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## 2020 Distance Horse National Championships

Arabian Horse Association Distance Horse National Championships have been suspended for 2020

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE** - Aurora, CO – July 21, 2020 –Attention Distance National Exhibitors. After careful consideration by the Arabian Horse Association and the Distance Nationals Show Commission, Distance Nationals has been suspended for the year 2020. The DHNC were to be held September 25 - 27, 2020 near La Pine, Oregon in conjunction with the Lava Cast Forest Memorial Endurance rides sanctioned by American Endurance Conference (AERC). This decision was made first and foremost with the health and safety of our competitors in mind.

**Although AHA will not be involved with the ride, competitors can contact ride managers Paula and Suzy for information regarding the Lava Cast Memorial Endurance Ride.**

For questions about refunds, please contact Rebecca Hankey at [rebecca.hankey@arabianhorses.org](mailto:rebecca.hankey@arabianhorses.org). Any entries for the Arabian Horse Association, Appaloosa Horse Club, Paso Fino Horse Association, Performance Shagya Registry, Akhal-Teke Association of America, American Morgan Horse Association and American Saddlebred Registry affiliated rides will be refunded.

For more information on the Arabian Horse Association, please go to [www.arabianhorses.org](http://www.arabianhorses.org).

### About Arabian Horse Association

Arabian Horse Association (AHA) is an equine association serving more than 85,000 Arabian, Half-Arabian and Anglo-Arabian horse owners across North America. AHA registers and maintains a database of more than one million Arabian, Half-Arabian and Anglo-Arabian horses. AHA produces five national horse championship events yearly and recognizes over 344 Arabian local and regional horse shows and distance rides. AHA promotes the Arabian breed and ownership through educational and outreach programs.