Meeting Minutes October 27th, 2022

VADA Charlottesville

Attendees: Shaleena A., Nancy D., Melyni W., Sherri B., Sandy W., Elezabeth M., Nancy L., Rene O. Laura, Carla S., Melinda Z., Sabean, Erin F., Karen R.

Treasury Report

* Current Balance $22,505.14
* We have one insurance bill coming up.

Membership

* 67 members
* Sherri is preparing the membership letter for renewals. It will be the same rates as last year and will contain some upcoming events. Sherri will send this to Nancy D. for the newsletter and website.

Events

* The Colonnades event was well attended, and the attendees had a great time. All riders will get 4 hours of volunteer time for each event.
* We would like to have an event for Pony Club and younger riders in 2023.
* February 5th is the VADA State Awards Banquet.
* Michael B. Clinic April 26/27 at Afton Stables. Laura is the point of contact and will send a flyer to Nancy D for newsletter and website.
* Gardy is going to be hosting a freestyle clinic April 2/3.
* Up through the levels clinic with Carter will be at Afton Stables in the spring. A flyer will be made and sent out about signing up to ride. Maddie is the point of contact.
* Nancy D. is going to put together a $100 basket filled with local items for the State Awards raffle.

Scholarship

* Sherri is sending Nancy D. the form for sending out.
* No one has applied yet; the deadline is Nov 15th.
* The form is on the website.

Election of Officers

* Melyni is going to send Nancy D. a blurb for the newsletter and separate email.
* Sandy is going to collect the votes.

VADA Charlottesville Awards

* Shaleena has gotten a few submissions.
* All submissions are due by Dec 1st.
* Shaleena will send a flyer to Nancy D. for the newsletter and website.
* We are out of chairs. If new chairs cannot be purchased then boot bags or bridle bags will be the new awards.

Next Meeting 11/28 at 7pm via Zoom, all are welcome!