

# Alex City Horse Riding Club

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Promoting sportsmanship and horsemanship in the area since 1989



## 2022 Newsletter

We hope you and your family had a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. Hopefully everyone is well. Hoping 2022 will be a better year than last.

It is that time once again to **renew your membership**. If you are reading this letter on the website or from an email, please go to <http://achrc.com/membership.pdf> and print the membership form and send it to the address provided on the form. If you have children showing, **please add their names and ages** so we can enter them in the correct age group for awards. **In our November meeting the board and members voted to increase our Membership dues; Family membership \$30.00 – Individual membership \$15.00. Senior citizen (62 and Older) Free – fill in form and indicate that you are a senior citizen. Please add you email address to the membership form, as email is our primary source of keeping you informed of upcoming events or cancellations.**

You may use the arena to ride your horse if you are a member. Please be considerate of other members who may show up to practice at the same time. Clean up and close arena gate(s) after use.

Thanks to the members and new members who rode in the Alex City Chamber of Commerce Christmas Parade.

The last season was a better season than 2020 season. We had a good season with several qualified for the Alabama Open Horseman Association show held in Montgomery, AL Labor Day week end. EAHA had a total of 7 Halter, 76 Judged and 88 Timed Event entries = 171 total entries for EAHA. We had many members who were class award winners as well as several High Point Division winners: Hayden Bragg is the Halter Champion; Allie Reams is the Youth Pleasure Reserve Champion; Addison Kreisler is the Youth Timed Events Third Place High Point; and Samantha Robbins is the Adult Timed Events Champion. Congratulations to all who placed and won.

On May 1, 2021, the club awarded Tenzley Ingram ACHRC Queen and Harper Self Princess. Thanks to all of the young ladies for participating in the contests. Contact Jessica Hodnett and Melisha Ingram for information on entering the contest this season. All young ladies between the age of 5-12 Princess and 13-17 Queen. Thanks to Oak Grove Feed and Western Store, Sylacauga, AL. for sponsoring the contest.

Dates for the 2022 Show season held at the Alex City Horse Riding Club Arena:

<b>Arena Show Dates for 2022 Season</b>				
<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Manager</b>	<b>Phone</b>
Apr 02	1:00 PM	EAHA Fundraiser	Keith Dean	334.321.8796
Apr 09	1:00 PM	EAHA Youth Club	Katie Batson	334-414-8667
Apr 30	9:00 AM	Queen/Princess Contest	Melisha Ingram	256-496-2176
Apr 30	1:00 PM	Alex City Horse Riding Club	Pat Avery	256.794.3347
May 14	1:00 PM	Whistle Stop Ranch Riding Club	Robbin Nail Housch (Double Judged)	520.490.1194
May 21	1:00 PM	EAHA Youth Club (Double Judge)	Kathryn Reams	334-559-3612
Jun 11	1:00 PM	Whistle Stop Ranch Riding Club	Robbin Nail Housch (Double Judged)	520-490-1194
Jun 25	1:00 PM	Alex City Horse Riding Club	Pat Avery (Double Judge)	256-794-3347
Jul 23	1:00 PM	ACHRC Scholarship Announcement	Jimmy Avery	256.794.6566
Jul 23	1:00 PM	Alex City Horse Riding Club	Pat Avery	256-794-3347
Jul 30	1:00 PM	EAHA Youth Club	Kathryn Ream	334-559-3612
			Katie Batson	334-414-8667
Aug 06	1:00 PM	EAHA Fundraiser	Keith Dean	334.321.8796

At the November meeting the club elected to keep the same officers but elected new board members: The 2022 board members are: Melissa Abram, Harry Crew, Jessica Hodnett, Melisha Ingram, Mike Marable, Robert Reams, Wanda Robbins.

Jimmy Avery is working on confirming a date for Dr. Randy Plaisance, DVM, to be at the arena for coggins test. This will be announced through an email and on the website.

Looking forward to seeing everyone at the shows and club meetings. The Club meetings are the second Thursday of each month; we invite all members to attend the meetings held at the arena 6:30 PM.

Hope you stay well and happy this year. Happy Trails to everyone.