



Paint Spots
June, 2008
By Ami Bennett



Coming Events.....Get Involved

The Washington State Paint Horse Club is collecting Hotel/Motel sample -soaps, lotions, shampoos and conditioners, etc. for two very worthwhile causes.

The Fisher House at Fort Lewis, WA - this is in conjunction with the hospital on the base and is like Ronald McDonald House.

The Feeding Ministry in Olympia, WA - this is a 20 year ministry by several Olympia area churches that every Sunday afternoon fix a hot meal and feed around 300 men, women and many children. They also give out clothing, blankets, towels, bus passes, soap and other personnel items year around. As times get harder more and more are showing up each week. The Motel/Hotel samples are greatly appreciated.

If you have any extra sample you can bring them to the Paint Horse Show office and put them in the basket there or you can give them to Jeri Stone, Edie Hill or Linda Vance or any member of the Washington State Paint Horse Club. We will have a basket at the July 25, 26 & 27 WSPHC's Star Spangled Classic - Solid Paint Bred and Regular Open Paint Horse Show.

We will also be collecting them at the Zone One Paint-O-Rama and the Idaho Paint Horse Club in August.

The SWWPtHC is having their Second Annual Fun Ride at the Kalama Horse Camp on June 8th, 2008. Open to everyone. Raffle for Prizes, Potluck and Social. Contact Patti Griggs @ 360-727-3172 or 3gfarms@comcast.net for more information.

The SWWPtHC would like to invite you to participate in our First Annual Fall Blast Open Horse Show on September 20-21, 2008 at the Mt. Hood Equestrian and Event Center.

We are very excited about this show. It will be DOUBLE judged and is OCAP and PAC approved! That will offer you a huge opportunity to earn Lifetime points for your horse's show record. If you have not signed up for OCAP be sure to visit www.pinto.org for all your details as well as www.apha.com for your PAC entry forms.

At this show we are awarding 13 HI PT awards. The divisions are Halter, Showmanship, English, Western, Trail, Driving, Minis, Green Horse, Novice Rider, 13 & Under, 14-18, 19-44, and 45 & Over.

Wanna Join? If you are not yet a member of SWWPtHC be sure to visit our website for details on how to become a member. www.swwpthc.com



2008 SWWPtHC Fall
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The Washington State Paint Horse Club will hold it's Second Solid Paint Bred Show. 44 classes - Halter, Youth, Amateur & Open (sorry no cattle)

This is a complete show just for Solid Bred APHA Registered horses. There will be a saddle offered for the High Point Solid Bred Paint horse for both the July 25 - Solid Paint Bred Show and the July 26 & 27 - WSPHC Star Spangled Classic Show.

Date: July 25, 2008

Place: Tacoma Unit Inc.
Spanaway, WA

Contact: Zack Hemond - 360 432-9697 - for BOTH Shows

The WSPHC's Annual Star Spangled Classic Paint-O-Rama will be July 26 & 27 also at Tacoma Unit & will be a GREAT WARM UP SHOW FOR THE 14 JUDGE ZONE ONE AND IDAHO PHC SHOW IN AUGUST.

The WSPHC Show will offer a High Point Super Horse Saddle Award, High Point & Reserve High Point Awards & Equitation Awards.

Tracy Olney will be doing our Trail Warm Up and Trail Classes.

Washington Bred will be hold their Yearling Halter Futurities at this show - for more information on these Futurities contact Ami Bennett amiboal@allstate.com

See you at Tacoma Unit in July.

More information on BOTH SHOWS on www.wsphc.com

The Oregon Trail Appaloosa Horse Club is sponsoring a "Buckle Series Open Breed Show" June 21 - 22 at the Umatilla Co. Fair Grounds, Hermiston Oregon. This is an "APHA PAC NATIONAL CREDITS APPROVED" show.

Local Motels available are:

"The Way Inn" motel", about 6 blocks from the Fair Grounds. Rates start at \$47 + tax, per night . 1-888-564-8767.

"Budget Inn & Suites" with rates starting at \$50 + tax, per night 1-888-729-7848.

