

NRHA COMMITTEE REPORT FORM

Committee name: Judges

Meeting date: 2011 Year End Review

Committee Members: Ollie Griffith – Chair, Dori Schwanzenberger – Vice Chair, Mario Boisjoli, Clark Bradley, Jody Brainard, Greg Darnall, Brian Dygert, Clint Haverty, Joe Hayes, Brad Kelsall, Eugenio Latorre, Mike McEntire, Allen Mitchels, Bub Poplin, Flis Sassella, Terry Thompson, Mark Turner, Rick Weaver

Staff Liaison: Michelle Wrigley

Mission Statement: Develop, refine and distribute methods of evaluating reining horse competition. Take action necessary to protect and foster the NRHA and a successful Judges Program.

Charters:

- Responsible for developing and refining the NRHA Rules for Judging
- Responsible to develop and implement seminars to qualify NRHA judges
- Responsible for retaining and developing major event judges
- Responsible for reviewing the work of judges through the JEEP Program
- Responsible for making available an educational program for members on how they are judged

Meetings and Activities:

January 10, 2011 – Conference Call

- 2011 Derby Judge Selection

January 20, 2011 – Meeting

- Reviewed Mission Statement & Charters
- Discussed 2011 Goals & Priorities
 - Judges Tests
 - Applicant Seminars
 - Policy Changes
 - Rule Changes
- Reviewed Executive Committee Expectations & Directives
- 2010 Futurity Report
- Task Force Updates
- Retest Procedures

May 4, 2011

- 2011 Cowtown Classic Judge Selection

May 5, 2011 – Email vote: Special exemption

May 27, 2011 – Email vote: Seminar/School policies

July 12, 2011

- Discussed Short List for 2011 Futurity judges
- Approved additional Cowtown Classic Judges
- Voted on assigned 2012 Rule Change Proposals

September 20, 2011 – Email vote: 2 Judge requests for extension of privileges

September 22, 2011 – Email vote: Judge request for extension of privileges

September 26, 2011 – Email vote: Judge request for extension of privileges

October 3, 2011 – Email vote: Judge request for extension of privileges

October 13, 2011 – Conference Call

- Discussed Short List for 2012 European Futurity judges
- Review and discuss 2012 Judges School dates
- Update on progress of 2012 Judges School and Seminar Tests
- Discussed member request concerning legality of bit, viewed picture and determined it to be illegal.

October 14, 2011 – Email vote: Judge request for extension of privileges

October 17, 2011 – Email vote: Judge request for extension of privileges

October 27, 2011 – Email vote: 2 Judge requests for extension of privileges

November 16, 2011 – Email vote: Judge request for extension of privileges

Progress Toward Charters:

- Responsible for developing and refining the NRHA Rules for Judging
 - Submitted rule change proposals for 2011
 - Offered recommendations on all 2011 proposed rule changes concerning the rules for judging
- Responsible to develop and implement seminars to qualify NRHA judges
 - 3 US Judges Schools
 - 4 International Judges Schools
 - 2 Applicant Seminars in US
 - Restructure of US Judge Applicant Process
 - 4 International Applicant Seminars
- Responsible for retaining and developing major event judges
 - Submitted selections for NRHA Derby, Futurity, European Futurity, European Derby and Cowtown Classic judges
 - Continuation of 6th Chair Program at NRHA Derby & Futurity
- Responsible for reviewing the work of judges through the JEEP Program
 - Completed multiple JEEP, IJR, Conflict of Interest and other inquires
- Responsible for making available an educational program for members on how they are judged
 - Creation of Membership Secrets of Judging courses – approved in July
 - 1 Membership Secrets of Judging Course held in Arizona

Committee Attendance:

	Jan 10	Jan 20	May 4	May 5	May 27
Dori Schwartzberger	x	x	x	x	x
Clark Bradley	x			x	x
Jody Brainard		x			x
Greg Darnall	N/A	x	x	x	
Brian Dygert	x	x	x	x	x
Ollie Griffith			x	x	
Clint Haverty	x	x	x	x	x
Joe Hayes	x	x	x	x	x
Beth Himes	N/A				
Brad Kelsall	x		x	x	x
Eugenio Latorre	x				x
Mike McEntire		x	x	x	x
Allen Mitchels	x	x	x	x	
Bub Poplin		x	x	x	x
Flis Sassella	x	x	x		x
Mark Turner	x	x	x	x	
Dale Lopp	N/A		x	x	x
Rick Ramsey	N/A			x	

	July 12	Sep 20	Sep 22	Sep 26	Oct 3
Dori Schwartzberger	x	x			
Clark Bradley	x	x	x	x	x
Jody Brainard		x		x	x
Greg Darnall		x		x	x
Brian Dygert	x	x	x	x	x
Ollie Griffith	x	x	x	x	x
Clint Haverty	x	x	x	x	x
Joe Hayes	x	x	x	x	x
Beth Himes		x	x	x	x
Brad Kelsall	x	x	x	x	x
Eugenio Latorre	x	x	x		
Mike McEntire	x	x	x		x
Allen Mitchels	x		x		
Bub Poplin	x	x	x	x	x
Flis Sassella	x	x	x	x	x
Mark Turner		x	x	x	x
Dale Lopp	x	x	x	x	x
Rick Ramsey		x	x	x	

	Oct 13	Oct 14	Oct 17	Oct 27	Nov 16
Dori Schwartzberger	x		x	x	x
Clark Bradley		x	x	x	x
Jody Brainard	x	x		x	
Greg Darnall		x	x	x	x
Brian Dygert		x	x	x	x
Ollie Griffith	x	x	x		x

Clint Haverty	x	x	x	x	x
Joe Hayes	x	x	x	x	x
Beth Himes	x	x	x	x	
Brad Kelsall	x	x	x	x	
Eugenio Latorre	x	x	x	x	x
Mike McEntire		x		x	x
Allen Mitchels	x				x
Bub Poplin			x	x	x
Flis Sassella		x			x
Mark Turner	x	x	x	x	x
Dale Lopp	x	x	x	x	x
Rick Ramsey			x	x	

Summary

Dori Schwartzenberger	11/15
Clark Bradley	12/15
Jody Brainard	8/15
Greg Darnall	9/14
Brian Dygert	14/15
Ollie Griffith	11/15
Clint Haverty	15/15
Joe Hayes	15/15
Beth Himes	8/14
Brad Kelsall	13/15
Eugenio Latorre	10/15
Mike McEntire	11/15
Allen Mitchels	8/15
Bub Poplin	12/15
Flis Sassella	11/15
Mark Turner	13/15
Dale Lopp	13/14
Rick Ramsey	6/14