## DRAW Spring meeting/awards banquet

February 4th 2023
Cornerstone Sports Pub & Eatery
Oconomowoc, Wi

The meeting was called to order by Barb @ 11:53 a.m.

Members present: Sherry Aune, Katie Bachhuber, Mike Bachhuber, Ross Brown, Grace Carter, Ann DeLang, Amber Erickson, Logan Erickson, Astrid Erickson, Kim Fosler, Beth Frieders, Alice Hubert, Ray Hubert, Linda Jacobson, Tracy Johnson, Scott Johnson, Linda Miller, Barb Gardner, Jen Haras, Roberta Harms, Amber Hennig, Riley Hennig, Melia Hennig and Debby Wiesbecker

Secretaries report: The secretaries report was posted online (DRAW Website) prior to the meeting for review. Katie B. made a motion to approve the minutes as printed. Tracy 2nd the motion. All approved. The motion was passed.

Treasurer's report: Ann gave the treasurer's report for 2022. Alice asked for a small correction to update the year on the net profit from 2021 to 2022. Alice made a motion to approve the report with the correction. Beth 2nd. All approved. The motion was passed.

CLINICS: Barb has asked if anyone is interested in doing a clinic. Katie asked if we are seeing Novice clinic attendees continuing to ride after attending the clinics. Beth has reported about the Fox Valley Riding Club. They are conditioning, riding, camping together to try and get riders interested in endurance riding. Linda Jacobson is interested in putting on a mock ride. She is looking at hosting at Black Hawk Ridge near Mazomanie, Wisconsin. Debbie would be willing to help with a mock ride. Please contact Barb if anyone is willing to put a clinic together.

SKMT: Tracy is reporting for Devan. The group membership subject is still being discussed and they hope to talk more at the next meeting and decide on an answer then.

COMPLETION AWARDS: Each ride will be in charge of doing their own completion awards for 2023 ride season.

YEAR END AWARDS: Kim has volunteered to be in charge of year end awards with help from others. Beth, Tracy, and Debbie have volunteered to help.

## DISCOUNTED MEMBERSHIP FOR JR'S:

Amber has asked if we can do a membership for jr's only that have parents that do not ride. There was a discussion if this would be a voting membership. Tracy has made a motion to make a new junior membership that would be a non voting membership for \$10. Sherry 2nd the motion. All approved. The motion passed.

## DRAWING FOR FREE NOVICE RIDE:

Jane Kirkeide would like to do a drawing for 1 free Novice Ride within Wisconsin. This would be available to all new members that joined DRAW by May 1st. Discussion is that we need to make ride managers aware of the possibility of receiving such a certificate. If they do have someone present the certificate that they need to forward this information to Barb and she will be sure that the ride manager is reimbursed. Katie moved to accept Jane's offer to have a drawing for all new members joining DRAW by May1st to 1 free Novice Ride. Tracy 2nd. All in favor. The motion passed.

## **ONLINE REGISTRATION FOR RIDES:**

Barb reported that Deb offered an online registration program to ride managers for a fee of \$60/day. Barb is going to look for more information. Anyone interested can reach out to Deb Moe.

PAYPAL: Using Paypal to pay for ride fees. Ann has reported that there would be no fees to DRAW for a Paypal account if we use the 1-3 day

transfer option. There would have to be a separate email account made just for DRAW not associated with anyone's personal information. Tracy made a motion that DRAW opens a Paypal account to accept ride fees. Jen 2nd. All in favor. The motion was passed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Beth has announced that The Friends of Governor Dodge is selling state trail passes online. Each time a trail pass is purchased through them \$5 goes towards a fund to build a pavilion at the new campground at Governor Dodge State Park.

Roberta motioned to adjourn and Debbie 2nd. All were in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 12:36 pm

Awards were handed out by the 2022 awards committee after the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Kimberly Fosler DRAW Secretary