



## **U.S. Icelandic Horse Congress 2009 Annual Members Meeting January 17, 2009 – Santa Clara, California**

### **Minutes**

**Board Members:** Bernie Willis, Doug Smith, Karen Olson-Fields, Ásta Covert,  
Kari Pietch-Wangard, Susan Peters, Laura Benson

**USIHC Members:** Gayle Smith, Annette Coulon, Steve Cook, Debbie Cook, Knutur Bendsen,  
Stína Sigurbjörnsson, Gabriele Meyer, Kathie Lockerbie, Henriette Bruun,  
Pia Tucker, Will Covert, Morgan Venable, Alexandra Venable, Ayla Green,  
Laurie Prestine, Madison Prestine, Heidi Green, Lin Campell, Burt Bates,  
Kathy Sierra, Jennifer Denning, Dylan Denning, Lucy Nold, Cait Nold,  
Bruce Edwards

**Guest Speaker:** John Parke

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9:10AM Bernie called the meeting to order and presented his welcoming remarks.

9:15AM Bernie presented his report (see attached "President's Report").  
The "Anne Elwell Breeding Award" was announced to the membership. This award  
will be presented to the highest evaluated domestic bred breeding horse in the  
United States each year. The award honors Anne's contribution to the Congress and  
devotion to Icelandic Horse breeding.

9:20AM Doug presented the "Secretary's Report" (see attached).

A question was raised about the handling of the electronic version of the *Quarterly*.  
Each new issue is added to the web site approximately two weeks before the printed  
version is mailed. Only active Congress members may download the new issue.  
After six months, the on-line issues are made available for members to download and  
print. At one year, the issues are made available for anyone to download and print.

Following a suggestion from both the Board and the room, Doug will make the  
process of "opting in" for electronic notices more visible on the web site to reduce the  
costs of mailings to the membership.

9:30AM Kari presented the financials and "Treasurer's Report" (see attached). In addition to  
the published material, Kari explained the transition to the new format of the  
financials, the move to a single checking account, and the migration from Quicken to  
QuickBooks.

The Congress posted an end-of-year profit of \$6,500 for 2008. Kari attributed the  
improved financial picture to several factors:

- Katrin Sheehan did not submit any charges for last year's annual meeting.
- The Congress did a better job of collecting reimbursement for funds paid to FEIF  
by the Congress for individual member expenses at the FEIF Conference.
- The Quarterly Committee did a better job of making sure all advertising was  
fully paid.

- Educational seminars showed a profit.
- 2008 was not a World Championship year so there were no costs associated with try-outs or stall rentals.
- Enforcing a \$1,000/show cap and two-show limit reduced sanctioned show expense reimbursement.
- Membership dues increased (net of PayPal fees).

For reasons that are unclear, the Registry income was down about 25% from 2007.

**Judge Scholarship Fund.** Special mention was made of an anonymous \$10,000 donation for a Judge Scholarship fund. This fund provides financial incentive for prospective Sport Judges in the United States to seek FEIF judge licenses. \$1,000 is payable from the fund when an individual receives his license. A second \$1,000 payment is available after the individual judges three sanctioned shows in the United States. A final \$1,000 is made when the individual renews the license for the first time.

**Youth Fund.** Special mention was made of two \$1,000 donations from Kathy Love and Doug & Gayle Smith to start a Youth Scholarship Fund. The Board has formed a three-member committee (Laura Benson, Kari Pietch-Wangard, and Susan Milloy) to administer the fund. A formal notice of the fund and its intended use will be published once the committee has established the basic framework.

Morgan Venable suggested an optional Youth Fund contribution be added to the Congress membership and renewal process. Doug will update the appropriate forms and web pages.

Steve Cook suggested the Congress move from a standalone installation of QuickBooks to an online QuickBooks subscription. This would make the Congress's books more widely available to Board members and reduce risk of loss through the Intuit backup and recovery service. Kari will investigate costs and report back to the Board with a recommendation in February.

9:45AM. Bernie formally announced that the Board has designated 2009 the *Year for Youth*.

Break

10:10AM No Breeding Committee report was presented. Katrin Sheehan, Breeding Leader, was excused from the meeting due to a death in the family. The Board approved three breeding events (a breeding seminar, full evaluation, and young horse evaluation) to be held at Creekside Farm in Georgia. The Board also removed the requirement that Regional Clubs host breeding evaluations.

