

ALSA LLAMA FLEECE JUDGES – OHIO - CLINIC **Advanced & Beginner Judge / Owner Education**

November 18, 19 & 20, 2011

Instructors: Deb Yeagle & Cindy Ruckman Application Deadline: November 4, 2011

Clinic Hosts: McFarland's Llama Farm, 8000 Old Delaware Road, Mt. Vernon, OH. **Phone:** 740 393 2309 Host Hotel: Mount Vernon Inn, 601 W. High Street, Mt. Vernon, OH. 740 392 9881 Other Recommended Mt. Vernon Hotels: Holiday Inn Express & Comfort Inn Arriving Airport: Columbus International Airport (CMH) OHIO

This ALSA Llama Fleece Judges Clinic is offered as a combined Advanced, Beginner and Owner Fleece Clinic. The Clinic will cover two and one half intense days of instruction, handson judging, discussion and testing.

It is open to all ALSA members whether Breeders, Beginning or Advanced Llama Fleece Judges, needing to certify or re-certify as an ALSA Fleece Judge. Breeders will attend two days (all day Friday and Saturday), to learn how to skirt and evaluate their own fleeces, to fully understand Walking Fleece and to develop an understanding of what Judges are looking for.

Llama Fleece Judges Clinic will cover the following:

*Review of ALSA Fleece Judging Rules and Ethics, *Fleece Preparation, *Theory, *Criteria *Terminology, *Prime Qualities for Selection, *Scorecards, *Fleece Handling, *Making Comparisons, *Hands-on activities and Testing *Lama Fiber Evaluations *Practice Judging All Lama Fleeces, *Reviewing Walking Fleece Scorecards, *Procedures for Judging Walking Fleece on Animals *Oral Reasons * Testing and Evaluating of Judges

I am attending the Clinic as: (check applicable)

ALSA Llama Fleece Judge - Beginning	Auditing (with Permission)	\$300.00
ALSA Llama Fleece Judge - Advanced	Auditing (with Permission)	\$300.00
ALSA Llama Breeder (Friday & Saturday only)		\$75.00

Clinic information will be distributed by email. This fee includes all material, work with fleeces and one lunch. Name(s):

Ranch/Farm:_____

Address:

City:

Zip:_____ State: Home Phone: () Fax: () E-mail:

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