



## *The Arabian Horse Association of New York Inc.*

**September 2018**

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### **OFFICERS**

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#### **Vice President**

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#### **Treasurer**

Pat King (2018)  
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### **BOARD MEMBERS**

Shannon Heald (2018)  
Ann Hertel (2019)  
Aimee Pahl (2018)  
Lily Hertel (2018)  
Carol Ranke (2019)  
Edwin Sutton (2019)

### **R16 DELEGATES**

Corky Sutton  
Edwin Sutton  
Ann Hertel (Alternate)

### **PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**

September 2018

Greetings,

Our meeting in August was a review of Eastern Classic Results. Our Treasurer's Reports show a profit, and details are in The Secretary's minutes in this newsletter. We also contracted Bob McEntee to be show manager for Classic 2019.

A show committee is being formed to expedite details for next year's show. If you are interested in being a part of how it will be run, please contact one of the board members and be part of the committee.

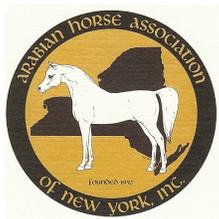
Pat Zbock

### **NEXT MEETING**

**Saturday, September 29, 2018, 7:00 p.m.**

Fieldstone Country Inn Restaurant  
5986 South Transit Rd, Lockport, NY  
Good Food – Nice Soup & Salad Bar  
**ALL MEMBERS ARE WELCOME**

## MINUTES OF MARCH MEETING



### *Arabian Horse Association of New York, Inc.*

Secretary's Report – General Meeting  
August 19, 2018.

`9 members and 1 guest met at Uncle Joes Diner in Hamburg at 3:00 pm. Mtg called to order at 3:30

`Secretary report given for June 2018. A social gathering meeting held at the annual Eastern Classic horse show with 13 members and one guest present, but no official business conducted. No meeting held in July. motion made by Pat King, 2nd by Edwin Sutton to accept.

`Pat Zbock led off with 2 recent deaths from our local arabian horse family: Paul Kloc passed away, Becky Schultz made a motion, 2nd by Edwin Sutton to send a \$50 donation from the club to a charity of the family's choosing. Amy Thompson will contact Chris Kloc to ask their choice.

Also, Hans Mobius passed. \$50 donation from the club sent

`**2019 EQUIFEST** Motion made by Corky Sutton, 2nd by Amy Thompson to secure our spot. Amy can help with the ad design

`The membership winner from the 2018 EQUIFEST raffle was Judy Price

`Pat King had a question for Pat Zbock about the validity of the non-voting membership that Kelly Wodowski sent in. Pat Zbock confirmed that its valid.

`Treasurers report read by Pat King. Following the Eastern Classic horse show, the accounts are balanced. `Eastern Classic made \$4000 this year We were able to donate \$295 to the Amer. Cancer Soc. from the basket raffle. Thank you to all who participated and donated raffle items. Aimee Pahl sent out thank you cards to the show sponsors. The dressage portion of the show broke even this year.

`If anyone is traveling for the club, you need to submit your receipts to Pat King.

`For our insurance, we changed underwriters. the fee of \$525 is due Sept. 15th, Motion made by Edwin Sutton and 2nd by Becky Schultz to pay it

``Eastern Classic 2019- Dates- June 7,8,9 2019. Already approved by AHA and USEF

`A motion was made by Ann Hertel, 2nd by Edwin Sutton to donate \$250 for a Gold sponsorship to the Silver Spur horse show.

`The club is on a positive income stream for the first time in a few years.

`Motion by Becky Schultz, 2nd by Ann Hertel to accept Treas report.

## **August Minutes continued:**

`We need to have a meeting about the silver pieces the club has. Maybe talk with Jess Underberg about putting some on display at the E.C. fairgrounds, showing some of the history of the club.

`A discussion was started to reach out to other ribbon companies about prices and prompt service, and re-negotiate with Hodges. (Hodges was a bit slow on getting the ribbons to us in time for Eastern Classic)

`**Eastern Classic**--Have a separate meeting to discuss: rethinking Prize money- for championship classes only. paybacks in other classes-maybe only if 4 or more in the class. Think about a double qualifier show Region 13 and 16? We could need to present it at the regional meeting in Oct, to be voted on.

We discussed Bob McEntees proposed contract for the 2019 show. Ann made a motion, 2nd by Pat Z to accept it. Amy Thompson may be able to get reduced hotel rates.

We discussed making a show committee **-IF ANYONE IS INTERESTED IN HELPING PLAN AND EXECUTE A MORE PROSPEROUS AND SMOOTH RUNNING SHOW, PLEASE SPEAK UP, LET US KNOW!!**

Discussed improving the marketing of the show-(get on news channels). If anyone has ideas or connection, please let us know

`**Delegates:** please make sure you make it to the regional meeting in Oct. We had a short discussion on this years Regional Championships. Comments from some out -of -region farms that were very disappointed in the show and how it was run.

