



AMERICAN QUARTER HORSE YOUTH ASSOCIATION

AQHYA RACING EXPERIENCE TRAINER'S SHEET

The following lists the concepts and/or skills we'd like the participants in the AQHYA Racing Experience to witness. This list can certainly be expanded, but we'd like to insure that all participants get the same basic curriculum.

MANAGEMENT & ADMINISTRATION OF A RACING BARN

1. Learn about the routine of a "typical" day (racing and non-racing) at the racing stable, what goes on from the time the first person gets to the barn in the morning to the time when the last person leaves in the evening. This would include how many people it takes to run the barn and what their specific responsibilities are.
2. The expenses and revenue associated with owning or training a racehorse; what the owner pays for and what the trainer pays for. For your convenience, we have provided a worksheet on the following page.

HORSEMANSHIP & TRAINING TECHNIQUES

1. Training issues:
 - What is involved in getting a two-year-old to its first race
 - How you keep the "veterans" in winning form
2. Identification of the equipment used in racing and training – bits, bridles, martingales, saddles, tongue ties, bandages, boots, blinkers, shadow rolls, etc. What they look like, what they are used for and how to fit them properly.
3. The proper way to bandage a leg for training, racing and in the barn
4. Your views and practices in the use of different therapies such as using ice, whirlpools, magnetic therapy, etc.
5. Where to find and how to read a tattoo
6. Shoes and shoeing for the racehorse
7. The feeding regime for horses of varying age and fitness. What supplements are used?
8. Etiquette on the racetrack. How does everyone stay out of each other's way in the morning?
9. The routine of the horse's day. We'd like each student to follow:
 - At least one horse through a "training" or non-racing day
 - At least one horse on the day that it is racing

FACTS & FIGURES*

TRAINERS

REVENUES

Date Rate per horse \$ _____
Percentage of purse won by horse in training _____ %
Do you charge any commissions? Yes No _____ %

EXPENSES

Feed:

Hay/grass, average cost \$ _____

Grains, average cost \$ _____

Supplements, average cost \$ _____

Bedding, average cost \$ _____

Equipment/supplies, what do you provide? \$ _____

Payroll/Personnel:

Assistant trainers, average salary \$ _____

Grooms, average salary \$ _____

Hot walkers, average salary \$ _____

Exercise riders, average salary \$ _____

Secretary/bookkeeper, average salary \$ _____

Insurance

Workmen's Compensation \$ _____

Liability, etc: Yes No \$ _____

OWNERS REVENUES

Private sale/Claim of horse \$ _____

Purses (range of winner's share) \$ _____

EXPENSES

Ferrier \$ _____

Vet – for a generally “sound” racehorse \$ _____

Jockey:

Winning mount \$ _____

Losing mount \$ _____

Pony \$ _____

Any other barn members/staff Yes No \$ _____

Shipping, track to track	\$ _____
Insurance on horses Yes No	\$ _____
Percent purse to trainer _____%	\$ _____
Equipment: Yes No	\$ _____

*When completing this sheet, please use the average cost of these items at this track or the average cost where you base your training operation. The amounts listed can certainly be general.

AQHVA
WYOMING YOUTH RACING DAYS

Wyoming Downs – Evanston Wyoming

Applicants must be at least 15 to 18 years of age. **Limited positions available;**

Please print and fill this form out completely and return it to:

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Name: _____ AQHYA ID#: _____

Address: _____ E-mail: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Telephone #: _____ Fax#: _____

Name of parent(s) or guardians(s): _____

Gender: _____ Birthdate: _____ Age: _____

Are you a member of affiliate or regional Quarter Horse Youth Associations? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, list which ones: _____

If yes, do you hold an affiliate or regional Quarter Horse Youth Association Office? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, list which ones: _____

List all organizations you are a member of:

Hobbies and interests:

List your past experiences(s) involving horses (i.e. ridden since you were 3, etc.):

Future plans or career goals:

Check any AQHYA Programs that you have been involved in:

Horseback Riding Programs Leadership Conference STAR Program
 Horse Bowl Contest All STAR Team Member AQHYA Regional Race Experience
 Speech Contest Scrapbook Contest Talent Contest
 Art Contest Photo Contest Judging Contest
 Other _____

Are any of your family members involved in American Quarter Horse racing?

Yes No

If yes, in what capacity? Please check all that apply.

Trainer Breeder
 Owner Jockey
 Racetrack Employee
 Other (please explain) _____

List any previous knowledge of or experience you have in the horse racing industry:

If selected by the affiliate hosting this regional racing experience, would you be interested in attending the AQHYA National Youth Racing Championship Experience held at The Downs at Albuquerque, Albuquerque, NM?

YES!

NO!

**Return to:
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Please contact Judy Horton for more information:

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Applications can be emailed as well.

All lodging and meals are provided – All you have to do is get there!