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NEW MEXICO

APRIL & MAY 2022

Next Meeting:

Tuesday, June 14th

Location: TBA/6pm

I N M E M O R I A M



It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of Sharon Hernandez. Sharon was recently elected as Secretary for AHANM. Sharon was active in the equine community in Southern New Mexico, and loved Arabian halter horses. A memorial trophy in her remembrance will be presented to the high point halter horse at the Zia Classic Show.

Though we only knew her for a short time, Sharon will be dearly missed. Our condolences to her family and friends.

S H A R O N H E R N A N D E Z

April Meeting Minutes

BOD present: Mariah Wilson, Laura Cunico, Ashley Kimball, Tammy Warshawsky, Cornelia Lange, Rusty Cook, Antonya Molleur, April Wolski, Meredith Eddy

BOD not present: Julie Knight, Nicole Kessel

Other Members: Amberleigh Morrish, Shannon Burt, Kanella Barnes, Kim Dickinson

Called to order: Mariah Wilson, 6:07pm

Agenda Approval: Motion by Laura: Approval of Agenda, Second by Cornelia, motion passed

Minutes Approval: Motion by Tammy: Approval of March minutes, Second by Laura, motion passed

Old business:

Mariah email to JR at EXPO regarding meeting about parking, etc.

By Laws update: Rusty updated, originally planned to be completed by April, new plan for approval by next meeting. Will update google share drive to ensure everyone who needs it has access.

Audit: Julie has rebuilt QuickBooks, no reason to audit at this time as it has just recently been updated.

Officer Reports

President- Mariah Wilson

Sharon Hernandez passed away on March 23.

Perpetual memorial trophy in her name.

Need to appoint a new secretary.

Motion by Mariah: Appoint Amberleigh as Secretary.

Second by Laura, motion passed.

Discussion of Zia Show prep.

Vice President- Ashley Kimball

Tammy provided update, Ashley joined later in the meeting. Ashley ordered buckles and ribbons, working on plaques for ribbons.

Secretary- vacant

Treasurer- Julie Knight, not present

Mariah gave report. Closed out 2021 books, getting tax documents ready. Have not finished P&L yet. 90 horses present at Chamisa, double what it's been historically.

Immediate Past President- Megan Devine, not present

Director Reports

Membership- fun event, quote from painting with a twist, 2 hours, 42+tax per guest.

Adults only.

Motion by Meredith: Membership paint night, club to subsidize \$20 per person.

Second by Tammy, motion passed. Plan to target June 4 or July 9th

Newsletter- no report. Amberleigh provided brief update on website and social media. Premium has reached over 9400 people.

April Meeting Minutes

Activities & Promotions- Tammy is working on flyer to hang in feed stores about the horse show to target non-Arab and all breed. Working on donations for auction. Will have shampoo product donations. Discussed ice cream social and dinner logistics during Zia.

Recognized Shows- Shannon met with, reviewed schedule for volunteers. 10% of profit will be split evenly and go to Mandy's/Cloud Dancers. Awards: garlands are in progress, cost effective for club in the long run. Memorial trophy update by Mariah.

Competitive Distance- per Rusty, "I have not done additional work on Distance. Will get back to that soon and make proposal for next year"

Futurity- Nothing to report.

Sport Horse- Nothing to report

Youth- Nicole was not present. Youth will have next meeting with Dr. Itzhak. Nicole will explore whether Youth wants to participate in Youth Tournament.

New Business

Motion by Mariah: Amend Zia budget to accommodate a contracted position for Shannon to be paid operations manager for 3 days, \$75 per day, total of \$225. Second by Amberleigh, motion passed.

Zia/R8SH Championships:

Kenny and Dana are making shirts for volunteers.

Officials: We will supply meals or they will get per diem. Transportation coordinated by Shannon. Hotel decision still in progress. Patty will help with meals as well. Kanela's father who owns the Range will offer meals.

Premium adjustments: two judges had to be replaced, notified AHA, USDF, USEF. Will need to adjust premium and update online. Ordered back numbers.

Will have show committee/board meeting and walk through on May 9th at Dions at Gibson and University, 6pm.

Exhibitor check-in at Rudys, Monday May 23rd. Mariah will update at 5/9 meeting and then will update on social media.

