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Please print in News Letter, e-News as per NWCC Rules.

Thank you Grace Harris

APHA Directors Report

June 2 nd - 4 th 2011

By Grace Harris

Attendees from WA; were Linda Vance Lori Nevin and myself Grace Harris.

Exciting news; Convention in Vancouver is having a guest speaker from UC Davis Dr Cecilia Peneds her expertise is in Genetic testing for color as well as diseases. Don't miss this opportunity .

Many rules were studied by each committee; only one lease rule passed. The crop out rule is again being looked at. It didn't pass but it was brought back by petition. Amateur rules requiring Solid Paint Bred classes to be offered. Amateur and youth rules; to include, knocking over the cones, working on wrong side and going off pattern as faults. New wording added as inhumane treatment. AM-141 Limited Working Cow Horse. Racing rules deleting existing Registration rule and rewriting and adding to the recognition Program. Please check out exact wording of these rules at [APHA.com](http://www.apha.com).

Only 2/3 of our members show what are we doing for the rest? Maybe A good topic for discussion at our local meetings everyone wants to get back to having fun.

Judges committee is asking that we send the committee the "judges' evaluations". Judges don't see evaluations only complaints, they need good as well as bad.

New nominees for 6 th committee member for the EC are Craig Wood and George Ready Check out the APHA regional club web site; clubs.APHA.com.

Some one asked me what APHA did with the money. Now you can see the annual report on line for yourself. I looked up fees for quarters as well as pinto and APHA was very similar. APHA First quarter report comparisons were increasing, a very good sign in this economy.

World shows are doing well. Youth show will need health certificate within 10 days of the show. If anyone approaches you with a questionnaire at these shows tell them how much you intend to spend while there, APHA get a substantial subsidy for those shows.

The vote to continue the two meeting schedule passed.

Wells Fargo gave us a talk for estate planning. Of course using their bank, and letting them help you to organize before going to your attorney, which would be a great savings. We need to bequest to APHA foundations, for scholarships or heritage.

I hope everyone will come to Vancouver for Convention; it's a great way to meet Paint people from all over the country and sometimes abroad. To listen to informative lectures and see how Paint government works. We still run our association. This also may be the last convention outside of DFW. One of the bronzes from the "Legacy of Color" will be at convention for viewing and purchasing.

2012 will be the 50th year celebration to be held at Convention in DFW.

I won't be sending in any expenses to NWCC, because I used my miles for the flight and I live in Vancouver so I won't have any expenses at Convention either.

I love this job

Grace Harris