



AMERICAN PAINT HORSE ASSOCIATION

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Dear Committee members and Club officers,

The 2010 American Paint Horse Association Judges' clinic will be held in cooperation with the Appaloosa Horse Club of America. The show management seminar and judges' courses will be held in **Düsseldorf from the 5th to the 9th of May, 2010. May 8th and 9th being dedicated to the testing and interviewing of Judge Applicants and May 5th for show managers.** Guido and Peter Hoffmann of Lakefield Farms have agreed to host the live judging part of the judges' examination as they have done in the past.

Joe Carter, Butch Carse and Holly Nelson, APHA Senior Director of Show and Contest are just three of the highly qualified instructors invited by the Associations to organize the clinic.

The courses, show management and judging, are open to all interested membership. The testing will be limited to those applicants who wish to qualify as a European Approved Judge. Current Judges and show managers are encouraged to attend the course work and discussions.

Please include this information on your websites and in other publications. The dates and Düsseldorf location have been confirmed by the APHA as well as the ApHC. This allows the participants to make travel plans and mark their calendars. Hotel, fees, course and testing schedule details will be confirmed no later than February 28, 2009.

For further information, a request for an application or questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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