

IDAHO HORSE COUNCIL Membership Form

\$ _____ Organizational Membership

A list with name & address for each member should be submitted by email if possible..
1 through 25 members - \$50 minimum
25 through 250 members - \$2 per member (\$500 maximum membership fee)

\$ _____ Business/Associate Member
\$50 Membership fee

\$ _____ Individual & Family Membership
\$30 Membership fee

Name /Organization: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____

e-mail: _____

President/Contact: _____

Number of members in organization: _____

Please mail this completed form to:

Idaho Horse Council
16114 Idaho Center Blvd. # 5,
Nampa Idaho 83687
Phone: (208) 465-5477
Fax (208) 465-5480



IDAHO HORSE COUNCIL OBJECTIVES

Further the common interest of the Idaho Horse Industry.

Promote horse related activities and programs.

Serve as spokesperson and communicate within and outside the industry.

Protect and support programs for the natural and environmental resources vital to the horse industry.

Promote the highest standards of sportsmanship for the use of the horse as a source of healthful recreation and welfare of Idaho residents.

Support and develop programs and activities, which enhance the marketing of horses.

Encourage the humane and appropriate treatment vital to the horses best welfare.

Serve as an advisory body to the University of Idaho, College of Agriculture and the Idaho Department of Agriculture regarding the horse industry and related horse activities and programs.



Idaho Horse Council

**Representing the
Idaho
Horse Industry**

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ACTIVITIES OF THE IDAHO HORSE COUNCIL



HISTORY

The Idaho Horse Council was organized in 1975 as a united front to represent the many horse groups, individual horse owners, and members of the related industry. Charter members understood that as horse ownership and use increased so did administrative and legislative regulations involving traveling, trail use, zoning, health standards, tax status, and access to state and federal land. It was realized that horsemen working together present a united and informed organization.

With this in mind the Idaho Horse Council is able to provide a significant influence on the decision makers of our state.

The I.H.C. is a non-profit corporation under the laws of the State of Idaho and an active member of the American Horse Council.



THE PURPOSE

The purpose of the council is to promote every type of horse activity, to be its official voice in Idaho, to monitor legislation affecting horse activity, and to act as an information resource for horse owners and regulating bodies. The I.H.C. also acts to correlate the many restrictions and regulations declared by federal and state agencies.



LEGISLATIVE ISSUES

The Idaho Horse Council has been instrumental in bringing about legislative modification involving animal welfare, including brand issues and animal abandonment, liability insurance, racing and trails.

The Idaho Horse Council successfully lobbied to create an Equine Activity Immunity Act and an equine education account. Pari-mutual funds deposited to the public school account from the Idaho State Racing Commission are to go to the public school fund.



IDAHO HORSE EXPO

The premier equine exposition in Idaho is sponsored by the I.H.C. each year. It is the greatest presentation of the horse industry to the citizens of Idaho and surrounding states. The Horse Expo offers something for everyone; a large showing of the 27 equine breeds represented in Idaho, educational seminars, trade show exhibits, arena demonstrations, celebrity guests, art displays, Extreme Cowboy Race and the very popular "Stallions On Parade"

with stallions of various breeds performing to music and the amazing Private Treaty Horse Sale.



HORSE CENSUS

In 1988 the Idaho Horse Council commissioned the University of Idaho to conduct and publish a horse census and economic impact statement.

Survey findings published in the 1991 Idaho Agricultural Statistics magazine show just under one billion dollars spent in Idaho on horses, capital equipment, facilities, travel equipment, and related expenses; including farriers, hay, grain, veterinarians, training, insurance, and advertising. A 2010 study to determine the size of the equine industry in Idaho was conducted by the Social Science Research Unit at the University of Idaho and funded by the Idaho Horse Council and the Idaho Horse Board. Idaho has an estimated 210,000 equine, including riding horses, draft horses, ponies, miniature horses, donkey, mules, wild horses and other equine.