Additional motels with rates starting at \$78 are:

Best Western, 564-0202; Oak Tree Inn, 567-2330; Oxford Suites, 564-8000.



OTAHC
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The Oregon Halter Horse Association is a new state club under the American Halter Horse Association. OHHA is hosting a show in Klamath Falls, Oregon at the Event Center on September 11-14, 2008 with an all color breed show with approval from the Buckskin (3 Judges), Palomino, Pinto (2 Judges), Appaloosa (2 Judges) and Paint horse (2 Judges) along with breed

approval from the Cal Western Appaloosa and Oregon Paint Horse. We are approved PAC, ACAPP, OCAP, and OEIP for outside competitive points programs for our AHHA. OHHA halter shows, futurity, jack pot classes, and our all breed show with 3 judges. You can view our website at www.orhalterhorse.org for class lists, entry forms, rules and package deals to download from PDF. Also you can view our show at www.showmyhorse.com and enter your horses from there. We believe that we have the exhibitor in mind to gain points in both areas: breed shows and outside competitive programs.

Just a quick update on the "new" Futurity program offered by the Inland Northwest Paint Horse Club, the Northwest Breeders Futurities! As of this date, we already have 19 subscribing stallions. All Get as sired by these stallions, from weanlings to 3 yr olds, will be eligible to nominate, enter & compete in the Futurities offered at the 2008 INPHC Show September 26, 27 & 28th in Spokane, Washington.

A MIGHTY SENSATION - AN AMERICAN TRIBUTE - BARLNK HAZBENTUFMACHO

BLACK FOREST - BOYS NIGHT OUT - CLASSY WILL - COLOR TO IMPRESS

DUN GOIN STEADY - HES LOPIN SUPREME - HES OBVIOUSLY SMOOTH

HOT SCOTCH MISTER - IMPRESSIVE INFORMER - JUSTA PLEASURE

KOOTENAI WILDFIRE - OBVIOUSLY CASMIRE - OBVIOUSLY MORTGAGED

TWO SHAMELESS - ULTIMATE CHARISMA - WD TO A SHEIK

Stallions may still be subscribed for [] \$300 until 6/1/08

After that, the stallion subscription fees will be [] \$500 to final subscription date of 8/1/08

Detailed information along with Stallion subscription form can be found at www.inphc.com under the Breeders Futurity link.

!!! NOMINATE YOUR HORSE SOON !!!

If you have a horses that is sired by one of the subscribing stallions, you will want to show in the money added futurities. You need to complete a nomination form by 8/1/08 or a late nomination fee will be charged.

[] \$100 nomination fee due by 8/1/08

[] \$200 late nomination fee due by 9/1/08

No nominations will be accepted after 9/1/08

ADDEDMONEY FUTURITIES FOR NOMINATED GET BY SUBSCRIBING STALLIONS

Weanling Halter Colts & Geldings of 2008

Weanling Halter Fillies of 2008

Yearling Halter Colts & Geldings of 2007

Yearling Halter Fillies of 2007

Yearling Longeline

2 yr old Western Pleasure

2 yr old Hunter Under Saddle

3 yr old Western Pleasure

3 yr old Hunter Under Saddle

A horse nomination form can be found at www.inphc.com under the Breeders Futurity link. Detailed show & entry information can also be found on the website & in the INPHC Show Premium www.inphc.com

Condolences and Best Wishes

Our condolences to Doug and Debra Dyjak on the passing of her mother.

Also our condolences to Wayne and Linda Vance on the loss of Wayne's father, Dempsey Vance.

Randy Baines in Spokane has recently undergone surgery - hopefully he will be well enough to make some of the summer shows. We wish him and Cheryl the best.

Sales and Purchases

Josie and Kevin VanDorn have sold their 1998 Bay Paint Gelding, Racketeeroyale, to Kerri Kent of Hood River, OR. He is sired by the late Prince Stanley and out of Racketeersstardust. Kerri is the owner of Kerrit Clothing Line so Racketeeroyale will be taking on a new life as a catalog model and English horse (including dressage and jumping). He will also get to help on their huge cattle ranch on occasions. Racketeeroyale was the TCF Longeline winner as a yearling and was 3rd in the APHA PAC National Overall in 2004.

