

PCCHA GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

3/12/2021 – Tulare, CA 5:00 pm

The Meeting was called to order by President, Katie Banuelos. ***The 2020 minutes were approved with a motion made by Katie Peterson and seconded by Kathleen Burr.***

Finance Report – Treasurer, John Echeverria: John reported on the year 2020 as being complex and unusual with the Covid restrictions in place. He explained to the members that in spite of several of PCCHA's major events being cancelled, the Association survived quite well because of the efforts of staff to apply for all Government financial protection available of which PCCHA did receive. PCCHA also received a very thoughtful and generous money gift from the Late Bill Banner's estate. The shows that PCCHA were able to put on, were financially successful as well.

At this time Phil Benadum and Kathy Cardon commended the 2020 sponsors, such as those who sponsored the first Regional Finals held in February at the South Point Arena. Three sponsors carried the first finals to victory: Alysia Vineyards, Cookie Banuelos PH and Overland Stockyards. Also a big thank you to Clarke Butte Ranch for their generous scholarship sponsorship for the Youth Regional Finals! Phil also explained how the Platinum Club and Silver Sponsorships work – several members stepped up to offer their support for 2021.

Kathy Cardon explained to the members about the recent decision made by the 2021 Board of Directors to change the format of the Limited Level in all three divisions: Open, Non Pro and Amateur. The Directors moved to adjust the purse offered in the LAE Limited classes (Open, Non Pro & Amateur) on a sliding scale pending number of entries. Nineteen entries and under, the classes will be a jackpot. Twenty entries and up a purse of \$1,000 will be offered. 30% of the entries will advance to a final. Entry Fee, Cattle Charge and Late fee will be lowered. Discussed Entry Fee: \$885 total

John Echeverria would like to sponsor/match a class during the futurity to Intermediate 3 year Old Open. Owner/Rider resides on the PCCHA designated region. Five individuals have opted to sponsor: Justin Rocky: \$5,000, Frank Martin: \$5,000, Dawn Chapman - \$5,000, Booth Grading: \$2,500 and Norm & Helen Clark: \$1,000.

Coming Events: Gathering in Tulare April/May; Derby, Las Vegas in June, Road to Reno end of July and the Futurity in October. A horse sale is still on the back burner.

Old Business: None

New Business: None

Meeting adjourned: ***Eric Wisehart moved to adjourn; seconded by Kathleen Burr; Motion passed.***

Meeting ended at 5:53 pm.