Equine owners paid over \$48 million in salaries to full and part time workers for the care and training of their equine.

and a total of \$1.6 billion in assets related to their equine, including the value of the equine, barns, and equipment.

Over 4 million acres in Idaho are devoted to the use and care of equine.



COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP

Starting in the year 2000, the Idaho Horse Council began offering three, \$1,000 scholarships for upper level education to graduates of Idaho High Schools. The funds are generated through several activities that occur at the Horse Expo.



INFORMATION WEB SITE

Information about the Idaho Horse Council, the horse industry in Idaho, legislation affecting horse owners and organizations and clubs throughout Idaho can now be found at www.idahohorsecouncil.com and idahohorsecouncil@yahoo.com and Idaho Horse Council Facebook. Come visit our site and get connected to everything horse-y in Idaho.



The I.H.C. distributes a newsletter to the membership through E-mail and Web Site with pertinent information.



THE NEWSLETTER

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Representation . . .

On local, state and national committees that affect policies and laws regarding horses and their use.

Legislation . . .

To enhance and protect the horse industry such as limited liability and creation of the Idaho Horse Board.

Promotion . . .

In support of equine events such as the Idaho Horse Expo to encourage horse usage.

Census . . .

By providing funding for an updated equine census every five years

Information . . .

The Idaho Horse Council office is a statewide clearing house for all horsemen and organizations.

Scholarships . . .

The Idaho Horse Council provides for three \$1,000 scholarships to young horsemen every year.



39th Annual

Membership Meeting

Saturday

November 16, 2013

Rodeo Club (Idaho Center upper level)

16114 Idaho Center Blvd., Nampa, Idaho 83687

Meeting and Speakers

Important Equine Issues in Idaho

Dinner Speaker

Senator: Patti Anne Lodge

Silent and Live Auction

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IDAHO HORSE COUNCIL

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November 16, 2013

"Rodeo Club" Idaho Center Upper Level Entry 3 to Elevator
16114 Idaho Center Blvd. , Nampa, Idaho 83687

Name _____

Phone _____ E-Mail _____

Club/Organization _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Please Print

Registration Fee Includes:

Registration Fee , Breakfast, Lunch and Annual Dinner

\$20.00 Registration Only

\$70.00 per person if paid by November 11, 2013
(Included - Registration fee, breakfast, lunch & dinner)

\$45.00 Meeting, breakfast & lunch before November 11, 2013

\$30.00 Annual Dinner Paid before November 11, 2013

Salmon or Beef..please circle one

Please add \$10.00 after November 11, 2013 for food order.

Amount Owed \$ _____

Please call or return to the Idaho Horse Council Office..

Cash, Check or Credit Card accepted..

idahohorsecouncil@yahoo.com IHC Office (208) 465-5477

IDAHO HORSE COUNCIL

Annual Membership Meeting

Saturday, November 16, 2013

Meeting open to the public

7:30 AM Breakfast

8:00 Registration Desk Opens

8:30 **Welcome-** IHC President **Myron Amsden**,
Acknowledgment of Convention Participants;
A review of IHC's accomplishments of 2013; and
concerns for 2014.

9:00 **Dr. Marilyn Simunich**, - Equine Health Issues update

9:45 **Larry Hayhurst**, Idaho State Brand Department

10:00 **Dan Safford**, Noxious Weed Specialist, Weed-Free Forage
and Straw

Break

10:30 **State of Horse Racing in Idaho**

11:00 **Myron Amsden**, Coalition of State Horse Council Report

12:00 Lunch

1:00 **Annalucy Keller** , Idaho Horse Council - why it was started
and why it works.

