

EMRHA Annual Meeting, Walkers Home and tack, 12/4/2021

Attendance:

Julie Barber, Linda Hayes, Katherine Bradley, Lori , Michelle Knapp, Ruth Visser, Crista Bolt, Kyrsten Sr Pierre, DJ Moulton, Karlene Bushey, Meghan O'Brien Aprille Tomlinson, Jamie Pisculli, Carly Ostrander, Jane Moulton, Becky Ramsey, Stacy Anatriello , Nick Anatriello, Michael Dunn

Youth Attendance- Bowl & a Roll Table

Isabella Barber, Aurora Jones, Alicia Craft, Olivia Craft, Zeke Visser, Lydia Visser, Jed Visser, Joshua Donovan

Opening: Recap 2021

*Thank You's

- 2021 board
- Walkers ,Cooperate sponsor
- Meeting attendance for year end awards

*Scheduling 2022 meetings to avoid conflicts of attendance issues.

- March Intro to ranch horse Seminar 10am seminar 2pm meeting
- May 13 2022 prior to trail at 2pm
- September 23 2022, prior to trail at 2pm
- Move annual meeting at walkers to "small business Saturday"
- Recap 2021 Financials

* Banquet

- 2/26/21
- Barn at Hansen Hill
- Separate food from venue
- Kids menu options
- Food allergy option
- Sliding scale for entry for those who can't eat off the menu
- Awards, Raffles Buckles given out

* August show

- Moved from Cobleskill to Schaghticoke
- Used to earn \$ due to no fees for judges and facility
- Cutting out the August show out of the schedule
- 3 judges for May (likely, still waiting on Billy Springer) Jon Carpenter, Colleen Martin Billy Springer
- 3 Judges for September, Steve Graves, Jeremy Swainbank, Ernie Dowell
- 2 judges for June, Julie Stanley, Brit Register

* 2022 showbill , Schedule and Fees

- May/September triple judged
- Flat fee for triple judges shows \$525
- Second horse still \$125
- Flat fee Covers 2 divisions only, no jump out fee, 3rd division full price
- Flat fee no longer covers EMRHA office fee, now \$30
- ARHA fees are still included
- Same number of points for \$150 less for the year
- One less weekend
- Adding Flag practice Friday, possibly Saturday
- Possible new cattle provider depending on \$\$\$
- Remove Reining
- Add ARHA Ranch Roping classes
- Explore cow catching for '23

* 2022 Awards

- Ribbons Vs Cups Vs Credit for not taking either
- Confirmation ribbons/Champion ribbons
- 1st-6th credits like ribbons/cups
- Keep all 3
Day end awards suggestion
- Halters
- Headstalls

- Gift Certificates
- Duffle bags
- EMRHA gift certificates
- Feed bunk certificates
- Hats
- Hat cans
- Rope bags
- Apparel vouchers
- Sliding scale for \$ of awards based on entry fees

* Versatility Buckle Series

- 2 Cattle, 2 Dry, 1 Confirmation Class
- Is based on highest scores in qualifying classes
- No WJ or All breed Versatility
- No additional cost
- Nomination, show in all shows, meeting attendance a must

* Lifetime Memberships

- Including Nomination fee
- 2022 only

* Walk Jog/All Breed Division

- Adding a 14 & U conformation
- 15 & O will use All Breed conformation for their conformation class
- W/J 15 & Over Needs to nominate for year end awards

* ARHA Most Improved & Best Sportsman

- Adult Most Improved- Tracy
- Youth- Zeke Visser
- Adult Best Sportsman- Becky Ramsey
- Youth - Olivia Craft

* 2022 Executive Board & General Board

- President: Carly Ostrander

- Vice President: Karlene Bushey
 - Secretary: Jamie Pisculli
 - Treasurer: Meghan O'Brien
- General Board
- Aprille Tomlinson
 - Michael Dunn
 - Becky Ramsey

Thank you For attending! Happy 2022!!