

EQUUS Magazine Presents the EQUUS Film Festival 2015 Director's Panels

Enlightened Horsemanship Panel: 2:15 pm Friday (45 min)

Moderator - June Burgess – [Equestrian Formula](#)

Film – [One With The Herd](#) – 03:10 min

- ❖ Liz Mitten Ryan – Film - Canada - [One With The Herd](#) (film) - liz@lizmittenryan.com
- ❖ Jessica Fobert – Equestrian Series - Canada - [Free Rein](#) (series) - jess.fobert@gmail.com
- ❖ Sonny Garguilo - Author/Horse Trainer – USA - [SONNYISMS "The Horse Lovers Guide To Common Sense!"](#) - sonny@sonnygarguilo.com
- ❖ Rosalyn Berne – Author - USA - [When the Horses Whisper: The Wisdom of Wise and Sentient Beings](#) - rosberne@gmail.com
- ❖ Elsa Sinclair – Filmmaker – USA – [Taming Wild](#) (film) - elsa.sinclair@mac.com
- ❖ Miriam Thiel – Filmmaker - Denmark – [Talking To Golden Arrow](#) (film) - miriamthiel@hotmail.com

The Right Side Of The Track – The Positive Side Of Horseracing: 3:15 pm Friday (45 min)

Moderator – LA Pomeroy - [Equinista](#)

Film – [The Black Turf Project](#) – 14:50 min

- ❖ Nicholas Carter & Drew Perkins – Directors – USA - [Racing The Times](#) (film) - nicholas.james.carter@gmail.com
- ❖ Gary Contessa - Thoroughbred Trainer – USA - [Gary Contessa Racing Stable](#)
- ❖ Ross Peddicord - Program Executive Director – USA - [MD Horse Industry Board](#) - ross.peddicord@gmail.com
- ❖ Ken Brown – USA – Producer/Director - [The Black Turf Project](#) (film) - ken@kbprods.com
- ❖ Rachel Connolly Kwok – USA - Producer/Director - [Riding In Stride](#) (film) - rachelhartc@gmail.com

The Equestrian Film Director's Panel: 4:15 pm Friday (45 min)

Moderator - Diana DeRosa

Film – [We Are The Horse](#) – 04:00 min

- ❖ Cindy Meehl - Executive Producer – USA - [Unbranded](#)
- ❖ Durrell Nelson – Filmmaker – USA - [Texas Rein](#)
- ❖ Victoria Racimo – Filmmaker/Director - USA - [One Day](#)
- ❖ Michael Aku RoDriguez – Filmmaker/Director – USA - [Their Last Ride](#)
- ❖ Jen Miller Director/Producer – USA - [Horsefly Film](#) & [Rare Equine Trust](#)
- ❖ Sophie Dia Pegrum – Director/Producer – USA - [Horsefly Film](#) & [Rare Equine Trust](#)

The International Creators: 5:15 pm Friday (45 min)

Moderator - June Burgess – [Equestrian Formula](#)

Film – [Get Your Heart Jumping - Behind The Scenes](#) – 14:00 min

- ❖ Nathan Horrock – UK – [Equine Productions](#) Sam Fleet – UK – [Equine Productions](#)
- ❖ Tom Lloyd – UK – [Live Before You Die / PONY](#) (films)
- ❖ Jolanda Ellenberger – Switzerland - Director - [Freedom Of The Heart A Foals Story](#)
- ❖ Mario Dirkx – Netherlands/Spain - [Horse Of Kings](#)
- ❖ Stefan Morel - Canada - [Blind Spot](#)
- ❖ Roopa Barua – India – [Riders Of The Mist](#)
- ❖ Paolo Boriani – Italy - [Saga](#)
- ❖ Margot McMaster – Canada – [The Caravan](#)
- ❖ Cristina Milani – Switzerland – [Rules and Passion](#)

The Authors Panel – 6:30 pm Friday (45 min)

Moderator – LA Pomeroy - [Equinista](#)

Film – [When The Horses Whisper](#) – 03:00 min

- ❖ John Blackburn - Author – USA - [Healthy Stables by Design](#)
- ❖ Rosalyn Berne - Author – USA - [When The Horses Whisper: The Wisdom Of Wise And Sentient Beings](#) - rosberne@gmail.com
- ❖ Wendy Williams - Author – USA - [The Horse: The Epic History Of Our Noble Companion](#)
- ❖ Candace Wade – Author – USA - [Horse Sluts](#)

The Horse Defenders Panel: 8:15 pm – 9:30 pm Friday (1.5 hrs)

Moderator – Susan Kayne – Founder – [Real Horse Rescues](#)

Film – [Born To Die](#) – 11:00 min

Film – [Marshal County Horse Neglect](#) – News – 09:00 min

Film – HSUS – [Tennessee Walking Horse Investigation Exposes Cruelty](#) – 03:35 min

