

FAIRFIELD/ WESTCHESTER P.H.A. CHAPTER MEETING MONDAY NOVEMBER 18TH, 2019

The meeting of the F/W PHA held at Coker Farm in Bedford, NY was called to order at 7pm by President Fred Schauder. There were 28 members in attendance.

A very informative presentation by Philip Gotthelf of Equine Bright Ultra-Tech lighting was presented to the membership. Information about his product can be found at ultratechlighting.com and at (201) 784-1233.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

The financial report was presented by Chris Dwyer and accepted as read. A copy of this is on file with the recording secretary.

CORRESPONDENCE: No report at this time.

AID TO MEMBERS: There were no requests for aid at this time.

CHARITABLE DONATIONS: No report at this time.

MEMBERSHIP:

Welcome to our newest professional members; Malinda Ferko, Courtney Kochiss, Kristen and Karen Lutz. Our newest professional applicant is Mickayla Formesano. Her application will be held over until the next meeting.

JUNIOR / ASSOCIATE PHA:

The idea for this year's banquet "Battle of the Barns" table baskets will be "Pamper yourself". The barns will donate the baskets and banquet attendees will have a chance to vote for their favorite and win them through the raffle.

The PHA will be sponsoring a 50/50 raffle at the banquet. For next year's banquet the PHA would also like to have a rider's slide show with participants.

Coming soon will be ball caps and winter beanies with the PHA logo on them available for purchase at horse shows. Proceeds will go directly to aid to members.

HIGH SCORE AWARD PROGRAM:

Standings for the 2020 season will be available after the night of the banquet.

HIGH SCORE PROGRAM COMMITTEE: There was no report.

HORSE SHOW COMMITTEE:

The dates for the 2020 PHA horse shows are 5/31 and 8/2 and both will be held at Coker Farm. There will be no July date. We are adding outreach classes for the following divisions; WT, WTC, Short stirrup Eq /Hunters as well as the 2FT Eq and Hunters.

USEF / USHJA COMMITTEE:

Kathleen Rice and Ken Okken will be attending the annual meeting this December in CO. They will bring up for discussion the Zone 1 finals schedule and schooling area.

WEBSITE COMMITTEE:

Our website is current, but membership will be updated.

HIGH SCORE BANQUET COMMITTEE:

Everything is set and ready for this year's banquet. There will be roughly 265 people attending. There will be a DJ and music from 6:30 to 7:30 and then after the awards.

JUDY RICHTER AWARD: A winner has been chosen.

NORMAN BRAY AWARD: A winner has been chosen.

"ART OF" CLINIC: It's in the works.

SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE: No report at this time.

OLD BUSINESS: None to speak about.

NEW BUSINESS: The date for this year's Christmas party will be Monday December 9th. Location will be sent in a separate email.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:40 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara K. Filippelli

NEXT MEETING DATE TBA.