

# Intermountain Regional Meeting

## October 9, 2021

### **In Attendance:**

Clubs: Boise, Buffalo Jump, Gamble Oak, Magic Valley, Owyhee, Park City, Pioneer, Portneuf, Sawtooth, Wasatch

Regional Officers: Anita (RS), Lisa (Vice RS), Julia (Vice RS), Linda (Sec)

### **Not in Attendance:**

Jackson Hole, McCall

### **Election of Officers**

RS – Lisa Arbogast

Vice RS – Julia Rietdorf (UL); Linda Ferri (Champs)

Treasurer – Larisa Alexander

Secretary – Anita Collins

HMO – Cara Murphy

RIC – Ingrid George

Tree motioned; Julia 2<sup>nd</sup>

Passed

- Financial Report – (Given by Julia) total fund \$31011.76; approx. 15K general; \$7.6K Ed; \$7.7Champs
  - Anita recommending adding Zoom as a budgeted item
  - Lisa motioned that we purchase a virtual meeting platform for no more than \$180. Jolyn will 2<sup>nd</sup>. We will continue to use a free platform if possible.
- Election of National Youth Congress
  - Keely Alexander is our applicant from last year. Since it was virtual last year, it was in the minutes that she would be this year's applicant.
- Report of Certifications
  - No UL certifications. We did not have the numbers needed
  - Boise – 1 HB (Hope Foote, Sami Rasmussen, Lindsey McBride); Magic Valley – 3 HB; Pioneer – 2 HB; Sawtooth – 2 HA (Willa & Carmen) 1 HB
- Report from Each Club
  - No struggles or victories to share
- Regional Planning
  - Spring Meeting – Evening after Quiz (April 23)
  - Quiz – Portneuf (April 23)
    - Mega (Star Valley, Buffalo Jump)
    - Barn (Boise, Owyhee)
    - Stations (Pioneer & Park City)
    - Classroom (Portneuf)
  - Standards & Ratings Clinic

- Dressage – Sawtooth (July 8-9)
  - Show Jumping – Sawtooth (July 10)
  - Tet – Park City hosts (Aug 12-14)
    - Add in Vaulting & Polocrosse
  - Eventing - Boise (June 18-19)
    - Julia Entries
  - Camp - Boise (June 17)
  - UL Mounted Prep w/ Standards & Ratings Clinic
    - Ingrid offered to host
    - Hopefully in April or May
  - UL Certifications (Aug 5-7)
    - HB and possibly HA
  - Championships
    - Western (will be in CA, but don't have a venue signed)
    - Usually in July
  - Fall Meeting & UL Unmounted prep – Twin hosting (Oct 1)
- Club Ratings
    - Anita recommends using someone from outside your club
      - Should not be an instructor you use
    - Otherwise kids come in not understanding what an Upper Level rating is like
    - If possible, use a NE for C2
    - D3 & C1 – bring in someone from the National certification list
  - Notes from National Office
  - National Symposium ( Jan 26-30, Norfolk, VA)
  - Open Forum
    - Website ([www.intermountainregionpc.org](http://www.intermountainregionpc.org))
      - Per Julia it needs to be updated
      - Discussion if we wanted to keep it
        - The consensus was that it is a useful tool
      - Contact Julia for password to Members Only access
      - Please send Julia information & pictures
    - Certifications Listing
      - Anita will send out request to clubs of who they use
    - Rookie parent education
      - Jolyn recommended the Region offer some type of education for new parents to understand Pony Club, the terminology and how to utilize the Regional and National websites
      - Could do a virtual presentation
      - Record the presentation as well for later access
      - Possibly do education at Quiz
      - There is a ton of publicity materials on the National website

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Motion to adjourn – Jolyn Rasmussen, Tree Curtis 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion approved