## International Committee Agenda Fort Worth, TX 2015

- 1. Welcome by Chair
- 2. Committee guidelines
- 3. Meeting protocol
- 4. Member review of and comments on agenda items
- 5. Nominations for Committee Chair (Saturday)
- 6. Update on 2014 Latin American Issues Forum
- 7. Update on 2014 European Issues Forum
- 8. Awards Recognition Concept Update/Presentation
- 9. Discussion on International Horsemanship Camps
  - a. Criteria for country selection
  - b. Goals of the program
    - i. For affiliates
    - ii. For AQHA
  - c. Discuss movement of clinics from/to various countries and how to handle (e.g. should they stay in one country for a period of time or is exposure to different countries preferred?)
- 10. Discuss 2015 Pan Am Games Horse Experience (Haidee Landry)
- 11. Discussion on Business Plan Development Funds, use of funds, items eligible for reimbursement, ensuring funds are transferred
- 12. Review International Affiliate-Appointed / International Elected District Directors
- 13. Member recommendation: Consider modifying Rule SHW 416.2 for international countries only that cannot/do not generate enough entries to have point-earning western pleasure classes, horses may cross enter into the ranch riding class.
- 14. Member recommendation: Consider modifying Rule SHW 365.3 for international countries only that cannot/do not generate any traditional halter entries, countries may offer performance halter classes and allowing performance horses to enter regardless of the number of points the horses have (including not having a Register of Merit).
- 15. Member recommendation: For international only, consider drafting a new rule to allow youths to compete on un-owned horses via a permit program similar to the amateur permit program at a maximum of three events and in youth and open classes.

- 16. Member recommendation: For international only, consider modifying rule SHW 230 regarding amateur permits to allow an amateur to show an un-owned horse in open and amateur competition at a maximum of three events.
- 17. Member recommendation: For international only, consider modifying SHW220 to allow multiple ownerships for youth and amateur, a maximum of two people who might or might not be immediate family members.
- 18. Election of Committee Chair (first order of business Sunday)
- 19. Adjourn