



Blue Ridge Eventing Association

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BREA Board Meeting Minutes - May 19, 2009

Members Present: Debby Bright, Dana Lacy, Monica Gaebe, Bernard Hylton, Linda Oberlender, Billie Bryant

Since so few of us are present, we are postponing approval of the April minutes.

Committee Reports

GHPEC: There was no May meeting. The PA system is being installed. Rings have been getting dragged weekly, year-round. There will be a fundraiser for footing after the PA system is done.

Treasurer: No report.

Membership: We have about 70 members.

Equipment: We have new radios, stopwatches, and batteries, but have not found a lock box.

Newsletter: We need to find someone to be in charge of the newsletter next year, since Elyse won't be able to do it anymore.

Volunteer/Points: No report.

Education: Emily Beshear said that she would be able to do a clinic for us the first weekend in August. We couldn't get hold of Molly Bull, and will contact Muffin Pantaze to see if she'd be able to do a clinic.

Young Riders: No report.

Southern States: No report.

Horse Shows: Ellen says she will round up volunteers. No setup date has been established yet.

Teams: No report.

Awards: No report.

Old Business

We have new cross-country jumps.

Not competing next weekend? Volunteers still needed!

June 27 is the BREA Combined Test and Dressage Show. Green Hill Park Equestrian Center, Salem, VA. Closing Date for entries June 19.

New Business

Trakehner:

There is a request for some of the young rider funds to go towards the new trakehner. The board will table a decision on this to the next meeting; there are not enough of us present to vote.

Illegal practices at BREA shows:

Competitors at our shows sometimes do things that are considered illegal by USEA rules. Since BREA tries to follow USEA rules as much as possible, we could perhaps have a policy of informing competitors when they do something illegal and then eliminating them if they choose to continue doing that illegal thing.

Also, in the case that a competitor specifically requests to do something illegal (such as using an illegal piece of equipment), we can allow them to go HC. We can also make a list of USEA rules most useful for our competitors to be aware of and put it on our web site, and possibly have a TD present at shows. This is the recommendation to the board; we are unable to vote on a policy during this meeting due to low attendance.

Show Manager needed for the August BREA show!

Contact Jen Wolz at jen_wolz@yahoo.com if you can help out or would like more information.

Bits and Pieces - News & Announcements

Slight Change to Points Submission

There is now a new section on the points form for Year-End Awards for people to include a link to the website where their results can be found on-line. This will greatly assist the Points Chair with verifying results.

Submissions needed for BREA Newsletter!

If members have a great cleaning tip, grooming tip, or anything horse related, we'd love to include those ideas in our newsletter. Send those tips and articles to breanewsletter@yahoo.com.

Changes to Volunteer Vouchers

This year, members can use up to two volunteer vouchers per entry. Also, as it was last year, members can use one voucher toward their BREA membership. Volunteer vouchers will now be distributed fall and spring so that members may use their spring vouchers towards fall shows.

BREA Cross Country Clinic - July 18

Our association has scheduled an educational and fun day with Muffin Pantaze as clinician at Candi and Bernard Hylton's lovely home on July 18!! This is a great opportunity to try out all of Bernard's different jumps while learning correctly from Muffin. **You must sign up for the clinic by June 30!**

There will be several small groups according to level of riding for \$30 each horse and rider. Levels will be determined by the number of entries and BREA will try to meet the needs of each rider, but the plan is to have groups at Green/Beginner Novice, BN/Novice, Novice/Training, Training/Prelim/Intermediate. This is a great opportunity for those thinking about moving up to the next level... and where else can you get such a deal?!?!

Please reserve your spot by email or phone (Kennikalia@yahoo.com or 434 525-7675) followed immediately by a check by mail to Billie Bryant 5410 Old Cifax Rd. Goode, VA 24556 by June 30. Checks should be made payable to Muffin Pantaze. Let's have a grand time together! Bring your lunch!

Billie Bryant
BREA Education Coordinator

Points Totals as of June 12, 2009

Cross Rails Sr.

Ann Jensen	Randi	17
Patricia Brown	Versary Bar Rebel	18
Jen Wolz	Charlie	16
Beth Bays	Pretty Polly	15
Kim Huffman	Dixie	8

Cross Rails Jr

Laurel Gates	Lil' Rocky	5
Hannah Elias	Zamboni	6
Anna Smith	Wapeavey's Windwalker	8

Green Sr.

Patricia Brown	Versary Bar Rebel	42
Jen Wolz	Gettysburg	21
Ann Jensen	Randi	7

Green Jr.

Abby Hylton	Tazz	38
Lauren Bryant	Jimni Cricket	4
Alonee Crutchfield	Just Another Alibi	36
Lauren Bunnell	Kings and Heart	10
Molly Watson	Scirco's Grace	8

Beginner Novice Sr.

Bernard Hylton	First Summit	66
Candi Hylton	Good Golly Miss Molly	44
Erica Jones	Maury	6
Billie Bryant	Ransome	30
Jen Wolz	Duke	9

Beginner Novice Jr.

