



SEPTEMBER 2010 NEWSLETTER

Show Schedule

Sept 19 Hebron
Sept 26^ Woodstock
^ Therapeutic Horsemanship Class
Will be offered
** Driving Classes will be offered

Membership Meetings

Field's Memorial School
Bozrah, CT (7:30 PM)

Sept 28*
Oct 26#
*Last meeting to qualify for year end awards
Not a qualifying meeting; voting purposes only

ANNOUNCEMENTS

If anyone is interested in running for an office or board position, contact: Teri Smith, Lynda Whaley, or Arline Card before September 20th. Nominations will be taken from the floor.

All rule changes must be submitted before September 20th to Deb Luond.

The September meeting is the last one to qualify for year end awards.

Elections and rule changes will be voted on at the October 26th meeting.

A former member asked us to get the word out about a place called Camelot Auction in New Jersey for anyone interested in buying a horse. Their website is:

<http://forums.delphiforums.com/alexbro wn/messages>

General Membership Meeting
Fields Memorial School
August 24, 2010

The meeting was called to order by President Robin Schaedler at 7:35 PM. Sadie Beatrice read the secretary's report. A motion to accept the report was made by Lisa Abrahamson, seconded by Deb Luond. Motion carried.

Donald Beatrice read the Treasurer's report.

Beginning Balance:	\$8327.25
Income	7985.04
Expenses	7174.78
Ending balance	\$9137.51

A motion to accept the treasurer's report was made by Christin Politowicz, seconded by Arline Card. Motion carried.

Sadie read an email correspondence about a horse auction in New Jersey that has horses that are sound but just a victim of the economy. She has the website if anyone is interested and it will be in the newsletter.

Old Business

Robin thanked all those who supported the Nutrena tag program. We will continue to accept tags through December, but they must be for this year only.

August 8th show had Steve Lampson and Lorraine Day as judges. There were 78 entries and we made a profit of \$762.01.

August 15th judges were Charlie Muscarella and Joann Hamson. We had 83 entries and made a profit of \$878.42.

September is the last meeting to qualify, so if you have not made any meetings yet, your name will be pulled off the point list because it will be too late now for you to qualify. The August points will be up soon and Sadie will send an email letting the membership know.

If anyone is interested in running for an office or board position, please see a member of the nominating committee (Teri Smith, Lynda Whaley, or Arline Card) before September 20th. The elections will be held October 26th.

Rule changes or suggestions are to be submitted to Deb Luond by September 20th also. This is the time to share your ideas as we will be working on the 2011 show season right away. The board will review all submissions and will present their recommendations at the September 28th meeting. They will be voted on in October as well.

New Business

Our next show is the Colchester Lions show at the Hebron Fair grounds on September 18th. They ask that we park in the field outside of the show area. When you enter the gate, say straight; don't take the right onto the grounds. The judges will be Melissa Proulx and Beth Stone.

Our final show will be on September 26th. Those judges will be Beth Stone and Ed Golembeski.

Donald gave an update on the banquet. It will be held November 20th at Groton

Inn and Suites. We will be having a sit down dinner with three choices. We will also be having a DJ this year. More information will be available soon.

Robin has a hard copy of the points if anyone would like to see them.

Roll call was done.

A motion to adjourn was made by Donald Beatrice, seconded by Kim Ridzon. Meeting adjourned 7:55 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Sadie Beatrice, Recording Secretary