

# INSALLAH ARABIAN HORSE CLUB

Edited Transcript for July 10, 2009 meeting

2009-07-10 20:36:42 **windmajic** I may as well call this meeting to order then.  
2009-07-10 20:37:16 **windmajic** Any corrections to the minutes?  
2009-07-10 20:37:35 **lorry** I believe Penny presided at the last meeting, not me.  
2009-07-10 20:38:50 **windmajic** Do I have a motion to approve with correction?  
2009-07-10 20:38:53 **lorry** I move the corrected minutes be approved.  
2009-07-10 20:39:02 **SerSerr** 2nd  
2009-07-10 20:39:14 **windmajic** Treasurer's report?  
2009-07-10 20:39:21 **lorry** Aye  
2009-07-10 20:39:24 **SerSerr** Aye  
2009-07-10 20:39:47 **lorry** Report sent out and on file in its entirety...overview is  
2009-07-10 20:40:10 **lorry** \$391.47 in checking and \$531.71 in PayPal for a total on hand of \$923.24 as of 6/30/09  
  
2009-07-10 20:40:19 **windmajic** Nice!  
2009-07-10 20:40:49 **windmajic** Do I hear a motion to approve the Treasurer's report?  
2009-07-10 20:40:57 **lorry** Okay, since I'm not presiding, I move the treasurer's report be accepted as presented.  
  
2009-07-10 20:41:07 **SerSerr** so 2nd  
2009-07-10 20:41:14 **lorry** Aye  
2009-07-10 20:41:17 **Georgine** aye  
2009-07-10 20:41:20 **SerSerr** aye  
2009-07-10 20:41:24 **windmajic** So moved  
2009-07-10 20:41:46 **windmajic** On to Old Business. Lorry, what is the latest on the Chism thing?  
  
2009-07-10 20:42:02 **lorry** I finally spoke to Sharlene on the phone  
2009-07-10 20:42:30 **lorry** She is buried for the next 1 to 2 years so cannot even think about trying to pick up where Kathy left off.  
  
2009-07-10 20:42:40 **windmajic** Darn...  
2009-07-10 20:42:43 **lorry** Oh, Kathy is still missing.  
2009-07-10 20:43:00 **lorry** So, I'm thinking we should offer to refund the bids and then go from there.  
  
2009-07-10 20:43:04 **SerSerr** Wow, this is not good  
2009-07-10 20:43:30 **lorry** I know there are artists that can do the job. The question is whether or not we could find one qualified that would work for the bid price.  
  
2009-07-10 20:43:39 **windmajic** Do we want to see if the winners want to try another artist or just refund money or what?  
2009-07-10 20:44:39 **lorry** Mary Ann has indicated she will add to the bid price if there is a qualified artist...she wants a picture. My thought was to refund, then go from there.  
  
2009-07-10 20:45:18 **SerSerr** I am OK with whatever works best for Insallah  
2009-07-10 20:45:29 **lorry** Mary Ann's bid was a year ago January (08) and Annette's was March (08). That's a long time to tie up people's money.  
2009-07-10 20:46:12 **windmajic** I really like Stacey's work but there would have to be a caveat that she was paid after the work was done...  
2009-07-10 20:46:15 **lorry** I would love to see Stacey do it, but she is working full time now plus staying on top of the web site. Not sure she could get it done in any quality time frame, but it is worth a thought.  
  
2009-07-10 20:46:25 **lorry** I agree.  
2009-07-10 20:46:45 **windmajic** And again I will throw Carol Walter's hat into the ring  
2009-07-10 20:47:08 **SerSerr** Has anyone talked to Carol or Gordon??  
2009-07-10 20:47:08 **windmajic** Netter - what are your thoughts?  
2009-07-10 20:47:10 **lorry** Carol's work is great that I have seen. Haven't seen any paintings, have you Annette?  
2009-07-10 20:47:53 **windmajic** I will be talking to Gordon in the next few days on an unrelated matter, but can ask him...

2009-07-10 20:48:37 **SerSerr** She has done horse pictures...but not sure they are portraits....I think I've seen some done from pictures Gordon took

2009-07-10 20:48:54 **lorry** That would be fine with me. Then if it can be approached with Carol, we can get affirmation from Annette and Mary Ann as to whether or not they would like to go this route.

2009-07-10 20:49:21 **windmajic** Any portrait is just the artist's view of the subject.

2009-07-10 20:49:31 **lorry** I will go look up the actual bid price...meant to do that but haven't had time lately.

