

**USHJA ZONE 2 HUNTER AND JUMPER COMMITTEES**  
**COMMITTEE MINUTES**  
**April 2, 2007**

**Committee Members Present:** Jim Rice, Chair, Mark Leone, Chair, Ray Francis, Vice-Chair, Scott Burkhart, Ralph Caristo, Katharine Benson, Susan Schoellkopf, Mary Chapot and Judy Richter. (9)

**Committee Members Not Present:** Mimi Edwards, Holly Caristo, Cynthia Ford, Thomas Struzziere, Louis Jacobs, Frank Chapot, Anthony D'Ambrosio and Lisa Jacquin(8).

**Also Present:** Marianne Kutner (Legal Counsel) and Melissa Pylant (Zone Coordinator).

A quorum was met with 9 members present.

**I. Call to Order**

Jim Rice opened the meeting.

**II. Roll Call**

Melissa Pylant performed the roll call.

**III Approval of Minutes of Last Meeting**

Ms Schoellkopf motioned to approve the minutes and Mr. Francis seconded. The motion was approved.

**IV. Budget**

The committees discussed raising the Young Rider's funding from \$400 per rider to \$750 per rider. Adding \$100 per rider for the Juniors was also discussed. The Jumper Committee has \$7035 in carryover funds as well as \$8100 available from USHJA funding that they can spend. The committees would like to pay the entry fees for the Young Riders as well as hold a team dinner for them. Covering shipping costs for the riders was also discussed but it was not thought that this would be financially feasible. Mr. Caristo is going to put together a financial plan including travel, dinners, apparel, etc for the NAYRC, Juniors, Pony Jumpers and Prix des States to present to the Jumper Committee to be voted on.

**V. NAYRC**

The committees felt that the current criteria was good and did not need to be changed.

**VI. Old Business**

No old business was brought up by either committee.

**VII. New Business**

The Hunter Committee asked the Jumper Committee to vote on a treasurer at their next meeting.

**VIII. Adjourn**

With no further business to discuss, Ms. Richter motioned to adjourn the meeting and Mr. Francis seconded. The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Mel Pylant".

Melissa Pylant  
Zone Coordinator