

## Investing On Our Youth Is Investing In The Future

## **December 2019**

## HOLIDAY GREETINGS FROM YOUR PRESIDENT

Merry Christmas everyone!

Hope everyone is enjoying their Christmas break and is getting excited about the new show season coming up. Congrats to all of you that showed at the futurity, that is quite an accomplishment!

I am so excited to get the NYCHA E Newsletter up and running...so be on the lookout for it every month. I want to give a huge shout out to our junior officer, Brea Collier, for creating and orchestrating this great new form of communication. She has taken it into her own hands to make sure it is edited and done every month which is pretty amazing! I am also excited about our officer team...we have two new additions to the junior board, Riley Farris and Ryan Coffey! With our board full now, we are ready to hit the ground running to better our association. Everyone has been working hard and I cannot express how incredible proud I am of each and every one of them.

Hope to see you all soon. Have a Merry Christmas and remember the reason for the season!

"Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men." Luke 2:14

If any of you need me or have any questions about anything don't hesitate to call:)

Mattie Dukes NYCHA President 817-901-4858



### From Left to Right;

Ryan Coffey (Jr Secretary/Treasurer), Breanna Collier (Jr President), Chaser Crouch (Sr President-Elect), Mattie Dukes (Sr President), Brinley Lippincott (Sr Secretary/Treasurer), Cody Gann (Jr President-Elect)

## MEET YOUR NATIONAL OFFICERS

#### NATIONAL SENIOR OFFICERS

Mattie Dukes – President
Chaser Crouch – President-Elect
Claire Shelton – Vice President
Brinley Lippincott – Secretary/Treasure
Faith Correll – Reporter

#### NATIONAL JUNIOR OFFICERS

Breanna Collier – President
Cody Gann – President Elect
Will Bushaw – Vice President
Ryan Coffey – Secretary/Treasurer
Riley Farris - Reporter

## STALLION AUCTION

#### NYCHA STALLION AUCTION

NYCHA Stallion Auction has another month (January 15th, 2020. Thank you to all the generous stallion owners and bidders for supporting the future of our youth.

### nychastallionauction.com



### WHAT'S NEW

#### **SCHOLARSHIPS**

The NCHA Scholarship Fund has been moved to the NCHA Foundation. All inquiries involving scholarships and show scholarship payouts should be directed to:

#### Julia Buswold

Manager of Operations and Programs

julia@nchafoundation.org (817) 475-8662

## A Message From the NYCHA Secretary/Treasure Brinley Lippincott

The youth had an officer meeting at the NCHA office. WOW, what a beautiful place with so much history! We spent 3 hours discussing our plans for the future. We are going to be busy making this the best organization around!

We elected new Junior Officers: Brea Collier- President Cody Gann- President elect Will Bushaw- Vice President Ryan Coffey- Secretary/Treasurer Riley Farris- Reporter

The dates are being worked on for Youth Convention Week. We are working on making it easy for youth to get to High School Rodeo Nationals. As soon as they are confirmed, we will get the info out to you.

Looking at one of the two formats for the youth:

The Triple Crown that will cover Western & Eastern Nationals and Summer Spectacular Scholarship Cutting. We are hoping the West Coast will join so that all youth have an opportunity to participate.

The second format that we are looking at is the Region Championship. This format has a little more issue due to the youth's year but may be the better of the two formats.

Each of these cuttings will be packed with fun events for our youth.

Hope everyone can attend. If you are not involved we would love to have your help!

## 2019 NATIONAL OFFICERS FUTURITY MEETING

### **Topics Discussed:**

- 1. By-Laws
- 2. Job Description
- 3. LEAP Criteria
- 4. 2020 Eastern and Western Nationals
- 5. 2020 Adult Convention
- 6. 2020 World Finals
- 7. 2020 Scholarship Cutting
- 8. 2020 Youth Convention
- 9. 2020 Educational and Leadership Workshops
- 10. Membership Drive
- 11. Relationships with other ranching, agriculture, and equine organizations
- 12. Future Cutting Events Youth Triple Crown of Cutting, Regional Championship
- 13. Monthly Newsletter

