

NRHA COMMITTEE REPORT FORM

Committee name: Youth Committee

Meeting date: January 11, 2012

Committee Members Present: Brett Walters – Chair, Tom Lauth – Vice Chair, Jennifer Hoyt, Helen Lauth, Judy Skwarek

Committee Members not present: Carlee Mahajan, Mandy McCutcheon, Roxane Lawrence, Linda Raymond

Staff Present: Shianne Megel

Guests:

Mission Statement: To provide a character and leadership building program that will enable youth to become the future leaders of the Reining horse industry.

Agenda Items

- A year end fundraising update was presented. The silent auction finished at more than \$6,000, this was down considerably due to multiple factors including hosting site and competing auctions. The stallion auction finished higher than 2010 at more than \$14,000. The regional clinic series finished with \$13,500 which was down due to cancelations because of the EHV-1 outbreak. The horse raffle finished at \$23,600.
- The committee will be presenting a rule change to add a 1,000 point level in the 10 & over division.
- Changes will be made to the 2012 Raffle Program with the addition of larger ticket items to be awarded along with the yearling horse. Items may include a years supply of feed, saddle, gator or drag.
- The committee looks forward to discussing the results from the eligibility task force.
- The committee will be considering a proposal to restructure the NRHyA Delegate Program. If approved, this will be submitted as a rule change.
- The NRHyA Officers will be traveling to Washington D.C. to the American Youth Horse Council Symposium. They will be meeting with legislators and hosting the NRHyA sponsored key note presenter at the banquet.

2012 NRHyA Officer Team

President – Blair Willette
Vice President – Emma Holbrook
Secretary – Jaclynn Brooks
Treasurer – Holly Lauth
Historian – Amasa Smith

VRC Scholarship Recipients

- Jordan Scott
- Rylee Justus
- Kaitlyn Boykin
- Samantha Fritz
- Katie Firmin
- Amy Stoney
- Alexis Daggett
- Christi Gordon
- Morgan Burns
- Reilly Quist
- Mary Nuernberger
- Blair Willette
- Tara Power