`**Open Shows** no report

`**Youth** no report

`**High Score** will be starting to get everything set up and prepared for the banquet, details to come.

`**Upcoming Meetings** Sept 29th 7pm -Paul will look for a place in the northtowns. Oct 27th 7pm, TBA  
Nov 17th 7pm TBA

A motion was made by Becky, second by Pat K to adjourn at 4:53pm

## **We recently received the following letter from the USEF.**

Dear US Equestrian Members,

US Equestrian believes the safety and welfare of our members, especially our children, is of paramount importance and that all members must be kept safe from abuse of all kinds. Abuse has no place in our sport or in our lives. We are the guardians of our sport and it is our collective responsibility to raise awareness and educate each other on the behaviors associated with abuse, both sexual and non-sexual. This year, top equestrian athlete Anne Kursinski shared her powerful personal story of abuse by a person she trusted. To help ensure this abuse doesn't happen to others, Anne has partnered with US Equestrian to raise awareness of the reporting, support and training resources available through US Equestrian and the U.S. Center for SafeSport.

US Equestrian embarked on building a robust Safe Sport Program starting in 2013, years before Safe Sport became a household term in equestrian sport. During the process of expanding our program, the leadership and Board have been called upon many times to take the lead in creating awareness, reporting methods, education, survivor support, training and other resources. You will be proud to know that, recently, the Board once again took the reins and approved a requirement that, **starting January 1, 2019, all adult members (18 years of age and older) who have a USEF Competing Membership must complete the Safe Sport training.** This is a major milestone in our efforts to unite our equestrian community in preventing abuse. The core training consists of three modules which take approximately 90 minutes to complete.

Safe Sport education for all members and parents of our junior members is essential to protecting each other, understanding when and how to report, and recognizing the signs in order to prevent abuse before it occurs. US Equestrian provides numerous resources to further your education and participation in the Safe Sport movement. **Here are some of the resources available to you at [www.usef.org/safesport](http://www.usef.org/safesport):**

**Safe Sport training – FREE to all US Equestrian members. Three modules take just under 90 minutes to complete initially, with a 30-minute refresher training annually;**

A suspended and banned list that identifies the person by name and the reason for their suspension or ban;  
The U.S. Center for SafeSport has partnered with RAINN to provide a 24-hour victim services hotline, reached at 1.866.200.0796;

The new USEF Safe Sport Directory is a searchable database to help individuals, parents, athletes, and others in our sport find the people within our industry who have completed the Safe Sport training and/or a criminal background check;

Safe Sport FAQs and Safe Sport training FAQs on our Safe Sport webpage;  
Town Halls and Affiliate meetings to raise awareness, educate and field questions;  
Expanding our recently launched #YouAreNotAlone campaign, including providing campaign materials to competition organizers to utilize at competitions;

Developing Learning Center educational video content and PSAs for use by USEF, Affiliates and competitions;

Expanding the monitoring of USEF and Affiliate Safe Sport compliance; and  
Hiring additional support staff as needed for the Safe Sport Program.

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## **Letter from USEF Continued:**

Additionally, many of our members spend their weekends at competitions, and to make certain that we are providing you with the resources you need when you are attending shows, we have just launched the #YouAreNotAlone campaign. US Equestrian will be providing competition organizers with a Safe Sport Toolkit that includes posters with reporting resources, public address announcements, video PSAs and competitor information. Working with our competition organizers, US Equestrian will bring reporting, education and support resources directly to you at the competition. We want you to know that you are not alone, and we are here to help.

Clear communication on all things related to Safe Sport is important to achieving our mission to raise awareness, assist you with reporting, increase education and provide support. Recently, we sent a hard copy letter accompanied by our USEF Safe Sport Handbook to the parents of our junior members. We strongly believe parents are an integral part of our efforts to prevent abuse. While the U. S. Center for SafeSport's parental awareness training is available at no cost, we encourage you to join US Equestrian by using the code Parents18 to become a free Fan Member. By providing us with your unique email address, you allow us to more efficiently communicate with you, and through your Fan Membership, you can gain access to all the Safe Sport resources, as well as numerous member benefits and discounts.

In addition to the resources offered by US Equestrian and the Center, it is extremely important that you are aware of legislation signed in February by President Trump, Protecting Young Victims from Sexual Abuse and Safe Sport Authorization Act of 2017. It requires amateur sports organizations and their members to report sex-abuse allegations involving minors to local or federal law enforcement, or to a child-welfare agency designated by the Justice Department, within 24 hours. Failure to do so is a crime.

Not only is reporting the right thing to do, it is critical to creating a safe environment for athletes and members. Sexual and non-sexual misconduct have two distinct reporting processes:

All sexual misconduct should be reported directly to the U.S. Center for SafeSport by phone 720-524-5640 or online at [www.safesport.org](http://www.safesport.org).