2009-07-10 20:49:57 **SerSerr** I also am willing to add too if necessary

2009-07-10 20:50:04 **windmajic** I am unsure what Mary Ann would hope for but Netter - would you be interested in Carol doing something with Scarlett?

2009-07-10 20:50:19 **lorry** Okay, shall we just leave it for Penny to "test the waters" there? I know both bids were in the \$200+ area, just can't remember the exact amount.

2009-07-10 20:50:25 **SerSerr** SURE

2009-07-10 20:51:19 **windmajic** Well maybe we see what she wants to do and I will ask Carol about the pieces and we will go from there...

2009-07-10 20:51:55 **windmajic** Is there any further discussion on artists and/or closed auctions?

2009-07-10 20:51:57 **lorry** Well, go for it, Penny. Yes, we can act on whatever answer you get. Would really like to put this to bed, as I'm sure Annette and Mary Ann would, too.

2009-07-10 20:52:27 **windmajic** OK I will ask and get the answer to LW and AW. OK?

2009-07-10 20:52:39 **lorry** Perfect.

2009-07-10 20:52:53 **windmajic** On to Cafe Press.

2009-07-10 20:52:58 **windmajic** Lorry?

2009-07-10 20:53:08 **windmajic** Annette?

2009-07-10 20:53:18 **SerSerr** Hello

2009-07-10 20:53:35 **windmajic** Do you want to discuss the items from R2 Sport Horse?

2009-07-10 20:53:54 **lorry** I bought one of the shirts to see how the quality ranked. It was good. Annette can explain what she did for her crew and high point awards.

2009-07-10 20:54:38 **lorry** I did put a picture of those high-point awards in the Newsletter.

2009-07-10 20:54:48 **SerSerr** I purchased two canvas bags as HiPoint and also got T shirts for the crew with same logo

2009-07-10 20:55:10 **windmajic** Did people like them?

2009-07-10 20:55:23 **SerSerr** We had the bags hung on the wall and everyone coming to office saw them

2009-07-10 20:55:42 **windmajic** Did you get comments?

2009-07-10 20:55:48 **SerSerr** Yuppers, I even handed out some cards that Lorry did for me

2009-07-10 20:55:49 **lorry** I'm hoping with a bit of advertisement, we might encourage other activities to utilize one/some of the products for their functions.

2009-07-10 20:56:19 **SerSerr** I plan to take poster and sample to all the show we do...

2009-07-10 20:56:30 **windmajic** Cool idea

2009-07-10 20:57:06 **SerSerr** Penny....did you not see the bags on the wall above my scoring table??

2009-07-10 20:57:22 **lorry** Oh, speaking of the cards and posters, I have half of the envelopes to the rest of our members packed and need to finish up to mail same. I left out Penny, Annette and MAG since I already sent you all some. Let me know if and when you need more.

2009-07-10 20:58:31 **SerSerr** Even SHN's

2009-07-10 20:58:52 **windmajic** Now that Lorry may have the ability to do color posters in an e-mail blast - maybe something to let everyone know (again) we have them available.

2009-07-10 20:59:05 **lorry** Great, Annette. Let me know if you may need more.

2009-07-10 20:59:17 **windmajic** It would be very cool at Sport Horse Nat'ls!!

2009-07-10 20:59:32 **lorry** I'm going to do that, Penny, as soon as I'm sure the bugs are really out of the system. VBG

2009-07-10 21:00:09 **windmajic** Would the club consider "fronting" Annette a piece (tee, bag, something) to take a show and maybe even donate as a prize?

2009-07-10 21:00:18 **windmajic** At SPN

2009-07-10 21:00:47 **SerSerr** I would have to check if it would be OK with SH Commission....

2009-07-10 21:01:00 **lorry** Yes, I would approve that. I "think" she already has a tee with the 4 horses on it.

2009-07-10 21:01:21 **Georgine** I make a motion to do so if the SHN Commission approves it.

2009-07-10 21:01:23 **SerSerr** Yep and the two helpers with me will also....

2009-07-10 21:01:30 **windmajic** Oh yeah - the Commission....

2009-07-10 21:01:37 **SerSerr** Vicky will not be able to wear hers...

2009-07-10 21:01:48 **SerSerr** I will check

2009-07-10 21:02:11 **windmajic** but she might put in a good word...maybe...

2009-07-10 21:02:12 **SerSerr** They have allowed a group to sponsor something for Driving.

2009-07-10 21:02:16 **lorry** Georgine, would your motion be to "donate" something with Sharlene's work on it for an award? Since, Annette already has some tees for workers

2009-07-10 21:02:48 **Georgine** yep. I amend my motion to be that.

