

NATIONAL REINING HORSE ASSOCIATION
Aged Events Committee Minutes
Conference Call
August 1, 2019

Approved December 13th 2019

Members Present: Cheryl Cody, Andre de Bellefeuille, Karen Schedlauskas, Mandy McCutcheon, Mark Blake, Ruben Vandorp, Shane Brown, Keith Ceddia

Members Not Present: David Hanson, Connie Henrichs, George King

Staff Present: Samantha Oldfield, Christa Morris

Call to Order

Meeting called to order by Cheryl Cody at 9am CST

2020 NRHA Aged Events Conditions

The committee was presented with the 2020 NRHA Derby and the 2020 NRHA Futurity Conditions updated by the events team. For the Derby the entry deadline was moved back to May 15th to allow time for the draw to be done properly, and the final entry deadlines were moved to noon instead of 5pm to allow for the final draw to be presented to the public in a proper time. The late fees assessed were updated to match this timeline. The Futurity conditions were also updated with the scratch section verbiage being cleaned up.

A motion was made to approve these conditions as presented. This motion was seconded, and all were in favor.

Short Stirrup

The committee discussed the idea of beefing up the Short Stirrup awards at the Futurity. This will be communicated to the events team.

7-Year-Old Nomination Fees

The committee was asked to review NRHA Staff's recommendation on the new 7-Year-Old nomination fees. NRHA Staff presented with a memo those fee updates as the following:

7YO NA Nom: \$750
7YO NA Option: \$250

A motion was made to approve the numbers as presented, this motion was seconded, and all were in favor.

NAAC Class Sections

Samantha Oldfield clarified the memo on the splitting of the draw for the NAAC classes at the NRHA Futurity. It was clarified that the NAAC entries would run in the second or later part of the draw and the regular ancillary entries would run in the beginning. This is to provide a better competitive atmosphere for the NAAC entries, so they feel that they are in fact at the Championships. The committee is in support of this idea to go to the Board of Directors.

Number of Passes Per Horse at NRHA Futurity

The committee would like NRHA Staff and the events team to look into the possibility of increasing the number of exhibitors passes to each horse at the NRHA Futurity, specifically Futurity entries themselves. NRHA Staff and the events team will do so.

Meeting adjourned at 9:27am CST.