

THE GENESEE VALLEY BREEDERS ASSOCIATION, INC.
Western New York Breeders of Thoroughbred and Thoroughbred Type Horses
Founded in 1914
P.O. Box 186
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Greetings to All GVBA members,

The GVBA is looking forward to an active and eventful year in 2018.

Some of our goals for 2018 include greater service and benefits to our members. Our Board of Directors is constantly trying to educate the public about our mission and history.

We are continuing to complete the process of donating our historical program books and perpetual trophies to the Avon Historical Society for safekeeping and to preserve the historical information that is contained in our programs that date back to the inception of the GVBA.

The GVBA was awarded a grant from the State of New York and we are working with the Village of Avon to put the monies to work in a way that will benefit the GVBA and the community.

Sunday, August 26, 2018 is the date of the 102nd GVBA Breeders Horse Show that will be held at Hasty Hills Farm in Java, NY. More details to follow soon. Even if you don't have a young horse to show, please plan on attending and enjoy the day with your fellow GVBA members.

Our Annual Meeting is scheduled for Saturday, November 17, 2018, at the Big Tree Inn in Avon, NY. We have been fortunate enough to get Peter Doubleday as our guest speaker this year. Peter Doubleday is a distinctive announcer, a meticulous horse show manager and a "walking encyclopedia" of hunter/jumper facts and figures. It is a GVBA Annual Meeting you won't want to miss!

As in past years, we are planning to have tickets available to our members for the GV Hunt Races which are scheduled for the second week in October. More details later in the year.

We are always encouraged by the excitement we see when young horses are born in the Springtime, and we are looking forward to seeing you at the Breeder's Show this year and also look forward to hearing from you with your thoughts and ideas.

Please reach out to me if you have any questions or concerns and I hope to meet all of you at a future GVBA function.

Sincerely,

Jon Bates
President GVBA

GVBA 2018 membership form