



## USHJA Hunter Working Group Minutes

Monday, July 8, 2019 4:00 PM ET, Teleconference

**Members Participating:** Robin Rost Brown, Chair, Linda Andrisani, Carleton Brooks, Richard Cram, Ron Danta, Dianne Johnson, Jessie Lang, Britt McCormick, Betty Oare, Mike Rosser, Cheryl Rubenstein, Carl Weeden, Terri Young (12)

**Members Not Present:** Liza Boyd, James Hagman, Troy Hendricks, Tobey McWilliams, Debbie Sands, Louise Serio (6)

**Also Present:** Katie Patrick (USHJA Sport Director)

- I. Welcome and Roll Call  
Ms. Rost Brown called the meeting to order and Ms. Patrick called roll. A quorum was met.
- II. Adoption of Agenda
  - A. *Mr. Danta moved to adopt the agenda; Ms. Johnson seconded the motion and the agenda was adopted.*
- III. Conflict of Interest Language
  - A. Ms. Rost Brown reminded the members to notify the group if they have a conflict of interest.
- IV. Approval of Minutes (June 10 & 24, 2019)
  - A. *Mr. Cram moved to approve the minutes. Ms. Andrisani seconded and the minutes were approved. Members not at the meeting abstained.*
- V. Host location for International Hunter Derby & Green Hunter Incentive Championships
  - A. The HWG reviewed the memo from the IHDI Task Force.
  - B. *Ms. Johnson moved to keep the IHD and GHI Championships where they are for 2021 & 2022. Ms. Andrisani seconded and the motion passed unanimously.*
- VI. Rule Change Proposals
  - A. HJ 127 Pony Measuring
    - i. *Ms. Oare moved to approve the rule change proposal amended to remove the line that begins "Further..." from the intent. Ms. Weeden seconded and the motion passed unanimously.*
  - B. Limit in Under Saddle classes
    - i. *RCP approved amended to strike sentence about green and regular ponies and add "regardless of the combining or dividing rules of the section."*
    - i. Ms. Patrick noted a revised draft may be submitted next month.
  - C. HRA Jogging HU 118
    - i. At the request of the Horse and Rider Advocates Committee, the HWG reviewed the rule change proposal they are putting forward for jogging. The HWG will send their recommendation by memo. The HWG largely felt that the 3'3" Juniors and Amateur/Owners should not be exempt from jogging.

The HWG also discussed young hunter/green hunter implications as well as combined height sections.

- VII. Old Business
  - A. No old business was discussed.
- VIII. New Business
  - A. No new business was discussed.
- IX. Adjourn
  - A. The meeting was adjourned at 4:27 pm ET.

Respectfully submitted,  
Katie Patrick  
Director of Sport Programs

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