Marissa Eddy of Stanwood Bought Gota Take A Chance, a 2003 gelding from Simons Show Horses.

Pekola Ranch wants to Congratulate Heather Ednie of Ridgefield WA on her purchase of Blondes R Shameless, aka Vanna, sired by Two Shameless and out of JF Shes a Doll.

Lori Nevin (formerly Fleming) recently accepted an offer on Fleming Farm and is in escrow with a couple that plans on filling the barn back up with horses. The buyers support a therapeutic riding program their niece is involve with. In addition, the buyers are considering taking in equine rescues for adoption. They work from home, have extended family that can't manage stairs, and plan to start their own family soon. So this is perfect for them: a home with an office, built-in big toy, rambler style with no stairs and efficient barn and riding arena. Escrow is scheduled to close late June.

Erin Ricken has sold my two year old Reddy Robin filly, "Reddy To Cash In", to Liz Pickett of Gig Harbor, WA.

Ashley and Leslie Peash of Rainier, WA have purchased Skippen In Silence, an eight year old Sorrel Overo gelding by Skip the Print and out of Golden Silence.

Show Results

Rainier Paint Horse Club - Paint O Rama - May 17 & 18, 2008 - Puyallup, Washington
High Point Report

18 & Under Novice Youth

High Point Ivy Anderson, Lake Stevens, WA, riding Cleared For Takeoff
Reserve Erika Schreurs, Carnation, WA, riding Paint Your Assets

Youth Walk Trot 5 – 9

High Point Rose Jackson-Davis, Seattle WA, riding Holiday Romance

Youth 13 & Under

High Point Savannah Leavitt, Stanwood, Wa, riding Jettn Champagne Chex

Youth 14 – 18

High Point Marissa Eddy, Stanwood WA, riding Gota Take A Chance
Reserve Abigail Olson, Mt Vernon, WA, riding Justa Dazzle N Dude

Novice Amateur

High Point Donna Edwards, Yelm, WA, riding Socks On Special
Reserve Rachel McCart, Beavercreek, OR, riding ZW Cut To The Chase

Amateur

High Point Jennifer McCulloch-Feist, Tacoma, WA, riding Two Tone Zippo
Reserve Kim Basterrechea, CleElum, WA, riding CC Painted Cowboy

Western High Point

High Point Ima Special Delivery, owned by Dianne Rouse, Langley, BC
Reserve Socks On Special, owned by Donna Edwards, Yelm, WA

Yearling High Point

High Point Robin The Chip, owned by Joanie Dinsdale, Kent, WA

Solid Paint Bred

High Point Precious Promise, owned by Ashley Haugen, Bothel, Wa

Western Super Horse Ima Special Delivery, owned by Dianne Rouse, Langley, BC

High Point Halter Horses

High Point Stallion Triple T Lee, owned by Richard Marcelle, Roy, WA
High Point Mare Ultimate Grand Cheyanne, owned by Dave & Debe Palmer, Ridgefield, WA
High Point Gelding Dominatly Sleek, owned by Ray & Doris Parker, Scio, OR

SOUTHWEST WA PAINT HORSE CLUB – PAINT O RAMA – SALEM, OR – MAY 9,10, & 11, 2008

High Point Report

Novice Youth 18 & Under

High Point Courtney Thomas, Bend, OR riding Already Zipped
Reserve Allison Bussing, Snohomish, WA, riding Sensational Bentley

Youth Walk Trot 5 – 9

High Point Chrissie Penalzoza, Langley BC, riding Tequila Sunrise DeBar
Reserve Kendall Cablao, Hillsboro, OR, riding Scribbles Tuf Enuf

Youth 13 & Under

High Point Lynsey Peebles, Enumclaw, WA, riding A Subtle Impulse
Reserve Savannah Leavitt, Stanwood Wa, riding Jettn Champagne Chex

Youth 14 – 18

High Point Makenzie Brown, Arlington Wa, riding Gambling On Charlie
Reserve Brynn Larson, Brush Prairie, WA, riding Chullas Hot Roddin

