

NATIONAL REINING HORSE ASSOCIATION
Non Pro Committee Meeting Minutes
Ft. Worth, Texas
February 9, 2017

Approved 3/29/17

Present: Chair- Sally Berg, Mandy McCutcheon, Andrea Stillo, Kary Key, Shane Brown

Absent: Jesse Beckley, Jake Dahl

Conference Call: Kim Muehlstaetter, Lyndsey Jordan

Guests: Mike Hancock, Kelsey Pescek, Christa Morris-Stone

Staff: Liz Kelsey

Call to Order:

The meeting was called to order at 9:05 am by the Committee Chair, Sally Berg.

Newsletter

A bi-monthly electronic newsletter was discussed. The idea was that Virtual Horse Help could create the newsletters and they would focus on different topics with the assistance of both the Non Pro and Professionals committees. There was consensus to move forward with the idea.

Vice Chair Election

A motion and a second were made to approve Kary Key as Vice Chair. Motion passed unanimously.

2018 Rule Change Proposals

The following rule changes were reviewed by the committee:

25-01-18: Support

27-01-18:

(a)(1): recommend the removal of the word “prepare.”

(a)(2): recommend the addition of the word “remuneration” after “The Non-Pro cannot give instruction” so it would read: “The Non-Pro cannot give instruction for remuneration”

(b) Support

(3)(a)(4) Do not support

28-01-18: Do not support

41-01-18: No recommendation

41-02-18: Support
42-02-18: Support
42-03-18: Do not support
50-01-18: Support
51-01-18: Do not support
53-01-18: Do not support
53-02-18: Support
81-01-18: Support with the recommendation to allow Bluetooth headsets only in Rookie, Prime Time, and Category 10 classes
122-01-18: Support
27-02-18: Support
29-01-18: Support with the addition of the definition of a true twelve-month lease (vs. calendar year, ending on 12/31 of the current year).

There was then some discussion on future rule changes such as increasing fines for show secretaries and event approval deadlines.

Eligibility

The memo from Eligibility Committee Chair Casey Hinton was reviewed and it was decided to discuss it further at a future time.

Meeting adjourned at 11:26 am.