

Lauren Maddox



Lauren Maddox has been judging for 18 years and is currently carded with Gypsy Vanner Horse Society, American Buckskin Registry Association, Pony of the Americas Club, Virginia Horse Show Association, and Open Horse Show Association. She has been honored to judge the Feathered Horse Classic Gypsy National Championship show in 2019, the Feathered Horse Classic Futurity in 2016 and the POA East World show in 2018. Spanning all disciplines and breeds, Lauren averages 25-30 shows per year, including numerous large championship open shows, 4-H state fairs and district shows in NC, SC, VA, MD and DE.

Lauren grew up in 4-H, showing in both Hunter and Western disciplines. In 4-H is where she came to love judging and Hippology. Through the years she showed her horses to several All Around Performance Championships. She continued to grow her knowledge of various breeds, working at winning Saddlebred, Morgan, Arabian and stock horse barns.

After attaining her goals in the AQHA show ring, she decided to relinquish her amateur card and concentrate on both judging and conducting clinics. She enjoys judging all classes and disciplines. Lauren prides herself on her reputation for knowledge, fairness, ethics, ability to manage the show ring and professionalism. She truly enjoys judging and contributing to a successful show.