

FAIRFIELD / WESTCHESTER P.H.A CHAPTER MEETING

MONDAY APRIL 12TH 2021

The "Zoom" meeting of the Fairfield / Westchester P.H.A. was called to order by President Barbara Filippelli at 7:03 pm. There were 19 members in attendance. The minutes were read from the March meeting which were accepted as read.

Please note, for all Zoom meetings, members will need to have their name displayed in order to gain access to the meeting. Four legged friends are always welcome.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

- The financial report was presented by Barbara Filippelli and accepted as presented. A copy of this is on file with the recording secretary.

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

- No report at this time.

AID TO MEMBERS:

- No requests have been received at this time.

CORRESPONDENCE:

- Lisa Quinlan sent a lovely thank you card.
- A press release was received regarding "National Help A Horse Day". JL Performance Horses is holding a National Help A Horse Day fair on April 25th.

CHARITABLE DONATIONS:

- A request was received from the Eastern Hudson Valley Horse Council in the amount of \$250.00 for sponsorship at their schooling show series and educational seminars and events. A motion was passed to grant the request.

MEMBERSHIP:

- Kelaine Croce is our newest professional member.
- No other professional applicants have been received at this time.
- Membership renewal notices have been sent out. If you have not received yours, please check in with Treasurer Chris Dwyer.

JR/ ASSOCIATE PHA:

- The JR/Associate PHA Meeting will be held this month. Meeting information to follow.

HIGH SCORE PROGRAM:

- Points are up to date within a week.
- As a reminder, trainers of applicants MUST be a CURRENT PHA Member.
- If you do not see your name or your horses name, you are not a current member!

USEF / USHJA COMMITTEE:

- No information at this time.

HORSE SHOW COMMITTEE:

- Prizelist information is available on the website.
- Horse show details are in the works regarding COVID regulations, as well as regular horse show details.
- We will need some volunteers to assist with parking, clean-up, etc. We would especially love to see our Junior/Associate members pitch in to assist. The FWPHA will be happy to sign off on any volunteer hours.
- The National PHA Medal will be held at our August horse show at the 3'3 and 3'6 height. It will be judged as one class, with both heights offered.

WEBSITE COMMITTEE:

- The website will be switching hosting servers in order to facilitate expediting the updating of the website.

HIGH SCORE BANQUET COMMITTEE:

- No report at this time. Further information can be expected as we approach our 2021 date

JUDY RICHTER ESSAY AWARD:

- Topic ideas for next year can be sent JudyRichterAward@gmail.com

NORMAN BRAY AWARD:

- The Norman Bray Award will be held over until next year.

“ART OF” CLINIC COMMITTEE:

- The committee is discussing a few great topics for this year's "Art of" clinic and is looking into a fall option, pending COVID restrictions.

GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE:

- None at this time.

OLD BUSINESS:

- None at this time.

NEW BUSINESS:

- Nominations are available still for the Zone 2 committee with USHJA. The window for nominations is closing soon.

The next meeting will be Monday May 10th, 2021 at 7:00PM on Zoom. Zoom Link will be available on the website.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 8:15 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Amanda Ek