2009-07-10 21:02:59 **lorry** Okay, I second

2009-07-10 21:03:00 **windmajic** Well, if Netter's gang is going to wear theirs, maybe just a poster advertising we sell them would suffice...

2009-07-10 21:03:33 **lorry** We already have a motion for donating something for an award, Penny. I think that would be good advertisement

2009-07-10 21:03:36 **Georgine** I am willing to stick with the award especially if fliers, etc can be given out at the show.

2009-07-10 21:03:49 **lorry** I call the question

2009-07-10 21:03:50 **SerSerr** We will only wear it one day....and I plan to post posters throughout the area

2009-07-10 21:03:57 **windmajic** Georgine, please re-sate your motion en todo...

2009-07-10 21:04:29 **SerSerr** So if we have the donation at the pick-up area for tests lots of rider would see it

2009-07-10 21:04:43 **SerSerr** the donation item

2009-07-10 21:04:49 **windmajic** That's a cool idea Annette

2009-07-10 21:04:57 **Georgine** I make a motion that an item with Sharlene's art be donated to the SH Nationals for an award if Commission gives approval and it allows info to be given out at the show.

2009-07-10 21:05:13 **lorry** I officially second

2009-07-10 21:05:19 **lorry** Aye

2009-07-10 21:05:22 **Georgine** Aye

2009-07-10 21:05:29 **SerSerr** aye

2009-07-10 21:05:58 **lorry** Okay, I think Annette should choose the item and I can customize it however she wants it.

2009-07-10 21:06:17 **windmajic** Nette - do you want to talk to Vicky or Lorry, so you or shall I? And I agree that Netter's picks the item and artwork

2009-07-10 21:06:25 **lorry** It should run no more than \$40.00

2009-07-10 21:06:32 **windmajic** Agreed

2009-07-10 21:06:40 **SerSerr** I will talk to Cathy and Vicky

2009-07-10 21:07:37 **windmajic** Do we need to amend the motion formally or just with it and have Netter talk to the SpH Commis and pick the piece?

2009-07-10 21:10:28 **windmajic** OK Then, motion passed. Seminars are the next item...

2009-07-10 21:10:52 **lorry** Nothing on the Johnny Johnston Seminar. Need to just put that on the shelf for a while.

2009-07-10 21:11:59 **lorry** Too many irons in the fire.

2009-07-10 21:12:20 **windmajic** Darn it, too bad. Is it just me or is apathy gonna take it all down?!

2009-07-10 21:13:16 **lorry** That's a shame. Am still hoping that Jackie Polk might be

interested. If she is, she would do a fantastic job.

2009-07-10 21:13:25 lorry Just really haven't had time to contact her and pursue it.

2009-07-10 21:13:31 windmajic OK Any other old business?

2009-07-10 21:13:47 lorry None from me.

2009-07-10 21:13:59 SerSerr They do lots of dressage stuff with Creeky

2009-07-10 21:14:11 SerSerr Jackie Polk

2009-07-10 21:14:23 lorry That's encouraging.

2009-07-10 21:14:34 windmajic Really? Interesting....

2009-07-10 21:14:58 lorry Jackie puts on one heck of a show when she takes something on a makes a great production of it.

2009-07-10 21:15:41 lorry So, perhaps in a month or two I can contact Jackie to see if there is any interest.

2009-07-10 21:17:56 windmajic Anything else? Anyone...?

2009-07-10 21:18:30 windmajic New Business opens with clones. Who wishes to open this discussion?

2009-07-10 21:18:42 lorry Since I had it put on the agenda...overview

2009-07-10 21:19:14 lorry One of the forums brought up that the Registry is or will be approached about registering clones in the Purebred Registry.

2009-07-10 21:19:49 lorry All in that discussion are aghast and dead set against it. They wanted to know what members of our Clubs think, so I am bringing it up

2009-07-10 21:20:02 windmajic While I may endorse the science of it, I think the timing is terrible (flooded and poor market). AQHA just set it aside for a year.

2009-07-10 21:20:24 windmajic There is absolutely NO NEED for it in the Arabian industry!!

2009-07-10 21:20:33 lorry I will go on record as being very much against such registration.

2009-07-10 21:21:13 lorry I'm a firm believer in letting the good old fashion Mother Nature's laws prevail.

2009-07-10 21:21:31 Georgine I am not sure where I would stand but it is way too early to make a decision on it.

2009-07-10 21:21:55 lorry Perhaps Insallah should send out a survey for our members to just register their opinion?