10:12AM Bernie presented the Education Committee report (see attached). The committee will undertake a new project to collect articles from back issues of the *Quarterly* that have educational value. These articles will be scanned and formatted for the web site in an effort to improve the level of educational material about the Icelandic Horse on the Internet.

10:15AM Bernie presented the Quarterly Committee report (see attached).

10:20AM Karen presented the Pleasure Rider Program Committee report (see attached).

The final Pleasure Rider Program results for 2008 will be announced on the web site in February. The Board had hoped to incorporate the Pleasure Rider awards with the

Sport and Breeding awards at the annual meeting but some PRP participants were not able to submit their logs in time.

Two new award sponsors will be added for the 2009 season. *Tölt News* will offer a free subscription for 2,500-hour riders. Kertits will sponsor the 1,000 hour and youth categories.

Morgan Venable expressed concern that it is too difficult for families to prepare and submit their logs near the holidays. She is opposed to changing the deadline to meet the new annual meeting awards dinner deadline.

Susan Peters expressed support for a youth based community service award to acknowledge the efforts of youth riders to further the Congress's mission. Karen will consult with the committee and report back to the Board.

Morgan Venable asked about the structure of the PRP Committee. Karen reported there are six active members on the committee. She is seeking more individuals who are interested in helping shape and manage the PRP.

10:30AM Bernie and Kari announced and modeled a line of USIHC branded clothing. Juli Cole brought the idea for the clothing to the Board. Kari followed up with Juli's suggested vendor to prepare embroidery patterns for the USIHC logo in two sizes. Doug will add a page to the web site for members, farms, and regional clubs to use when ordering clothing items. The vendor will accept orders for any quantity of a variety of items (shirts, hats, jackets, duffel bags, etc). The Congress does not benefit financially from the sale of these items. At the same time, the Congress does not need to collect and report sales tax or warehouse any inventory. The Board believes there is a marketing benefit for the organization even in the absence of a direct financial benefit. The Congress is providing the large and small logos for use by the membership at no charge.

10:45AM Doug presented the Regional Clubs Committee report (see attached).

There was a discussion of the benefits of Regional Clubs that led to no particular conclusion or action items.

11:00AM No formal Promotion Committee report was submitted.

Bernie formally announced that Kathy Love had resigned her seat on the Board. The Board appointed Kathy Lockerbie to the two-year vacancy created by Kathy Love's resignation.

The Board announced it is working to create a "job description" for the Promotion Committee. Once the description is finalized, the Board will begin a search for a chair for the committee who has the best matching skills.

Debbie Cook expressed frustration at not having effective leadership for the Promotion Committee. She hopes the Board will be successful in finding the right person for the job.

A general brainstorming session was held to help identify areas of focus for the organization's promotion efforts. The following ideas were generated:

- Revitalize the trade show display booth.

- Commission a second booth to reduce wear and tear and support concurrent events.
- National magazine advertising and “pay to play” articles do not seem effective.
- The Congress might be more successful courting health and fitness magazines more than traditional equestrian publications.
- There might be benefit in working with home schooling groups to introduce more children to horseback riding and the Icelandic Horse in particular.

Doug announced the availability of the Iceland Breeder’s Association one-page brochure. The Congress can have them printed at \$0.19/copy (10,000 copy quantity). Members, farms, and regional clubs will be solicited for printing donations. An additional logo can be added to the item for a \$150 setup charge. There is no limit on the number of copies printed once the setup is completed.

Henriette Bruun suggested the membership be asked how they came to the Icelandic Horse. Doug will add the question to the membership application and renewal forms and web pages.

11:40AM Will Covert presented the Sport Committee Report (see attached).

The Sport Committee will announce the final details of the World Championship team tryout procedure and schedule by the end of January.

A general discussion regarding World Championships logistics took place. Noteworthy points included:

- It would be a good idea to coordinate the ticket purchase to coordinate a block of US supporters in the stands.
- Local accommodations will be very limited based on the size of the town.
- Susan Peters (who has direct experience having been at the W/C venue for the Youth Cup) suggested looking for hotels along the train route leading into town. The trains are very reliable and convenient.
- It was strongly suggested that driving in town be avoided.

Since Will Covert will likely be a judge at the W/C, he will nominate an alternate Team Leader.

