AMERICAN QUARTER HORSE EVENT TO BE HELD (DATES)

City, State -- The American Quarter Horse Association will host (event name), an AQHA-approved horse show on (date) at the (facility name) in (city where show is held).

American Quarter Horse shows test horses' ability in dozens of different classes and feature exciting events such as jumping, reining, barrel racing, cutting, roping and pole bending.

Additionally, halter classes that judge American Quarter Horses based on balance, muscling and breed characteristics are held.

People who exhibit at an American Quarter Horse show, earn points that turn into awards or cash at the end of the year. By competing at an AQHA show, exhibitors and horses also can qualify for the AQHA or American Quarter Horse Youth Association World Championship Shows, the premier events in the entire equine industry.

"We welcome all American Quarter Horse owners as well as anyone who has a passion for horses," said Bill Brewer, AQHA Executive Vice President. "AQHA shows are fun and anybody who has ever wanted to get involved with horses or compete at an AQHA show is encouraged to come."

Each year, AQHA approves more than 2,700 shows and special events across the globe. For more information about the (event name) show, please contact (name and phone number).

For additional information on AQHA, including showing, racing or recreational riding, contact AQHA at (806)376-4811 or visit AQHA's Web site at www.aqha.com.