Novice Amateur

High Point Daniel Jewell, Klamath Falls, OR, riding Invite Me In
Reserve Rachel McCart, Beavercreek OR, riding ZW Cut To The Chase

Amateur 19 – 44

High Point Katie Creason, Bend OR, riding Ready To Smokem
Reserve Tara Monahan, Olympia, WA, riding Scribble Me Dixon

Amateur 45 & over

High Point Noel Nelson, West Linn OR, riding Fancy E Nuff Big Time
Reserve Dana Tuley, Medford, OR, riding Zipped In Sterling

Junior Horse

High Point Sum Hot Invitation, owned by Brett & Lisa Gibert, Ridgefield, WA
Reserve JZA Lil Leaguer, owned by Linda Jesinghaus, Murphy, OR

Senior Horse

High Point A Subtle Impulse, owned by Lynsey Peebles, Enumclaw, Wa
Reserve Chullas Hot Roddin, owned by Brynn Larson, Brush Prairie WA

Solid Paint Bred

High Point Venturous One, owned by Ray & Doris Parker, Scio, OR
Reserve MH Life Of The Partee, owned by Erin Borland, Albany OR

High Point Halter Horses

Amateur Mares High Point Added Tribute, owned by Wignes & Germaine, Eugene, OR
Reserve Boy Crazy, owned by Shasta Grimes, Kennewick, WA
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Reserve Boy Crazy, owned by Shasta Grimes, Kennewick, WA
SPB Amateur Mares High Point Venturous One, owned by Ray & Doris Parker, Scio OR
Reserve GFR Misery Loves Company, owned by Ellis & Gossett, LaCenter, WA
SPB Mares High Point Venturous One, owned by Ray & Doris Parker, Scio, OR
Reserve I Surrender, owned by Jennifer Williams, Kennewick, WA

Amateur Geldings High Point RH Rockin Tonight, owned by Nicole Slatterly, Ridgefield, Wa
Reserve Dominatly Sleek, owned by Ray & Doris Parker, Scio, OR

Geldings High Point Dominatly Sleek, owned by Ray & Doris parker, Scio, OR
Reserve RH Rockin Tonight, owned by Nicole Slatterly, Ridgefield, WA

SPB Geldings High Point MH Life Of The Partee, owned by Erin Borland, Albany, OR
Reserve The Icon, owned by Kelly & Julie Shea, Ridgefield, WA

Stallions High Point Spider Broker, owned by Amanda Sweitz, Otis, OR

Champion of Champions Halter Horse

Dominatly Sleek, owned by Ray & Doris Parker, Scio, OR

Washington Bred Results through Rainier

Stallions Ultimate Dimension 4 0 4 4

Geldings	Hez The Tool Man	16	0	11	4	31
	MSF IM Finely First	6	0	0	0	6
	MSF Isle Be A Titan	6	0	0	0	6
	Kootenai Dee Bar	0	0	5	0	5
	Mr. HotScotch Feature	0	0	12	0	12
Mares	Ultimate Grand Cheyanne	14	0	18	4	36
	Shez Encountered Mann	10	0	10	0	20
	JMD Miss Quotation	4	0	0	0	4
	I Sirrender	0	0	12	0	12
	GFR Misery Loves Company	0	0	4	0	4
Lungeline	Thanksforcomendarlin	0	0	4	0	4
Trail	Justa EZ Rider	4	4		0	8
Western	Justa EZ Rider	4	4	0	0	8
	Ima Smooth Texan	0	8	0	0	8
HUS	Justa EZ Rider	0	7	0	0	7
	Ima Smooth Texan	0	5	0	0	5

Show Results from BCPHC

Highpoints

BC Owner/Handler

1st – Jennifer King, Ready to Dream

2nd – Jaime Myren, Obvious Chance

3rd – Alison Willoughby, Red Hot Zippo

Youth Walk Trot

1st – Chrissie Penaloza, Tequila Sunrise

2nd – Stephanie Helsen, Party Colour

Novice Youth

1st – Erika Laury Schreurs, Paint Your Assets

2nd – Desilae Newell, Playgirl Centerfold

3rd – Jessica Lawson, Justa EZ Rider

Youth 13 & under

- 1st – Kirsten Chamberland, CCR Dreamboat Annie
- 2nd – Ingrid Saile Libera, Don't Temp Me
- 3rd – Kirsten Chamberland, Kenos Tailor Made