A question was raised about groom opportunities. Will explained that each rider is entitled to a groom of his/her choosing. The Youth Committee will seek interested grooms from the ranks of the Congress youth. Suggestions will be made to the Team Leader but final selection will be up to the individual riders on the team.

11:50AM Doug presented the Web Committee Report (see attached).

11:55AM Ásta presented the Registry Report (see attached).

After the written report was submitted, Ásta completed the import of most of the DNA case numbers into World Fengur. Most US born horses now have their DNA and parent verification information listed. The US registration number of imported horses is being tracked as the “life number” in World Fengur.

Ásta cautioned that some of the older ownership information listed in World Fengur is not correct. World Fengur is not the official registry database for US registered horses. Any owner interested in having the information in World Fengur corrected can send an email to [registry@icelandics.org](mailto:registry@icelandics.org) to request the update. There is no fee

for updating World Fengur to reflect the current US registration information. Any change to the US registration information is subject to the customary Registry fees.

Ásta clarified the Registry policy with regard to some special cases raised by members in the room:

- A registration can be changed without a deceased owner's signature if a death certificate accompanies the papers.
- A rescued or abandoned horse's registration can be changed based on a court order.
- There is no record of intermediate transfers if a horse has changed hands several times. The only signature required to transfer the horse to the current owner is that of the last owner of record as shown on the horse's US registration papers.

12:00PM Constitutional Amendments. (see attached).  
Bernie presented the "change of address" amendment for consideration. After a brief discussion the members in attendance unanimously voted to adopt the amendment.

Bernie present the "election" amendment for consideration. After a brief discussion all members in attendance except Gayle Smith voted to adop the amendment.

Both amendments passed.

12:10PM Lunch

1:40PM Keynote Address by John Parke: Journey to the Center of the World

3:30PM Break

3:45PM Laura Benson presented the Youth Committee report, Youth Camp Overview, and Working Youth Camp Agenda (see three attachments).

4:10PM General Disucssion  
Pia Tucker asked if access to trainers and instructors was an issue that could be addressed best at the national or regional clubs level. The Board suggested that is best handled by the clubs. Where possible the Congress will support the clubs' efforts with lists of resources and coordination of effort. Bernie described the ongoing project to list all known trainers residing in the US along with their level of certification and a brief disucssion of the accomplishments associated with each level of certification. For example, how does a two-year program at Hólar in Iceland compare to a German "IPZV-C" certification? The certification matrix is close to being completed. As soon as it is the trainer list will be published on the web site.

Susan Peters addressed the issue of trainer access from the perspective of young riders. She observed it is, at times, difficult to have the level of access to trainers that might be possible in Europe. On the other hand, our young riders do have a chance to ride and compete with the top riders in the country at nearly every show.

A suggestion was made that riders, especially young riders, in the Pleasure Rider Program be able to accumulate points by introducing non-members to the Icelandic Horse. Karen, as chair of the Pleasure Rider Program Committee, will take the suggestion to her committee.

Steve Cook asked about the possiblity of the Congress providing group insurance coverage to members and regional clubs. Bernie addressed the question by explaining that national coverage is prohibitively expensive and more limited than local coverage as a national policy is bound by the most restrictive states: California

and New York. Regional clubs are likely to find a better price with more coverage than could be offered by the Congress.

4:45PM The formal portion of the meeting was adjourned. The assembled members were invited to participate in one of three break-out sessions. Given the lateness of the hour, the three sessions were held concurrently.

- Laura Benson – Youth
- Will Covert – Sport
- Doug Smith – World Fencing

6:30PM Awards Dinner

The inaugural “Anne Elwell” Breeding Award was presented to Hamur from Mill Farm (US1997103009) owned and bred by Dan Slott (Icelandic Sports, Ltd.).

The National Ranking Awards were presented as follows:

<b>Discipline</b>	<b>Rider</b>
T1	Asta Covert
T2	Anne-Marie Martin
T3	Asta Covert
T5	Kari Pietsch-Wangard
T6	Sverrir Bjartmarz
T7	Dominic Ng
T8	Lucy Nold
V1	Asta Covert
V2	Asta Covert
V3	Doug Smith
V5	Dominic Ng
V6	Lucy Nold
F1	Gudmar Petursson
F2	Asta Covert
F3	Kari Pietsch-Wangard

The complete results of the national ranking are attached.

