

IHA JOURNAL

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

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The *IHA Journal* is your opportunity to be heard. Help us educate others and promote what Relationship-Based Horsemanship means to you.

We welcome freelance submissions from all levels of IHA Membership or IHA Endorsed Programs for all sections of our magazine. If your piece is accurate, well organized, relevant, and interesting, we will work with you to find a place in our format. We encourage you to familiarize yourself with our subject matter and style before you send an article query or submit a manuscript. Please take note that submission does not guarantee publication.

SUBMISSION TYPES & TOPICS

Your submission may fall into any of the following categories. However, don't limit yourself to conventional topics or approaches; if what you have in mind is outside the box, please get in touch with us.

- Articles
 - Horsemanship*
 - Horse Health & Husbandry
 - Community & Events
 - Lessons Learned
 - Profile
 - Inspirational
 - Editorial
 - News
 - Interview
- Creative content
 - Short stories
 - Essays
 - Comics
 - Poems
 - Art
 - Photography
- "Funnies"
 - Jokes & Games
 - Horse treat recipes
 - Photo captions

*Please note that the submission of articles concerning horsemanship education is reserved for Professional members, as well as Lifetime members pursuing Recommendation status.

CONTENT & FORMATTING GUIDELINES

Please adhere to the following guidelines when creating and editing your submissions. All content must be original; plagiarised submissions will not be considered.

- Your ideas should be clear and well organized, as well as relevant and interesting to the IHA community.
- All content must be accurate, including names and places. Please cite outside sources if referenced or quoted in your submission.
- Please include your byline as well as a relevant and interesting title.
- Articles, short stories, and essays must be between 500 and 1000 words.
- Be sure to edit your written work prior to submission. Strong writing is clear, concise, powerful, and precise. You should also proofread for spelling, punctuation, fragments, and grammatical errors.
- Please include a minimum of two (2) high-quality photographs (large image size; 300dpi whenever possible) with the appropriate photo credits. Photos should be relevant to your article, and in the cases of educational articles should complement the theory and ideas you are presenting. Photos are not required for editorial articles.

READY TO SUBMIT?

If your submission is complete and you're confident that it meets the guidelines above, please submit your copy and accompanying photos [here](#).