

NATIONAL REINING HORSE ASSOCIATION
Judges Advisory Committee Minutes
Zoom Meeting
February 13th, 2025 at 1:00 P.M. (CST)

Approved 03.04.2025

Members Present Virtually: Committee Chair – Doug Allen, Mike McEntire, Eugenio Latorre, Margaret Fuchs, Maik Bartmann, Van Luse, Pat Wickenheiser, Manu Maiocchi, Ollie Griffith, Sebastian Petroll, Mark Turner, Ed “Hoot” Bricker, Tom McBeath, Pete Kyle

Members Not Present: Bob Kail, Joe Schmidt, Matt Lantz

Staff Present Virtually: Sr. Director of Education & Officials – Patti Carter; Coordinator of Education and Officials – Aubrey Layton; NRHA Assistant Commissioner – Christa Morris-Stone

Call to Order

Meeting called to order by Committee Chair, Doug Allen, at 1:02 P.M. (CST).

Action: Approve January JAC and Teaching Pool Workshop Meeting Minutes

Motion made and seconded to approve minutes from January Judges Advisory Committee and Teaching Pool winter workshop with verbiage amendment to item seven for clarity

Action: Approve January OKC Judge Applicant Seminar Passing Exams

Motion made and seconded to approve the three passing applicants from the January 2025 NRHA Judge Applicant Seminar for attendance at an NRHA Judge School

Action: January Judge School Results

- a. Motion made and seconded to advance the pending NRHA judge application including a false answer to the Executive Committee for further review. The committee recommends not approving and prohibiting application in the future. Motion passed unanimously.
- b. Motion made and seconded to round an applicant's 79.4% school grade to an 80%, allowing NRHA judging privileges. Motion passed unanimously.
- c. Motion made and seconded to approve recertification of all judges testing at the January 2025 NRHA Judge School; this includes rounding both 79.X% grades to an 80% to allow all to retain judging privileges. Motion passed unanimously
- d. Proposed alterations to NRHA judge application tabled until March meeting for consultation of legal council

Action: Approve February Netherlands Applicant Seminar Passing Exams

Motion made and seconded to approve the eight passing applicants from the February 2025 NRHA Judge Applicant Seminar for attendance at an NRHA Judge School

Action: Hiram Resende's Request to Join NRHA Monitor List

Motion made and seconded to approve the addition of Hiram Resende to the NRHA Judge Monitor List with the understanding that he monitor shadows and attends the next online NRHA monitor session

Meeting Adjournment:

Meeting adjourned at 2:30 P.M. (CST)