## USIHC Annual Meeting – 2008 President's Report

As president of the USIHC I am very proud to say that the board of directors is a fully functioning team of individuals. Each member has stepped up to fill the expectations of their responsibilities. I'd like to especially recognize the work of **Doug** Smith, our secretary and webmaster. Combining these responsibilities has streamlined the development of our website. The monthly meeting reports are very timely. While we are allowed 21 days to make the record public it is often done with a week or even a couple days. The work of our treasurer, **Kari** Wangard, is now real time also. Monthly and year to date income and expense reports by category allow the board to see where we have been and where we can go for the future. Its now easy to identify sources of income and historical expenses. Our youth leader, **Laura** Benson has added a new perspective to development. Her background with the horses and kids has changed the outlook for young member of the USIHC. **Asta** Covert, the registrar, has worked closely with Doug to keep the registry accurate and increasingly functional. It is the one steady income source for the USIHC. **Kathy** Love, in charge of promotion this past year has kept up with the various horse fairs and magazines to give us a presence where ever possible. **Karen** Olson, in charge of organizing the pleasure riders, has not only improved that program with expanded awards but has taken the initiative to demonstrate the fun of Icelandic ownership at a recent trail challenge event. **Susan** Peters is new to the board this Fall but has been very active with the club over the past year. As the leader in charge of our kids at the recent youth cup she completely changed the course of that event for our youth. Her personality fit the needs as is evidenced by the outstanding performance of our team this past year. **Anne** Elwell is no longer part of the board in person, but as a founding member of this organization she is with us in many ways. Her influence is seen in our organization, she is more than just imagined when you read much of our materials and observe the dedication we have to preserving and promoting the Icelandic Horse. More will be said about Anne later on at this annual meeting.

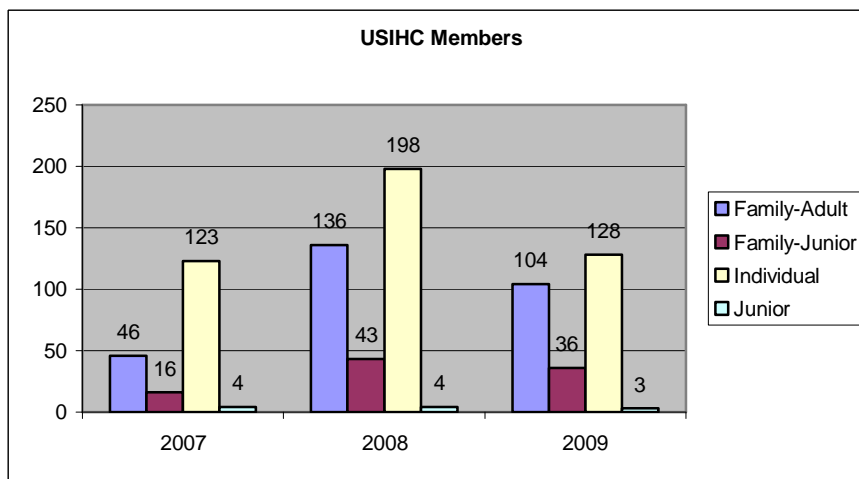
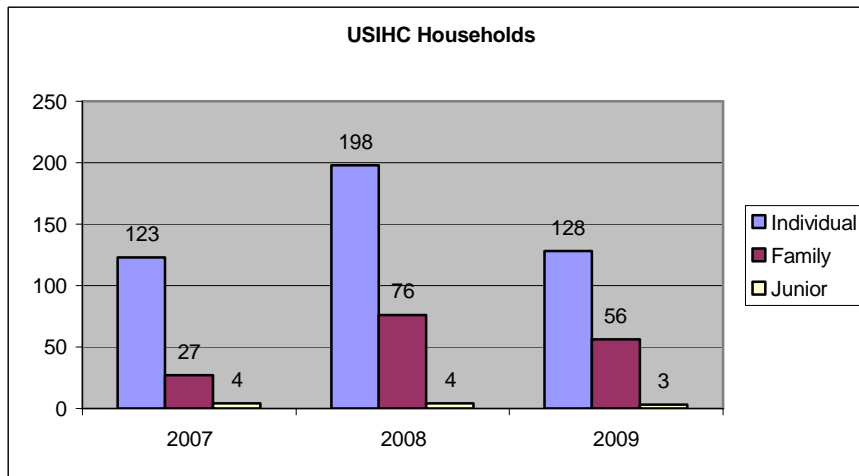
The individuals mentioned so far have been elected by our membership to represent them. There are many supporting folk who help spread the work load and because of their individual expertise contribute significantly to our overall program. Judy Strehler and Nancy Marie Brown lead the Quarterly magazine staff. It was a year ago that it was decided to make their product available on line in full color. Will Covert as our sport leader brings his World Championship experience and knowledge to the precision of competition. Katrin Sheehan with her passion for the Icelandic Horse keeps track of the breeding situation and evaluations here in the US as well as developments around the world. Her trilingual expertise is incredible. Alex Pregitzer, in charge of education is responsible for all the seminars we have enjoyed this past year. Annette Coulon has recently accepted the responsibility of leading the Regional Clubs. I anticipate because of her dedication to the breed and organizational skills that each of these clubs will be drawn to a better understanding of this horse and will improve the overall experience of members of the USIHC.

