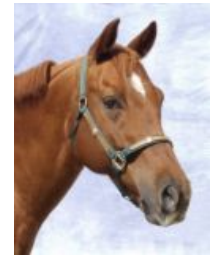




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F.Y.I.

The minutes from the April monthly membership meeting are posted on the website and available for anyone to read.

Meeting Minutes for April 2, 2008

Lee called the meeting to order at 6:35pm

Treasurer's Report:

Beginning - \$13034.08

Ending - \$16589.79

SSA Report:

Beginning - \$5240.78

Ending - \$10207.33

Motions made and Seconded

A summary of the March meetings minutes and Treasurer's reports were accepted as read.

A motion was passed to clarify on the entry premiums that "9 & Under age division – all mounted classes will stay 9 & Under walk/trot. **Unanimous**

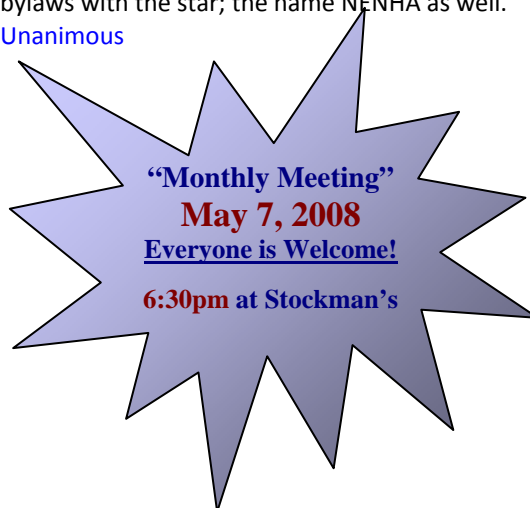
A motion was passed that the cost of each class will increase by \$1. **For – 8; Opposed - 6**

A motion was passed to accept the decisions of the Awards committee and verbiage as written in the Awards committee meeting minutes. **Unanimous**

A motion was passed that a reminder be inserted onto the entry premium about stall fees being \$10 for overnight use and \$10 if day-use stalls are not cleaned out. **Unanimous**

A motion was passed to allow Tasha Lydon (Show Manager) and Crystal Krause (Gymkhana Official) to show as well as their family members. **Unanimous**

A motion was passed that Kisha Snyder will look into copyrighting the logo contained on the bylaws with the star; the name NENHA as well. **Unanimous**



Motions made and Seconded continued

A motion was passed that a 20% commission charge will be charged for all items sold at the Tack Sale on May 3 & 4. **Unanimous**

A motion was passed to donate to the RMRFTH club, the amount of 20% of whatever they sell at the Tack Sale. **Unanimous**

A motion was passed that we table the discussion on the possibility of a two day horse show, to October 2008. **Unanimous**

A motion was passed to adjourn the meeting at 8:06pm. **Unanimous**

2008 SHOW DATES

May 3 & 4 – Hairy Horse Show

Play day combined with the NQHA/AQHA horse show. Location is the Horse Palace.

June 22 – 1st point show

Show Judge – *Susan Crane, New Plymouth, Idaho*
Trail Judge – TBA

July 13 – 2nd point show

Show Judge – *Joe Ruiz, Salt Lake City, Utah*
Trail Judge – TBA

August 17 – 3rd point show

Show Judge – *Joetta Barto, Winnemucca, Nevada*
Trail Judge – TBA

September 13 – SSA Futurity show

Show Judge – *Lyle Wonderlich – AQHA carded, Nampa Idaho*

September 14 – 4th point show

Show Judge – *Lyle Wonderlich – AQHA carded, Nampa Idaho*
Trail Judge – TBA

Classifieds

If you would like to place a classified in the newsletter, please contact Jenny Marlar at 738-2964 or 934-1140. You can also e-mail her at jmarlar@barrick.com; marlar05@frontiernet.net or secretary@nenha.org
Ads will run for two (2) months

2008 Memberships are due now! Please fill out an enrollment form and mail it in or bring it to the next Monthly Membership meeting. Fees will go up \$5.00 after April 1st.

YOU MUST BE A PAID MEMBER TO VOTE!

We still need volunteers for the show season!

Agenda for May 7, 2008

Summary of April meeting minutes
Committee Updates
Committee Actions

JUST FOR KICKS



~They think they can make fuel from horse manure - Now, I don't know if your car will be able to get 30 miles to the gallon, but it's sure gonna put a stop to siphoning.~

~Money is like manure; it's not worth a thing unless it's spread around encouraging young things to grow.~



Contact any Board Member for more info!

2008 Membership forms are available on the website www.nenha.org or e-mail Jenny at marlar05@frontiernet.net; jmarlar@barrick.com or secretary@nenha.org for copies.

Call Jenny at 934-1140 or 738-2964 for a copy if you don't have access to a computer.

NENHA MEMBERS

PLEASE, Thank our sponsor's when you go to their place of business. Without these sponsors, we wouldn't be able to put on the shows or provide the awesome year end awards that we do. So please, make sure you stop in and thank them. They really appreciate it!



Most of you know Barbie Smith, they have been members of NENHA for many years and she has asked that we post a request for prayers for her son. Her son, Chris Blair, was injured in a freak accident on April 7th, 2008, where a 3/4" rod penetrated his right eye and injured his brain. Chris was immediately life flighted to the University of Utah hospital. Chris is in a coma at this time, and has undergone several surgeries. This is going to be a long uphill battle for him, and his family.

So Please Pray for them.

The family has a website set up for him, updates are being posted daily, please sign the guest book when you visit.

www.caringbridge.org/visit/chrisblair

Thank you for your support!

