



## CHA 2023 International Conference “Tentative” Schedule Colorado State University Fort Collins, CO

### Wednesday, October 25, 2023

9:00am ~ 5:00pm CHA Board Meeting ~ Board of Directors ~ Fort Collins Marriott Boardroom  
6:00pm *Dinner on Your Own*

### Thursday, October 26, 2023 (15 minute breaks between each session)

8:00am *Breakfast on Your Own*

10:00am Registration and Vendor Tables Open ~ Marriott Ballroom Foyer (*Closes during Annual Meeting*)

12:00pm *Lunch on Your Own*

1:00pm Welcome to Fort Collins!  
CHA Annual Membership Meeting ~ President Kristin Jaworski ~ Centennial Ballroom

2:00pm Regional Member Meetups ~ Centennial Ballroom / Ballroom Foyer

3:00pm Dos & Don't of Building/ Remodeling Your Facility ~ Dr. Bob Coleman ~ Centennial Ballroom  
The Benefits of Partnership: CHA & IEA ~ Susan Wentzel/Jennifer Eaton ~ Windsor I  
Using Technology to Manage Your Equine Facility ~ Deanna Mancuso ~ Windsor II

4:15pm *Dinner on Your Own*

6:00pm Dessert Reception (Cash Bar Open) - Pavilion Room

6:30pm Roundtable Discussions ~ Beth Powers Moderator ~ Pavilion Room  
\*How to Teach a Successful Beginner Camp ~ Audrey Rasch  
\*Site Visit/ CHA Accreditation Interest ~ Ann Streett-Joslin  
\*Fostering Independence at All Levels ~ Lisa Lombardi  
\*Certifier Updates / Concerns / Questions ~ Tammi Gainer  
\*What Does Becoming a CHA Board Member Mean? ~ Kristen Jaworski/Dr. Bob Coleman/ Anne Brzezicki  
\*How Integrity in Breeding Develops Your Program ~ Ward Stutz  
\*Building Your Profile on the CHA Website ~ TBD  
\*Biomechanics of Posting Trot ~ Marilyn Coffey

### Friday, October 27, 2023 (15 minute breaks between each session)

7:00am *Breakfast on Your Own*

7:45am Buses begin transportation to CSU Equine Center (Two trips total last leaving @ 8:30am)

9:00am Registration & Vendor Tables Open ~ CSU Equine Center ~ Pickett Arena

9:00am Travers:When, How, and Why to Teach/Train It ~ Joanne Young ~ Pickett Arena  
Performing a Rider Dressage Test in IEA Competition ~ Amanda Garner ~ Atkins Arena  
Walking through the barns/facilities at CSU ~ Dr. Bob Coleman ~ Meet @ Horse Legends Barn

10:30am Are Your Students Secure in the Saddle? ~ Wendy Murdoch ~ Pickett Arena  
Teaching & Progressing the Posting Trot ~ Christy Landwehr ~ Atkins Arena  
Fulfilling the Needs of the Equine Industry ~ Roxanne Durant ~ Atkins Classroom

11:45am *Lunch Served*

12:00pm Teaching Turnbacks: The Whys & Hows ~ Jule Goodnight ~ Pickett Arena

1:30pm Building a Jump Course to Fit Beginner to Advanced ~ Jody Taylor ~ Pickett Arena  
Progressing Riders Through Pressure ~ Serena Hoppes ~ Atkins Arena  
Facebook Standardization ~ Erin Rakow ~ Atkins Classroom

3:00 pm How to Use the Feldenkrais Method to Become a Better Ride ~Wendy Murdoch: Pickett Arena  
Riding the Perfect Western Pattern ~ Dustin Boehmer ~ Atkins Arena  
Tips & Tricks for Organizing an IEA Competition ~ Simon Towns ~ Atkins Classroom

4:30pm Buses return to Marriott Fort Collins Hotel

7:00pm CHA Awards Banquet Dinner (Cash Bar Open) ~ Centennial Ballroom

**Saturday, October 28, 2023 (15 minute breaks between each session)**

7:00am *Breakfast on your own*

7:45am Buses begin transportation to CSU Equine Center (Two trips total last leaving @ 8:30am)

9:00am Registration & Vendor Tables Open - CSU Equine Center ~ Pickett Arena

9:00am The Basics of Judging & Scoring a Western Pattern ~ Rebecca Halvorson ~ Pickett Arena  
Vaulting: Horse Selection & Training ~ Sarah Triplett ~ Atkins Arena  
Building a Better Relationship with your Employees ~ Kathryn Quinlan ~ Atkins Classroom

10:30am The Bowtie Exercise for Every Level ~ Marilyn Coffey ~ Pickett Arena  
Feel the Rhythm of your Horse's Footfalls ~ Ann Streett-Joslin ~ Atkins Arena  
Getting Out of the Arena & on the Trail ~ Teddy Franke ~ Outdoor Arena

11:45am *Lunch Served*

12:00pm Line Driving Hands-On Experience ~ Audrey Stockton ~ Pickett Arena

1:30pm Teaching Leadership Theory in Groundwork ~ Julie Goodnight ~ Pickett Arena  
Equitation Exercises: Becoming Balanced, Tactful, & Correct ~ Katie Schaaf ~ Atkins Arena

3:00pm Exploring the Connection between Posture, Balance, & Behavior in Horse& Rider ~ Wendy Murdoch ~ Pickett Arena  
Rider Mental Health in the Arena ~ Tara Reimer ~ Atkins Arena  
Creative Ideas for Interactive Ground Lessons ~ Audrey Rasch ~ Atkins Classroom

4:30pm Buses return to Marriott Fort Collins Hotel

***Dinner on Your Own ~ Enjoy Fort Collins!!!  
Happy Trails & Safe Journey Home !!!!***

*Full conference participants may ride in one mounted presentation. Please bring own boots, correct riding attire and ASTM-SEI approved helmet. Sign up at the CHA registration desk to ride when you arrive on the day of the class you want to ride in.*