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The International Breed Registry for Appaloosa Horses

Regional Clubs & International Committee Conference Call Meeting Minutes

March 13, 2018

1:00 p.m. PT

Roll Call was taken.

- Members present for all or part of the call include: Lesli Glen, Megan Disselkoen, Teri Clark
- Members absent from the call include: Wiebe Lise, Billy Ready
- Also present: Tom Hodges, Steve Taylor, Lauren McCleary

Lesli Glen asked the committee for feedback on the Exemplary Club Award Scoring system she had shared with them. The scoring system had been reworked by an Ad-Hoc committee to make it more relevant to clubs today. Discussion followed.

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Terie moved to approve the Exemplary Regional Club Award Scoring System as presented. Seconded by Megan Disselkoen. No opposition, motion passed unanimously.

The new system will go into effect for the April 2019 vote for the award. Scrapbooks have already been turned in for 2018 and will be voted on using the old system during the April 2018 meeting of the BOD. Staff will get the word out about the new scoring system.

There was a discussion about how successful the 2017 AYA Basket fundraiser had been, and how Regional Clubs went above and beyond for their basket submissions. An effort is needed to make sure Clubs are aware and sign up for the 2018 AYA Basket fundraiser. The group talked about better ways to get information to and discussion to happen between Regional Clubs. Staff has been going through club contact information on web and in Journal to make sure they are current. Staff also sends out a Quarterly Newsletter to Regional Club officers.

Teri Clark revisited a motion that was passed through the Regional Club Committee in August of 2016 that would allow Regional Clubs to keep point fees during the first year they put on a new show/event, and half of the point fees during the second year of the new show/event. The group agreed they still liked the idea of the program and would work on rewriting it to be more thorough before having another vote on it and passing it on to Rules Committee.

Steve Taylor shared some highlights from his trip to the 2017 European Championships in the Czech Republic. He was encouraged by the quality of the horse show, and the large turn out to a meeting held during the show. The organizers of the show have discussed putting the location of the event on a two year rotation. At least a dozen horses at the show were sired by US Stallions.

Taylor also reported that the ApHC has turned in its 2019 request to USLGE, and also reported that he recently attended the USLGE meeting where he met the new CEO.

Lesli Glen brought up the need for more resources to be available on the International page of the website. The group agreed it would be helpful to have a list of Export Eligible Stallions, links to shipping facilities, links to Breeders, and any other information that would make the International connection more user friendly. All were in agreement and they will work with Staff to get this going.

Motion to adjourn by Teri Clark, seconded by Megan Disselkoen
Meeting was adjourned at 6:10 p.m. PT