

Membership Survey Results

The Registry and/or Association conduct and maintain many prize money and recognition programs intended to promote the use of Saddlebreds. Please tell us how effective and important you think they are. If you have any questions about the specifics of a particular program or award, kindly check our website, www.saddlebred.com, for details, or contact the office.

1. Please rate with a numerical score how EFFECTIVE you think each of the following is in promoting the use of the Saddlebreds, with 10 being most effective, and 1 being least effective. Please leave the rating blank if you have no opinion or do not wish to express an opinion.

6.1 Grand National Prize Program
 6.9 Kentucky and National Futurity Prize Program
 7.7 State Futurities Prize Program
 6.2 American Saddlebred Sweepstakes Prize Program

2. Please rate the following award programs with the same scoring system:

7.1 State Pleasure Horse Awards
 6.8 National Pleasure Horse Awards
 7.0 Saddlebred Record
 5.8 Saddlebred Select
 5.4 Sport Horse Year End Awards
 5.3 Sport Horse High Point Award
 4.3 Half-Saddlebred Achievement Award
 7.0 Breeders' Award
 6.9 ASHA Annual Awards

3. Using the same rating system, with 10 standing for most important, please rate with a numerical score how IMPORTANT you think each of the following Registry functions is in safeguarding the integrity of the breed. Please remember to leave the rating blank if you have no opinion or do not wish to express one.

9.8 Registrations
 9.3 Transfers of Ownership
 7.6 Publication of an Annual Register
 6.7 Lease Agreements
 7.4 Certificates of Eligibility to Show
 7.5 Name Changes
 8.9 Verification of Registration Certificates
 8.4 Publication of Pedigrees
 8.6 Maintenance of Competition Results
 8.5 Stallion Service Reports
 8.7 Recordings of Get of Sire and Produce of Dam
 9.2 Requirements for Blood Typing/DNA to Verify Parentage

4. Using the same rating system, with 10 being the best grade possible, please tell us your assessment of professional staff services, in general, in the Registry's performance of the functions above. If you have a specific comment or suggestion about any particular aspect of Registry services, please provide it in the space provided.

9.1 Accuracy
 8.8 Responsiveness to Inquiries
 7.9 Timeliness of Processing
 9.3 Courtesy
 8.6 Availability

5. The Association provides many publications to its members, funds outreach programs, and also provides essential member services intended to educate and expand knowledge about American Saddlebreds. Please provide two (2) scores, with 10 being the highest score, 1 being the lowest score, blank indicating no opinion, as to each one's present EFFECTIVENESS and each one's IMPORTANCE TO CONTINUE.

Publications:	Effectiveness	Importance
American Saddlebred Magazine	<u> 8.6 </u>	<u> 9.0 </u>
Annual Reference Directory	<u> 8.7 </u>	<u> 8.7 </u>
Membership Directory	<u> 8.5 </u>	<u> 8.7 </u>
Grand National News	<u> 6.0 </u>	<u> 6.0 </u>
Junior Junction Newsletter	<u> 6.1 </u>	<u> 6.5 </u>
The Connection Newsletter	<u> 5.5 </u>	<u> 5.6 </u>
Judging Standards Brochure	<u> 7.7 </u>	<u> 8.8 </u>
Promotional Brochures	<u> 8.0 </u>	<u> 9.0 </u>
Outreach Programs:	Effectiveness	Importance
Charter Clubs	<u> 7.6 </u>	<u> 9.0 </u>
Youth Programs	<u> 7.9 </u>	<u> 9.2 </u>
Member Services:	Effectiveness	Importance
Annual Meeting	<u> 7.3 </u>	<u> 8.7 </u>
Youth Conference	<u> 7.6 </u>	<u> 8.6 </u>
On-line Access to Registry Database	<u> 9.2 </u>	<u> 9.6 </u>
Publication of Official Kentucky State Fair Results/Judges' Cards	<u> 8.5 </u>	<u> 8.8 </u>
Electronic/Emailing of Saddlebred News	<u> 8.3 </u>	<u> 8.3 </u>
Web site: www.saddlebred.com	<u> 9.1 </u>	<u> 9.5 </u>