NWGHA Meeting Minutes

11/17/2016

Meeting called to order, 7:15 p.m. Bartow County Saddle Club, Cartersville, GA

Attendance: Jessica Nguyen, Allison Witt, Trudy Umfuhrer (LMSC), Laura Valentine, Linda Pechenino, Becky Siniard (BCSC), Keri Davidson, Kathie Gilroy

Minutes were read from the October meeting and approved.

Treasurer Report: (Trudy)

VP Running: (Laura) Stated that the Running show for November was much bigger than expected, 32 rider combos. No issues. Money left early, no paybacks. Need more NW reps at the Running shows.

Points Keeper: (Allison) Points will be posted over the weekend.

Public Relations: (Jessica) Posted Youth National Equine Day at the capitol.

Chaplain: (Linda) Had no report.

Old Business:

- Open Showmanship Payback was good to have, everyone liked.
- Awards banquet will be at Bartow County Saddle Club on Saturday, January 7th at 4:00 p.m.

Facebook or email an RSVP if attending. Bring a dessert and own drinks.

Trudy and Allison are getting plates, cups, forks.

Need awards, email Keri or Jessica

Awards committee: Trudy and Allison

• Both Melissa Kane is no longer in good standing as an officer for NW and Bryan Carlisle as NW Rep for Paulding County for missing 3 meetings in a row per Bylaws.

New Business:

- Laura mentioned that the paybacks were wrong at the last show.
- Payback classes: if you are not a NW certified rider, the class goes up to \$15.00.
- Budget for awards is \$3,500.00.
- NW owes Jessica 2 awards from last year. We are giving her \$50.00 so she can replace the awards that were hers and given to another rider, since NW was short on awards last year.

Motion to adjourn: 8:57 p.m.