NYPEA Open/General membership 4/27/22

Attendance: Darlene LaFave, Mike Green, John Steeves,
Shannon Whitney, Seth Whitney-Wekar, Vick Cole, Marleen Cowie,
Judy Kolceski, Judi Bays and Katie Porta.

A motion was made by Darlene LaFave to combine meetings, seconded by Shannon Whitney, motion passed.

The current treasury is \$8,513.56. A motion was made to accept, seconded by Marleen, all in favor, motion passed.

Gary sent a report as he was unable to participate. He had submitted the show approvals and they have been approved. The contract for the grounds has been signed and the deposit has been sent. Gary has contacted an insurance agency. The policy does not come up for renewal in June. Gary will address that when it comes due. Gary has agreed to be show manager as well as work the gate. Karen Andrews volunteered to announce. Gary has a verbal contract with Rita Ashley for a per horse per judge rate. Rita will be remote so pre-entries will be highly recommended to make the show run smoothly. Judy has agreed to be the ring steward. It was recommended that Karen Andrews check cards and paperwork day of show. We want to make sure that there are no errors to be charged to the judge. The judges will drive in the day of the show. This year the house at Cazenovia will no longer be available. This year the house at Cazenovia will no longer be available. Karen and Gary will have access to a camper trailer so housing for Show Manager and Announcer will not be an expense to NYPEA. He is also working with local hotels to work on prices and availability. Saturday night at 6:00 PM will be the pizza party. The cost will be approximately \$70. Marleen and Darlene would split the \$70 cost. Sunday morning Gary will bring muffins, coffee and water. Sunday lunch will still be the walking tacos. Vicky will be donating the lunch. Changes to the show program were discussed. The classes and numbers were out of order. We would like the order of classes open, amateur, youth including halter, in-hand. Road hack should be in the show program. Youth parade be added. Judy will ask the western coach to ask the college who might be willing to work at the show. The western coach is at her barn. Shannon has the poles and stake race and flag race. We will need barrels for the show. Katie thinks that she can get barrels. Marleen made a motion that there are no circuit awards, seconded by Darlene, all in favor of no circuit awards. Mike Teske would like to do a Putnam award for halter. It was noted in the past that Gary will put together options. We will ask him to do that at possibly award at the banquet. Karen was suggested to collect money prior to and after the show. Gary can keep the lists and write in adds and scratches.

Vicky reported on Breeders and State Fair. The program was posted. Vicky is going through the program and help with the updates/changes and possible modifications to help it run as smoothly as possible. She has some classes to see if they will add. She worked on it today and will submit the changes tomorrow. There are also AOHA classes at Breeders. There is a chance for palomino classes at State Fair but it does not look likely.

Shannon will keep the points. Darlene will do the Hall of Fame. Naomi was suggested. Darlene will work on it.

The next meeting will be July 27tt at 7:00 by Zoom. A motion to adjourn at 8:13 was made by Marleen, seconded by Darlene, all in favor.