2009-07-10 21:22:01 windmajic AH yes...

2009-07-10 21:22:46 windmajic Good idea on the survey

2009-07-10 21:23:07 lorry Okay, with the approval of Annette and Georgine, I can do that.

2009-07-10 21:23:23 SerSerr OK for survey...

2009-07-10 21:24:25 windmajic so unlike every other stallion-with-a-problem owner/person who eventually lost their breeding horse , he wants to clone instead of bred 'em?

2009-07-10 21:25:31 lorry Geez! Sounds like a mess. Anyway, I can ask in a survey without names and incidents...just general.

2009-07-10 21:26:29 lorry If we get survey response, we can decide what to do with the results then. What do you think?

2009-07-10 21:26:54 Georgine Overwhelming against it especially at this time with the limited knowledge of the science.

2009-07-10 21:27:08 lorry Hmm, same on the forum I read.

2009-07-10 21:27:11 windmajic Ah, feeling better still!

2009-07-10 21:27:26 lorry LOL! Okay, I'm done with that subject.

2009-07-10 21:27:41 windmajic We have not totally lost our minds, just yet. I guess that AQHA is having to face it now.

2009-07-10 21:28:48 windmajic At least we will have some broken ground when we finally get there but I bet this is a battle that will be fought as long and as hard the creationism vs Darwinism!

2009-07-10 21:29:07 lorry LOL! Bet your right, Penny.

2009-07-10 21:29:27 windmajic Ummm - somehow I cannot see WAHO thinking it's a grand plan!

2009-07-10 21:29:51 **lorry** No, WAHO does not approve of multiple embryos, let alone cloning.

2009-07-10 21:32:07 **windmajic** OK Lorry - can you put it on the site (a survey) or do we do it in a mailing? If we set up a survey on the website, can we have anyone vote? Might be an interesting way to bring others to the site and introduce Insallah! Maybe invite Cafe readers

2009-07-10 21:32:38 **lorry** Hmmm, true. Let me check it out.

2009-07-10 21:33:06 **lorry** Good idea.

2009-07-10 21:33:40 **windmajic** I know that there are some fairly inexpensive survey sites that you simply link to...

2009-07-10 21:34:16 **windmajic** Annette, Georgine - Lorry and I can talk to each other any time. Input ladies, we need input!!

2009-07-10 21:34:45 **windmajic** ummm, please...:(

2009-07-10 21:34:50 **lorry** Yes, there is one site I could use if I can't use our web site that will do the survey with no charge..then it is a matter of spreading the word and inviting participation. I used it for the Magazine name and got over 400 responses.

2009-07-10 21:34:58 **Georgine** We can do the poll. I think clones being approved is a very long way from even being discussed.

2009-07-10 21:35:07 **SerSerr** The survey sites need a list to send to so....

2009-07-10 21:35:10 **lorry** Hi Ferman,

2009-07-10 21:35:15 **Georgine** Hi Ferman

2009-07-10 21:35:34 **Ferman** hello I am glad you are all still going

2009-07-10 21:35:38 **SerSerr** Welcome

2009-07-10 21:35:40 **lorry** I handled it by giving the URL out as a live link in the forums and lists.

2009-07-10 21:35:47 **windmajic** I agree completely GR but I do think it's kind of a hot button and might get us some looky-ats. HEY FERMAN!

2009-07-10 21:36:15 **Ferman** bring me up to speed

2009-07-10 21:36:50 **windmajic** Almost done with "Clones" and nobody loves 'em....

2009-07-10 21:36:53 **Georgine** I am good with that Penny. Always good to get people to the IAHC Website.

2009-07-10 21:36:53 **lorry** We are discussing the possibility that the Purebred Registry will sometime in the future be asked to register clones.

2009-07-10 21:37:35 **lorry** I will put some kind of a survey together and send out an announcement. Then we will see what we should do with the results.

2009-07-10 21:37:53 **lorry** Should have some data by the August meeting.

2009-07-10 21:38:00 **Ferman** well that is very interesting thoughts

2009-07-10 21:38:04 **Georgine** It was actual the concept of letting a clone's semen be used in place of the actual horse.

2009-07-10 21:38:41 **lorry** That was one discussion, Georgine, the discussion I saw was the actual registration of a cloned purebred.

2009-07-10 21:38:45 **windmajic** I doubt if there's much to do with the results unless the data proves interesting but I am willing to bet that it will be overwhelmingly against them

2009-07-10 21:39:18 **Ferman** I will bet you are correct

2009-07-10 21:39:25 **lorry** I'm thinking that we might just send the results to the Registry for "future" testimony when this comes up for real, which I'm sure it will

2009-07-10 21:39:34 **windmajic** Georgine - I do think that it would an interesting scientific study tho'.

