

# APHA Judge Emeritus Award Application Form

This award recognizes judges who have dedicated their careers to judging in APHA-approved events. Judges will be recognized at the annual APHA Convention, where they will receive a commemorative plaque and a custom Gist Silversmiths buckle. Retiring judges photographs will also be placed in APHA headquarters in Fort Worth, Texas.

## APPLICANT INFORMATION:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ APHA ID #: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp.Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Retirement Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for retirement:

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## EMERITUS AWARD REQUIREMENTS:

- Must have a minimum of 25 years of service or have judged 150 APHA approved events.
  - Approved by the Judges Committee on an individual basis according to record.
  - Voluntarily retire with excellent record and/or the Judge's Committee has the ability to bestow the Emeritus Award upon a judge.
  - Judges must be in good standing with the Judges Committee with no disciplinary actions, probations or suspensions on their record.
  - European Judges must have served a minimum of 25 years or judged 65 shows.
- \*Judges that are deceased and have met the criteria for this award will also be considered.

## APPLYING:

- Provide a recent, non-returnable photo, suitable for publication, of yourself in the attire you would wear to judge a horse show.
- In order for an application to be considered, it must be received in the office no later than November 20<sup>th</sup>, thus allowing the time necessary for processing prior to the APHA Convention in February.
- Only applications that are complete will be forwarded to the Judges Committee for consideration.
- Selected applicants will be notified by formal letter and invited to the APHA Convention in February to be recognized.

Contact, mail, fax or email form to:

**American Paint Horse Association**

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