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Arabian Horse Assoc.**

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## TAILINGS

### Calendar of Events

SEPT.	18	<b>Mother Lode Board &amp; General Meeting - 6:00pm</b> Brookfields Restaurant 1817 Taylor Rd, Roseville (by the water slides)
	20-23	26 <sup>th</sup> Annual Draft Horse Classic - Nevada Co. Fairgrounds
	20-23	Shady Oaks Combined Driving Event - Lodi
	28-30	DAHA Fall Fling Arabian Horse Show - Brookside Equestrian Park, Elk Grove
OCT	13-14	LBHA English & Western Schooling Horse Shows
	14	<b>MLAHA TRAIL TRIALS</b> - Olmstead Loop in Cool

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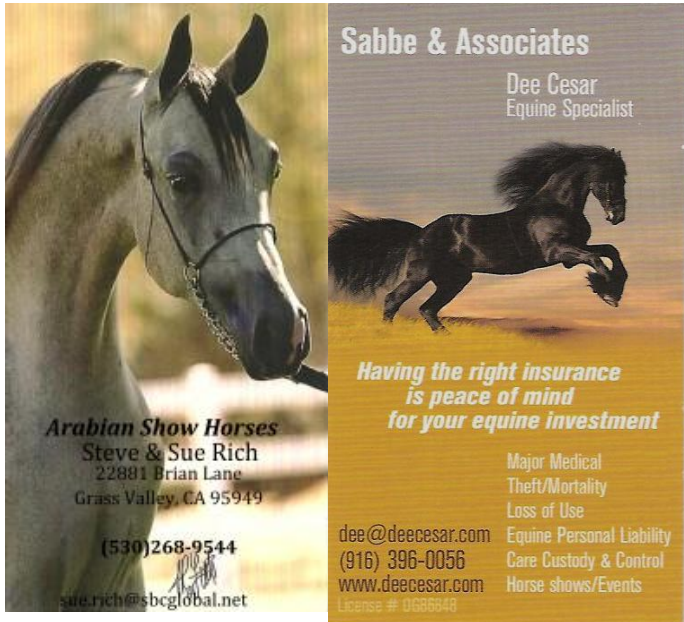


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## President's Message

Are you asking yourselves if the hot weather is almost gone? My weather chart shows it hovering around 100 for at least another two weeks! But I guess we can be glad that we didn't see those temperatures higher for longer during the summer months! And those flies are surely more plentiful in September! No wonder it is a pigeon fever time of year.

Lots of stuff coming up soon – Trail Trials back in Cool again, LBHA show, DAHA's Fall show, and AHA's Convention. You can go to the AHA website and review the proposals. Let us know if you have thoughts about how you would like to see us vote. Cheryl and I are your delegates this year with Charleene and Marilyn backing us up.

AHT has a wonderful article on marketing with more coming in the upcoming months. It's in the latest issue which should be in your mailbox. If not, e-mail me and I'll forward you a copy. I've been very interested in noticing that many older experienced Arabian owners seem to be needing a new horse. These owners are very specific about what they are looking for in terms of color, breeding, personality, training.

At Magical Ranch, the babies are about ready to leave their moms. Both are halter broke and wanting to learn about the big wide world. I am eager to get the moms back to looking svelte again and under saddle. We have welcomed Brumarba Ibn Shai to our barn. He is a lovely mature stallion who was toting our 9 year old Emily around the arena this evening. We have also welcomed Hope, a small lively kitten to the ranch. She somehow dragged herself up the driveway and was sitting up in a tree at a scant three weeks of age. At six weeks, she is the boss of the back of the house and in perpetual motion.

Soon, we'll be electing a new Board, and sending you some new by-laws to vote on. Call me if you have ideas on either of these two important actions. Or if you just want to chat about anything else!

Linda Siegel



Mother Lode Arabian Horse Association  
**20<sup>th</sup> Annual**  
**Trail Trials**

Sunday, October 14, 2012  
Olmstead Loop in Cool, CA  
*(Behind the Fire Station)*

**Come and ride to compete, gain experience, or just have fun!**

**Novice and Open divisions**

**All breeds of horses, mules, ponies are welcome**

**Lots of awards!**

**Karen Lowry Memorial Trophy  
to the highest scoring  
Registered Arabian or Half-Arabian**



**Check in at 9 AM, Ride at 10**

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**Novice Adult: 10 obstacles - \$40**  
**Open Junior: 15 obstacles - \$20**  
**Novice Junior: 10 obstacles - \$20**  
**\$5 Discount to MLAHA members**

**(\$5 drug fee included in entry fee)**

**\$10 late fee added to above if  
entry postmarked after 10/5/2012  
or on day of event**

**For Questions and/or Entry Form:  
Jean Zabriskie  
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October 14, 2012

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**If you have questions about Trail Trials, contact the manager,  
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# Bits and Pieces



MLAHA Junior member, Taylor Yancey and new baby, Ally, with mom looking on.



Congratulations, Carol Bloss, on your purchase of STJ El Ragel, and thanks, Gerry Alexander, for connecting horse and rider!  
*submitted by Linda Siegel*

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