



# AERC CONVENTION 2025

March 7 & 8, 2025 • Nugget Casino Resort • Sparks, Nevada

Back to the Reno area for a member-favorite location — the Nugget is truly an all-in-one resort with multiple restaurants, a fitness center and pool and arcade. Best of all: free parking and a free airport shuttle!

But of course the convention happenings will be the highlight. We're thrilled to have a terrific lineup of speakers, including Harold Schott, DVM, PhD, DACVIM, of the Michigan State University College of Veterinary Medicine, presenting on both days.

And, of course, the must-haves that make convention so worthwhile (and fun): the regional awards ceremony on Friday evening, followed by the Friday night dance, and the convention culminates with the don't miss national awards banquet on Saturday. And how can we forget to mention the fabulous trade show, with shopping galore geared just for you. You can also buy (and sell) at the tack swap, and try your luck at the AERC raffle!

Click to  
register  
online!



Please join in the fun! You can sign up via mail, phone, or online:

**[AERC.ORG/2025CONVENTION](https://aerc.org/2025convention)**

We hope you will join in the fun on March 7 & 8, 2025, at the Nugget Casino Resort in Sparks, Nevada.

Sign up by **February 25** to receive the lowest seminar prices and to reserve your banquet tickets.

Reserve your hotel room by February 16 to receive the AERC group discount. Call to reserve: 800-648-1177 (mention GAERC25/nonsmoking room for lowest rates) or make your [reservation online](https://aerc.org/2025convention). See [AERC.org/Convention](https://aerc.org/2025convention) for more information about hotel dates and rates (ranges from @ \$112-\$150 including fees and taxes).

Thanks! See you in Sparks! Kathleen, Troy and Giulia

**American Endurance Ride Conference**

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**NUGGET CASINO RESORT • SPARKS, NEVADA**

## SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

**Friday, March 7**

### **Getting to the Next Level**

Erin McChesney

### **What You Should Know About Equine Skin Diseases**

Hal Schott, DVM, PhD, DACVIM

### **Your Equine and Insurance**

Diane Leshner, President, Equisure, Inc.

### **Getting to YOUR Finish Line: Set Yourself Up for a Successful Season**

Tami Rougeau & Mollie Krumlaw-Smith

**Saturday, March 8**

### **What to Expect from a Ride:**

**Ride Management, Trails, Vets, Personal Responsibility**

Tami Rougeau & Mollie Krumlaw-Smith

### **All About Cushing's Disease**

Hal Schott, DVM, PhD, DACVIM

### **What to Watch for After the Ride**

Robert Marshall, DVM, & Nick Kohut, DVM

### **The Tevis Ride – Panel Discussion**

A presentation by members of the  
Western States Trails Foundation

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### **Special Program for Juniors & Young Riders**

Friday at 11:00 • Includes lunch, interactive seminar, and a scavenger hunt!

### **Trade Show & Tack Swap**

You'll want to spend plenty of time at the AERC trade show, featuring vendors from around the county whose booths will be filled with endurance gear. And bring your used gear to sell at the tack swap, or pick up a bargain or two (or more) at great prices.

### **Friday Night Dance**

Be ready to dance to Deception, a well-known Reno rock band!

### **Committee Meetings**

Scheduled throughout the convention, with special sessions for AERC ride managers

### **Regional Awards Ceremony**

Be sure to come cheer on all the regional award winners at the free, informal ceremony held after the Friday seminars.

### **National Awards Banquet**

The 2025 convention will end with the emotional, heartwarming national awards ceremony after a tasty dinner. You will not want to miss this.

Schedule subject to change – AERC will keep this information as up-to-date as possible.



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Three ways to register:

Mail: AERC, P.O. Box 6027  
Auburn, CA 95604

Online (easy & safe):  
[AERC.org/2025convention](http://AERC.org/2025convention)

Phone:  
866-271-2372

Early registration guarantees seating at Speaker Seminars and ticket availability for the National Awards Banquet.

Cancellation fee: \$20. No cancellation refunds after February 28, 2025. **No refunds for no-shows.** On-site registration/packet pick-up: Thursday evening 4:00-7:00 p.m. and Friday and Saturday from 7:00 a.m. at the AERC Registration Desk.

## 1. REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_ AERC # \_\_\_\_\_ Region \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

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## 2. REGISTRATION FEES

<u>Speaker Seminars - FRIDAY</u>	Quantity	Fee	Amount
Single	(    )	\$65 (\$70 for on-site registration)	\$ _____
Additional Family Members	(    )	\$45 each (\$50 for on-site registration)	\$ _____
 <u>Speaker Seminars - SATURDAY</u>			
Single	(    )	\$65 (\$70 for on-site registration)	\$ _____
Additional Family Members	(    )	\$65 (\$70 for on-site registration)	\$ _____
 <u>Other Activities</u>			
National Awards Banquet	(    )	\$70 per person.....	\$ _____
AERC Raffle Tickets	(    )	\$1 each.....	\$ _____
Friday Night Dance/Concert	(    )	\$15 each.....	\$ _____
Junior/Young Rider Session (Friday)	(    )	\$10 each.....	\$ _____
Other: _____			\$ _____
		TOTAL ENCLOSED	\$ _____

## 3. METHOD OF PAYMENT

Check (check # \_\_\_\_\_)       VISA       Mastercard

Credit Card Number \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ CVV \_\_\_\_\_

Signature (as it appears on your credit card) \_\_\_\_\_

To register by phone, call 866-271-2372 by noon on 2/25/25