Youth 14-18

- 1st – Abigal Marie Olson, Justa Dazzle N Dude
- 2nd – Carley Nelson, Saint Paints Vintage
- 3rd – Emilee Chamberland, One Cool Promise

Novice Amateur

- 1st – Donna Edwards, Socks on Special
- 2nd – Rachel E McCart, ZW Cut to the Chase
- 3rd – Lisa Seccomb, Curious Artifact

Amateur

- 1st – Jennifer McCulloch-Feist, Two Tone Zippo
- 2nd – Amanda Jackson, Just A Gambler Annie
- 3rd – Donna Edwards, Socks on Special

Junior Horse

- 1st – Louise Bruce, HF Dr Feelgood
- 2nd – Cristie Voth, CF Rock into Heaven

Senior Horse

- 1st – Rebecca Meyer, Im a Smooth Texan
- 2nd – Anne Marie Wass, You Bet Im Smashing

Equitation

- BC Owner/Handler – Jennifer King, Ready to Dream
- Walk Trot - Chrissie Penaloza, Tequila Sunrise
- Novice Youth - Erika Laury Schreurs, Paint Your Assets
- Youth 13 & under – Kirsten Chamberland – CCR Dreamboat Annie
- Youth 14-18 - Carley Nelson, Saint Paints Vintage
- Novice Amateur – Donna Edwards, Socks on Special
- Amateur - Jennifer McCulloch-Feist, Two Tone Zippo

Western Horse – Dianne Rouse, Ima Special Deliver

English Horse – Andrea Aitken, A Deluxe Sensation

Superhorse Award – donated by Washington Bred
Donna Edwards – Socks on Special

New Arrivals

Zack and Laura at Finally Farm Paints welcomed "Lucy" to the world on June 2. Lucy is a bay Tobiano filly by multiple world champion and world champion sire Sacred Indian and by Cajun Breezing Miss. Mother and baby are doing well, and Lucy is so cute with a darling personality.

The DuBravac family has a new colored colt born on May 8th, by: RH Mr. Imprint and out of Silent Emotions. This is Silent Emotions tenth and last foal, as she is 20 years old and deserves retirement.

L & Y Ranch, Lester & Yvonne Waggoner of Sprague, Washington have 5 tobiano foals by their stallion, Ima Speckofpepper. The foals are: 1- Sorrel filly out of an AQHA red roan mare with Sonny Go Lucky, Smashing Success and Page One breeding. 2- Palomino filly out of a palomino

breeding stock mare with Ima Gold Lifter, Obivous Conclusion, Skipper W and Racketeer breeding, 3- Bay filly (probably homozygous) out of a bay tobiano mare with Gallant Ghost and Tru Tru (QH) breeding, 4- Bay filly out of Redi Investment by Whata Investment, and 5- Black colt out of (AQHA) mare with Justa Lil Quincy, Quincy Dan, Skipper W and Parker's Trouble breeding. All foals are for sale and so are some of their dams. Some of these foals will halter and all will ride. They are very pretty.

Mick & Donette Bailey have a Airdie Apache tall stud black colt out of their TB mare Ms Grey Dancer - everything we want except color!

Accomplishments

Congratulations to Pammie Evans and her mare, Independent Chick who have received their superiors in Showmanship and open Hunter under saddle, as well as their Youth Versatility.

Lester & Yvonne Waggoner of Sprague, Washington are proud to announce that their Grandson and Ima Sassy Pepper by Ima Speckofpepper qualified 1st from his district for state in high school equestrian team for breakaway roping. They also qualified in flags and keyhole. Russell and Sassy finished 8th at state in breakaway roping. Not bad for a 1st year participant.

Congratulations to Dave and Carol Hood of Fern Prairie Paints who are celebrating 40 wonderful years of marriage!

