

## WQHA Zoom Call

June 16<sup>th</sup>, 2020 6:30 pm

Present on the call were the following: Stephanie Lynn, Tim Schmahl, Ron Miller, Cindy Tousey, Nikki Schultz, Kay DeBoer, Dawn Beihoffer, Jerry Laumer, Judy Zeitler, Linda Berg, Kathy Doyle, and Elise Sheard.

The Madison facility will not be available for the WQHA State Show as Pavilion 1 is being used for testing and they are anticipating still having a 50 person limit on all gatherings. The State Show committee moves to have all contracts in place for 2020 pushed to 2021. Oshkosh is looking to make a decision on holding equine events later this week – however they do already have a booking for Labor Day weekend so unlikely option. Recommendation to consider moving show out of state at either Esconaba or Winona. Tim will reach out to both facilities to look at what the likelihood of hosting show to be. Kay and Dawn will additionally reach out to Marshfield. Once all facilities have been contacted, Nikki recommends to send survey to membership to confirm interest in showing and help narrow options on location, event, and dates. Elise will send survey to entire membership as soon as facilities have responded with options. Survey will also be posted on WQHA FaceBook page. The Corporate Challenge has officially cancelled their show.

Linda suggested that given the number of definitely cancelled shows and questionability of rest, that we remove the awards program for 2020. Kathy motioned to remove the WQHA Awards Program (and thus \$1 sanction fee for shows that are held) for 2020. The exception being the Open Show Program, which will proceed as planned. Judy seconds motion. Elise then made motion to have no awards banquet in 2021 for the 2020 Season, however a meeting will still be held. Judy seconds motion. Stephanie to cancel LaSures reservation. Meeting will be held not at LaSures, but regular Holiday Inn location in Fon du Lac.

An online Newsletter will be sent out stating all changes including awards program and banquet as soon as survey is ready to go. Kathy is sending notice to UPQHA and Esconaba show that they should not pay \$1 sanction fee on WQHA Entries.

Jerry Motioned to End Meeting at 7:20 pm. Nikki seconds motion. Next meeting 7.14.20 at 6:30 pm Central.