**Dualin Stargun** 

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A Tale of the Cat	EBR Kitty Hawk	One Time Pepto
Apollo Creed	<b>Eight Mile</b>	One Time Royalty
<b>Auspicious Cat</b>	Fantastic Cat	PG Gunpower
Badboonarising	Hashtags	PG Heavily Armed
Bamacat	<b>Hickory Holly Time</b>	Rap Cat
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<b>Boon Too Suen</b>	Im Countin Checks	Reyin The Cash
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Cant Kick This Cat	Kit Kat Sugar	Rollz Royce
Cat Ichi	Lethal Weapon 1	Sanman
Cats Merada	Lil Catbaloo	<b>Shiney Outlaw</b>
Cats Picasso	<b>Louis The Cat</b>	Sigala Rey
Cattalou	Lil Metallic Cat	<b>Spots Heff</b>
Catty Hawk	<b>Metallic MVP</b>	Stevie Rey Von
Cool N Hot	Metallic Rebel	The Animal
Copy Cat	<b>Meteles Cat</b>	Thomas E Hughes
CR Gotcha Covered	Mr Playinstylish	<b>Tomcat Chex</b>
<b>Dandy Cat</b>	NRR Cat King Cole	<b>TR Dual Rey</b>
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## A Message From the NYCHA Junior Reporter, Riley Farris

Merry Christmas NYCHA! I hope everyone is having an amazing holiday and Happy New Year!

As the futurity comes to a close, the youth weekend shows are kicking back up. The first show will be held in Weatherford, Texas from December 28-30. The time to get back to racking up those points is upon us.

In other news, we have successfully formed a new junior officer committee! Already the youth has proven themselves capable of making a change to this already amazing organization to help make it the best it can possibly be. Our ever-important goal of getting more kids to join the cutting world has made strides, but there is always more that can be done. Encourage others to come try it for themselves and see how great these amazing animals are!

Also, I would like to take a moment to congratulate all of our youth members who competed in this year's world finals in Fort Worth. All of you hardworking youth out there went to Fort Worth and showed up and showed out with one thing on your mind: a championship. A special congrats to our world champions: Ali Good in the Non-Pro, Gavin Clarke in the 35,000 Non-Pro, and the youngest person to win a world title except the youth, Aden Bernhagen in the 2,000 Limited Rider.

I would like to end on that note and wish everyone good luck in the rest of this hauling year!

Junior Reporter, Riley Farris

### **HELLO FROM AREA 22**

Hey NYCHA! Are you looking for something to spice up your Christmas break? Well, look no further! The Area 10 directors present to you our end of the year banquet/ holiday celebration! This will be held from January 3-5 in Gonzales, Texas. The festivities will include, but not be limited to bareback and bridleless team Calcutta. The Three Amigos will be the gracious host, with Secretary Marcy Blanchard. If you are looking for something fun to do and a great place to build up your point numbers, ride on down to hang with the Area 10 crew! We always will be sure to do what is needed for our youth! Best of luck to all who attend (and to those who don't), but mostly remember to have fun and cut up! Hope to see you there! Don't forget to follow us on Instagram at nycha area10!

Area 10 directors, Brea Collier, Faith Farris, Riley Farris, Brinley Lippincott, and Lexy Slaughter.



THANK YOU FOR MAKING THIS ALL POSSIBLE

### MOM SQUAD

From organizing the banquet to planning family fun night, these ladies do it all. They are the Mom Squad. It all started with a group of moms that were helping out with the Youth Convention. They were the reason Youth Week went by like a breeze. Nobody had to worry about what was going on because the moms had already tackled that situation. Unfortunately, we lost the squad over the last couple of years. Things weren't the same. Everything was more complicated. But no reason to stress because they are back in action! The Mom Squad doesn't joke around about the Youth Convention. They have already started planning and will continue working to make it the best year yet. We all know that moms know how we like it.

If you know of any moms that want to be part of this awesome squad, give Mike Simmons, Youth Coordinator a call (303) 472-4326.

Junior President, Brea Collier

### **HELLO FROM AREA 22**

We would like to say how proud we are of our Area 22 family that made it to the World Finals. As of right now we only have a few dates planned for the 2020 show season. We also plan to include a youth series that will hopefully help encourage more of the youth in the surrounding areas and new faces to come to our area. We are so excited for the 2020 show season and can't wait to see what it has in store for Area 22! I wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Jaycee Lowery, Area Director





## Youth Director From Area 16 Ryleigh Flynn

There is no better state than Florida to ride cutting horses in the winter. Come join area 16 for our winter circuit starting December 28th-January 1st in Ocala Florida. Additional details can be found at our website <a href="https://www.floridacuttinghorseassociation.com">www.floridacuttinghorseassociation.com</a>. Then in February on the 20th through the 23rd we will be hosting another show come have fun in the sunshine State.

Best regards, Ryleigh Flynn Area 16 Youth Director

### MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR FROM AREA 14

Hello from Area 14!

Lyndi Polk here wishing you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!!!

We are excited to inform you of a few of our upcoming shows. First, we have the Winter Circuit in Jackson, MS 12/28-30. This is a climate-controlled arena because you never know what the climate will be in the great state of Mississippi!!! Get ready for good footing and lots of fun! Aged Events and Weekend Classes won't disappoint, so bring them ponies. Don't forget the great "eats" around town afterwards. Mrs. Gwen Coie can get you some stalls.

