

EVUSA REGION I

Monthly Region Meeting – MINUTES
Sunday May 05 2024
8:00pm PST

MEETING INFORMATION

FreeConferenceCall.com

Dial-in Number: (605) 313-5517

Access Code: 1453386

Video Link: <https://join.freeconferencecall.com/region1vaultingsecretar>

MEMBERS PRESENT

Executive Board: Angela A, Brian W, Wiebke O, Toni A

Club Delegates: Tara W

Other Attendees:

QUORUM* PRESENT (**2 Executive Board Members, 1 Club Delegate/Non-Executive Board Member*)

Yes

CALL TO ORDER

8:02 by Brian W

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion to approve minutes for **April 07 2024** by Toni A 2nd by Tara W. All in favor.

TREASURER REPORT (Region I Treasurer)

Last Month's Balance: \$15,216.18 (as of April 01 2024)

Current Balance: \$15,216.18 (as of May 01 2024)

<u>April</u>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>For</i>
<i>Deposits</i>		
	\$	
	\$	
	\$	
Total	\$0	
<i>Withdrawals</i>		
	\$	
	\$	
	\$	
Total	\$0	

Follow-ups:

- Renewal Region I EVUSA Membership – Not needed any more.
- Pending: Budget 2024. Waiting to get more information from Regionals Committee
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Report:

- Subordinate Status: On hold. \$30 check not cashed yet. Craig's reply: We have received your request to be included as a subordinate association of the EVUSA. The EVUSA is in the process of restructuring our By-Laws. As a result, we are currently unable to process 2024 subordinate requests. I am hopeful that we will be able to continue this program and will keep you posted.
- EVUSA Grant (Due 05/26/24):
 - Application below.
 - Wiebke to apply on behalf of Region I.



EVUSA Grant Application – 2024

Name of Applicant: _____ Email: _____

Amount of Funds Requested _____ Region _____ Club _____

Phone (work/hm) _____ Cell: _____

Address _____ City _____

State _____ Zip _____ Date _____

Signature of Applicant: _____

When is/was the grant needed? _____

When will/did the activity take place? _____

How will/were the funds be used (be specific)? _____

How will the grant help promote vaulting? _____

How will the requested grant help increase membership in EVUSA? _____

How will the requested grant help promote additional Vaulting competitions? _____

Receipts – Receipts for reimbursement must be attached to the official EVUSA reimbursement request form and must be submitted within 10 days of the completion of the activity **or the grant will be rescinded and no monies will be reallocated.** Send to EVUSA National Office (1443 E Washington Blvd #289, Pasadena, CA 91104 or email to office@Equestrianvaulting.org).

Grant Application Due Date: *Must be received by May 26, 2024.* The completed grant application form must be sent to Suzanne Detol (email: sdetol@aol.com)

OLD BUSINESS

2024 Region I Championships Update (Region I Championship Committee)

- Regionals 2024 Committee Report
 - CoChairs Connie Giesler and Peggy Van Hook
 - Meeting Monday April 15 2024 Agenda:
 - Discussion of Budget
 - Set Pricing
 - Status of Facility Contract
 - Decide Judges
 - Volunteer “Main” Jobs

JOB	
Music	contact Barb if anyone has volunteer
Announcer	Mike Foster (GGV)
Clerks (2)	contact Barb if anyone has volunteer
Concessions	Peggy/Cambry
USEF Items	Patti/Cambry/Toni
Scoring	
Facility	Lance
Prize List	Peggy
HSP	Connie

- If anyone would like to join our team please reach out to peggy.vanhook@gmail.com.
- Awards (from Toni A):
 - Our budget is \$2500
 - Toni checked with Hodges Badge Company (Rhode Island)
 - Estimate \$1500 for ribbons from example of an invoice from Great Falls USEF competition. Ours would be more because of number of participants.
 - Need to decide what is on ribbon.
 - Decide if want medals too.

IVG Grant Update (IVG Grant Committee)

- New Committee: Toni A, Diana G, Donna H, Wiebke O, Angela A

Region I Website Update (Gibran S. and Elyse H.)

- No one present.

