

**APPALOOSA HORSE CLUB
TRAIL AND DISTANCE COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
OF March 8, 2021 4:00 p.m. PST**

Committee members present: Kristen Reiter, Luke Northway, Lucy Hess, Shannon Alvey, Andy Shaw, Karen Bumgarner, Skip Seifert

Also present: Lynette Thompson, Amber Alsterlund, Keri Minden

Members of the committee were reminded by Executive Secretary Lynette Thompson that they will need to sign the ApHC Committee member NDA in order to stay a member of an ApHC committee.

Goals of the program and how to achieve those were discussed as was how to gain more sponsorships for these programs.

Lynette will check if the Idaho Horse Expo is allowing the 2020 booth payment for the 2021 Expo. If so, Karen Bumgarner would help at the Expo.

Chief Joseph Trail Ride- Andy has a change in how the trail will be followed that will take a discussion with the Forest Service to implement. Lynette will schedule that meeting for early April if possible.

Ride dates are August 2-6, Kristen will help the ride check in as many of the ApHC staff will still be in Tulsa at that time.

ANCER/ANCCTR is scheduled for September 10-12, 2021 in conjunction with the Arabian National Championship rides in Oneida, TN. Lynette will discuss the possibility of placing an ad in the AERC magazine advertising the ride in exchange for the AERC placing an ad in the Appaloosa Journal with Hannah.

Another thing to work on is how to get regional clubs to have the trail rides they hold approved for ApHC mileage.

Next Trail/Distance committee meeting scheduled for April 19, 2021 at 4:00 p.m. Pacific daylight time