



Area A Horse Show Advisory Committee



HORSE SHOW GATE STEWARD

Basic Function

To keep the show running smoothly and safely

Specific Responsibilities

- Keep the gate area safe for mounted and un-mounted people. Recognize potential dangerous situations and take positive action to resolve those situations
- Keep spectators clear of gates
- Open and close gates at the beginning and end of a class and at other times as needed
- As exhibitors line up to enter the ring, verify that they have on the proper attire and that their helmet and bits have the correct color zip tie, indicating that they have been validated by the check-in committee
- Verify that the exhibitors are present and ready to enter the arena when their class is called
- If an exhibitor is a scratch, annotate the gate list and use your radio to inform the announcer; verify with the ring steward.