



PATH Intl. Driving Certification Sub- Committee Meeting

DATE: 2/14/2022

Minutes

Call to Order

Sarah

Time the meeting was called to order at: 12:08 EST
George Stolz approved the meeting minutes from the last meeting.

Roll Call

Present: Sarah Miller, George Stolz, Tracy Shaw, Joan Cutler
Staff: Melissa Neal, Amanda Walters
Guest: N/A
Absent: Gary Stauber
Excused: N/A

Agenda: Action Item Review

Driving certification questionnaire

- Add a few more questions (What is your role? Did you only attend for education/information?, Are you planning on going for certification?)
- Melissa will run a report to see how many Driving Instructors we have currently
- The group discussed if the people attending the workshop are interested in how to start a driving program or if they are interested in the certification.

Review proposal for workshop

Costs (We want to be sure it is financially feasible.)

- Bret is researching what the costs would be on the PATH Intl. side for a virtual driving workshop
- George will provide the costs to host from the center side
- The group discussed that the costs to cover faculty/evaluators' travel, lodging and meals is typically more than the amount in the sample budget in the intent to host booklet and that host site costs are more than the sample budget

Other workshop proposal discussion

- The group discussed how long the classroom vs in-person components would need to be. It was stated that for the onsite, everything would be in the barn. The demo-only workshops go fast and that the full, hands-on workshops take longer. Maybe the demo-only would no longer be an option? Perhaps the demo-only workshops would be only for people that are curious about driving and/or for CEUs?
- The group discussed doing driving presentations at region conferences to educate membership about the driving certification and/or driving program

Alternate ideas for Driving workshop faculty

Eager to add more faculty

Action Item Review

Sarah

Sarah and Tracy will continue to work on the new workshop proposal. Fee amounts and the length of the event needs to be added before moving forward.

Melissa will deploy and collect the information from the survey.

George and Gary will continue to work on the equine checklist.

Upcoming Driving Workshops and Certifications:

March 8-10, 2022, ManeGait (Workshop only)

June 2-4, 2022, Horse Power at Touchstone Farm (Certification only)

August 16-18, 2022, ManeGait (Certification Only)

Next Meeting

March 14, 2022 (Second Monday of the month)

Adjourn

Meeting adjourned: 12:58pm

Sarah

Meeting Minutes

Amanda Walters