June 2015

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Our 2014/2015 show season has officially ended and the Banquet is right around the corner. Banquet forms are in this email and on the website. Please make sure you fill yours out and mail it in. we hope to see everyone there as it's a great end to our year and a wonderful way to celebrate all of our participants and their accomplishments. As we have done in the past, seating will be assigned and will be based on first forms in. we are also working on the Banquet Book which lists all the winners, sponsors, auction donors, 40 hour volunteers and scholarship winners. We cannot produce this book without the support of advertisers, so please place an ad to congratulate your son, daughter or friend or to Thank your trainer. Please contact me to place your personal or business ad. If we don't sell some ads, we cannot cover the cost of the book. Pictures, text and/or business cards can be included. We have kept the pricing the same for the last 5+ years to make it affordable for everyone. An advertisement form is also included with the email.

Last, but not least, we are also enclosing the silent auction form for the Banquet. Please try to get as many donations as possible so that we can have a successful silent auction again this year. We normally raise between $1500 and $2000 each year and this money helps with our Scholarship Fund as well as offset additional costs incurred by the association.

As we did not have many nominations for Officers for the next season, it will not be necessary to have any voting at the June meeting. Marlene and myself have been asked to stay in our positions as there was no one else interested in taking the Treasurer and President positions.

Laura St John

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Amy Dunleavy
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Directors
Jennifer Laningham
Brian Dunleavy

SECRETARY'S REPORT

The meeting was called to order and accepted .

Adjourned at 20:20

TREASURER'S REPORT

Checking and Savings account balances were given.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Field Maintenance & Improvements to the show grounds:

There were several fence panels in the clay arena that have been replaced. The County is working on replacing more.

County/Sports Council:

There is a meeting on May 20. Please go onto the PGHA website to access the link to the County questionnaire.

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HUNTER/JUMPER

The April show had 22 riders making up 105 class entries which brought in $1133.

The May show had 19 riders for 75 classes and this netted $915.

The points from the February show will be doubled.

The recycled jump project information is on the website. Judging will be Sept 26th.

SPEED

The show had 14 riders making up 77 classes bringing in $565.

The points from the May show will be doubled as per the blind draw.

PERFORMANCE

The show had 16 riders making up 95 class entries which brought in $813 plus 1 new sponsor for $100 which will go towards next season.

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OLD THEN NEW BUSINESS:

Silent Auction: please start looking for items to donate for our end of the year banquet silent auction. It was discussed that you will receive 1 free class or 1 free volunteer hour for each basket or item received that is worth $25 or more. The free class cannot be used with any other discounts (ex: poor boy or buy 5 classes and get one free). Only 1 free class per show.

Banquet Book: start thinking about ads for the Banquet Book. $150 for a full page color ad, $100 for a full page B & W, $75 for a 1/2 page color ad, $50 for a 1/2 page B & W ad, $25 for a business card ad.

As **Brian** will no longer be a member of the Executive Board next season, we will need to find someone to attend the Sports Council meetings starting in July. This person must be a Director and/or a Board Member and must attend all of the meetings. After 3 missed Sports Council meetings we will have to pay the County to use the arena. Those meetings are held the SECOND Wednesday of every month at 5:45 at the Port Charlotte Beach Complex.

Summer Fun Show: August 8, 2015. More information will be coming soon. Historically we run about 25 classes which include all three disciplines. You can ride in classes for $5 each or a poor boy for all day of $25. We had a great turn out the last two years!

Rules and Reg meetings: Performance meeting will be on June 15th. Time and place TBA
Speed meeting will be on June 29th at 6:30 at the same place as the general meetings.

Use of the Jumps: if you are going to practice using the jumps, you must bring your own jump cups. Please DO NOT wedge the jump poles between the jumps. It is unsafe and is breaking the jumps.

Feed Store: there is a new feed store in Port Charlotte. “Crackers” 941-505-8707 . Located in the old Crossties building. Crossties is still open but is located down the street

Remember to also mark your calendars for Sunday, June 28th. This is the date for our Year End Banquet and you definitely don't want to miss that. Banquet forms are available online at www.thepgha.com and emailed to everyone with this newsletter. The doors will open at 4:00 pm and dinner will be at 5:00 pm.

NEW OFFICERS NEEDED FOR 2015 / 2017 !!!!

Nominations were held at the May 11th meeting.

President: Laura St. John has graciously agreed to stay on as President.
Vice President: Jennifer Laningham
Secretary: Peggy Santor
Treasurer: Marlene Tehrani has agreed to stay, also
Sergeant At Arms: Gayle Rogers
H/J Director: Lisa Johnson
Performance Director: Rena Gezzar
Speed Director: Amy Rogers

Hunter/Jumper Results
May 9, 2015

Leadline Div:		None
Walk Div: 10 & under	Grand:	Kaya Sawhney & Rainbow Dash
W/T Poles:		No Entries
W/T Div: 10 & under		No Entries
W/T Div: 11 & over	Grand: Reserve:	Hanna Lipsey & Simon Carissa Procacci & Pennies From Heaven
Mini Medal W/T:		Carissa Procacci & Pennies From Heaven
Crossrail Hunter:	Grand: Reserve:	Amazing Grace & Lacey Trongone Simon & Hanna Lipsey
Flat Div:	Grand: Reserve:	Carlie Frullo & My Caliente Cutter Lacey Trongone & Amazing Grace
Baby Jumpers 2’ 3”:		Lara Shelatz & The Wild Thing
Baby Jumpers 2’ 3”:		Jessica Clore & What Comes Around
Schooling Jumpers 2’6” - 2’9”:		Kaci St. John & Genio Alfarvad Z
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Hopeful Jumpers 3’ - 3’3”:		Kaci St. John & Genio Alfarvad Z
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Hunter 18” Div:	Grand:	No Entries
Short Stirrup Eq:		No Entries
Long Stirrup Eq:	Grand:	No Entries
Beginner Hunter:	Grand: Reserve:	Count My Kisses & Jada Sawhney Meza Special Jet & Caren Crane
Beginner Eq:	Grand: Reserve:	Kassie Nix & Cherokee Pride Jada Sawhney & Count My Kisses
Amateur Hunter: 2’3” Div:	Grand:	No Entries
Amateur Eq: 2’3” Div.	Grand:	No Entries
Open Hunter 2’6” and above:		No Entries
Open Eq 2’6” and above:		No Entries

Carol Lewis Memorial Scholarship: **Please check the website for details. Essay and application are due by June 1, 2015.**

Performance High Point Results
May 2, 2015

Halter Grand Champion:		**Secret Addiction & Matthew Nelson**
Halter Reserve Champion:		**Katrina Nelson & Zips Hot Cappuccino**
Western W/T : 17 & under	**Grand:**	**Hannah Brock & Our Larks Legacy**
	Reserve:	**Bella Amico & Heza Obvious Money**
Western W/T : 18 & over	**Grand:**	**Donna Messier & Red, White & Spicey**
	Reserve:	**Jaysa Sallis & Miss Iron Command**
Western Jr:	**Grand:**	**Gabrielle Kreller & Eudoras Black**
Western Sr:	**Grand:**	**Karen McCormack & Incoosably Hot**
	Reserve:	**Joanne Lanzisera & Tommy Temon**
English W/T: 17 & under	**Grand:**	**Jolie Morningstar & DWF Rob Roy**
English W/T: 18 & over	**Grand:**	**None**
English Jr:	**Grand:**	**Kaitlyn Key & Oscars One Shot**
English Sr:	**Grand:**	**None**

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