

Official Regional Club
of the American
Saddlebred Horse
Association



NWISA

**Northwest
Indiana
Saddlebred
Association**

Calling all Saddlebred riders, breeders, owners, trainers, and lovers!

*Spread the word about the breed we love. We believe that
everyone's first horse could and should be an American
Saddlebred – the horse that's **made in America.***



NWISA Purpose:

- To promote American Saddlebreds as pleasure, show, and trail horses that can compete and excel in all disciplines.
- To promote understanding that, although ASBs are animated, they are willing partners and aim to please.
- To increase awareness that riding and showing should and must be enjoyable to all parties – horses included.

- Networking with other Saddlebred owners in the local area horse scene, particularly those in boarding barns where they may be the only Saddlebred rider.

NWISA Projects include:

- Creation of ASB-sanctioned classes at local shows and the hosting of club-created shows.
- Participation in local horse fairs and 4-H clubs.
- Education and outreach about the breed. Currently, we're working with other local horse groups to get Saddlebred point classes added to the line-ups of area shows.

About Saddlebreds

The American Saddlebred, formerly known as the American Saddle Horse, is a breed that was developed in Kentucky by plantation owners who needed a horse they could ride comfortably for hours. Today they are seen most commonly in the show ring under saddle and in various types of driving and fine harness competitions.

Increasingly, we're seeing Saddlebreds in other disciplines including dressage, hunter/jumper, and western riding. They're popular parade mounts and are also used for trail riding because of their comfortable gait and steady temperament.

So, come on! Saddle up a Saddlebred!



PLEASE JOIN US!

Membership fee: \$20. per year.

Members do not have to be American Saddlebred owners, riders, or ASHA members. **This is an open group welcoming all horse enthusiasts who care about Saddlebreds.**

Horse Enrollment fee: \$10. per year per horse showing for points. Horses must be registered American Saddlebreds



to compete in sanctioned classes for points. Please fill out the attached form or download one from our website. Send your completed form and check (*made payable to Karen Nelson, NWISA*) to:

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