All non-sexual misconduct or violations of the Safe Sport Policy should be reported directly to US Equestrian. Reports through US Equestrian can be submitted using the USEF Incident Report Form, or by email or phone to Teresa Roper, Safe Sport Program Coordinator, [troper@usef.org](mailto:troper@usef.org), 859-225-6915, Sonja Keating, General Counsel, [skeating@usef.org](mailto:skeating@usef.org), 859-225-2045, or Emily Pratt, [epratt@usef.org](mailto:epratt@usef.org), 859-225-6956.

Both the U.S. Center for SafeSport and US Equestrian will accept anonymous reports, but please note that it can be very difficult to investigate anonymous complaints.

The safety of our members and the future of our sport are dependent on how all of us act. Together, we will make a difference and we will make our sport a place where safety is the norm and abuse finds no home. We hope you will embrace this call to action and join us in our efforts to eradicate abuse in our sport.

Please contact our legal department, which handles all Safe Sport inquiries at [skeating@usef.org](mailto:skeating@usef.org) should you have any questions or need assistance.

Sincerely,

Murray S. Kessler  
President

William J. Moroney  
Chief Executive Officer

## \* \* \* REMINDERS \* \* \*

- The **Election of AHANY Officers for 2019** will be held at the November meeting.
- A **Tack Swap**, sponsored by Tri-County Equestrian 4-H Club will be held on Sunday, October 28th. The flier with full information is included in this newsletter.
- The **2019 Eastern Classic Horse Show** will be held June 7, 8, & 9th.
- The **High Score Awards**. Reporting forms for Recreational Riding, Trail and Open Shows are included in this newsletter. Please send in your results asap. For Recreational Riding and Trail, all hours through October 31, 2018 may be included.

## ANNUAL ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The Election of Officers will be held at the November Meeting. Eligibility requirements to hold office and to vote in the election are the same:

1. Voting/AHA Membership for 30 days prior to the election
2. AHANY Membership in good standing, with dues paid in full
3. Attendance at two or more AHANY meetings, exclusive of the election meeting

## HIGH SCORE AWARDS PROGRAM

We are disappointed to report that the High Score Awards Program has fewer participants in 2018. However, we were pleased to have more entries in the open show category junior division, as well as a leadline participant. Youth participation is very important to the club as well as to the future of the breed. We are planning some wonderful prizes to be awarded at the year-end banquet in January. The High Score committee (Becky & Carol) have begun tabulating the results and preparing the order for prizes.

## MEMBER NEWS

### Canadian Nationals:



Congratulations to Michelle Amrick, Katie Quillin and Maureen Quillin!!

**H-Jupiter-H** and Kailyn Quillin in their last year as Junior Horse and Junior Rider: TWO National Championships; TWO Reserve National Championships; and THREE Top Tens

**WR Sweet Emotion**, owned by Michelle Amrick and shown by Maureen Quillin: TWO National Championships; TWO Reserve National Championships; and ONE Top Ten

### 2018 FOALS

Congratulations to Loraine Snyder on her 2018 foal Hollymay, the first by her new black stallion, Braavo S.

Hollymay is out of Loraine's mare, Hollywood A Temptation.

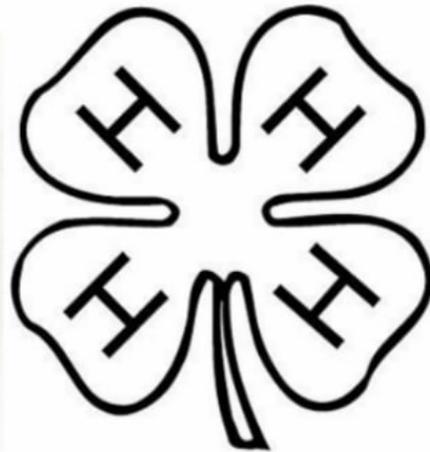




# **Erie County 4-h Tack Swap**

*Sponsored by Tri Color Equestrian 4-h Club*

*Come sell all your used tack and show clothes  
while supporting Erie County 4-h!*



***When: Sunday, October 28th 2018***

*~ Set up at 12:30pm, Sale from 1pm-4pm*

***Where: 6501 Clinton St, Elma NY 14059***

***\$5 for Erie Co. 4-h Clubs, \$10 for others. No need to reserve a spot  
We'll provide you with a 10' x 10' space, you bring the rest (Change,  
chair, table, etc.)! Set your own prices, mark and label as you like,  
take whatever offer you want.***

*Grab a friend, share a spot, the more tack the merrier!!!*

***Contact Maureen Quillin with any questions ~ (716)725-1575***

## AHANY Open Horse Show Results Form

Reminder: Must be signed by Show Official. Use one form for each horse.

<b>Registered Name of Horse</b>
<b>Exhibitor Name</b>
<b>Email Address</b>
<b>Phone</b>
<b>Trainer (if applicable)</b>
<b>Name of Show</b>
<b>Date of Show</b>
<b>Location of show</b>

Name of Class Entered as it appears in Prize List	Rider/Handler	Placing

**Mail Results Forms to:**

**Carol Ranke  
4211 Reiter Rd.  
East Aurora, NY 14052**

**Show Official Signature:**

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**Date:**

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