



UNITED STATES
HUNTER JUMPER ASSOCIATION™
USHJA NAYC/PDS Task Force Meeting Minutes

Monday, March 11, 2019 – 6:00 p.m. ET – Teleconference

Task Force Members Participating: Oliver Kennedy (Chair), James Benedetto, Jeff Campf, Ned Glynn, Anne Kursinski, Kim Land, Mark Leone, Wendy Peralta, Page Tredennick (9)

Task Force Members Not Present: Morley Abey (1)

Also Present: Katie Patrick (Director of Sport Programs)

I. Welcome and Roll Call

Mr. Kennedy welcomed the committee; Ms. Patrick performed the roll call and a quorum was met.

II. 2020 North American Youth Championship Selection Procedures

- A. The task force discussed the documents for the selection procedures including the memo from USEF which included fence height, qualifying dates and liverpool certification updates. Mr. Kennedy noted that the PDS fence heights will likely change. The Zone 10 trials selection procedures will follow shortly after their first trial in March.
- B. *Mr. Campf moved to approve the Young Rider selection procedures with the recommended updates. Ms. Treddenick seconded and the motion was approved unanimously.*
- C. *Mr. Campf moved to approve the Junior selection procedures with the recommended updates. Ms. Land seconded and the motion was approved unanimously.*
- D. *Mr. Campf moved to approve the Children's selection procedures with the recommended updates. Ms. Treddenick seconded and the motion was approved unanimously.*

III. Old Business

No old business was discussed.

IV. New Business

The task force discussed the pros and cons of the NAYC being a stand-alone event. Last event was affected by weather but the prize money appears to be making a difference. It was suggested to request the competition manager have the final day on the grass field. If they agree the competitors will need notified ahead of time to prepare. Dressage may not be there the same time again.

Members agreed on the need to talk up the championships and encourage the coordinators to do so as well to boost more sign-ups.

V. Adjourn

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 6:18 p.m. ET.

Respectfully Submitted,
Katie Patrick
USHJA Director of Sport Programs