

The USDF convention is just around the corner and it's going to be a wonderful year. We are in Lexington, Kentucky this year November 29th-December 2nd. Information and registration forms for the Convention and Symposium are available at www.usdf.org/Convention/.

Your Participating Member Delegates to the USDF Convention for 2017 are Eva-Maria Adolphi, Rosemary Balfour, Rusty Cook, Cynthia Ganem and Dorie Vlatten-Schmitz. These ladies will be representing our Region during the voting portions of the Board of Governors meetings, in addition to representatives from each GMO. Please feel free to contact them regarding your viewpoints – their contact information can be found at <http://www.usdf.org/about/about-usdf/governance/nominating/DelegatesResults.asp?regionpass=5>. There will be lots of great informational sessions presented and very informative meetings to attend.

For the northern part of our region, the show season is wrapping up and for the southern portion, it's just beginning. I hope many of you were able to support the USDF Region 5 Championships competition as volunteers, sponsors or competitors. I look forward to seeing everyone at the USDF Finals in November at the Kentucky Horse Park in Lexington, Kentucky.

Till next month!
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