

FAIRFIELD WESTCHESTER PHA MEETING MINUTES

MONDAY OCTOBER 16, 2023

The "Zoom" meeting of the Fairfield - Westchester P.H.A. was called to order by President Scott Tarter at 7:02 pm. Via Zoom, there were 13 members present, and it was a Zoom meeting

SECRETARY'S REPORT:

- Was read by Regina Pileggi and accepted by Chris Dwyer

TREASURER'S REPORT:

- The treasurer's report was presented by Treasurer Chris Dwyer and was accepted. A copy is on file with the recording secretary.

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

- Update regarding Niaomi - Fred spoke with the civil attorney and she is due in Criminal Court in December.

AID TO MEMBERS:

- Donation sent to Christine Natasi due to health issues

CORRESPONDENCE:

- Thank you from Bob Rose for the donation
- Pat Brodrick thank you letter was received
- Betty Cox thank you letter was received

CHARITABLE DONATIONS:

- Nothing at this time

MEMBERSHIP:

- Jim Pileggi's membership is pending – payment will be sent in.

JR/ ASSOCIATE PHA:

- Nothing at this time.

HIGH SCORE PROGRAM:

- It is dwindling – only 2 barns in Westchester Twin Lakes Farm and Old Salem are the only barns left in Westchester. FCHC and The Greenwich show are the only ones in Fairfield.
- The committee agreed to ask HITS Saugerties to allow HIT Shows to be included in PHA points
- Scott will be reaching out to HITS for our program to be added with theirs in Saugerties ONLY for now. This will help and encourage membership and joining of organization.

USEF / USHJA COMMITTEE:

- No report at this time

WEBSITE COMMITTEE:

- Up to date

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- Pictures can be submitted to Scott so they can be posted online. This will help show who and what we are, what we do, how we come together as a group. As well as showcasing our riders and their horses.

HORSE SHOW COMMITTEE:

- Decision on dates Gardnertown will host July show and Twin Lakes will host August show
- Scott will be emailing members to form a committee to discuss Jan 1st emailing alternative dates and barns on how this can be accomplished and effective.

HIGH SCORE BANQUET:

- November 17, 2023 – Same invitation as last year, same prices
- HUGE shout out to Christina Schrauder for confirming and setting the date!! Thank you for this.
- Christina Schrauder will be the person in charge as previous years, ALL RSVP's need to be emailed to her ASAP

JUDY RICHTER ESSAY AWARD:

- Nothing more at this time

NORMAN BRAY AWARD:

- Committee getting organized and will discuss

"ART OF" CLINIC COMMITTEE:

- Discussing in the winter for a possible Spring 2024

GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE:

- None at this time

OLD BUSINESS:

- Nothing at this time

NEW BUSINESS:

- Holiday party Dec 11th Horse and Hound
- Do we have a full dinner (limited menu) or appetizers?
- There will be a cocktail hour

The next FWPFA Meeting will be HELD IN DECEMBER DETAILS WILL BE EMAILED

"ZOOM" Meeting link can be found on the website.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 7:58 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Regina Pileggi