2009-07-10 21:39:57 **Georgine** I am against now but it does make me wonder.

2009-07-10 21:40:34 **windmajic** Lorry - the Registry will have better and more data then we will if and when this ever comes up.

2009-07-10 21:42:59 **windmajic** "Minutes" it is! Lorry do you want to open the discussion - or Georgine?

2009-07-10 21:43:06 **Georgine** Motion to have a survey on clones - being registered for one, their semen being used in place of actual horse - two.

2009-07-10 21:43:25 **Georgine** sorry did not realize we were moving on.

2009-07-10 21:43:26 **SerSerr** 2

2009-07-10 21:43:30 **lorry** I will, since I put it on the agenda I will address it.

2009-07-10 21:43:41 **lorry** Ooops, have a motion and 2nd.

2009-07-10 21:43:50 **windmajic** Nope - moved and we'll vote. Thanks LW

2009-07-10 21:43:56 **Georgine** aye on polls

2009-07-10 21:44:00 **lorry** aye

2009-07-10 21:44:02 **Ferman** aye

2009-07-10 21:44:05 **SerSerr** aye

2009-07-10 21:44:14 **windmajic** Cool - Lorry...

2009-07-10 21:45:28 **lorry** Okay, well since we have been posting an edited transcript on our web site...meaning that the "meat of the meeting" is kept and chit chat is discarded, I'm wondering if we need to ask the Secretary to actually do a second set of minutes. It seems like duplicate effort to me. What do you all think?

2009-07-10 21:46:05 **lorry** I can always be sure to send a copy via email for members to print hard copies for their files.

2009-07-10 21:46:12 **windmajic** I agree, completely. Why can't the secretary simply use the same and add it to the official records?

2009-07-10 21:46:46 **lorry** Our official records are in our Yahoo files. Any problem with that, Georgine?

2009-07-10 21:46:59 **Georgine** No problem with that.

2009-07-10 21:47:17 **lorry** And the rest; i.e., Ferman and Annette?

2009-07-10 21:47:20 **windmajic** I would entertain a motion....

2009-07-10 21:47:42 **Georgine** I can add to Yahoo site after Lorry posts on IAHC Website and make sure it sends out message to all members.

2009-07-10 21:47:55 **lorry** I move that the "edited" transcript of each meeting be designated as the official minutes for said meeting each month.

2009-07-10 21:48:05 **windmajic** 2?

2009-07-10 21:48:12 **Ferman** aye

2009-07-10 21:48:14 **SerSerr** 2

2009-07-10 21:48:17 **lorry** aye

2009-07-10 21:48:18 **SerSerr** aye

2009-07-10 21:48:41 **windmajic** georgine?

2009-07-10 21:49:10 **Georgine** aye

2009-07-10 21:50:14 **windmajic** OK Is there any further topic for discussion for New Business?

2009-07-10 21:50:36 **Georgine** nope

2009-07-10 21:50:48 **SerSerr** none here

2009-07-10 21:51:13 **windmajic** I would like to congratulate Annette on her mare winning her ++/ in her first year of showing!

2009-07-10 21:51:30 **SerSerr** Thanks

2009-07-10 21:51:54 **SerSerr** And much thanks goes to Patience

2009-07-10 21:51:56 **windmajic** Ferman - how are you and is there anything you would like to add?

2009-07-10 21:52:27 **Georgine** Congrats Annette!

2009-07-10 21:52:32 **Ferman** I am ok just overloaded with work,

2009-07-10 21:53:01 **Ferman** Good job Annette

2009-07-10 21:53:30 **windmajic** Well we're glad you joined us! And Georgine - congrats on the job! Should be interesting...

2009-07-10 21:54:04 **windmajic** If there is nothing further, I would hear a motion to adjourn?

2009-07-10 21:54:13 **SerSerr** so moved

2009-07-10 21:54:21 **Georgine** Thanks Penny. It has been so far and I am sure will continue to be.

2009-07-10 21:54:33 **Ferman** second

2009-07-10 21:54:39 **Georgine** aye

2009-07-10 21:54:46 **SerSerr** aye

2009-07-10 21:54:46 **Ferman** aye

2009-07-10 21:54:47 **Georgine** night all

2009-07-10 21:54:54 **Ferman** and good nite all

2009-07-10 21:54:56 **windmajic** Ok then - good evening to you all. Have a great week-end!