

**NATIONAL REINING HORSE ASSOCIATION
Professionals Committee Minutes
NRBC
April 17, 2016**

Approved May 31, 2016

Members Present: Gabe Hutchins, Patrick Flaherty, Andrea Fappani, Tanya Jenkins, Mark Rafacz, Drake Johnson, Casey Hinton - Ex Officio, Shane Brown, Brian Bell,

Members Not Present: Jeff Petska, Brett Walters, Brandon Brant

Guest: Dean Brown, Josh Visser, Troy Heikes, Sebastian Petroll, Robin Scholler, Stefano Calcagnini

Staff Present: Hayley Eberle

Call to Order

Meeting called to order by Josh Visser at 3:08 p.m.

Open Discussion

The meeting was opened up to all NRHA Professionals. There was significant discussion regarding the NRHA Judges program and Judges Committee. Discussion included items such as how the two groups could work together more and creating more open communication.

*** All guest were asked to leave at this time.**

Approval of Previous Minutes

January meeting minutes were amended and approved unanimously in addition to the March meeting minutes.

2015 Professional of the Year Awards

Committee members that were present casted their votes in all five categories for Professional of the Year Awards.

Meeting adjourned at 4:57 p.m.