NEA ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 11/26/2017

26th November 2017 / 2:20 - 2:55 PM / Goulds Racetrack and entertainment centre.

ATTENDEES

35 Individual's total 10 Junior members and 25 Senior members

AGENDA

Welcome and introduce Mike King.

Presentation by Mike King.

AGM Meeting commences with report of attendance
Review and approve previous minutes
Business arriving from minutes
President Report
Vice-President Report
Treasurer Report
Coaching Report
Election of 2018 NEA Board Members
New Business

Awards Presentation

Last Meeting Follow-up

Review of previous minutes (Motioned by **Jessica Pallard**, Seconded by **Susan Quigley**)

New Business

Report of attendance

- 45 Attending (35 Members)
- 10 Juniors
- 25 Seniors

President's report

- Delivered by **Jessica Anstey**
- Insurance switch to Intercity
- Several Equestrian Canada meetings attended and connections made
- Equestrian Canada CEO resigned, currently looking for a replacement
- Thanks to 2017 board for all the hard work
- Susan Quigley motioned to accept, Jessica Pallard Seconded

<u>Vice president's report</u>

- Delivered by Nicholas Hoyles
- Small Show season
- Lots of development in education towards competition
- Congratulations to competitors who showed off island
- N/A Motioned to accept, Linda Pike Seconded

Treasurer's report

- Delivered by Jessica Fillier
- 2017 Revenue was higher than the expenses
- Contribution to an athlete going to compete at the Atlantic Canadian Equestrian Championships
- Ashleigh Hudson Motioned to accept, Susan Quigley Seconded

Western Coaching report

- Delivered by Sylvia Locke
- Great year for the western community
- 28 Rider level tests completed in 2017
- Equestrian Canada had changed, But we look forward to seeing how this change will affect the Western community.
- There was some western competition this year, Hopefully next year we will see more
- A western coaching update was held
- Congratulations to **Katrina Butler**(ACE Champion)
- Linda Pike inquired into what coaches are certified on the island,
 Sylvia Locke gave some information and directed Linda to the NEA website

English Coaching update

- Delivered by **Erin O'Reilly**
- Minimal movement in the english community this year
- 4 rider level 1 tests
- We look forward to increasing certified rider in the coming year

Elections

- Current board will return next year, won by acclamation
- Jessica Pallard, Nominated by Jessica Anstey will Join as Director at large, won by acclamation
- Call to the floor for Junior rep nominations, **Julia Mcneil**, Nominated by **Laura Elliott** won by acclamation.

Discussion open to the floor

- **Sue Sweeney-Janes** inquired about how she could bring the equestrian community together throughout the province. Also asked about shows
- Topics were discussed for reasons the equestrian community is not closer and the lack of shows. Items such as Financials, Peer support and planning are all factors.
- **Michelle Osmond** asked about how to get the horse community together like they do in other sports And suggested a provincial show team

Susan Quigley motioned to Adjourn the meeting, Valerie bartlett Seconded