

NRHA COMMITTEE REPORT FORM

Committee name: Events Management Committee

Meeting date: August 5th, 2009

Committee Members Present: Chair – Tim Lynch, Josh Visser, Mike Hancock, Beth Himes, Brad Ettleman

Committee Members Not Present: Kim Ferguson, Dale Lopp, Nancy Eppers

Staff Present: Staff Liaison – Melanie Rinehart

Guests: Rick Weaver – NRHA President, Krissy Colbath, Frank Costantini

Mission Statement: To support the NRHA in an advisory capacity in the production of NRHA produced events such as the Futurity and Derby. To work collaboratively with the Marketing Committee in support of the key initiative to increase participation in those NRHA produced events.

Meeting Agenda Items:

- Discussed and approved 2010 Derby Conditions
 - o Approved increasing the number of finalists in the Level 1 Open, Level 1 Non Pro and Level 2 Non Pro by 5 riders.
 - o Approved moving the due date for the first payment to March 1st.
- Discussed the 2009 Futurity schedule
 - o Approved to move the Celebrity Slide to the second Friday evening.
 - o Asked for further research to determine where to schedule the Invitational Freestyle
- Approved the Renewal of the USEF License to host the World Reining Masters
- Revisited the 2010 Futurity Conditions concerning the Gelding Incentive division.
 - o Approved to leave the division as is currently stated so that data can be gathered to determine what the changes should be.