- ❖ Leana Stormont – USA - [HSUS Equine Division](#)
- ❖ Richard “Kudo” Couto – Founder/Director - USA - [ARM - Animal Recovery Mission](#) (film)
- ❖ Katia Louise – Director - USA - [Saving America’s Horses](#) (film)
- ❖ Sharon Boeckle – Director - USA - [Kill Pen](#) (film)
- ❖ Neta Rhyne – Writer/Producer – USA - [Their Last Ride](#) (film)
- ❖ Sonja Meadows – Founder/President - USA - [Animal Angels](#)
- ❖ Dr. Lester Friedlander – Activist - [Citizens Against Equine Slaughter](#) - Board of Directors

Soring – What are they thinking? 12 pm Saturday (45 min)

Moderator - Candace Wade – Equine Author

http://www.horsenation.com/2015/09/22/right-tradition-or-obstinacy-a-look-at-big-lick-by-a-tennessean/?utm_campaign=shareaholic&utm_medium=facebook&utm_source=socialnetwork

Film - [AAWHA Soring Film](#) – 03:00 min

Film - [See It Through My Eyes – The Big Lick – Girl Scout Troop Documentary](#) – 07:21 min

- ❖ Leana Stormont – USA - [HSUS Equine Division](#)
- ❖ Suzi Clark - AAWHA – USA - [All American Walking Horse Alliance](#)
- ❖ Jeannie McGuire - AAWHA – USA - [All American Walking Horse Alliance](#)
- ❖ Walter Blankinship – USA - Tennessee Walking Horse Supporter – [Kensington Stables Brooklyn](#)
- ❖ Gregory A. Beroza, DVM, DACVS, DABVP - Veterinarian- Equine Practice - www.horsedoc.com

Horses Are The Healers Panel: 1:00 pm Saturday (45 min)

Moderator – Susan Kayne – Founder – [Real Horse Rescues](#)

Film – [Freedom Farm](#) – 18:00 min

Film – [You’ve Got Time Now](#) – 05:00 min

- ❖ Liz Mitten Ryan – Canada - [One With The Herd](#)
- ❖ Brian Reid – USA - [Horses Know The Way Home](#)

Young Riders and Horses - The Connection Panel: 2:15 pm Saturday (45 min)

Moderator – LA Pomeroy - [Equinista](#)

Film – [All About That Bert](#) – 02:00 min

Film – [Whip My Mane](#) – 05:00 min

- ❖ Jane A. DeCosta – USA – Trainer - [Metropolitan Equestrian Team](#) - jane@metropolitanequestrianteam.org
- ❖ David Wilson – Screenwriter - USA – [Spirit Riders](#) (film) - dkw2831@yahoo.com
- ❖ Gwendoline Cholat (Madeleine Bergier) Rider - France - [Beyond Our Arena](#) (film) – antonio@antoniovidril.com

Those Beautiful New York City Carriage Horses: 3:15 pm Saturday (45 min)

Moderator – LA Pomeroy - [Equinista](#)

Moderator - Diana DeRosa

Film – My Horse For A Kingdom by Sandi Bachom – 10:00 min

- ❖ Sandi Bachom – USA - [Filmmaker](#) - vrracimo@gmail.com
- ❖ Christina Hansen - Carriage Driver – USA - nyccarriages@gmail.com
- ❖ Keif Roberts – Director – USA – [Working Horses](#) (film) - turnleftkmr@gmail.com
- ❖ Peter J. Haas – Director – USA - [Working Horses](#) (film) - turnleftkmr@gmail.com
- ❖ Alexandra Summa – Carriage Horse Activist – USA – [ICONIC NYC](#) - alexandra@iconicnyc.org

The Safety Of The Horse In Films: 4:15 pm Saturday (45 min)

Moderator - Diana DeRosa

- ❖ Victoria Racimo – USA - Director/Actress/Producer - [One Day](#) (film) - vrracimo@gmail.com
- ❖ Emma Massingale – UK - [Horseware Commercial](#) - info@naturalequine.co.uk

America's Magnificent Mustangs: 5:15 pm Saturday (45 min)

Moderator – Susan Kayne – Founder – [Real Horse Rescues](#)

Film – [Wild Mustang Birth in Utah Desert](#) – 04:00

Film – [Mustang Soul](#) – 04:00

- ❖ Suzanne Roy – [Director American Wild Horse Preservation Campaign](#)
- ❖ Kelly Jay – Mustang Photographer – [Official 2015 Wild Horse Fund Raiser Poster Winner](#)
- ❖ Stacey Riggs – Mustang Trainer – [Corrals To Competition](#)
- ❖ Mitch Bornstein – Author / Mustang Trainer – [Last Chance Mustang](#)
- ❖ Sonny Garguilo - Author/Horse Trainer - [SONNYISMS "THE HORSE LOVERS GUIDE TO COMMON SENSE!"](#)
- ❖ Carol Walker – Author/Wild Horse Advocate - [Gallop to Freedom: Saving the Adobe Town Appaloosa](#)

Horseware Ireland – Making Of The Horsewear Commercial: 6:45 pm Saturday (45 min)

Moderator - June Burgess – [Equestrian Formula](#)

Film – [Behind The Scenes](#) – 03:06 min

- ❖ Emma Massingale – Equestrian Specialist – [No Reins, No Rules, No Limits](#) (film)
- ❖ Nathan Horrocks - Visual Director - [Equine Productions Ltd](#)
- ❖ Jessie Smith – Product Marketing - [Horseware Ireland Commercial](#)

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