

As of June 1, 2010 our Executive Committee voted to have all annual memberships expire on December I. This simplifies the management of renewals therefore saving time and money for the association.

Don't miss out on the perks of being a member of **THE TEXAS AMATEUR QUARTER HORSE ASOCIATION**!

- ➤ Texas Amateur Quarter Horse Association has given year end awards to the amateur rider for many years. TA plans to seek greater member participation in this very successful program. Beginning in 2010 all sanctioned Texas AQHA shows will count for points toward year end awards.
- Training events hosted by well-known trainers who will cover subjects from "tips for beginning horsemen" to "advanced horsemanship and halter" offered through local associations.
- ➤ TA will more intensely encourage participation in ranch rides for the recreational rider. This is a rapidly growing sector of horse interest and offers pleasure to those that do not compete in shows. Year-end awards will be presented.
- ➤ TA feels that the cattle events need stronger support and plans to create a committee to focus on growing participation in this group. The rule change that provides that all Texas AQHA shows count for yearend awards is a first step to increase participation in cattle events.

**TAQHA** is a separate organization from **TQHA** (Texas Quarter Horse Association). To be eligible for TAQHA year-end awards and the other benefits of your Amateur Association *your* **TAQHA** *membership must be current through the end of year*.

THE TEXAS AMATEUR QUARTER HORSE ASOCIATION is committed to the Texas amateur rider and to those that will make involvement with the Quarter Horse more rewarding and more fun.

2010 TAQHA Membership and Yearend Award Nomination Forms enclosed

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## Texas Amateur Quarter Horse Association

# MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION and/or YEAR END AWARD NOMINATION FORM

IMPORTANT: This is a *(circle one)* Membership only Yr End Nomination only Both SECTION 1: AMATEUR INFORMATION (everyone complete Section 1 PLEASE) City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_ \*Please fill in e-mail. This will make it easier to send out important information to a group list. Cell/Day Phone # \_\_\_ SECTION 2: YEAREND AWARDS NOMINATION (if this is a member application only, please skip to Section 3) 2011 Year End Nomination Form and Rules Simply fill in your Amateur Information below. Nominate prior to June 30, 2011 and all points earned retroactive to January 1, 2011 will count. It does not matter when before June 30, 2011 you nominate, starting Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 2011 is when your points will start. All nominations are due June 30, 2011. 1. Must be a current AQHA and TAQHA member in good standing. 2. Qualifying Year: Jan 1, 2011 thru Dec. 31, 2011. 3. All awards are based on one horse/one rider. 4. Awards are based on ALL TEXAS shows points, not AQHA qualifying points. 5. Awards are given for events/classes with 4 or more qualified entries. 6. You must earn points in three events in order to be considered for an All Around Award 7. All Texas shows are TAQHA approved shows that will count towards year end awards. Must be current TAQHA member to nominate! Horses' Name: \_\_\_\_\_ AQHA ID#: \_\_\_\_ Classes Nominated; SECTION 3: MONEY DUE AND SIGNATURE (everyone complete Section 3 PLEASE) Nomination Fee - \$20 \$ TX Amateur QHA Membership (\$20.00 if not current) \$ TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ In no event shall the Texas Amateur Quarter Horse Association or any of its affiliates, officers, or individual show managements be liable for actual, consequential, or exemplary damages, or for injury and/or damage to persons or property.

### Mail form to: TAQHA\_c/o Eleise Blake, P.O. Box 267, Whitesboro, TX 76273

Date:

Signature:

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