Youth Council Update (Youth Council Representative)

- YC Regular Meetings - Second Monday of the month 4:30-5:30pm PST
- YC Meeting Report – No representative present

NEW BUSINESS

Region I Board Member Elections (Region I Secretary)

- **Voting Timeline**
 - Form Nominating Committee – July
 - Per By-Laws: *Nominating Committee - Will be formed by July. A three members Committee formed from three different clubs, will receive nominations, and confirm candidates. The committee will provide the slate to the secretary. In all cases, consent of the nominee must be obtained prior to the election. The secretary will distribute ballots via email and report results to the board at the next meeting. Upon request a paper ballot will be mailed to any voting member of an EVUSA Region I Club in good standing.*
 - Call for Nominations – July/August
 - Ballots go out – Sunday September 29 2024
 - Ballots close – Sunday October 20 2024
- **Positions Up for Election** (2 year term: January 01, 2025 - December 31, 2026)
 - President
 - Vice President
 - Treasurer
 - Secretary

ROUND TABLE

NONE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

EVUSA Updates:

- EVUSA Board Meeting – Monday May 06 2024 5:30 PST
- EVUSA Executive Board Meeting – Monday May 13 2024 5:30 PST
- EVUSA Rules Update

(From Kendel Edmunds, EVUSA Director, Technical Committee)

'Hello competitors, as our 2024 season gets started, I wanted to offer some clarification on new or existing rules at the various levels of competition you may enter. If you have any questions regarding rules reach out to me' Directortechical@equestrianvaulting.org

"Draw Reins" Clarification

EVUSA has approved the use of "draw reins" as defined in the FEI Rules for Vaulting Article 719.2.5 page 23 with an effective date of 2/1/24 BUT USEF has NOT implemented this rule to date. What this means is if a competition is both EVUSA and USEF recognized, USEF rules supersede, and this type of reins is NOT allowed to be used at the competition (even in warm up). Currently EVUSA-ONLY or unrecognized-only competitions may have this equipment in use.

Lunge line attachment point

For any FEI competition the lunge line may ONLY be attached to the inside bit ring, per the current FEI Rules for Vaulting Article 719.2.7. Currently, USEF/EVUSA rules do not address lunge line attachment; therefore, the lunge line may be attached in any manner, i.e. under the chin, over the pole, etc.

New Team Freestyle Times/Triples:

- 2*B and 3*A team freestyle is now 3 1/2 minutes, triples are allowed and there is no limitation on number of triples performed for either level. The FEI Guidelines urge that triples are not more than 1/3 of the time allowed for the freestyle.
- 1* C and 1* Trot team freestyle is now 3 minutes, and triples are NOT allowed for either level, and will receive a 1 point deduction from Artistic if performed.
- please reference the EVUSA rules [Here](#) FEI Rules & Guidelines [Here](#)

- GRANTS
- Grants are available for one or more of the following:
 - Increase EVUSA Membership
 - Promote Vaulting
 - Promote Competitions

For all of the 2024 EVUSA grant procedures [Click Here](#)
Grant Applications can be found [Here](#)

Other:

- EVUSA Individual Membership Registered in Region I
 - Angela Emailed each club coach to notify the vaulters that needed to be changed.
 - Many have completed this. There are still a good amount that haven't been done yet. The following Clubs have been contacted again and still have outstanding members in Region II as of Sunday May 05:
 - Diamond Bar (Connie G)
 - EVX (Andrea B)
 - Lompoc (Peggy VH)
 - LAEVC (Sandra & Blake)
 - Showtime (Leslie T)
 - Wasatch Peak (Barb B)
 - IMPORTANT - ATTENTION NEEDED – Have your club members check that their EVUSA membership is registered in Region I
 - Region I is: CA (South), NV (South), Arizona, Utah, Hawaii.
 - *(Note: CA (North) & NV (North) are not Region I)*

It is important that you please take a moment, using the detailed instructions below, to verify you are registered in the correct state and update to the correct state if needed.

