ApHC Rule committee meeting minutes March 12, 2020 10 AM Pacific standard time

Committee members present- Paula Gatewood, Ray Burchett, Billy Ready, Megan Disselkoen, Luke Northway, Leslie, Foxvog

Absent- Christina Ottersback, Kevin Griner

Also Present: Ken Johnson, Karen Sartain, Lynette Thompson

The committee discussed a rule change proposal submitted by John Tabb for Hunter In Hand scoring.

Billy Ready moved, Ray Burchett seconded to recommend the following rule change to the ApHC Board of directors for consideration.

To amend rule 713 as follows.

4. Scoring System: 60% movement, 30% conformation, 10% temperament.

Conformation	Walk		Trot	Temperament
+8 to -8	+8 to -8	+12 to-12	+2 to -2	
Excellent 6 to 8	Excellent 6 to 8	Excellent 9 to	12 Excellent 2	
Very Good 3 to 5	Very Good 3 to 5 Very Good 5 to 8 Good 0 to 1			
Good 0 to 2	Good 0 to 2		Good 0 to 4	Poor -1 to -2
Poor -1 to -3	Poor -1 to -3		Poor -1 to -6	
Very Poor -4 to -8	Very Poor -4 to -8		Very Poor -7 to -12	

7. If a horse is off pattern either by completing the large triangle ADEA before the small triangle ABCA, by not displaying the correct gait while completing the corresponding triangle or by not submitting to inspection prior to completing the pattern, the entry shall be disqualified.

a. An appropriate penalty shall be assessed at the judge's discretion for break of gait during completion of the pattern, but this shall not constitute off pattern or immediate disqualification.

Penalties: 1 point *Break of gait at walk or trot for 2 strides or less
 3 point: * Break of gait at walk or trot for more than 2 strides

 *Knocking over a cone
 5 point: *Refusal
 *Buck, rear, strike or kicking
 Disqualifications
 *Off pattern, pattern done on wrong side of cones, not displaying correct gait or not
 submitting to inspection

Motion passed unanimously

Karen Sartain asked that the staff check the rules and the procedures to allow for the judges to receive the information on shows they will be judging via email. Lynette will check into this and report back at the next meeting.

The committee discussed the Ranch Trail rule change proposal submitted by Katheryn Erickson. It was decided to send the rule change to the Ranch Advisory committee for a recommendation.

Meeting adjourned at 10:50 am

Respectfully submitted,

Lynette Thompson