

QCABHA BOD Meeting Minutes

March 28, 2021 ~ 3:00 p.m. ~ Skype Meeting

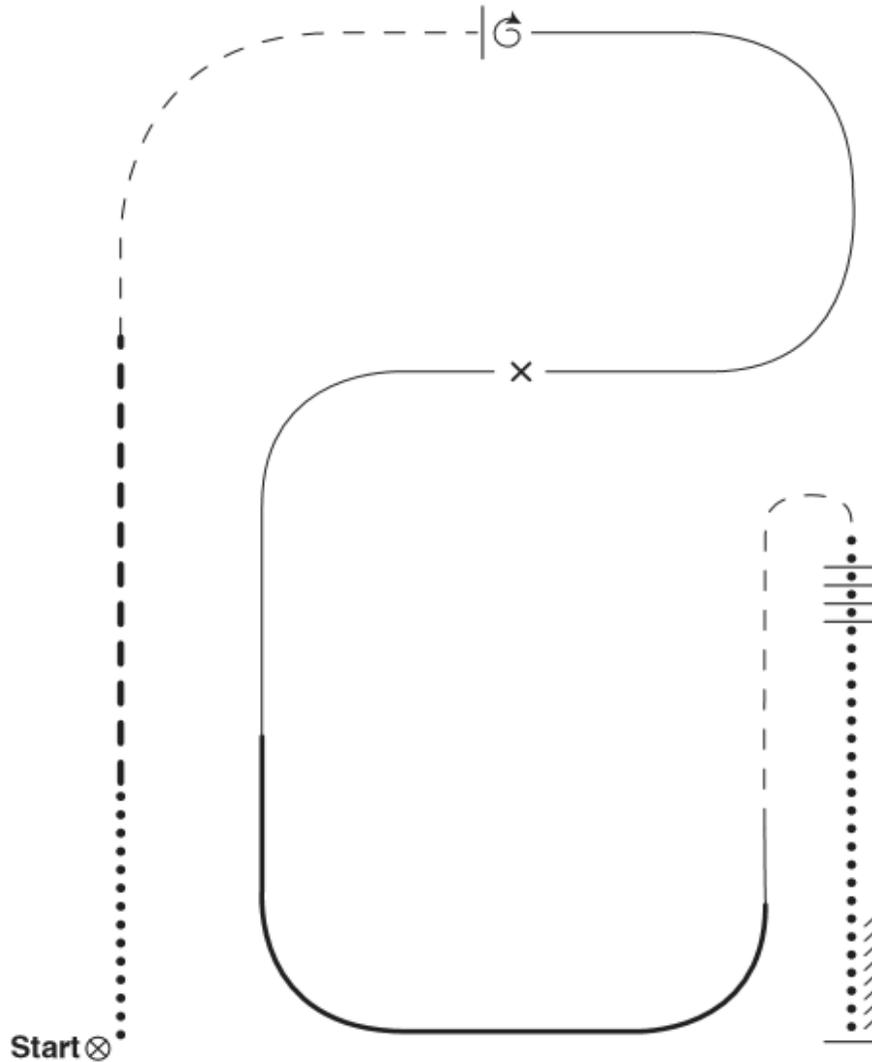
Present: Gail Stevens, Cindy Meldrum, Annette Johnson, Jennifer Miller, Sue Larkin, Lowes Schmidt, Kathy Brenneman

- Meeting minutes read from February 28, 2021. Motion to approve by Annette; 2nd by Jennifer .
- Treasurer's Report will be given by Lowes at a later date. We have some membership dues and sponsor checks to be deposited. Cindy will get them to Lowes this week. No other invoices are currently due.
- Open/Youth/MVF Showbill discussion: Annette sent Cindy an email that had some edits to the showbills. Cindy will incorporate the edits for the final showbills. Current sponsors on the showbill are good through the end of May 2021 (we extended their sponsorship due to show cancellations in 2020 due to Covid-19). Current sponsors through the year of 2021 are: Farm & Fleet, Natural Health, Chenowith, The Horse Lady and Oakwood Vet.
- Entry card tab sheet: Updates were made to include grounds fee \$3 per horse regardless if someone boards at the facility and updated the Year-end high point fee from \$15 to \$25 (all categories).
- Scholarship coordinator needed for 2021: Job description is gathering applications and "grading" them for qualifications. May also need to promote the program. Applications are due by end of October and awarded at the Christmas banquet. Scholarship money is paid directly to the college and should be used within a couple of months to keep our books balanced without having a check sitting there for months. Kathy Brenneman will re-word the form/letter to clarify eligibility and when the money would be available to the college. Typical amount awarded is \$500 and based on what money we are able to raise. There is currently \$1100 in the scholarship fund. If no one qualifies, the money stays with the club for another applicant at a later time.
- Sponsorship Committee: Sue Larkin has accepted the Sponsorship chair. She and Annette will go over the form and update and clarify where needed.
- Two judges have been hired so far for the 2021 shows.
- High Point: Do we want to leave the high point fee at \$25 for the four shows or lower it? Must participate in minimum of two shows to qualify for year-end high point. There are two shows in Illinois and two shows in Iowa to accommodate participants from either side of the river. Gail will get things re-written and send to Cindy so it can get it in the newsletter for advertising. Lowes and Gail will get together so that Lowes can take over the high point totals.
- Volunteers for shows: We need volunteers to step up and help at the shows (booth, ring steward, ribbons/gates). Gail would like people to show if they can so we need other volunteers to help out.
- Texas Roadhouse: People need to continue using the gift card purchases for the club to receive any of the money. Spread the word and help support the club. We currently only have \$44 in our account and there needs to be at least \$100 for us to get any payback.
- May 16 is the first show for 2021. Next BOD meeting will be scheduled for late April. Hoping to have an in-person meeting at Eldridge Community Center. Gail will contact them and see what dates are available. Cindy will communicate to the BOD what we find out.
- Motion to adjourn by Annette; 2nd by Kathy. Meeting adjourned at 4:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by
Cindy Meldrum, 2021 Secretary

Date Approved:

Ranch Riding



1. Walk
2. Extended trot
3. Trot
4. Stop, 360 right
5. Lope right lead
6. Change leads
7. Lope left lead
8. Extended lope, collect
9. Trot
10. Walk over logs
11. Walk
12. Stop and back

Note: The drawn description of this pattern is only intended for the general depictions of the pattern. Contestants should utilize the arena space to best exhibit their horses.