

YRHA Meeting Minutes
October 24, 2017 - 7PM
Bella's – Boston, NY

Present – Courtney Craig, Kelly Hedges, Karen Schmitz, Katie Gerwitz, Kim Hixon, Sarah Judiewicz, Travis Pufpaff, Kim hedges, Linda Jackson

1. Call to Order: 7:10PM - Courtney Craig, President
2. Treasurer's Report
3. President's Report –
 - Will address w/Horse show committee
4. Vice President's Report –
 - Nothing to report
5. Secretary's Report –
 - Nothing to report
6. Nomination Committee
 - Very little response, deadline is Sunday
 - 2 directors positions that are up – Kirby & Sam; president; appointed directors – Katie & Sarah
7. Bylaw Committee –
 - General meeting @ banquet? New proposals brought to membership 14 days before this meeting
8. Youth Committee –
 - Going to do circuit w/Tri-State again in 2018. Will discuss w/Taylor for special logo. Top 5 prizes – need donors.
9. Sponsorship Committee –
 - Sending thank yous and 2018 sponsor info
 - If a logo sponsor for shirt – 1 free shirt to that sponsor
 - Will need a sponsorship committee meeting.
10. Affiliate Committee –
 - Need people for committee in 2018
 - Hat purchased for all team members in 2017, extra sold for profits
11. YPS Committee –
 - Stallions enrolling in program
 - Designing ad for Reiner – Taylor
 - New option to enroll, online using PayPal
 - YPS bought a computer and printer
 - Using WhoaZone Equine instead of Perfect Horse Auction. Priced the same. They upload info and take care of payments.
 - 4th YPS event – Beg September/End of August. Futurity and Derby. Location would be border of PA/Ohio. Need to put on ancillary classes. No aged events @ other shows. Would not be considered until 2019. Discussion.
12. Awards Committee –

- No date yet for banquet. Having it at Fairgrounds. This is the up scaled year. Kirby handling year end awards
13. Horse Show Committee –
- Moving May to 1st weekend. Findlay moving to 2nd
 - July dates – does it need to be last weekend or earlier? Discussion about July and September dates. Keep late dates so we don't get bumped. Move up 1 week in September.
 - Adding more time in July – ½ day. Need to discuss w/in horse show committee
14. OB – Point system
- One way to do points. Feedback – most people want \$ instead of points. They can't double check if payouts are correct. How much you win by. Easier for point keeper to do points. Table for winter meeting
15. OB – Saddles
- Letter from Continental Saddles, minimal required 4 months notice. Prices increasing. Green saddle ? Jan/Feb needs to be ordered.
 - Raffle made \$2400
16. Courtney motions to adjourn at 9:00PM. All in favor.