

AVA Region IV Board Meeting Call  
June 27, 2022 @ 7:00pm MT - Meeting Minutes

Attendees: Andi, Bonnie, Sarah T, Rachel, Loree, Greta, Rosie, Jorden,

1. Minutes from 5-9-2022  
Rosie moves to approve, Jorden seconds - all ayes
2. Financial Report/Updates (Treasurer- Ciana)
3. Education (Greta)
  - i. CHA certification in Texas Report  
Very successful overall, 4-5 people certified (8 certified instructors, 4 moved up to be re-certifiers)  
Took FULL 3 days, and ran late each day - to keep in mind for future scheduling  
Did not make money on this  
Some struggle knowing what materials to provide to vaulting coaches prior to certification, and also some test questions were somewhat confusing - feedback sent to CHA
  - ii. NM Educational Event Track –Report  
Some good feedback coming in - felt very overprepared, but cut about half the items on the agenda because it was too busy  
Awesome feedback regarding the sport psychologist & “eyes of the judge”  
Not much negative feedback - but toward the end everyone was pretty burned out  
Didn't take away financially from the competition side in any way
  - iii. Colorado Educational Event
    1. Finalized date Booked: November 19-20 at The Sports Barn, 5636 CR 36, Johnstown CO for both mornings.
    2. Need to confirm primary clinicians asap.  
Jorden checking in with Todd/Carolyn  
Some other clinicians others will check in with (Blake Dahlgren, Kristian, Emma Seeley, Flo Rubinger)
    3. Need to confirm costs for primary clinicians and horse facility.  
Jorden to check with Jodi on horse facility use
    4. Need to do site visit  
Allison to be point person? Jorden will check on this
4. Competitions (Ciana)
  - i. Regional Championship & NM Educational Event –June 3-5 Report  
WOOHOO RACHEL!!!!  
Footing was no good, but can communicate better on that  
\*\*For next year, look at weekends that don't B2B us with other big events...they're supposed to contact us if something opens up; but should keep on top of it.
  - ii. Texas November event Updates  
1 day comp on Saturday - Rosie to judge, and invite Val  
Lunging Educational piece on Sunday  
Lots of planning happening for volunteers, office management, music, etc  
\*\*Laptop!!!\*\*  
Ideas: Horse arena, split judging; barrel for fun-fest only?

- iii. Octoberfest October 7-9 Updates
      - Draft Prize List ready to go, will review next meeting - getting very specific on some of what's allowed in classes (give judges cheat sheet)
    - iv. Travel Grants – Updates/Report
- Trajectories (Loree)
  - Coaches Training at Sandia Park Report
    - Went so well! Lots of positive feedback
    - Greta excited to see where it goes
    - Was \$150 pp for one full day & 2 half; paid for lodging separately
  - End of Year Awards - Allison
- 5. Sportsmanship (Lee)
  - Jackets
  - Roxanne Lane - Sportsmanship Award for Regionals
- 6. DEI /Inclusivity (Bonnie)
  - Exploring ways to involve other clubs (Boy/Girl Scouts, African American/Hispanic kiddos, churches) - get them to demos, or a free lesson, programs to work in exchange for lessons
- 7. Promotion (Andi)
  - New club updates on website!
  - Banners
  - Start a new Region Group for Vaulting Q&A.
- 4. Old Business
  - a. Mary Cole Auction item
    - i. Online auction concurrent with Octoberfest silent auction
    - Bonnie will look into Ebay
- 5. New Business
  - a. Annual Meeting and Officer Election Planning
    - Meeting will take place during Octoberfest, Saturday after competition
    - Nomination Committee - Loree, Bonnie, Andi
    - Note is on AVA Region IV site
  - b. Another retreat?
    - After Octoberfest, when new board has been elected
    - More like a handoff, virtually, to bring new board up to date

**Next meeting: Monday, July 25, 2022 @7:00PM**