



ApHC & POAC

European Judges Seminar

Tentative Schedule
August 3rd + 4th, 2009



Monday, August 3rd, 2009

7:00 – 8:00 a.m.	Registration – Appaloosa Company
8:00 – 8:30	Introduction, Appaloosa breed, ethics, equipment
8:30 – 9:00	Halter
9:00 – 9:15	Coffee break
9:15 – 11:00	Showmanship, western horsemanship, hunt seat equitation
11:00 – 12:00	Western riding
12:00 – 1:00	Lunch Break
1:00 – 2:00	Trail
2:00 – 3:00	Western pleasure
3:00 – 3:15	Coffee Break
3:15 – 4:30	Hunter under saddle, hunter hack, working hunter
4:30 – 6:30	Reining

Immediately Following:

Show Management Session – Question & Answer Format

ApHC Staff will be on hand to answer questions regarding show management.

Tuesday, August 4th, 2009

7:00 – 9:00 a.m.	Video testing
9:00 – 9:15	Coffee Break
9:15 – 12:00	Interviews
12:00 – 1:15	Lunch Break
1:15 – 5:30	Live judging
5:30 - open	Interviews



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APPLICANT TESTING

At the seminar, applicants will be video tested and be required to live judge halter and performance classes. The applicant will also be interviewed and evaluated by a panel of ApHC-approved judges and ApHC staff and be required to take a written rulebook test consisting of 50 true/false and multiple choice questions.

The video and live judging portions of the seminar may include, but are not limited to: halter, showmanship, hunter under saddle, western pleasure, hunt seat equitation, western equitation, western riding, trail, hunter hack, working hunter and reining.

APPLICANT ATTIRE

Applicants should dress in appropriate western judging attire during the entire seminar. Western hats should be worn during the live judging and interview portions of the testing. No hats should be worn during the classroom sessions or video testing.

REGISTRATION

The cost for those interested in applying and testing or renewing to become or stay an approved ApHC and POAC European Judge is 180 €. For those individuals just interested in expanding their knowledge, but not testing for their judge card, the cost is only 130 €. Registration fees are due upon arrival at the seminar. (the costs contain: ApHC fees, Instructor fees, drinks during seminar and Lunch, there will be no extra fee for the POAC)

Applicants must be current ApHC or POAC members in order to test for their ApHC or POAC European Judges Card. Memberships may be purchased at the seminar upon arrival or through the ApHC or POAC prior to the seminar.

Applicants, after passing the test, must submit a photo in judging attire and a short bio listing.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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