Deana Chunick reports:

I own a 6 year old reg. paint, Five O'Clock Doc 'Doc'. I had organized an Equine Air Scenting/Sign Language Clinic with Terry Nowacki (<http://www.airscentinghorse.com/>) from Minnesota. Arrowsmith Search & Rescue co-sponsored an Equine Scent Detection and Equine Sign Language and Communication Clinic with Silver Spur Riding Club. This was an amazing, fun and very informative clinic! There were 12 riders from the Arrowsmith Mounted Search & Rescue that attended. We learned so much in such a short amount of time. Terry Nowacki is recognized throughout the Mounted Search & Rescue community in the United States and has had a horse accredited by a law enforcement agency as being 'scent detection certified'. This clinic gave us a better understanding of our horses and put to test the trust between rider and horse. The clinic was truly an eye opening experience, not only for the mounted participants, but also for the nonequine members of ASAR who both audited and assisted in the clinic's operation. One of these auditors was the ASAR scent detection dog handler, who has trained 4 dogs to the standards required by the RCMP. He was so impressed that he has volunteered to assist us with further air scent training. There were many accomplishments during the clinic. The most notable were the distances that some of the horses picked up the scent of a "victim" and followed the scent drift directly to its source without the assistance or direction of the rider. It should be noted the victims were not in possession of any "treats" or any other form of food, were well hidden in a field that was covered in 6 foot high Scotch Broom and the riders were unaware of their location. These distances were determined using a laser range finder by a qualified tracker and non-horse owner. Over half of the participant's mounts picked up the scent and "cued" the rider from a distance of well over 200 feet.

APHA Workshop Reports

2008 APHA Workshop
Irvine, TX.
May 30 - 31, 2008
By Joy Bearden

First I would like to take this opportunity to say "Thank You" to all those APHA members who voted for me to be a 2009 - 2010 APHA Washington State Delegate. I will do my very best to get your feelings and ideas heard., APHA can only get better with all it's members help.

This years workshop began for us on Friday morning with a meeting informing all the delegates and alternates of the new Strategic Plan, or in layman's terms the Long Range Planning. The Executive Committee and the staff at APHA are working together to put a new plan in motion. The last plan was done in 1999 and was a 5 year plan. With those goals met everyone is excited to have new ideas on the horizon.

All committees met with their respective members to discuss their goals for this year. Rule changes were discussed and decided on which ones would go to the floor for a vote at convention in Oct. All the proposed changes can be found on line and in the journal. If you should have any questions regarding these changes please feel free to contact one of your delegates.

I serve on the Rec. Riding Committee and our main focus was "How do we get more participation"? This discussion was very interesting as several ideas were tossed around but everyone was in agreement that the main objective would be to get the word out regarding this program so that more members understand that it's not just for trail riding. Ride American is a program that can also have hours logged while riding your Paint Horse getting ready for a show. You spend hours on your horse each week getting ready for those very important shows but you can also get credit with Ride America. Check them out on the APHA website.

The APHA Foundation held a live and silent auction on Friday evening where \$6,136 was earned. This along with \$675 from a St. Jude ride and a donation from the OK. Paint Horse Club in the amount of \$10,000. Thanks to all those clubs who sent items for the auction and those who may have purchased items at this event. With this program there will be 42 scholarships awarded this year with 14 of them going to new recipients.

Should you like more information on the other committees reports from the General Membership Meeting on Sat. morning please feel free to contact me. I do have the notes on each one of those reports.

Again Thank You for your confidence in me to represent you at the National Level. I am learning a great deal and love it.

Respectfully
Joy Bearden

APHA Workshop 2008
Director Report: Edie Hill

There are always new things being brought to workshop. It was reported by APHA that in the first quarter of 2008 there were 30 less shows than in 2007. Of the shows that were held their entries were down by 30%. The only shows showing an increase were Zone shows and some Texas shows. I questioned the people from Texas and they were not sure why their shows were up. You will be hearing a lot about positive changes and waivers this year as we all try to adjust to the economy and gas prices.

