CON ApHC Meeting  
Date: December 10, 2019  
Location: Loretta Waltner’s home  
Attendees: Loretta Waltner, Carly Wettlaufer, Doug Nickels, Terri McCarty, Dorine Bennett, Danny Bennett, Denise Dutenhoffer (via phone)

Agenda:

* Recap of March 24th meeting and treasurers report
* Old business
  + The ApHC Stud Books that were donated years ago by Barb Keenan were sold on Ebay
  + We approved (via email) three one-day shows as requested by a member to assist them with meeting ApHC requirements for show approval
  + We declined making a donation to the AYA Silent Auction this year
* Special Event 2019 overview and 2020 suggestions
  + Special Event 2019 showed a net profit and attracted members
  + Special Event 2020 is tentatively scheduled for Friday, August 7th with same classlist
    - Loretta will work on getting judges
* Sioux Empire Fair 2019 overview and 2020 suggestions
  + 2019 show went smoothly with improved Fair staff service and Tracey Slagle’s work as show secretary
  + 2020 show is tentatively scheduled for Wednesday and Thursday, August 5th and 6th with same classlist
    - Loretta will assist the Fair in working on getting judges for them
    - It was suggested that perhaps we start a little later with cattle classes on Wednesday or add some classes to Wednesday; this will be discussed further
    - Loretta will be gone that week and Carly will be show manager
* Winter weekend and annual meeting
  + Tentative dates selected were March 21 and 22
  + Consideration of moving to Brookings
    - Carly will check at the Holiday Inn Express
  + Terri is considering ideas for crafts for kids
  + Carly will check into ideas for awards (possible apparel with logo?)
* Clinics, Expos, Other Activities
  + There might be a Horse Expo in Sioux Falls again in the Spring, but that event is not really well-designed for club or breed promotion any more
  + Discussion about possible trail ride ideas
    - Terri will check with ND club to see if they are having a ride that we could partner on
    - Discussion of other sites
  + Suggestion of an equine education day with various speakers
    - Concern about logistics and promoting it