

NRHA COMMITTEE REPORT FORM

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INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE MEETING
European Affiliate Championships, Duerne, the Netherlands
July 9, 2005

Attendees: Officers: Pat Faitz (GER), Nick Cornelissens (BEL), Rosanne Sternberg (GBR)
Representatives: Francois Zurcher (SUI), Dave Young (NED), Michal Pec (POL), Rudi Kronsteiner (GER), Henry Wijdeven (NED), Susy Baeck (BEL), Jan Boogaerts (BEL), Helmut Schulz (AUT), Others: Bill Bradley-NRHA President, Frank Costantini-RHSF President, Kim Sloan, Tania Warnock-RHSF, Dan Wall-NRHA Executive Director & liaison, Debbie Drinko-NRHA Liaison

Agenda topics:

- National Association Affiliate Requests: Austria Reining Horse Assn, NRHA Belgium, Dutch Reining Horse Assn, and Scandinavian Reining Horse Assn. Review and present to NRHA Executive Board.
- 2006-2007 European Championship bids: Switzerland and Austria will work together to host in Mooslargue
- 2006 European Affiliate Championship conditions changes: Suggestions to change qualification year to June to April. Also include Top 20 European riders to qualify in addition to top 7.
- Discussion on proposed 2006 rule change regarding NRHA International.
- Frank Costantini-Chair of FEI Reining Committee gave update on the quest of Reining as the 4th equestrian discipline in the Olympics.
- 2005 FEI World Reining Masters, Manerbio, Italy, expect more participation due to the excellent location and major promotion campaign.

Future projects/ goals:

- Continuing the efforts to work with countries with multiple affiliates in a goal of one national association affiliate per country.