



Christmas greetings from NSBA Scandinavia 2025

Dear friends, members, riders, sponsors and all of you who in various ways are part of our community,

As we approach the end of the year, we want to take a moment to breathe a sigh of relief, think back, and feel gratitude. 2025 has been a year filled with both hard work, joy, horses, teamwork and memorable moments.

We have been able to share many great competition days together – from the traditional **Celebration** to the new **Classic**, where we also celebrated *SQHA's 40th anniversary*. In addition to that, NSBA has been to several championships in Scandinavia where we saw efforts in points battles for **Highpoint 2025** and fantastic performances. Every show, every start and every effort – from judges and officials to groomers, audiences and sponsors – has contributed to making our year special.

♥ **We would like to extend an extra warm thank you to all our sponsors.** Your belief in our business gave us the courage to continue arranging even when the calculations looked tough. You don't just help us with prizes and resources – you contribute to the continued growth, development and inspiration of western riding in Scandinavia.

During the year, we have also worked to **clarify our** memberships, strengthen our communication and show what NSBA really stands for:

🐾 openness, community and opportunities for everyone who loves

horses and western riding – regardless of breed, level or ambition.

We have also started the work for **the 2026 Board**, where we have been looking for 1-2 committed people to welcome to the team, as well as a deputy auditor. As it stands, the nomination committee has proposals for the positions, but if you also want to join, you are welcome! You don't have to know everything – the important thing is the desire to contribute and be involved in the development of our association.

And of course – the eyes are already on **Celebration 2026!** We're planning for two U.S. judges, four days of competition and joy, and a **special edition of the Celebration Book** – where our sponsors get a little extra spotlight. You can already get in touch if you want to be seen!

✨ **A big thank you to all of you** – to the riders who offer joy and style, to the officials who make everything flow, to our loyal sponsors, and to all of you who stand in the stands and cheer.

You make NSBA Scandinavia the warm, driven and genuine community we are.

With that, we would like to wish you all a

🎄 **Merry Christmas, and a Happy New Year**

Thank you for 2025 – now we ride, Together towards 2026! 🐾

Sincerely yours,
The **Board of NSBA Scandinavia**

