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HELPFUL RESOURCES

In order to help you prepare for learner judging and possible future Evaluation, we have com-plied a partial list of resources; there are many other valuable resources not included here.

- AHA (303-696-4500) www.arabianhorses.org
 - AHA Handbook <https://www.arabianhorses.org/.content/aha-docs/AHAHANDBOOK.pdf>
 - AHA Judges School Notebook sections, Equitation Manual, Score Sheets & other resources for officials: <https://www.arabianhorses.org/additional/judges-stewards/resources/>
 - AHA Standards of Excellence DVD's – Judges & Stewards Commissioner's Office
 - Arabian Youth Coach Judging Guide - https://www.arabianhorses.org/.content/youth-docs/AHYA_Coaching_Youth_Judging_Teams_Guide.pdf
 - Arabian Horse Type, A Guide for Judging - check with AHA for availability
- USEF (859-258-2472) www.usef.org
 - USEF Rule Book -https://www.usef.org/_IFrames/RuleBook/2018.aspx
(can be downloaded by chapter)
 - USEF Western Equipment Booklet - www.usef.org/documents/licensedOfficials/WesternEquipmentBooklet.pdf
 - USEF Licensing Information www.usef.org/_IFrames/LicensedOfficials/natlicInfo.aspx
- NRHA (405.946.7400)
 - Handbook <http://nrha1.com/handbook>
 - Bit Gauge order form <http://nrha1.com/media/pdf/2015/bitgauge.pdf>
 - Maneuver Standards DVD order form - <http://nrha1.com/media/pdf/2017/maneuverstandards.pdf>
- NRCHA (940-488-1500) info@nrcha.com
 - Rulebook - http://nrchadata.com/pdf/news/2018/2018RuleBook-Final_web.pdf
 - NRCHA View from the Judges Chair - Judging Bridle Horses on Cow Work DVD - http://www.nrchadata.com/pdf/Judging_Bridle_Horse_Order_Form.pdf
- American Driving Society <http://www.americandrivingsociety.org/>
- Carriage Association of America <http://www.carriageassociationofamerica.com/>

- The Lane Horse by James Rooney (available on Amazon.com)
- USPC Guide to Conformation, Movement and Soundness by Susan E. Harris (basic intro - available on Amazon.com and from the United States Pony Club, Lexington, KY)
- The Horse Conformation Handbook by Heather Smith Thomas (available on Amazon.com)
- Horse Anatomy: a pictorial approach to Equine Structure (2000) by Peter Goody (available on Amazon.com)
- Education VS Domination: What Role Does the Bit Play?, 2017 DVD by Greg Darnall (available at <https://www.gregdarnall.com>)
- International Side Saddle Organization, 75 Lamington Rd, Branchburg, NJ 08876-3314 (info@sidesaddle.com) (706) 871-ISSO (4776) www.sidesaddle.com E - Mail: info@sidesaddle.com
- Parts of Horse diagram
- Get Connected DVD - Hunter Seat Equitation
<http://www.usjha.org/programs/resources/getconnected.aspx>
- UPHA Judges Guide and Workouts (UPHA kstivers@uphaonline.com, 4059 Iron Works Parkway, Suite 2, Lexington, KY 40511 [859-231-5070](tel:859-231-5070))
- Saddle Seat Horsemanship – Smith Lilly (2013) hardcover, 212 pages
<http://www.saddleseathorsemanship.com/> and
http://www.asbmuseum.org/item/3151/20/saddle_seat_horsemanship_book.html
- Saddle Seat Horsemanship Saddle Seat Riding Skills – DVD – Smith Lilly (2013) – same source as book by same author
- Rein in Your Brain: Do-it Yourself Mental Training for Riders and Drivers – Janeane Reagan, PhD. 192 pages, hard cover& paperback
<http://www.friesenpress.com/bookstore/title/119734000009144003/Janeane-Reagan,-PhD-Rein-in-Your-Brain/PET000000> and <http://www.amazon.com/Rein-Your-Brain-Do-Yourself/dp/1460210727>
- Horse judging manuals for various universities – the manuals are useful in many ways, including helping you to become familiar with how to give reasons when judging. Here are two examples:
 - University of Kentucky – College of Agriculture
<http://www2.ca.uky.edu/agcomm/pubs/asc/asc118/asc118.pdf>
 - North Carolina Cooperative Extension Service -
<https://equinehusbandry.ces.ncsu.edu/equinehusbandry-educational-materials/horse-judging-resource-material/>