a class and a recognition program (**Show primary, with Recreational Activities recommendation**)
10. Discuss member recommendation to find opportunities to stimulate STEP program by developing a log to record time spent in the act of land stewardship
11. Consider member recommendation to make trail trials a special event
12. Discuss member recommendation to look at program "Sturgis for Horses"
13. Review arrangement between AQHA and affiliates in regard to participating in third party trail rides
14. Consider an increase in fees for the horseback riding program
15. Consideration of other business
16. Voting for Chair and Vice Chair
17. Adjourn