



# NAPHA

North American Peruvian Horse Association

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## Springing Forward

As I am writing this, we're digging out two feet of Colorado snow with four mares ready to foal as some of you are heading home from the Carousel Show at Westworld in Arizona. I assume our friends in Arizona had a better weekend! We are eager for warmer, dryer days when we can work on conditioning ourselves and our horses for the upcoming show and trail season. I know we all look forward to better days, new babies, seeing each other in person and beautiful rides.

## Mark Your Calendar for the Annual Meeting

Please plan on attending our annual meeting April 24, 2021, starting at 1 p.m. EDT. We will be emailing and posting the conference details so you can join us virtually via video or on your phone. Please forward any agenda items to me or Naomi Scull, [naomi@napha.net](mailto:naomi@napha.net) or [mark@napha.net](mailto:mark@napha.net).

## 2021 Committees are Updated

Our committees are all together and working hard to improve our association. Members are posted on our website, [www.napha.net](http://www.napha.net). Thank you to the members who have offered their time and talent. If you would like to get more involved, please email me or Naomi.



## Show Waivers and Whisker Clarification

In our ongoing efforts to modernize and professionalize member experience, shows this year will ask all participants to sign a waiver, which is industry standard. We thank the members who reached out to the board regarding whether or not shaving is required in the show ring. **It is not, and you cannot be penalized if you decide to leave whiskers intact.** We recommend show committees and officials mention that to their judges to avoid confusion.

### FOR SALE

A 16.5-inch Peruvian saddle in excellent condition made by Artesanía Balodoro Ramien, \$950 Canadian. Contact Janet Lennox for more information, [rosslennox23@gmail.com](mailto:rosslennox23@gmail.com), 403-281-3054.



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### Current Show Calendar

**Gait Away Championship Double Show**, Lake St. Louis, MO, April 3-4

**Sooner State & Camino Real Championship**, Double Show, Duncan, OK, May 28-30

**Centennial State & Southwest Double Show**, Fountain, CO, July 23-25; consider adding a day to your hotel stay to join in the first Recreational Rider Trail Ride through Garden of the Gods, a top national attraction, July 26! Email Kerry McGinley for more info, [kerrymcg@aol.com](mailto:kerrymcg@aol.com).

**Peruvian Horse Festival, Mid Atlantic & North East Club Double Show**, Herndon, VA, July 23-25

**Pacific Coast & SoCal Grand Championship Double Show**, Temecula, CA, August 21-22

**Canadian Nationals**, Stavelly, Alberta, August 27-29

**2021 NATIONAL SHOW**, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, during state fair! September 24-26

**Gold Rush Classic**, POSTPONED until 2022



*Mark Renn, NAPHA President*