Zoom training for volunteers.

Laura to update USEF tomorrow on all breed/training tack issue.

State Fair: no concrete commitment on prize money and buckle distribution, we would be 3 of the 10 days, other 7 days won't conflict with what we offer. Mariah will email with update. Deadline is 120 days prior to event. Will need to decide before April 29, ideally Monday the 25th.

Motion by Mariah: SFDA show, AHANM will donate ribbon to high point Arab of the show. Second by Laura, motion passed. Tammy will order.

Social Media conduct rules. Will update rules on FB group and in bylaws. Meredith to explore a club Tik Tok account.

Volunteer base and charity options: Shannon will explore her contacts. For Zia or future show, offer volunteers to set up a booth. Discussed ways to support Belen Fire horses. Rusty will contact Horse Council to find out ways to help.

Next meeting:

May 9, 2022, 6:00 pm, Dion's Pizza on Gibson

Minutes respectfully submitted by Amberleigh Morrish

Upcoming Events

2022 AHANM Shows

Zia Classic: May 25-27

Region 8 SH Championships: May 28-29

Chile Roast: August 27-28

*All shows to be held at EXPO NM in
Albuquerque*

SILENT AUCTION

Donations are welcome! Auction goes through Zia Show and ends at 6pm Friday, May 27th

Zia Classic & R8 SH Championships

View show patterns and ride times [here](#) on
Mane Connexions



View Premium [Here](#)

Zia Classic & R8 SH Championships

*Join
Us!*

Thursday, May 26th

Pro-AM Jackpot Class

Bring your best
costume and
partner and
compete for a
\$500 pot!



**Hosted by Mrs. New Mexico
America, Catherine Czaja**

Zia Classic & R8 SH Championships



Check in early and get
your parking passes!
Save time at the gate!

Join us at Rudy's BBQ on Carlisle
MONDAY, May 23rd 6-8PM
\$5 coupon available to all who attend

Friday, May 27th at 5pm

BBQ at the Zia Show, courtesy of
Rudy's BBQ

FREE to all
exhibitors!



Zia Classic & R8 SH Championships



180A - Hunter Hack Jr Horse 2' (1311)

185A - AHA Hunt Seat Eq Over Fences Medal (945)

208A - HA/AA SHUS Jr Horse (779)

210A - Arabian SHUS Jr Horse (341)

222A - Arabian Country English PI Select ATR(1836)

224A - Arabian Country English PI ATR (104)

236A - Arabian Country English PI AAOTR (115)

237A - Arabian Hunter PI Open Memorial Championship
(291)

238A - Arabian Show Hack ATR (321)

*There is **one (1) more TBA slot available**, first come, first serve*

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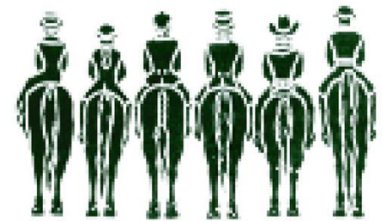
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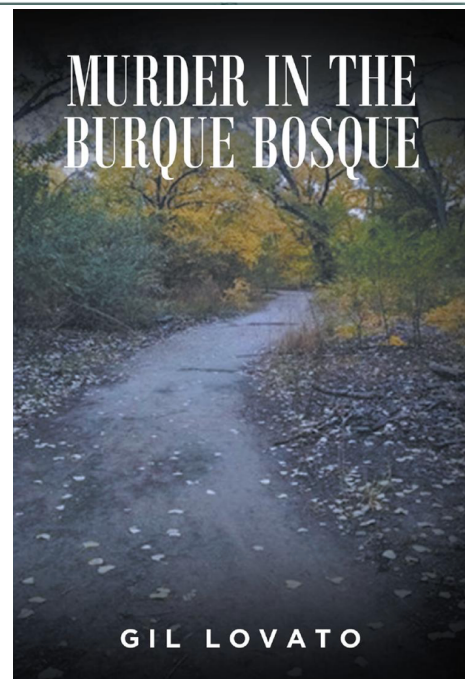
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Youth



The Youth group had a great meeting with Dr. Itamar Itzhak on April 23rd at Platinum Performance Horses. This clinic focused on conformation and chiropractic work for horses and was a great learning experience for all!