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**MEPSA** is an educational group for model horse enthusiasts, promoting the hobby of model horse mail-in photo showing.

The purpose of this newsletter is to provide information to showers who do not have internet access. It is mailed free of charge (courtesy of Marie Phillips). The newsletter is also available by email and on the website as a secondary source of information and updates for all members. Contact Marie to sign up for email or snail mail! RIAP57@aol.com

**NEWS**

***In Short (From the Editor) –***

By now, you should all have received your champ show boxes with your photos, the book (if you ordered it – and you’d be foolish not to!), and some prizes. If you did not receive your box, contact Elena Lemm right away. If you did not order a book, you will want to download an electronic copy from Lulu.com (ISBN: 9780359945955) so you can see the results. Do it quickly before we put a price on e-results.

MEPSA strives to make sure that the champ show is judged quickly, so we can add results to the book and get it to the publisher. Realistically, it is hard to have the champ show boxes ready to ship before mid August. Unfortunately, if we have a judge that does not get the results and photos back on time, it can really hold things up. We hope that we will get things wrapped up more quickly next year.

We did not have much to award this year in terms of tack and props. We hope that folks will be motivated to enter the tack contest, as well as a possible prop contest in the spring, but I have another idea. Let’s get social! Do you know other model horse enthusiasts in your area? Let’s form teams to make some champ show prizes: halters, blankets, props ... use your imagination! This sounds like so much fun! Share your experience here.

***2019 Champ Show fiscal report***

Ribbons and rosettes –	\$ 891.22		
NIB Breyers purchased --	\$1078.22		
Calendars --	\$ 600.78		
Books --	\$1598.88		
Judges --	\$ 200		
<u>Shipping --</u>	<u>\$1410.84</u>		
<b>Total costs</b>	<b>\$5579.94</b>	<b>Champ show entry fees</b>	<b>\$1356.00</b>

The balance is covered by qualifier entry fees, donations, and MEPSA fund raisers. Many thanks to the artists from the model horse community, which participate in our fund raisers, and to those of you who support MEPSA through direct donations. If your champ box shipping >10, please consider a donation to help cover shipping. PayPal your donation to [MEPSA3@att.net](mailto:MEPSA3@att.net). Be sure to add the donation to your form below.



## Contest News

A new model has been selected for the 2020 Makeover Contest: Breyer San Domingo. If you have a body you would like to donate or you are a proven artist looking for a body to paint, contact the Donations Coordinator, Shana Bobbitt ([starfroggie@gmail.com](mailto:starfroggie@gmail.com)). We will try to hook you up as bodies are available. See below for the schedule of contests for this season. MEPSA contests are our major fund-raising activity, allowing us to buy NIB Breyers for champ show prizes. You can contribute by entering the contest, or by bidding on the finished entries. Some entries will also become prizes in the 2020 Championship show.

### Traditional/Classic Tack Contest

Deadline: November 15, 2019

Prize: a Western doll from Field of Dolls



MEPSA is holding a model horse tack making contest as a MEPSA Benefit. This contest is open to ALL. Winner will be decided by popular vote, which is also open to all. This is a great way to get your work shown to a large audience, win a great prize and help MEPSA.

### Contest Rules

1. All tack must have been made by the entrant. All major parts of any sets must have been made by the entrant. The entered item may be previously made or made especially for this contest. Your identity, as maker, should be kept under wraps until the voting is over. Please don't tell everyone which entry is yours. Guessing is part of the fun!
2. You may enter any type tack. Western, English, Native costume, historical, circus, other are all welcome. All entries must be made, not purchased.
3. All finished tack and props need to have a clear digital or scanned photo of each side, with a model to show scale, sent in to MEPSA- Shana Bobbitt [starfroggie@gmail.com](mailto:starfroggie@gmail.com) - Shana can do the photographs for you if needed, when the tack is received.
4. ALL entered tack or costumes become property of MEPSA to raise funds or use as Championship show awards. This is a MEPSA Benefit contest. Maker must send the finished tack to MEPSA upon completion- Shana Bobbitt; 1101 Grandview Ave; College Place, WA 99324 - at their own expense. There is no other fee to enter.
5. The contest will be publicized on Facebook in model horse groups, MH\$P and Blab. Please help spread the word!
6. Deadline for producing your item and entering it is Nov 15, 2019. Voting will take place in mid-to late November. We will accept entries from October 1 - Nov 15, 2019.
7. MEPSA appreciates an intent to enter statement as soon as you determine that you will enter, sent to Shana Bobbitt [starfroggie@gmail.com](mailto:starfroggie@gmail.com) This is not binding, but will give us an idea how many entries to expect.

**Annual Writing Contest** Deadline: January 15, 2020. Prize: TBA

Your entry could be in the next champ show book! What do you know that you could share with our readers? Is there a breed? a type of performance? a model horse artist? That you can tell us about and share your photos? The winner always gets a nice prize!

