



LICENSED OFFICIAL COMMITTEE

PURPOSE:

The GVHS Licensed Official Committee (LOC or Judges Committee) committee helps develop and plan processes related to Judges. The importance of the Licensed Official Committee (LOC or Judges Committee) is multi-fold as the growth of Gypsy Vanner horse shows increase across the US and Canada. Committee members are GVHS members in good standing and are volunteers assigned by the GVHS Board of Directors. The Committee will meet as needed.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

This committee will be necessary to establish a standardized process for the following listed here:

- Applicant judge to become a licensed judge by the GVHS.
- Testing of all licensed and applicant judges.
- Addressing complaints filed regarding a judge's performance.
- Protocol for all judges to adhere to for maintaining a high ethical standard of conduct.
- Process for the re-certification of judges.
- An assessment of interpretation and application of Show Rules and Regulations.
- A review and recommendation on the subject matter content of Judge's Seminars.
- Work in collaboration with the GVHS Board of Directors in developing appropriate policies, procedures, and show rules to enhance competitions.
- A process that includes all GVHS members in the educational process for shows.
- Review of judge issue and exhibitor issues that have to do with judging or judges.

All plans will be reviewed with the Board of Directors to ensure we are aligned with the Organizational goals and objectives