

NERPC
4/11/15
Leader's meeting

Attendance: Beth Sypher, Caitlin Donahue, Sarah Varney, Stacy Barnes, Leslee Noyes, Terri Hill, Christie Dysart, Karen Champagne, Meredith Carbone, Kathy (Foxcroft), Michele Marden, Erica Cook, Patty Brown, Cindy Allen

Old Business:

Showjumping Rally:

Need to have a vote: Do we want to switch from a July 12 at Clary Brook. Diane Kane will provide and transport jumps. Clary Lake will take care of the paperwork/organizing. Epona has one set of jump courses.

or

July 19th in conjunction with Jump for a Cure. The pro's would be that the venue is already set up and that

Discussion:

Cathy from Foxcroft asked when do the clubs make the calendar and then make changes?

Beth explained that the dates are rather fluid in response to Cathy's question. Do we want a ballot or show of hands.

Sarah Varney said this is the first time that we've had it come up to change the date like this.

Karen Champagne talked about having an open show in conjunction with a rally. Does Debbie have 2 jumping rings (one sand and one grass). Showjumping has been a low turnout.

Stacey shared that Tamarack has a show on the 19th so they wouldn't be coming to showjumping if it's changed to the 19th.

Caitlin stated we already know that we have at least 3 clubs that can't participate if we change the date.

Show of hands: July 12th at Clay Brook

New Business:

Sarah Adam's had to pay \$150.00 to go to a NE conference. Beth would like to propose that we reimburse Sarah and look into formally putting it in the budget to set aside. Unanimous vote.

Ratings: Beth had a request for a spring C1/C2 rating. Do other clubs have anyone interested in rating up to C1/C2. Caitlin is going to ask Sally Gear to do the spring rating.

SR/HM—May 17th

C clinic on May 16th with Sally Gear (if there's room D's could come)

Are there other clubs that have C1/C2's that would want to do the rating in the fall. Several clubs agreed that they had members who would want a fall rating as well.

Christie Dysart and Beth: Deb's eventing camp is June 30th. Dressage rally week before that. Going to try to set up the C rating for July 20th.

Opportunity for Instructors and upper level members:

Leaders need to share with their instructors. At Championships there will be an instructor's certification workshop. It can be an upper level member or instructor. There will be scholarships available to help cover the cost. The pony club website has the application (Application can be found on the website under: coursewalk—governing board minutes).