

zanef excom meeting minutes

Location: Zoom

Date: 11 may 2022

Time: 18:00

Attendees: John Paton

Karen Laurensen

Samantha Smit

Madelein Champion

Theola Barclay

Joanna Gifford

Agenda items

1. APOLOGIES – Barry Thorley
2. PREVIOUS MINUTES –. Proposed by Karen and seconded by John
 - 2.1 – MATTERS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES – these included the Agenda items so discussed at once.
3. FINANCE AND MEMBERSHIP UPDATE – An explanation was given how the membership forms and google sheets work.

Theola raised the showjumping equipment being held by LGC. The decision was made to sell it. If clubs wanted loans to buy equipment ZANEF could assist.

Send out tender for sale of showjumping equipment.

Jo to speak to Keith about timing equipment. We need to train another timekeeper.
4. SPONSORSHIP – Samantha gave an update on sponsorship. Toyota and Pick n Pay both keen to come on board. Meeting to be arranged.

There was much debate about ZANEF taking over a venue or investing in a venue such as LGC or LHPCC for shows. John to meet with different stakeholders.

5. WEBSITE – Website is now fully functional. Google calendars now functional for each rep to update as necessary.
 6. SHARPSON COURSE DESIGNER – this was raised as to further Sharpson’s career as a course builder he would have to have ridden at a higher level. Suggestion that he qualifies as a judge.
 7. PUBLICITY – Due to the Algerian success equestrian sport is receiving far more coverage. We could take this further by doing rider interviews, having more coverage at shows, etc. Jo to contact Modern to find out what we can do.
 8. FEI VETS – Alison McKendrick is our confirmed FEI Vet. Lara is currently busy with her qualification to PTV and Level 1 vet.
 9. DISCIPLINE REP FEEDBACK –
 - 8.1 EVENTING – Nothing reported
 - 8.2 SHOWJUMPING – The current pathway to becoming a National Judge is quite cumbersome. Suggestion to have presentation from SC as to how this could be simplified.
 - 8.3 DRESSAGE – The matter of Lillian Rowlands being fast tracked as a judge was raised. It was agreed that she cannot be fast tracked and needs to follow the current pathway from Novice level, where she is currently.

Madelein raised upgrading Barbara Keith-Wright as a judge based upon her riding and teaching experience. It was agreed that this is possible.

Copperbelt Dressage – There was a query from the Copperbelt regarding support in dressage. Madelein explained to them in great detail how it works and how they need to spearhead their development and own shows with support from ZANEF and the Dressage SC. It is not up to the SC to organize the dressage in the Copperbelt.
 - 8.4 VAULTING – Nothing to report
 - 8.5 WELFARE OF THE HORSE – Nothing discussed
 10. ANY OTHER BUSINESS –

None raised
 11. NEXT MEETING – 03 August 2022 @ 1800
- The meeting closed at 19:25.