

January 2021



Newsletter

HAFLINGER HORSE BITS



Carly Schwartz and Lady Aphesian MDH

AHR's 2021 Haflinger Calendars



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Need a daily dose of golden pick-me-up (even though 2021 is bound to be better)?

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Bits & Pieces from AHR



2020 Points and Awards Submissions

Calling all Golden Path and Ambassador participants! Your points and hours for 2020 are all due by January 31. Visit haflingerhorse.com/points to download current tracking forms or to submit your points and hours online, or email points@haflingerhorse.com with your submissions.

Don't Forget—Renewals Are Easier Than Ever on DigitalHorses!

Whether your membership expired or you need to renew stallion licenses for the 2021 breeding season, renewals are easier than ever to submit online. Just login to your membership account at haflinger.digitalhorses.com and click on the renew button!

Membership Ends: 12/31/2020 [Renew](#)

As a reminder: all annual memberships expired on December 31, so if you have not yet renewed for 2021, this will be your last newsletter!

Send us Your Stories!

We want to know what you've been up to! Don't forget to send in your articles, pictures and updates for inclusion in the newsletters. Stories can be emailed to newsletter@haflingerhorse.com.

Check Out the Marketplace!

If you haven't visited the updated AHR website yet, you're missing out! The Farm Directory and Classified Ad pages of the website have merged into a new and expanded **AHR Marketplace**. There's a new interactive and searchable map, which not only includes the directory and classifieds, but also event listings, services, tack and equipment for sale, wanted ads, and more!

Visit haflingerhorse.com/marketplace to check it out and add your listing today. All listings are now FREE with your AHR membership!

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Youth Member Spotlight: Carly Schwartz

My name is Carly and I am 11 years old and in sixth grade. My pony is named Lady Aphesian MDH, but we call her Laci. I got Laci about a year ago, in November 2019, after outgrowing my treasured Welsh Pony, King. Laci is 5 years old. Laci lives in Huntsburg, Ohio with 37 other horses of all breeds.

Laci and I began showing together right away in 2020, English, western, dressage and jumping. We were preparing for the All American Youth Horse Show, but with the pandemic it was cancelled. When so many things were shut down and people were staying home Laci and I bonded on the trails and over jumps. By late Spring we were jumping 2 feet together. We love jumping bareback and practicing obstacles, too. I ride Laci almost every day!

Once we were able to show again I did a Jumper Derby, 2 Combined Tests and five Mini Trials, those are our favorite! We compete in the Starter Division and have made progress each show.

We also competed in the Buckeye Haflinger show where we met some great friends and horses. Laci and I won Youth Versatility High Point. The highlight of the show was jumping! We showed one day at the Central Ohio Haflinger Show as well.

During the summer we went on a six plus hour trail ride in Cooks Forest with about 25 other horses and friends, it was a very lengthy and technical trail, but Laci did great.

I am the secretary of my youth group, Saddles and Spurs, through GHPA (Geauga Horse and Pony Association).



Carly Schwartz and Lady Aphesian MDH

Although their show schedule was cut in half due to COVID, we still ended up youth Novice Champion in Barrels and 2' Equitation over Fences, and Reserve Champion in Trail and English Equitation. We were so lucky to still have a Junior Fair Horse Show at the Geauga County Fair and showed each day. We excelled in contesting, jumping, and trail, but more importantly I had a great time making memories with my horse and friends.

A highlight of the fall was that Laci and I competed in our first Obstacle Challenge and won Youth Grand Champion. Laci was amazing and did every obstacle, she stood on a high block, pulled a bull sled, walked on a balance beam and didn't flinch at the blowing floppy man! Earlier that same day we competed in a jumper show and earned Reserve Champion. We finished the show season with our very first Hunter Pace, it was really fun!

Heart of America Haflinger Sale Recap



Sale topper Emma's Treasure WFHIL, photo by Prestige Promotions

Heart of America Haflinger Sale

Recap from November 13-14, 2020, Cloverdale, IN

2020 Sale Averages

64 Head averaging \$2,940.00

Top 5 - \$8,990.00

Top 10 - \$7,725.00

Top 20 - \$5,977.00

22 Geldings - \$2,911.00

9 Stallions - \$1,994.00

33 Mares - \$3,218.00

Sale Topper

Lot#71 \$12,100.00

Emma's Treasure WFHIL

Consigned by Webel Haflingers - Baylis, IL

Sold to Mangels Farms - Oak Ridge, MO

INDIANA HAFLINGER HORSE ASSOCIATION ANNUAL HAFLINGER & DRAFT PONY SALE

Topeka Livestock Auction, 601 E. Lake St. Topeka, IN 46571

Consign early to guarantee the first 150 head!

MARCH 26 & 27, 2021**Friday, March 26, 2021****9:00 AM** Check In **10:00 AM** Driving**1:00 PM** Tack Sale**4:00 PM** Sale Preview: in hand, riding horses,
& stallion presentation immediately following**6:00 PM** Futurity**Saturday, March 27, 2021****7:00 AM** Driving**8:30 AM** Stallion Service Auction

Sale Immediately Following

Sale Committee: Glenn Yoder 574-646-3225 Consignments

Joe Schwartz 260-723-4231 Stalling * Leon Schwartz 574-372-8478 Futurity

Dennis Miller 217-621-4969

Each sale horse must have a current (30 day) individual health paper, original Coggins, and CEM form. 2021 foals must have an application for Registration, submitted DNA for fillies, and signed transfer.

THE \$75 (non refundable) CONSIGNMENT FEE INCLUDES STALL AND SHAVINGS. \$100 with a picture in the catalog. \$25 tack stall provided upon request.

