
NEWSLETTER

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Awards Banquet 2014

The 2014 awards banquet was plagued by bad weather this year, but that didn't stop several of our members from attending the general membership meeting, and banquet which was held at the Knights Of Columbus hall in Schuyler, NE.

The awards, as usual, were fantastic! Thank you to all who helped make this evening special! Mindy Kerwin for setting up the hall, and putting on the slide show, Colleen Dubsy for doing a stellar job on awards, and setting up the catering; The board members for providing drinks and snacks for happy hour, and everyone who stayed after to help clean up.

We missed those of you who were unable to attend and hope to see you in 2015!

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Big Shoes to Fill

This year's elections said goodbye to some familiar faces, and leaves us with some big shoes to fill.

Colleen Dubsy stepped down from her position as our NPHC President. She told us that it was her turn to relax and just enjoy showing again. She has served as our president for 7 years (2008-2014) and has done a tremendous job with the club. She has gone above and beyond what was expected without being asked and many times without being thanked. She's been stall manager, show manager, go to gal, liaison to the Lincoln Event Center where we host our shows, and much, much more.



I would like to take the opportunity to thank her now for the many countless hours she has dedicated to the club to make it a success! Her experience in the horse show world has been invaluable!

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SPRING MEETING

FEBRUARY 22
TIME 2PM
Central Valley Ag
York, NE

APRIL SHOW

APRIL 25-26
TIME 8:00AM
Lancaster Event Center
Lincoln, NE
Multipurpose Arena

MAY SHOW

MAY 9-10
TIME 8:00AM
Lancaster Event Center
Lincoln, NE
Multipurpose Arena

JULY SHOW

JULY 18-19
TIME 8:00AM
Lancaster Event Center
Lincoln, NE
Multipurpose Arena

SEPTEMBER SHOW

SEPTEMBER 5-6
TIME 8:00AM
Lancaster Event Center
Lincoln, NE
Multipurpose Arena

SEPTEMBER SHOW

September 26-27
Time 8:00AM
Lancaster Event Center
Lincoln, NE
Multipurpose Arena

Colleen has been kind enough to continue to do the stall reservations and awards for 2015!! There is no doubt that she enjoys these, and is very good at them. Thank you again, for your continued dedication to the Nebraska Paint Horse Club.

Renee Stouffer has retired from her position as club Secretary. Not only does she keep the minutes at our meetings, but she also provides the necessary paperwork to APHA for our show approvals. She has also gone out of her way to take on extra responsibilities to see our club succeed. Renee has served as our club secretary for 6 years (2009-2014). Thank you Renee, for all you have done!

Mindy Kerwin's director's term was up this year. She served our club for 2 years as a director. She provided a great deal to our club, often creating documents, spreadsheets, advertisements, and directory ads. She filled in for our show secretary at the September show and did a great job. She is also the Youth club Chair; a position she plans to maintain. Thank you, Mindy for all you have done!

Thank you again to the fine ladies that have filled these positions. You have all done an excellent job promoting, growing, and representing our club!



Elected Officers 2015

Your newly elected officers are:

Caren Millie- President
Leigh Walls- Vice President
Megan OBourney- Secretary
Lindsey Pinkhan-Heiden- Treasurer

Directors:

Jamie Lindgren
Becky Stienhoff
Patty Lindgren
Michelle O'Dey
Colleen Dubsy (as former president)

Congratulations!!

What can I do to help?

You know the old adage “It takes a village to raise a child?” The same holds true for horse shows! The responsibility of putting on a show cannot rest solely on the shoulders of a few. It takes a lot of effort to put on a successful show! We are always looking for willing volunteers to help out. There are several committees and I’m sure your talents could be utilized in at least one of them. Show managers are always needed, and as scary as this position sounds, there really isn’t much to it! Other areas in need of helping hands are: trail scribes, gate people, ring steward, people to help set up/take down trail, and people to help setup/take down the games. If you are interested please don’t hesitate to contact any of our board members. Remember successful shows need people to help run them! We have a lot of great ideas for 2015 but we can’t do it without you!

Spring in to Action!

Our annual spring meeting is just around the corner. Please plan to attend!! We would love to hear your ideas on **Year End Awards, High Point Awards, and Volunteer Points**. We need to hear from our members. This is YOUR club and we are striving to serve our Nebraska Paint Horse Club Members. If you have a question, comment, or concern please bring those to the table.

We will be holding our spring meeting in York, NE at the corporate office for Central Valley Ag on February 22nd. Board Meeting will be at Noon and the **General Membership Meeting at 2:00 pm**, with a Youth Meeting to follow.

December Financials

NPHC Checking \$4,574.70 - Money Market \$10,226.85 – Total Balance \$14,801.85
NjPHC Balance \$4,561.81 **Included in above account balances

Nebraska Paint Horse Club

Income Statement

For the Month Ended December 31,

	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
<u>Income</u>		
Show Fees	52,254.24	71,064.21
Membership Fees	1,315.00	1,305.00
Club Directory	1,399.00	3,997.50
Youth Auction	25.00	672.00
Year End Banquet	371.00	390.00
Total Income	55,364.24	77,428.71
<u>Cost of Goods Sold</u>		
Show Judges	14,173.20	28,078.76
Judges' Motels/Gas/Etc	3,920.75	4,171.01
Show Help	4,210.00	5,750.00
Arena Rentals	20,697.52	30,307.27
APHA Fees	3,878.00	3,503.50
Show Awards	2,220.04	2,179.92
Club Directory	2,909.75	575.00
Year End Banquet	616.49	569.12
Cost of Goods Sold	52,625.75	75,134.58
<u>Gross Profit</u>	<u>2,738.49</u>	<u>2,294.13</u>
<u>Expenses</u>		
Advertising	0.00	1,323.75
Dues & Subscriptions	218.45	115.95
Fundraiser - Make A Wish	0.00	450.00
Insurance	1,086.00	949.00
Miscellaneous	1,203.90	50.00
Professional Fees - Legal & Acct	650.00	549.25
Service Charges	91.25	85.35
Supplies	890.71	2,672.28
Year End Awards	5,031.35	5,989.53
Total Expenses	9,171.66	12,185.11
<u>Net Operating Income/(Loss)</u>	<u>(6,433.17)</u>	<u>(9,890.98)</u>
<u>Other Income</u>		
Interest Income	18.30	43.18
<u>Net Income/(Loss)</u>	<u>(6,414.87)</u>	<u>(9,847.80)</u>

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