1:30 Committee – Chair Reports
2:00 Call to Order Annual Business Meeting and Election
Approval of Minutes
Report of the Treasurer
Unfinished Business

New Business
Idaho Horse Board Application and Law
Election of Board Members
Closing the Meeting

6:30 PM No Host Happy Hour and Fun & Games

7:00 Banquet Dinner, After Dinner Speaker

8:00 Silent and Live Auction -

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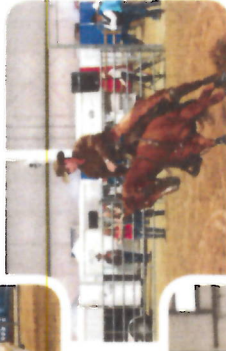
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The Idaho Horse Council welcomes you
to the Idaho Horse Expo!

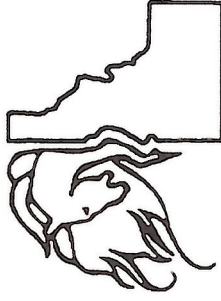


Hope to see you
there!

- Vendors • Private Treaty Horse Sale
- Stallions on Parade • Ranch Pleasure
- Breed Challenge • Clinicians

Idaho Horse Expo

presented by



Idaho Horse Council



Expo Highlights

Vendors (over 100)

The best cowboy shopping in the Northwest!!

Nationally Known Clinicians

Clinics and Demonstrations daily in the Main Arena

Private Treaty Horse Sale

Where you make your own deal.

Buy or Sell a Horse in the Horse Sale Coverall

Ranch Pleasure

Youth and Open Classes

Stallions On Parade

Stallions on display in the "Boot Barn Main Arena"

Supreme Cowboy Race

Cowboys and cowgirls bring their own horses and enter a designed course.

In the Esther Simplot Event Center.

Equine Seminars

Bitting, Nutrition, Health and Horsemanship and more.

Breed Challenge

10 different breeds competing for a grand prize

Mounted Shooting

Men and women competition shoot.

Farriers Demonstrations

Round Pen Demonstrations

4-H Hippology

Camp and Youth Areas

All three days.

Horse Expo Sponsorship Opportunities & Benefits

SUPREME COWBOY SPONSORSHIP:

- Sponsorship of \$5,000 or more . . .
- Sponsorship recognition in all TV and radio ads.
- Sponsorship recognition in main arena throughout event.
- Sponsorship Logo in all print media.
- Opportunity to name an event or venue after your company.
- Free link on Idaho Horse Council Web Site.
- Free Idaho Horse Council membership for 1 year.
- Free 10' x 10' Booth Space. Free Banner Display. 5 Expo passes.

COWBOY SPONSORSHIP:

- Sponsorship of \$3,000 to \$4,000.
- Sponsorship recognition in main arena throughout event.
- Sponsorship Logo in all flyers and promotional material.
- Free link on Idaho Horse Council Web Site.
- Free Idaho Horse Council membership for 1 year.
- Free Advertising in the Horse Council Newsletter.
- Free 10' x 10' Booth Space.
- Free Banner Display. 4 Expo passes.

BUCKAROO SPONSORSHIP:

- Sponsorship of \$1,000 to \$2,000.
- Sponsorship Logo in all flyers and promotional material.
- Free link on Idaho Horse Council Web Site.
- Free Idaho Horse Council membership for 1 year.
- Free Advertising in the Horse Council Newsletter.
- Free Banner Display (you supply the banner). 2 Expo passes.

WRANGLER SPONSORSHIP:

- Sponsorship of \$500 to \$999.
- Free link on Idaho Horse Council Web Site.
- Free Idaho Horse Council membership for 1 year.
- Free Advertising in the Horse Council Newsletter. 2 Expo passes.

SPONSOR THE FUTURE!

We are looking for sponsors to donate \$5.00 per ticket so youth can enter these events for free.

Sponsor Form

Company Name: _____ Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Website URL (Link): _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Sponsor Level: _____ Supreme Cowboy _____ Cowboy _____ Buckaroo _____ Wrangler _____

Level Requested: _____ Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

Questions? Please call the Idaho Horse Council Office (208) 465-5477, or email us at idahohorsecouncil@yahoo.com