- (1) Go to equestrianvaulting.org
- (2) Click "Sign In"
- (3) Find "Returning Users" and click "Sign In"
- (4) Enter your credentials to sign in
- (5) Click "Your Account" (drop down at top)
- (5) Click "Profile"
- (6) ****LOOK AT YOUR ADDRESS AND MAKE SURE THE STATE IS ONE OF THE FOLLOWING. If not, please update to one of these:
 - CA (South)
 - NV (South)
 - Arizona
 - Utah
 - Hawaii
- (7) Click "Save"

Upcoming Meetings:

- Region Monthly Meeting – Sun June 02 8:00pm PST
- Regionals Committee Meeting – XXX
- EVUSA Board Meeting – Monday May 06 2024 5:30 PST
- EVUSA Executive Board Meeting – Monday May 13 2024 5:30 PST

2024 COMPETITIONS

NAME	# JUDGES	DATE(S)	LOCATION	COMPETITION MANAGER	POSTED ON HSP ²
		2024			
EVUSA Education Symposium (Close of Registration 12/15/2023)	n/a	Jan 25 - 28	Grand Sierra Resort & Casino: 2500 E Second St, Reno Nevada 89595	vaultingsymposium@gmail.com	n/a
Carnival at Duarte ^A (Open of Entries Jan 30) (Close of Entries Feb 20)	1	March 16 -17	Encanto Equestrian Center: 3737 Fish Canyon Rd, Duarte CA 91010	Andrea Brown ackehorse@yahoo.com 425.870.7807	x
Oak Hills Foundation Fest ^{A,B} (Open of Entries Feb 15) (Close of Entries Mar 15) NOTE: USEF Recognized Classes Only on Prize List	2	April 12-13	Oak Hills Stables: 1435 E 900 S Salem UT 84653	Meredith Stoddard 801.404.1214	X
Oak Hills Classic ^{A,B} (Open of Entries Mar 15) (Close of Entries Apr 05)	3	May 03 - 05	Duchesne County Centennial Event Center: 60 West 400 South, Duchesne Utah	Monica Giffing mgiffing@gmail.com 801.404.9897	x
EVX Mayflowers ^A (Open of Entries Jan 17) (Close of Entries Apr 24)	1	May 18-19	Encanto Equestrian Center: 3737 Fish Canyon Rd, Duarte CA 91010	Andrea Brown ackehorse@yahoo.com 425.870.7807	X
Summer Solstice ^A (Open of Entries Apr 10) (Close of Entries May 15)	2	June 22-23	Hansen Dam Horse Park: 11127 Orca Ave, Lakeview Terrace CA 91342	Donna Hensley madukessays@gmail.com 818.970.6332	x
EVUSA/USEF National Championships ^{A,B,C} (Open of Entries June 10) (Close of Entries July17)	4	August 09 - 11	Tryon International Equestrian Center: 25 International Blvd, Mill Spring, NC 28756	EVUSA VP COMPETITIONS vpcompetitions@equestrianvaulti ng.org 678.425.5817 Lisa Zielenske lmzielenske@yahoo.com 678.425.5817	x
EVUSA/USEF West Festival ^{A,B} (Open of Entries July 17) (Close of Entries July 24)	2?	August 17 - 18	Murieta Equestrian Center: 7200 Lone Pine Drive, Rancho Murieta, CA 95683	Lisa Zielenske lmzielenske@yahoo.com 678.425.5817	x
Region I Championships ^{A,B} (Open of Entries XXX) (Close of Entries XXX)	2	October 18-20	Washington County Legacy Park: 5500 West 700 South, Hurricane, UT 84737	Show Manager email phone	

^A EVUSA Recognized Competition

^B USEF Recognized Competition

^C National's Qualifying Criteria: <https://equestrianvaulting.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/11/2024-Nationals-Qualifying-Criteria.pdf>

¹ EVUSA Region I Competition Application: https://evusa-region-1.weebly.com/uploads/1/4/1/1/14116039/microsoft_word_-_application_for_region_i_competitions_v5_4_.docx.pdf

² Horse Sport Pro: <https://horsesportpro.com/activecompetitions>

³ EVUSA Website Calendar of Events: <https://equestrianvaulting.org/calendar/>

⁴ Region I Website Calendar of Events: <https://evusa-region-1.weebly.com/calendar.html>

NEXT REGIONAL MONTHLY MEETING

Sunday June 02 2024
8:00pm PST

CALL TO ADJOURN

8:40 pm PST by Brian W