# FAIRFIELD / WESTCHESTER P.H.A CHAPTER MEETING MONDAY FEBRUARY 11, 2019

The chapter meeting of the FWPHA held at Coker Farm was called to order at 7pm by President Fred Schauder. There were 18 members in attendance. Barbara Filippelli read the minutes from the January 14th meeting which were accepted as presented.

# TREASURER'S REPORT:

Chris Dwyer read the financial report which was accepted as presented. A copy of this report is on file with the treasurer.

#### CORRESPONDENCE:

A note was received from Don Hudson thanking the chapter for all of its support and to thank everyone. :)

A note was also received from a friend of Jay Shuttleworth saying that he is suffering from Alzheimers and is in a nursing home in Danbury, CT

**AID TO MEMBERS:** There is nothing to report at this time.

#### DONATIONS:

A motion was made to make a donation to The Southern Dutchess Horse and Pony Association to be used for their horse show. All were in favor.

The chapter will help support the GRTA by taking out an ad in their horse show prize list. Anyone who is also interested in taking out ad space in the program, please remember that the deadline is March 31st.Contact Christina Schauder.

# **MEMBERSHIP:**

Peter Patch has been voted in as our newest professional member.

Christine Nastasi has sent out all membership renewal notices however below is a list of members in question. Any info on them would be greatly appreciated. Please contact Christine: Virginia Bucklin

All Carroll

Sarah Dalton-Morris

Peter Lombardo Sr.

Harry Rehnberg

Arthur Schliefmann

#### JUNIOR PHA:

The committee will work on getting some new ideas for awards and trophies for our shows.

# **HIGH SCORE PROGRAM:**

All points are up to date within a week.

## WEBSITE COMMITTEE:

The website is up to date however our Facebook page is still experiencing complications.

# **HORSE SHOW COMMITTEE:**

The date for the June PHA show to be held at Coker Farm is Sunday June 2nd. Officials are; (Judges) Joy Dunn, Barbara Filippelli and Jeanne McKinney. Manager: Lynn Peters. Course Designer: Norman Bray. Announcer: Kris Scuccimarra. Horsemanship Test administrator: Chris Dwyer. Veterinarian on Call: NEEP. Farrier on call: Paul Heller.

The Committee will look into using "horseshowsonline.com" for this and future shows.

# **HIGH SCORE BANQUET:**

The date for the 2019 High score banquet will be Friday November 22nd. It will be held at the Italian Center in Stamford, CT.

FRANK FLYNN AWARD: There is no report at this time.

# "ART OF" CLINIC:

There was a lot of interest in trying to get Susan Harris of "Anatomy in Motion" to be our clinician. Other ideas were also discussed as well as taking a year break.

# **SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE:**

Jody Moraski is the new President of the National Scholarship Committee.

The Scholarship fund is looking for donations.

Blue Ribbon = \$500

Red Ribbon = \$250

Yellow Ribbon = \$100

Pony Express will donate \$500 towards the scholarship fund

All donations to the National Scholarship fund are tax deductible. Please send checks payable to the PHA Scholarship Fund to Jody Moraski ,112 Ridgebury Rd. New Hampton, NY 10958 **OLD BUSINESS:** There is no report at this time.

# **NEW BUSINESS:**

If you would like to propose a new by-law or suggest customization or an amendment to an existing by-law please contact Mary Jane Mitchell at <a href="mimitch@aol.com">mimitch@aol.com</a>

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 8:45 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara k. Filippelli

# NEXT MEETING IS MONDAY MARCH 11 AT COKER FARM. MEETING BEGINS PROMPTLY AT 7PM.