Besides the leaders in the various departments there are many committee members who constantly contribute with suggestions, their time and finances to the developing understanding of the Icelandic Horse in the US. There are others I'd like to mention specifically. One is Martina Gates the owner and editor of *Tolt News*. Martina is always there when you need her. Many times she provides the right picture or has the information you need when you need it for some special situation. Another is Gudmar Petersson, Gudmar is a leader in the US for our understanding of the Icelandic Horse. His horse training and show development are examples to the rest of us. Dan and Barb Riva are beyond comparison when it comes to dedication to our breed of horse. Its generally known by now that they will be hosting the FEIF Youth Camp this year in July.

Its been said that the only constant is change it self. Its easy to see that change is all around us, but it is much more difficult to adapt to it. Civilizations have disappeared because of their rigidity. I am confident that our horse club will be around for along time simply because we are flexing with the times. We have challenges. We need to identify and meet the needs of our members more completely. Education is easily spoken of but it is much harder to inspire people to want to learn than to just provide the information. Never the less I am convinced that this team is pulling together in the direction we need to go.

## USIHC – Secretary’s Report 2008

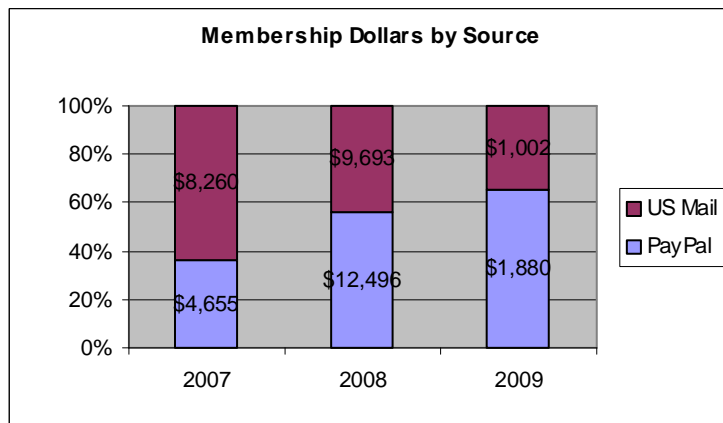
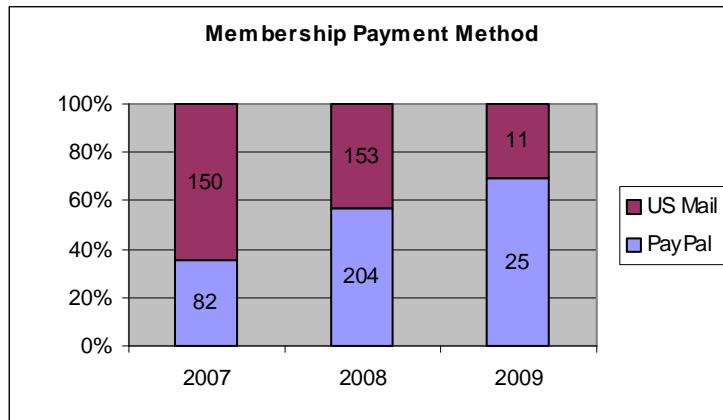
### Membership Statistics:



- The 2007 figures may not be entirely accurate as this is the year when the new membership database came online. The stated figures represent the best attempt at importing the data from the previous database / manual process.
- The 2008 figures do *not* include anyone who joined after October 19, 2008.
- The 2009 figures are as of 10am on January 11, 2009.