Laurel Gates	Zamboni	5
Willow Kerns	MK denmark	2
Molly Watson	My Own Agenda	46
Anna Smith	Ruh Roh	8

Novice Sr.

DC McBroom	Twain	31
Shaina Oberlender	Coleman	15
Shaina Oberlender	Caleb	13
Nikki Tolley	Excuse Me Boys	33
Ashley Sadler	Sox Appeal	22
Dana Lacy	The Rocketeer	3
Linda Dalhgren	AFW Fidele	30
Linda Oberlender	Caleb	19
Alicia Daily	Dawn's Sunrise	40
Alicia Daily	Cady's Goldkeeper	4

Training Sr.

Susan Jellum	Mobile Express	5
D.C. McBroom	Twain	75
Kim Huffman	Destiny's Girl	4
Jen Wolz	My Own Agenda	48

Training Jr.

Katherine Abrams	Mighty Perfect	35
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Preliminary Sr.

Sue Jellum	Jack Be Quick	47
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Preliminary Jr.

Monica Gaebe	Harleyquin	44
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2009 Volunteer Hours as of June 13, 2009

A huge thank you to our volunteers!

Contact Kelly Linn at treasurendoodle@aol.com with questions or concerns about your volunteer hours.

Div.	Last	First	Total Hours
Junior	Abrams	Katherine	4
Adult	Bright	Debby	4
Adult	Bryant	Billie	4
Adult	Daily	Alicia	19
Adult	Dahlgren	Linda	3
Junior	Gaebe	Monica	4
Adult	Huffman	Kim	4
Adult	Hylton	Bernard	4
Adult	Jellum	Sue	4
Adult	Lacy	Dana	14
Junior	Lee	Margo	4
Adult	Linn	Kelly	6
Adult	McBroom	D.C.	12
Adult	Nichols	Tamla	12
Adult	Oberlender	Linda	4
Junior	Oliver	Catalina	19
Junior	Sampson	Rachael	4
Junior	Schobert	Sarah	4
Adult	Simms	Shannon	4
Junior	Smith	Cayse	10
Adult	Tolley	Nikki	6
Junior	Walker	Emily	4
Adult	Wolz	Jen	4

CLASSIFIEDS

Classifieds are offered FREE to members and will automatically be renewed for 3 months. Ads are \$5/ad/month for non-members.

Send information to Elyse Gonyo at:
2314 Grove Avenue, Falls Church VA 22046 OR
breanewsletter@yahoo.com.

Four homebreds from suckling to 3 year old for sale. Sires include Landstreicher, Concerto Grosso & Rapture R. One dam (Selle Francais) showed grand prix in France and is by Jalisco B. These sires can be researched by google. Good sizes, temperaments, action & conformation. Located in Riner. Call Alice at 540/818-1930. (06/09)

7 yr old 14.1hh AQHA gelding. This pony has done it all! Soild Natural Horsemanship groundwork and former beginner lesson pony. Poppie has hunter paced, foxhunted 2nd flight, show jumped, trails rides alone/in company/with dogs. Loads into trailer, stands well for vet and farrier. Scored well in Dressage and is currently jumping 2' to 2'3" courses. Loves "cuddle time" with his rider, treats, and will make you smile each day! Temperament is calm and willing with just a hint of spunk! Looking for a long term home. Cribber, controlled by collar. Will consider lease to right home. Trial period and vet checks are welcome! Price neg. to Pony Club or Vet recommended home! 434-609-3505 Kelly (05/09)

Cady O'Daly Farm and Alicia Daily Farm offers :
at stud-- Tre Awain Goldsmith-- 15.2 h dun Connemara--
- really cool and laid back guy! **Cadyodalyfarm.net---**
540-587-1999 cell-434-665-9876

EQUIPMENT, ETC.

18' Horse training corral. 6' high pipe round pen with 9' arch gate. Call Diane or Emmet Long 540-473-3151 (06/09)

Melton (black heavy wool) hunt coat, formerly size 10 but it got rained on and really DID shrink. I'd call it a ladies 8 at this point (alas). Otherwise in very good shape. Very reasonable to good home. Erica 540 544-7359 (05/09)

Instructor available. Jen Wolz is now available for instruction on-the-flat and over-fences. Private, semi-private, and group rates available. Also available for exercise, schooling, and training rides. Other services offered. Very reasonable rates, References available. Please visit www.wolzequestrian.com for more information, or contact Jen at jenwolz@wolzequestrian.com, 540.951.1033.

Alicia Daily & Hands on Pottery has stoneware pottery decorated with horsey stuff, and doggy stuff. Gallery at the farm near Lynchburg--or online-handsonpottery.net. Custom work available. 540-587-1999

www.photosbyalice.com to view photographs from the 2008 show season. Many types of holiday cards, note cards, mousepads, coffee mugs, and much more are available to display your photos. Email Alice at alialley@msn.com for a product list.