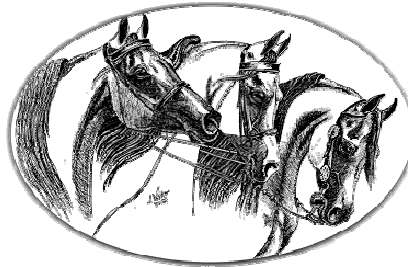


Northern Illinois Arabian Horse Activity Club

August/September 2008

Newsletter



IMPORTANT MINUTES FROM THE SPECIAL BOARD MEETING 7/22/08

Special Board Meeting at the Machine Shed in Rockford, Illinois at 6:30 p.m. with 16 people in attendance

Purpose: To discuss the possibility of the futurity being moved to the "A" Show in Springfield and the elimination of the Roscoe "B" Show.

The meeting began with our President, Sharlynn Jacobs, reading all the emails she had received. Any phone calls received were also relayed to the Board.

Discussion followed. Many alternate ideas were discussed, including having a separate show, joining another futurity, and having the show in the fall. Financial information was shared regarding the cost and income of both of our shows. Our volunteers are tired. Two shows back to back are very stressful and having two separate shows is a lot of work. No one came forward prior to or during the meeting to offer to take on the responsibilities that having a second show entails. We can hold our dates for the "B" Show through to 2010, so that if we change our minds, we can still have those dates, but we will probably lose our facility. The futurity can be economically combined with the "A" Show and save the stress on our volunteers. Ideas to better promote and make the futurity more exciting were discussed at length. The Board was encouraged to come up with ideas for the futurity. The idea of having two classes just for foals resulting from the donated stallions was brought up by Tammy Anderson and was also discussed.

The motion was made that the 2009 "B" Show not be held, that it be put on hold, keeping the dates until 2010, and the futurity be incorporated into the "A" Show in Springfield in May of 2009.

Voting was unanimous in favor of doing so.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:32 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Connie L. Erickson

PLACES TO BE:

Shows:

National Shows:

Youth Nationals 7/26-8/2 Albuquerque, NM - English/Saddleseat - Gayle Lampe, David McKay, Jody LaSalle. Western/Reining/Trail - Connie Cole O'Brien, Chuck Mangan, Chris Malysheff. Hunt Seat/Working Hunters - Penny Carpenter, Terry Johnson, TBA. Hunter/Show Hack/Showmanship - Pam Zimmerman, Richard Wright, Corky Sutton. Dressage - TBA, TBA

Canadian Nationals 8/18-23 Regina, Canada - Western/Stallions - Bruce Bates, Buck Grass, TBA. English/Mares - Jeremy Harper, Chris Culbreath, Michael Damianos. Working Western - Judy Wright, Patrick Newby, Carrie Kessler. Dressage - Melissa Creswick. Hunter Jumper - TBA

Sport Horse Nationals 9/23-27 Nampa, ID- Hunter/Jumper - Sue Pinckney, Diane Morgan-Stasiak. Sport Horse - Thom Brede, Merijane Malouin. Dressage - Jayne Ayers, Trip Harding, Charlotte Trentelman, TBA. Carriage Driving - Lore Homer

US Nationals 10/16-23 Tulsa, OK - Halter-Terry Holmes, Bill Melendez, Cindy Reich, Rick Moser and Cathy Murphy Wright. English - Van Jacobson, Karen Homer-Brown, Steve Lieblang. Western- Gene Reichardt, Brian Scoggins, Judy Kibler. Hunter Pleasure/Show Hack - Margaret Rich, Juli Goder-Larson, Lori Schroder-Ross. Working Western - LaRae Fletcher-Powell, Maryann Willoubhby, Kathy Callahan-Smith, Carla Wennenberg, Jim Hitt. Cutting - Dewayne Stamper, TBA Alternate - Gary Clay.

NOTE THE CHANGE IN JUDGING FOR US NATIONALS! THERE IS NOW A 5 JUDGE HALTER ONLY PANEL. THE HIGH AND LOW SCORES WILL BE THROWN OUT, USING ONLY THE TOP THREE WITH THE NEW SCORECARD.

ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS: We are now emailing our newsletter to all club members. Please be sure your email is on file with the club. You may do this by sending your email address to: loridavisson@sbcglobal.net Our newsletter is already posted to our website at www.niahac.com If anyone would still like to receive a hard copy of the newsletter, please let us know.



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From: Deborah Van Orden Smith and Candy Larsen
Re: NIAHAC HI-POINT-forms on the website!

We would like to invite everyone to join the NIAHAC Hi-Point program. It is an inexpensive program to add a little fun to our club. We have implemented a few changes to the point system and added Sport Horse and Jumpers. Please take a look and the revised program. We have more ideas for the future and would encourage feed back from anyone.

Janet and Corrina will be a hard act to follow. They always made our Hi-Point program fun and put so much energy into the awards. Thank you again and again Janet and Corrina and good luck to you both.

Respectfully,
Candy and Deborah

ATTENTION YOUTH AND PARENTS:
Region 11 has scholarships available for graduating seniors and continuing education students. www.aha11.com

The Region XI Youth High Point Program is BACK! Enrollment forms will soon be available on the Youth page of the Region 11 website!

All amateurs are also welcome to sign up for the Region 11 Adult Amateur High Point. The new high point chairperson is: Angela Oneill. You can reach her at: aboneill@msn.com



A Word from your Editor:

Can you believe that our Regionals are already over? How quickly this season has flown by! Congratulations to all of our members on a great year! If I forget any of you, please tell me!

Bitsy and Kim Jenkner had a great Regional season. Bitsy was winning all over with her beautiful hunter, Millatrette at Region 11 and Fayth Hill and Joe Reser were doing Kim proud at Region 13! Good luck at Canada ladies!

Carol Siedman and Major Monet were Region 11 champions in the AOTH Half Arab mare class! Carol and "Claudia" were a beautiful pair out there and it was so nice to see someone get so excited about winning a class! That win had us all in tears! (and drinking many margarita's)!! Of course Carol is so proud of her mare winning the Open class with Mike Neal, too!

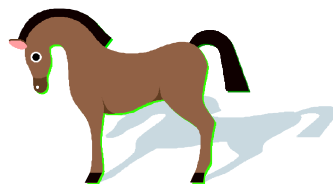
Candace Larsen celebrated her gelding's birthday by watching him win the Open Gelding class with Mike Neal! Congrats to Candace and "Petey"!

The good news that I noticed coming out of the Regionals, was the increase in the walk/trot division. I am hoping this is a good indication of the future of the Arabian breed. And what a great bunch of riders they are!

Another big shout out to Connie Erickson. She had a filly born on June 9th out of her half arab mare Imzadi Sol Seleyrn and by PA Mistermotion. The filly is the 4th generation for Connie! We can't wait to see this one!

As I get ready to send this newsletter, Youth Nationals is just beginning. Good luck to all of our Youth showing at their big show this week. And a big congratulations to Mackenzie Mullis on her first Top Ten in the UPHA Walk Trot 10 and under! Let's all hope this young lady has a great rest of the week. I see Roses in her future!

Until next time, be seeing you on the rail.....*Lori*





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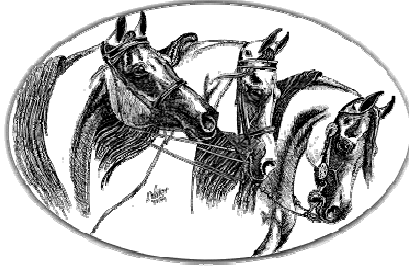
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