

## AROW MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Please note that **Ranch or Associate Memberships are options.** Ranch memberships allow one voting rite per farm as well as promotional space on our web site ([www.AROW.org](http://www.AROW.org)) All members are invited to attend meetings and get information from our web site. A **Ranch Membership** is \$50 per year; an **Associate Membership** is \$25 per year. Please complete the application below. Include your check to 'AROW' and **MAIL TO Sandy Corbin, Treasurer, 5728 Young Road NW, Olympia, WA 98502**

FIRST & LAST NAME(S)

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MAILING ADDRESS

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E-MAIL ADDRESS

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HOME PHONE NUMBER

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CELL PHONE NUMBER

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CIRCLE HOW TO CORRESPOND TO YOU

US MAIL          or          E-MAIL

DO YOU WANT TO BE LISTED ON THE AROW

WEB SITE ([www.AROW.ORG](http://www.AROW.ORG)) YES or NO

RANCH NAME

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RANCH ADDRESS

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YOUR WEB ADDRESS

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HOW LONG HAVE YOU BEEN WORKING WITH ALPACAS?

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### 2016 AROW OFFICERS

PRESIDENT: Jack Bruner  
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V. PRESIDENT: Larry Corbin

SECRETARY: Bobbie Hunhoff

TREASURER: Sandy Corbin

DIRECTOR: Barbara Banks

### VISIT OUR WEB SITE:

[www.AROW.ORG](http://www.AROW.ORG)



### Just a FEW Member Benefits:

Educational Seminars

Social Events

Mentoring

Promote your herd with our online

Receive the Membership Newsletter

How to monitor and maintain animal health

Find a shearer

Participate in fiber shows

Participate in fiber collection for co-op

Exchange ideas with other members

### MISSION STATEMENT

'AROW is an organization to support ranchers, investors, and those interested in alpacas and to share experience for the successful raising and marketing of alpacas.'

## AROW 2016 EVENTS



SCHEDULE OF  
EVENTS. Here is what  
we have so far for 2016  
meetings and activities  
in the making for  
AROW members and

guests.

### MARCH 19

NOON/Business Meeting/Munchie Pot Luck

1:00 Presentation from Lynn Lipski and Jean VanEffen on fiber sorting and expectations of preparing fiber for mill processing

### APRIL 30

NOON short business meeting pot luck at Hunhoffs.

1:00 Phenomenal Photography presentation by award winning Chronicle photographer.

### MAY

Good luck to entrants at the CABA Classic in Portland

### JUNE 12

Noon Business Meeting/Pot Luck

1:00 Alpaca Health Presentation  
Dr. Brandy Fay

## AROW 2016 EVENTS (CONTINUED)

### JULY 16

Noon Business Meeting

1:00 Picnic Pot Luck at

Trillium Lane

Bring a little cash. We're gonna have a raffle

### AUGUST MAYBE

Maybe a good time for an old fashioned 'hoe down'. Date and caller TBD.

### SEPTEMBER 24

Farm Days/Open House at Lone Tree Alpacas, Toledo

### OCTOBER

2<sup>ND</sup> week in October—Alpaca Affaire in Elma

### NOVEMBER MAYBE

Noon Business Meeting/Pot Luck

1:00 Share your talents—crafts, yarn dyeing, weaving, etc. This is for our men members, too.

### DECEMBER 3

Noon-CHRISTMAS PARTY/POT LUCK AT BRUNER'S. (It could be, Santa will be back.)

For over a decade alpaca owners in western Washington have enjoyed the benefits of a strong, local organization—Alpaca Ranchers Of the northWest (AROW). Now we would like to invite you to become a part of this active, education-driven group. It doesn't matter if you own 2 or 200 of these fascinating camelids, you will find membership in AROW has something for you.

### MEMBER BENEFITS

**Educational Seminars** presented by leading veterinarians, alpaca breeders, fiber experts, photographers, and other camelid professionals.

**Social Events** where you can connect with other alpaca ranchers to exchange information and build your own support network.

**Learn** firsthand how to evaluate your fiber and herd, how to monitor and maintain your animal's health, find a shearer, trim nails, give shots, improve your pastures, and care for your crias.

**Promote your herd** with our online marketing plan for all members.

**Learn** the "ins and outs" of local and regional alpaca

**Receive** e-mail correspondence to learn

valuable tips, trade information, and catch  
up on the latest alpaca business ne