

Fairfield Westchester PHA Chapter Minutes
January 14, 2019

The meeting of the F-WPHA Chapter was called to order at Coker Farm by President Fred Schauder. There were 22 members in attendance.

Gary Gauruder read the minutes from the November 12, 2018 meeting which were accepted as read.

Fred Schauder read the treasurer report from November 12, 2018 to December 31, 2018 which were accepted as read.

Corresponding Secretary: Christine Nastasi stated she received a thank you note from Donny Hoer thanking the F-WPHA for the check regarding his health care. Christine read the election results and they are as follow:

President – Fred Schauder, Vice Presidents – Scott Tarter and Wendy Pola, Treasurer – Chris Dwyer, Recording Secretary – Barbara Filippelli and Correspondent Secretary – Christine Nastasi

Aid to members: None at this time.

Charitable Donations: Fred reset the committee to be Christine Nastasi, Barbara Filippelli, Mary Jane Mitchell and Lisa Quinlan.

New Membership: Peter Patch from Riverdale Stables who has been working there since June 1, 2018 submitted an application to become a professional F-WPHA member. The application was signed by Amanda Ek and Scott Tarter. Peter's application will be held over until the next meeting where it will be voted on.

Junior PHA: Christine stated the dinner was a success for the Junior PHA and wanted to thank everyone who submitted a basket for the Battle of the Barns Basket Contest. Christine states the next Junior PHA meeting will be in February and that they are working on a possible clinic hosted by them.

Christine also introduced Regina Pileggi as a new member of the Junior PHA committee who will be helping out with their upcoming membership recruitment drive and other activities.

High Score Program: Scott stated the high score program points are up to date online.

Horse Show Committee: Lynn Peters states the June 2nd F-WPHA show will be held at Coker Farm in Bedford, N.Y. Lynn states the show will have 3 rings and they are looking for (2) volunteers for parking, (1) person to be a runner to get food for the officials, get judges cards to the secretary, etc. and (3) crew guys. Lynn also would like to get sponsors for the show.

F-WPHA Website: Scott wanted to give thanks to Richard Killian who sent pictures from the banquet to him to be posted on the website.

High Score Banquet: Fred states the banquet went very well and was efficient. Scott stated anyone who did not pick up their ribbons at the banquet can contact him at Scott@TwinLakesFarm.com.

Judy Richter Award: Judy Richter stated all the essays received were great and the presenters at the banquet was Liz Tarter and Norman Bray..

Frank Flynn Award: At the banquet Christine Nastasi received this award.

Art of Clinic: Chris Dwyer said she is looking for ideas for the clinics.

Scholarship: None at this time.

Old Business: None at this time.

New Business: None at this time.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

Next Meeting will be at Coker Farm February 11, 2019 starting with dinner at 6:30 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted by:

Gary Gauruder

Recording Secretary