I serve on the Show & Contest Committee the following are a few of the things we considered: Changing the show approval rules to allow 2 judge back to back shows. Clubs to hold an open show with APHA approved Specialty Events. Denver Stock Show facility is looking at getting a waiver to hold an all Novice Youth/Novice Amateur approved show. Hold Green Classes (not APHA approved) at a regional club show, give a high point for this and use lower class fees.

Arizona already has this in place and it is working very well. The AZ PHC even gives a year-end award to the high point green horse. This works on the honor system, possible classes to offer, HUS, WPI, Trail. To encourage entries try a buy one get one judge free fee system. Offer walk trot classes for adults. The Show and Contest committee unanimously supports qualification for the World Show. Take back the funds currently being given by APHA in the Paint Preferred Program to cutting and reining horse associations for the high scoring Paint Horse and use these funds to reward APHA Champions and All Around Horses. The World Show judges system (5 judges deleting your highest and lowest judge) was discussed and they committee agreed they liked the current system.

While APHA is financially stable, we all must be aware of positive changes. The rule changes will be on line and in your journal, if anyone has questions feel free to ask me.

High Lights of Other Committee Reports:

Registration: Recommends allowing Crop-Outs to return to regular registry.

Judges: Scribes at show, APHA is going to develop a training CD for regional clubs.

Youth: Looking at a new scholarship program.

Foundation: Raised \$6136 at the Friday night banquet. Working on a therapeutic riding program. Issued 42 scholarships 14 were new.

Long Range Planning: Incorporate Green. Novice classes in Regional Shows, reconsider one Paint parent rule.

Thanks so much for allowing me to represent you as an APHA director. As always if you have any questions please feel free to ask or just take time to visit about what is new .

Edie, Washington State Director

Directors Report Workshop
Dallas TX
May 29 - 31, 2008
By Grace Harris

Over \$4.00 Gas who would have thought?

Ways and Means; financially we are solid and the EC and staff condensed the workshop, saving money on staff, rooms, and the directors saved as well. It worked and this format will be used in the future. No fees were increased. The office will be sending Ways & Means, comparisons/ home work in September we will evaluate them, to see if we need increases and I will be looking for decreases in the fees for next year.

Clubs need to get involved with activities that will acquaint youngsters with our Paint horses. Take a gentle colorful paint to Wal-Mart, as Ft. Worth office did and give them a ride. They had a trick rider and roper for added entertainment. APHA has tattoos, hand outs and Painted Pete to help with these youth projects. Have a coloring contest and send it to 4-H or the local school. Have free seminars, PAC and/or open, shows with paint classes. Get back to fun shows. Putting on a St Jude's Trail Ride, it benefits St Jude hospital and gets publicity for us. These were all suggestions to promote our Paints and Get them in front of the public.

We need to get legislators to bring back slaughter houses. Sale horses that are not sold end up tied to the fence and left or put in someone else's trailer, or turned loose. The people that take in abandoned or abused animals are over whelmed with the volume. The horses sent to Mexico or Canada are not being taken care of and arrive in poor shape. No one wants animals abused, so put to sleep humanely is the only answer.

Rule change proposals will be on APHA website I have a copy and will bring it to the next SWWPHC meeting. I was going to scan them and send them with my report but I was told it would be too large a file. Some of the rule changes are rules or scoring for judging for certain

classes. There are Rules for syndication and legal guardianship, Working hunter, trail and western riding pattern #5. Leaders in lead line, could be 16.
Scholarship and EC nomination committees I am sworn to secrecy.
Strategic planning is crucial for business and a good suggestion for Paint clubs to analyze.
Define our mission, form a task force, and stay on tract.
APHA is talking about making a DVD for Judging and Scribes. There was discussion on bringing the Crop Out back, and genetic testing. It's amazing to see the directors try to make our association the best. We all have the beautiful Paint horse in our heart and want to be the best run association. Thanks for my re-election, I love my job and I am saving NWCC money because I stay with Linda Vance, Executive committee has paid rooms.
May your blessings be great, our horses be colorful, gentle, and athletic with perfect conformation for all the years to come.

Respectfully submitted
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