



# Welcome to the... 2019 MQHA Convention & 2018 Year End Awards Banquet

## *Schedule of Events*

### **FRIDAY, JANUARY 11**

<b>6:00 p.m.</b>	Closed Board Meeting	Stadium Room
<b>7:00 p.m.</b>	Cocktail Reception	Conference Room BCD

### **SATURDAY, JANUARY 12** (hotel breakfast for guests served from 7:00 – 10:30 a.m.)

<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	General Membership meeting	Stadium Room
<b>10:30 a.m.</b>	Youth Meeting	Conference Room A
<b>12:00 p.m.</b>	Stallion Service Sale	Conference Room BCD
<b>12:00 p.m.</b>	Silent Auction begins	Conference Room BCD
<b>12:00-1:00 p.m.</b>	Ranch Riding Clinic	Conference Room F
<b>1:30-2:30 p.m.</b>	Showing Q & A Clinic	Conference Room F
<b>3:00-4:00 p.m.</b>	Riding for a College Team Clinic	Conference Room F
<b>5:30 p.m.</b>	Doors open for dinner seating	Conference Room ABCDFG
<b>6:00 p.m.</b>	Plated Dinner Served	Conference Room ABCDFG
<b>6:45 p.m.</b>	Annual Awards Presentation	Conference Room ABCDFG

- Presidents Message
- Youth President to include MQHYA Academic Awards
- MESF Launch – Tom Carter & Jacque Moody
- Queen's Message
- Hall of Fame Presentation
- Special Awards
  - Mother of the Year
  - Father of the Year
  - Show of the Year

- Youth Sportsperson
- Adult Sportsperson
- Horseback Riding Program Awards
- Member of the Year
- Lead Line Awards
- Small Fry Awards
- Year End Awards Presentation
- 15 minutes following the end of the Awards presentation, the Silent Benefit Auction and Silent Back Number Auction end

**Approx. 9:30 p.m. (following conclusion of Awards Presentations)**

- Table dismissal for picking up Year End Awards
- Music by DJ Tom Gear until 12:00 a.m.
- Snacks provided

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 13** (hotel breakfast for guests served from 7:00 – 10:30 a.m.)

**9:30 a.m.**      2019 Board of Directors meeting      Stadium Room

**10:30 a.m.**      Futurity Meeting      Stadium Room



**Did you know???**

- MQHA was ranked fourth in the country for number of entries (2016) with 603 average entries per AQHA approved event following MA (1046), OH (898) and AZ (717).
- From 2015 to 2016, total entries in Michigan increased by 4,533, ranking Michigan 8<sup>th</sup> in the nation for entry increase.
- Michigan is 11<sup>th</sup> for total number of shows offered.
- The Northern Michigan QH All Novice show placed third for L1 shows (2016).
- Michigan gained 111 new exhibitors in 2016.

(2017 statistics were not available from AQHA)