Commission fee is 6% or \$100 minimum. Sellers will have a No-Sale Option, all commissions and fee will apply on last bid.

Catalog Deadline: Absolute deadline February 1, 2021.

Uncataloged Horse Deadline: March 14, 2021. \$90 Consignment fee (non-refundable)

Ad Rates: 1/2 Page \$65, Full Page \$100, Full Page Color \$125 - Send print ready ad and fee to Glenn Yoder.

Send: Consignment form, original registration paper, DNA certificate, and mare certificate of breeding.**Mail to:** Glenn Yoder 10269 W. 650 N. Etna Green, IN 46524**Make check payable to:** Indiana Haflinger Horse Association**CONSIGNMENT FORM**

CONSIGNOR: _____ FARM NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____ PHONE: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

NAME OF ANIMAL: _____ REGISTRATION NO: _____

DATE OF BIRTH: _____ HEIGHT: _____ GELDING MARE STALLION (circle one)

COMMENTS: _____

WOULD LIKE TO BE STALLED BY: _____

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I (WE) HEREBY CERTIFY THAT ON MARCH 27, 2021, I (WE) SOLD THE HAFLINGER:

GELDING STALLION MARE (circle one)

REGISTERED NAME: _____ AHR REG. NUMBER: _____

SELLER SIGNATURES (joint owners must both sign) _____

Print

NAME(S): _____ PHONE: _____

ADDRESS: _____ CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

I (WE) HEREBY AUTHORIZE TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP ON THE ABOVE HAFLINGER TO BE RECORDED AS DUTY TRANSFERRED BY THE AMERICAN HAFLINGER REGISTRY TO THE FOLLOWING OWNERS:

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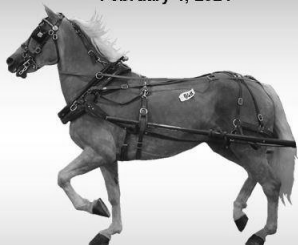
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INDIANA HAFLINGER HORSE & DRAFT PONY SALE

March 26th & 27th, 2021

Consignment Deadline

February 1, 2021



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Thanks From Wiz Aust



Thank you so much for the stunning neck ribbons and certificates for Wiz Bang LMP USDF All Breed Freestyle and AA Freestyle Champ. What a lovely surprise to receive these from AHR! I appreciate your support of the USDF awards. This is Wiz's third year to win 1st Level freestyle and his 4th year to be a USDF champ. We have only been competing 4 years. But this is our first year for such beautiful swag from all of you.

I greatly appreciate the Golden Path and Ambassador awards as well for both Wiz (lifetime winner) and Mt

Aztec Gold MMS. Thank you for those programs. It's an honor to represent this versatile, beautiful, talented, sweet breed at recognized shows, clinics, or on the trails or driving! We are often the only Haflingers present and I'm proud of my boys and our breed.

I've only been on the equine journey for about 6 years and I've only owned Haflingers and they have so enriched my life and my families lives. I feel so blessed and fortunate.

Thank you again for your support and kindness!

Tracy, Wiz & Chief DiSabato-Aust

Meetings & Minutes

AHR Board of Directors Meeting October 14, 2020

All Board members except Chuck Hendershot (excused with notice) present.

Minutes and third quarter financial statements were approved unanimously.

Committee reports included:

Futurity - Erwin Slabaugh will continue to chair. Class lists are being finalized.

Increasing advertising and fundraising.

Inspection & Classification - working to invite eligible Haflinger to a 2021 inspection. Geographical location(s) to be determined by interest.

Membership - Joey will host a booth at the Heart of America auction with membership forms, registration forms, transfers, and brochures. Youth scholarship eligibility requirement with agreement of the Haflinger Fund trustees has been reduced from prior 2 year membership requirement in AHRY to 1 year. The Tribute Rewards Program has been reinstated. Big Dee's Bonus Bucks program requirements for 3rd quarter have been submitted. After some discussion and consensus of the Board, horse owner memberships will remain at \$65 annually. There will not be a non-owner option. Youth will be \$12 annually.

National Showcase - Class lists are being finalized. Sponsorship info will be in upcoming newsletter.

Nominating - Although the board received an email asking about the status of a "nomination," multiple at-

tempts to contact the non-member with no official bio submitted have been exhausted. The Board is unable to accept the nomination.

Pedigree - The committee continues to work behind the scenes to resolve questions as needed by members and/or office staff.

Points & Awards - All 2019 award & corrections have been sent. Amy Wallace is first person to achieve 2,500 Golden Path hours with Nifty Nevie.

Promotion - Horse of the Month on Facebook continues to engage followers. USDF awards in process.

Trademarks: Edelweiss brand trademark published September 6, 2020.

No challenges were noted in the 30 day challenge period- now it goes to examiners for final review which will take several months. AHR logo trademark has not been published yet - it is still in initial review

Website & Publications - Website has been updated. November newsletter is planned to mail mid November with 2021 calendars and include copies of registration, membership, and transfer forms. It will also include the AHR Youth Gazette.

Ongoing Business included:

Annual meeting will be need to be virtual in early December with announcement in November newsletter

Long-range planning - November and December agenda need to be prepared for discussion

Meetings & Minutes (continued)

AHR Board of Directors Meeting November 11, 2020

Eight members present with Joey Lysinger excused with notice.

The Board reviewed brief updates from committees submitting information for the newsletter which is nearing mailing with the 2021 calendars to all members.

A first draft of the Bylaws revision was reviewed.

The annual membership meeting is scheduled to be virtual on December 2 at 7 pm. Notice will include request for questions to be included in presentation. Lengthy discussion on the sequence and content of meeting to adequately share information without the meeting lasting more than an hour.

Respectfully submitted by,
Missy Shanahan, 1st Vice President



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