**And - the next remake contest!! Breyer San Domingo** Deadline: February 28, 2020. Prize: TBA

**Mini Custom Contest** Deadline: April 15, 2020. Prize: Hwesta AR by Amanda Brock

Looking for other ways to support MEPSA? MEPSA will be holding a **fall fund raising sale! Nov 1-3** save the date! Sale items will be posted on our website (<http://mepsa1.tripod.com>) and MEPSA Facebook page.

### *MEPSA Qualifier Show schedule – Open series, Second Quarter*

**November 2, 2019 - OF Plastic Regular Qualifier (Div A) - Photo limit 100**

Sherry Ball  
809 Lynn Ann Dr.  
Red Oak, TX 75154  
thunderglenranch@yahoo.com

**November 9, 2019 - OF China/AR/CM Regular Qualifier (Div B,C,D) - Photo limit 100 per division, 150 total**

Jean Derench  
12 Maple St.  
Methuen, MA 01844-1210  
taraterriers@verizon.net

**November 16, 2019 - All Performance Regular Qualifier (Div E,F) - Photo limit 150 per division, 300 total**

GAYLE GOODLING  
2198 Molasses Rd  
Liverpool, PA 17045  
stockhorse\_lady@yahoo.com

**November 23, 2019 - Light/Sport/Spanish/Gaited Special (all Divisions) - Photo limit 100 halter, 150 total**

CORY HARTUNG  
1036 N Fairview St  
Burbank, CA 91505  
aceshigh14@yahoo.com

**November 30, 2019 - Mini Special (all Divisions) Stablemate, Little Bit, CollectAs and similar sized models generally around 4" in height and excluding classic scale foals which are still classic scale regardless of height - Photo limit 100 halter, 150 total**

Brenda Bednar  
2 Olympic Annex

Stafford Springs, CT 06076  
stone\_prince25@yahoo.com

**December 2019**

**December 7, 2019 - OF Plastic Regular Qualifier (Div A) - Photo limit 100**

TONJIA CLARK  
7195 Brickchurch Rd  
Cambridge, OH 43725  
tonjiac Clark@yahoo.com

**December 14, 2019 - OF China/AR/CM Regular Qualifier (Div B,C,D) - Photo limit 100 per division, 150 total**

CORINA ROBERTS  
PO Box 702  
Simi Valley, CA 93062  
redbirds\_vision@hotmail.com

**December 28, 2019 - All Performance Regular Qualifier (Div E,F) - Photo limit 150 per division, 300 total**

ALICE MALCOM  
26417 S 65th St. E  
Porum, OK 74455  
acmc@crosstel.net

**January 2020**

**January 4, 2020 - OF Plastic Regular Qualifier (Div A) - Photo limit 100**

ELENA LEMM  
37103 Robin George Trl  
Magnolia, TX 77354  
ejlemm12@gmail.com

**January 11, 2020 - OF China/AR/CM Regular Qualifier (Div B,C,D) - Photo limit 100 per division, 150 total**

ELENA LEMM  
37103 Robin George Trl  
Magnolia, TX 77354  
ejlemm12@gmail.com

**January 18, 2020 - All Performance Regular Qualifier (Div E,F) - Photo limit 150 per division, 300 total**

Susgan Hargrove  
c/o Mission Auto Repair  
1020B Linda Vista Dr.

San Marcos, CA 92078-2656  
scootee2@cox.net

**January 25, 2020 - Stock type Special (all Divisions) - Photo limit 100  
halter, 150 total**

SHANA BOBBITT  
1101 Grandview Ave  
College Place, WA 99324  
starfroggie@gmail.com

*The novice show series* is designed to help you improve your photography and to help you with other aspects of showing. Entries are limited to 15 per show and you will receive critiques on all your entries.

*2019-2020 Novice Show Season – second quarter of qualifiers*

**NOVEMBER 16, 2019 - Halter**

Betty Hook  
800 Hunters Valley Road  
Liverpool, PA 17045  
eclipse@pa.net

**DECEMBER 21, 2019 - Performance**

Charlotte Martin  
3097 Hillery Rd  
Lake Charles, LA 70611  
carousel1093@aol.com

**JANUARY 18, 2020 - Halter**

Marie J. Phillips  
93 Franklin Ave  
Oakville CT 06779  
[riap57@aol.com](mailto:riap57@aol.com)

Find your fillable entry forms here: <http://mepsa1.tripod.com/forms.html>

*Champ show Headstudy results*

This year class 134, Headstudy, was judged separately and the winners were printed on the MEPSA annual calendar. The class was judged by Stephanie Michel, who also scanned the photos and designed the calendar. Stephanie split the class. Here are the results:

