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## Arabian Horses Return to Tulsa for the 2017 U.S. National Arabian and Half-Arabian Championship Horse Show

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**(25-SEPTEMBER-17) AURORA, COLO.** – The [Arabian Horse Association](#) (AHA) is returning to the Tulsa Expo Square in Tulsa from October 20 – 28 for the largest Arabian horse show in North America, the [2017 U.S. National Arabian and Half-Arabian Championship Horse Show](#).

U.S. Nationals ranks as the most prestigious North American championship show in the Arabian show horse industry. Amateur and professional riders and handlers will compete some of the following classes:

- Halter
- Native Costume
- Reining
- Working Cow
- Cutting
- Trail
- Show Hack
- Sidesaddle
- Park Horse
- Driving

For those wanting to learn more about the Arabian horse, **Total Arabian Interaction and Learning (T.A.I.L.) Tours and Learning Stations** will be held from October 20 - 24 and are **free** to the public. Tour attendees will meet breeders, trainers and Arabian horse owners, as well as meet Arabian horses and learn educational facts about the breed.

The program's goal is to make tour and show attendees feel comfortable, welcomed and informed about Arabian horses. Reservations for the tours are required. To reserve your space contact AHA at [Youth@arabianhorses.org](mailto:Youth@arabianhorses.org) or call 303.597.8251.

The public will have a chance to browse the **shopping expo** from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily in the Exchange Building. Vendors will have art, jewelry, clothing, kids' toys, equine accessories and much more. The shopping expo is free and open to the public.

Throughout the show, the **Tour of Arabian Horse Legends exhibit** will highlight some of the greatest Arabian horse trainers, breeders, organizations and horses in a historical display. The display will be

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open throughout the duration of the show, and anyone interested in viewing the exhibit can stop by at any time during the shopping expo hours (10 a.m. to 7 p.m.).

Don't forget to join the digital fun with us on social media. There will be numerous social media contests throughout the show, so make sure to use hashtags **#ahaUSN17** and **#ahaBlueRoom** for your chance to be featured on AHA social media websites. Follow AHA on Twitter at [@AHAArabian](#), Facebook at [Arabian Horse Association](#), Instagram at [@arabianhorseassoc](#) and SnapChat at [@ahyNeigh](#) to keep up with daily events at the show, and social media contests. Check out the **#ahaBlueRoom** at the show or on our website for contest details and updates.

For more information visit [www.arabianhorses.org/USN](http://www.arabianhorses.org/USN) or browse the [Omnibus](#) for a full schedule of events.

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AHA is a major equine association serving 84,000 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 championship events, recognizes over 400 Arabian horse shows and distance rides and provides activities, education, and programs that promote breeding and ownership.

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