Central Mississippi Cutting Horse Association kicks off the New Year at Forest, MS on 1/11-1/12. There is usually a works on 1/10. We all will want to make sure our equine athletes are ready for the show! This show is so much fun with a great atmosphere! Check with Mrs. Linda for the details. She can give you the skinny on the works and the schedule.

The IKE in West Monroe, La never disappoints! RC and Mrs. Della always make everyone feel at home in La! Jan 29 the flag will be available and let's go cut on the 30th with 1k added in open and non pro and 500.00 in 25k. This is all followed by some great Aged Event competition and a Youth on Saturday and Sunday!!! More Aged Events to follow throw 2/8. That's LOTS of good cutting!!!

So Area 14 is ready to go for 2020!!! We'd love to have ya and let's enjoy The New Year together!!! See ya soon!



Hello fellow cutters,

I hope everyone is having a great holiday season and is able to take in the amazing action going on in Fort Worth at the Futurity! I just wanted to take a moment to remind you all to stop and enjoy all the holiday joy and wish you all a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Faith Correll Senior Youth Reporter

Whatever you do, do with all your heart, riding for the Lord and not for men. Colossians 3:23

### 2020 NYCHA SHOW SCHEDULE

- ★ NCHA Eastern Nationals
  Friday, March 8, 2020 Youth Team Costume Cutting
  Saturday, March 9. 2020 Grand Entry & Jr/Sr Cutting
  Sunday, March 10th 2020 Jr/Sr Cutting
- ★ NCHA Western Nationals
   Dates TBA
   Convention (Adult)
   Dates TBA
- ★ Youth Convention
  Scholarship Cutting
  World Finals
  Educational and Leadership Workshops
  Banquet
  Date TBA
- ★ Futurity

National Officers Meeting Date TBA

## MESSAGE FROM YOUR JUNIOR PRESIDENT-ELECT

First, I would like to thank all the sponsors that support the NYCHA and the NCHA. I would also like to thank all of the Stallion owners that donated their horses to the NYCHA Stallion Program.

I am looking forward to the 2020 show season. Area 22 has two circuit cuttings planned for 2020. The Circuit Champions and Reserve Champions in each class will be awarded prizes. Please join us for some great cuttings in Alabama and Tennessee. I hope you have blessed and very Merry Christmas.

Cody Gann Junior President-Elect



## WHAT'S HAPPENING IN AREA 15

Although the show season has slowed down for Area 15, we are working to create a 2020 schedule that presents as few conflicts as possible for our members after a year full of news related to our youth. One of our most recent events to promote the NYCHA was held at Quarter Horse Congress in Columbus, Ohio. Lance Bryson, our NCHA CFO, and myself discussed the leadership opportunities that NCHA provides to our youth, such as becoming an area director, while everyone enjoyed lunch from Fire N the Hole Wood Fired Pizza. In addition to ways youth can get involved in our organization, we explained the benefits of LEAP points. Zoe Woodland, a trainer in Ohio who was an active youth and teaches many young cutters today, also came in to emphasize the opportunities NCHA offers that grant leadership skills while having fun showing an amazing athlete. This event was open to both NCHA youth and youth from other disciplines. We found it to be successful since many youth and their parents attended and now that we have raised awareness of what NCHA can do for the futures of our sport, some are already looking forward to applying for the Area 15 Director position as well as tracking LEAP points.

While at Congress, I also held my drawing for a free breeding to the proven NCHA stallion A Tale Of The Cat. The partners on A Tale Of The Cat allowed me to raise money for GLCHA youth programs, such as scholarships, through a raffle for a free 2020 breeding. Many of Michigan's youth are from Ohio and Indiana, so this raffle will benefit our entire area and I cannot thank "Torch's" partners enough.

Also be on the lookout for a Youth Scholarship Cutting at the 2020 Congress as we are currently in the early stages of planning this event.

When I am not recycling Michigan bottles and cans to raise money for GLCHA youth activities and awards, I am looking for other ways to promote cutting to other youth. Besides the amount I have raised from the A Tale Of The Cat raffle, I am working with the NCHA Foundation to receive additional funds for GLCHA youth programs, like scholarships, clinics, and activities. I am hoping this proposal will be further expanded to Area 15 along with other areas in the future since this can benefit NCHA as a whole.

Furthermore, a scholarship in honor of our GLCHA Hall of Famer Rick Dubay is being developed. In honor of his dedication to youth and cutting horses, the Dubay/Delange family has asked GLCHA to form a scholarship program beginning next year.

Our area has worked hard this year to promote the NCHA toward youth. Even though my time as the Area 15 Director is limited, I look forward to the growth of our sport and the youth who want to get involved to help our organization be the best it can be.

- Shelby Agnew