Div ABE <b>No Halter/Tack/Costume</b> 1. StockType – Solid (9) 1) Silver Chico - teboa 2) Quick Elegance - gagoo 3) Lark’s Lady B - gagoo	Div CDF <b>No Halter/Tack/Costume</b> 1. StockType – Solid (8) 1) Santa Fe - albai 2) Harley Davidson - albai 3) Sloan - eljon
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<p>4) Hot Potential - teboa  5) Call Me A Dun Diva - gagoo  6) Fancy Driving - ragar  7) Zen - aming  8) Starting Fresh - cabai  9) Poco Bars Olena - lakow</p> <p>2. StockType - Pinto (6)  1) Poco Pappy - gagoo  2) Chasing Clouds - corob  3) Achy Breaky Heart - eljon  4) Mach 5 - aming  5) Nighthawk - aming  6) Autumn Rein - albai</p> <p>3. StockType - Appaloosa (4)  1) Black Eyed Susan - teboa  2) It's Skippy - corob  3) Haley's Comet - albai  4) Chics Legacy - lakow</p> <p>4. Arabian/Arabian Partbred (7)  1) Ibis - eljon  2) Adif - teboa  3) Almutawakel - albai  4) Dark Matter - corob  5) Iron Maden - albai  6) Serena's Song - cabai  7) Montana Sky - eljon</p> <p>5. Other Light/Sport/Carriage Type (11)  1) JM's Modern Love - corob  2) Samurai - eljon  3) Black AU - albai  4) Ariel - corob  5) Jamester - corob  6) Dram Big - corob  7) Harvey Wallbanger - cabai  8) Whiskey Tango Foxtrot - albai  9) Rah - corob  10) Happy Out - jocoo</p> <p>6. Spanish Type (8)  1) Fern - eljon  2) River - corob  3) Lucinda - eljon  4) Thunder Rolls - cabai  5) B'zou - corob  6) Black Orchid - eljon  7) Balados Silver Smokin Gun - kalov</p>	<p>4) Hattori Hanzo - shbob  5) McCue's Hitman - gagoo  6) Sheza Smokin Diamond - gagoo  7) Gin N Pepto "Romeo" - shbob  8) Relto - aming</p> <p>2. StockType - Pinto (7)  1) Winchester Cathedral - corob  2) Touched By An Angel - eljon  3) Top This - almal  4) Hunka Blu Smoke - gagoo  5) Quick M'Silver - albai  6) Best In Show - albai  7) Picasso - albai</p> <p>3. StockType - Appaloosa (4)  1) Candy Bar - corob  2) Freckles Harper - gagoo  3) ZI Dragonfly - aming  4) Harlequin Snow - ragar</p> <p>4. Arabian/Arabian Partbred (7)  1) Allegra CF - shbob  2) Shahlima - trkha  3) Graydon - ragar  4) Jaada - gagoo  5) Lamya - ragar  6) Blue Moon Rising - shbob  7) Ansata D'hib - corob</p> <p>5. Other Light/Sport/Carriage Type (7)  1) Serenity - albai  2) Sweetchild O'Mine - albai  3) Mystic Falls - chmar  4) Salvage - corob  5) Silver Mist - gagoo  6) Ninian - jocoo  7) Patrick - almal</p> <p>6. Spanish Type (4)  1) Enamorado - jocoo  2) Primitive Wisdom - corob  3) Mantis - eljon  4) Hombre - eljon</p> <p>7. Draft/Pony Type (5)  1) Highlander - corob  2) TSS Gus - ragar  3) Stormin Norman - gagoo  4) Cinderella's Handsome Prince - corob</p>
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<p>8) LaRaza - corob</p> <p>7. Draft/Pony Type (11)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Winsome Lady - albai</li> <li>2) Rag Doll - eljon</li> <li>3) Silver Bells - albai</li> <li>4) Fifty Shades of Bay - cabai</li> <li>5) Spun Sugar - eljon</li> <li>6) Ain't Misbehavin' - albai</li> <li>7) Check Your Six - albai</li> <li>8) Tibbet - almal</li> <li>9) Honeythorn Gump - aming</li> <li>10) Erland - almal</li> </ol> <p><b>Champion No Halter/Tack/Costume: JM's Modern Love - corob</b></p> <p><b>Reserve Champion No Halter/Tack/Costume: Ibis - eljon</b></p> <p><b>With Halter/Tack/Costume</b></p> <p>8. Halter (2)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Skowronek - cabai</li> <li>2) Windy Boy - corob</li> </ol> <p><b>Champion With Halter/Tack/Costume: Skowronek - cabai</b></p> <p><b>Reserve Champion With Halter/Tack/Costume: Windy Boy - corob</b></p>	<p>5) Elusive Enchantment - albai</p> <p><b>Champion No Halter/Tack/Costume: Enamorado - jocoo</b></p> <p><b>Reserve Champion No Halter/Tack/Costume: Winchester Cathedral - corob</b></p> <p><b>With Halter/Tack/Costume</b></p> <p>8. English Bridle (2)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Marius - kijac</li> <li>2) Hunters Moon - aming</li> </ol> <p>9. Cultural Costume Bridle (1)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Ranjanni – kijac</li> </ol> <p><b>Champion With Halter/Tack/Costume: Marius - kijac</b></p> <p><b>Reserve Champion With Halter/Tack/Costume: Ranjanni – kijac</b></p>
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Practice your writing skills and share your knowledge with fellow hobbyists!

As room allows, I will be happy to publish short announcements about your horse club or other news. Also, I will happily accept short articles. Send your announcement to Elizabeth Jones, newsletter editor, at [ubersu@verizon.net](mailto:ubersu@verizon.net).