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2008 FOALS

Congratulations!!!

Lonnie & Sherry Scott on the birth of their two foals:

1 Chestnut Colt

1 Chestnut Filly

Tim & Dana Damveld on the birth of their Sorrel Filly

Jenny Marlars on the birth of her Golden Palomino Filly

IF anyone would like to have the birth of their 2008 foal announced in the newsletter, please forward all of your information to Jenny Marlars. If the foal is the get of a SSA nominated stallion, it will also be posted in the SSA newsletter.

~~ATTENTION~~

There was a motion regarding Senior Horse that was passed at the March 22 meeting and it was not legal. The Board of Directors called a special meeting and decided that the motion was not valid. The verbiage will revert back to **SENIOR HORSE** – Horses 6 years old or older. Must be ridden in a shank bit with one hand on the reins. **Note:** All horses born in a given year are considered to be one year old on January 1st of the following year.

Contact any board member if there are any questions regarding this matter. Jenny Marlars has the revised verbiage sticker that needs to be inserted in bylaw booklets that have already been distributed.

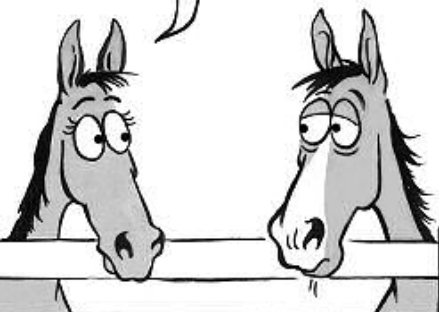
~~Horses teach us some of life's most important lessons: how to fall, how to get back up, back on and keep on going.~~

"It's a lot like nuts and bolts – if the rider's nuts, the horse bolts!" Nicholas Evans, 'The Horse Whisperer'

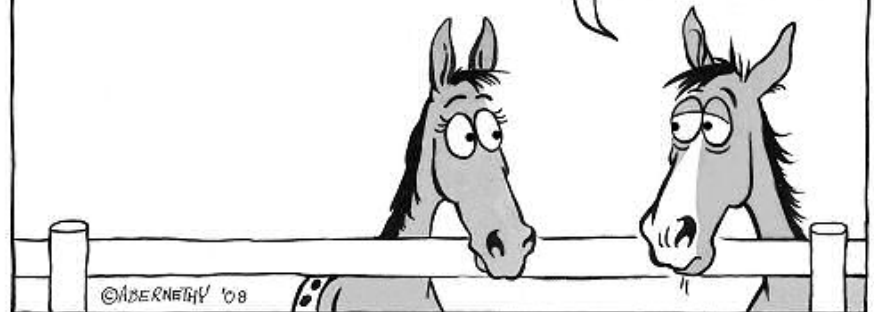
Fergus BY JEAN ABERNETHY

www.FergusTheHorse.com

I'd never considered income tax to be an ecological process.



Oh sure it is. Haven't you noticed? People get all tensed up, and agitated in spring. Then they get real stingy with the hay just as the new grass begins to grow.





When You Show You Should Know...

Trail continued from last month's newsletter...

AQHA Rule 454B states that in **Trail**:

(f) The following deductions will result:

Five (5) Point

- Dropping slicker or object required to be carried on course,
- First or second cumulative refusal, balk, or evading an obstacle by shying or backing,
- Letting go of gate or dropping rope gate.
- Use of either hand to instill fear or praise.
- Stepping outside the confines of, falling or jumping off or over an obstacle with more than one foot once the foot has entered obstacle; including missing one element of an obstacle on a line of travel with more than one foot.
- Blatant disobedience (including kicking out, bucking, rearing, striking)
- Faults, which occur on the line of travel between obstacles, scored according to severity:
 - (1) head carried too high
 - (2) head carried too low (tip of ear below withers)
 - (3) over-flexing or straining neck in head carriage so the nose is carried behind the vertical.
 - (4) excessive nosing out
 - (5) opening mouth excessively

Disqualified 0 – Score

- Use of two hands (except in snaffle bit or hackamore classes designated for two hands) or changing hands on reins; except for junior horses shown with hackamore or snaffle bit, only one hand may be used on the reins, except that it is permissible to change hands to work an obstacle as outlined in 443
- Use of romal other than as outlined in 443
- Performing the obstacle incorrectly or other than in specified order 187
- No attempt to perform an obstacle
- Equipment failure that delays completion of pattern
- Excessively or repeatedly touching the horse on the neck to lower the head
- Entering or exiting an obstacle from the incorrect side or direction
- Working obstacle the incorrect direction; including overturns of more than ¼ turn
- Riding outside designated boundary marker of the arena or course area
- Third cumulative refusal, balk, or evading an obstacle by shying or backing
- Failure to ever demonstrate correct gait between obstacle as designated.
- Failure to follow the correct line of travel between obstacles
- Faults that occur on the line of travel between obstacles, which will be cause for disqualification, except in novice amateur or novice youth classes, which shall be faults scored according to severity:
 - (1) head carried too low (tip of ear below the withers)
 - (2) over-flexing or straining neck in head carriage so the nose is carried behind the vertical consistently



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2008 Dates to Remember

May 3rd - NQHA All Novice Horse Show - Horse Palace 9:30am

May 4th - NQHA Hairy Horse Show - Horse Palace 8:00am

May 7th - Monthly Meeting/Stockmen's 6:30pm

June 4th - Monthly Meeting/Stockmen's 6:30pm

June 22nd - First Point Show - Elko County Fairgrounds