MPHA Board Meeting Agenda

Jan.4th, 2022

Facebook "groups" virtual meeting

(6:00 pm EST)

Meeting called to order - 5:58 p.m.

MPHA Board Members present: Robin Little-Basil, Taylor Chism, Rebekkah Layne, Cora Brewington, Haley Dean Lovell, Megan Cantrell, Becky Beal, and Bobbie Patterson.

- 1. 2021 Trail Rider Miles Taylor
 - o Discussed the amount of people who had their trail miles for the 2022 year and to go ahead and have them turned in.
- 2. 2021 KBIF AOC final placements congrats to all winners!!
 - o Awards were handed out at the annual Christmas party in December.
- 3. 2022 "goals" for MPH/OKS: I'd STILL like to have a professionally produced video for the website, any ideas?? Another group is doing # of rides instead of miles? Ex. 100 rides in 2022?? This something we might want to offer for fun?
 - o Discussed options on how to get a video produced for the MPH/OKS and what options were available. Mentioned about different organizations to contact that could potentially help with the project.
 - o Talked about a starting a group to count the number of rides that you took in 2022. May put a challenge for the year 2022.
- 4. Work on/publish the "Trooper" children's story book
 - o Discussed ideas on how to get the story book published and what else is needed to get that accomplished. Including pictures and what type of pictures to include in the book (water color paintings or other options)

- 5. Data entry help still needed to update database/website ..volunteers??
 - o Talked about different options on having volunteers to help input more information into the database that is needed.
- 6. We now have a new database program BreedMates..haven't had time to really check it out well, but excited to see what it can do!! Need a Database Chairman...Darren Patterson???
 - o Discussed the options of getting the new database up and running. This includes who would be the person to go into the program and set it up. In addition, discussed what the new database program would offer to the user of the program and how much easier it would be for the person searching for specific bloodlines.
- 7. MPHA has **applied** to be included in KBIF for 2022. Waiting to be "approved" by the KHRC at Feb meeting, I'll keep everyone informed
 - o Discussed the application process with KBIF and waiting to hear back from them for the upcoming meeting. In addition, discussed the process of having the number of Mountain Pleasure/Old Kentucky Saddlers in the state of Kentucky.
- 8. Upcoming Events to be scheduled soon!!!! ©

-Talked about different options to increase the outreach of the MPH/OKS including newsletters and magazines.

Moved to adjourn: Cora Brewington Second Becky Beal.

(adjourn - next board meeting 4/12/22 7:00pm - Rockin R Farm)