Payments and revenue are depicted based on the USIHC's fiscal year in the following charts. Any membership payment received between October 19 and December 31 of a given year appears as a membership in the following year in the previous charts. The total number of payments received will not match the number of memberships for a given year.



### Accomplishments

- ✓ Automated creation of *Quarterly* mailing lists two weeks before printing deadline of each issue.
- ✓ Worked with printing service to process each *Quarterly* mailing list with US Postal Service's National Address Correction Database to reduce mismailed copies of the magazine.
- ✓ Automated the generation of new member welcome packet mailing list.
- ✓ Implemented new World Fengur subscription model for USIHC members.
- ✓ Processed three manual mailings (one in conjunction with the election materials).

### For next year

1. Improve the detection of duplicate memberships. Currently this happens when a member creates a new membership instead of updating a changed email address. The "false positive" new memberships are detected manually before welcome packets are mailed.
2. Improve data handoff with World Fengur.
3. Find a way to reduce the number of pieces of mail the Congress pays to send out each year.

**USIHC**  
**Balance Sheet Standard**  
As of December 31, 2008

	<u>Dec 31, '08</u>
<b>ASSETS</b>	
<b>Current Assets</b>	
<b>Checking/Savings</b>	
Associated Checking Account	17,976.20
Associated Money Market Account	74,219.52
Registry Account	<u>2,071.41</u>
Total Checking/Savings	94,267.13
<b>Other Current Assets</b>	
<b>CDs for Judge Scholarship Fund</b>	
1 yr CD-#2201262884	1,000.00
2 yr CD-#2201262991	2,000.00
4 yr CD-#2201263072	<u>7,000.00</u>
Total CDs for Judge Scholarship Fund	10,000.00
Total Other Current Assets	<u>10,000.00</u>
Total Current Assets	<u>104,267.13</u>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<u><b>104,267.13</b></u>
 <b>LIABILITIES &amp; EQUITY</b>	
<b>Liabilities</b>	
<b>Current Liabilities</b>	
<b>Other Current Liabilities</b>	
Unexpended Judge Scholarship Fund	10,000.00
Unexpended Youth Funds	<u>2,000.00</u>
Total Other Current Liabilities	12,000.00
Total Current Liabilities	<u>12,000.00</u>
Total Liabilities	12,000.00
<b>Equity</b>	
Opening Bal Equity	96,926.56
Retained Earnings	-11,123.79
Net Income	<u>6,464.36</u>
Total Equity	<u>92,267.13</u>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES &amp; EQUITY</b>	<u><b>104,267.13</b></u>

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## Income/Expense Report

### January through December 2008

Income		Expense	
<b>Education Seminar Inc.</b>		<b>09 FEIF Youth Camp Exp.</b>	<b>1,175.00</b>
08 KY Health Seminar Inc.	1,595.00	<b>Competition Judge Fee</b>	<b>2,999.59</b>
08 KY Saddle fitting Seminar In	675.00	<b>Education Seminar exp.</b>	
Judging Seminar Inc.		08 KY Health Seminar	775.32
08 VT Judging Seminar	4,445.00	08 KY Saddle Fitting Seminar	476.23
Total Judging Seminar Inc.	4,445.00	Judging Seminar exp.	
Sport Judging Seminar Inc.		08 VT Judging Seminar Exp.	4,508.14
08 WI Sport Judging Smnr. Inc.	3,850.00	Total Judging Seminar exp.	4,508.14
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<b>Total Education Seminar Inc.</b>	<b>10,565.00</b>	08 WI Sport Judging sem. exp.	3,134.00
<b>Evaluation-FEIF fees Inc.</b>	<b>1,385.00</b>	Total Sport Seminar exp.	3,134.00
<b>FEIF Conf. Reimbsmt.</b>	<b>1,596.70</b>	<b>Total Education Seminar exp.</b>	<b>8,893.69</b>
<b>Interest Income</b>	<b>15.89</b>	<b>Evaluation - FEIF fees exp.</b>	<b>917.70</b>
<b>Membership Related Income</b>		<b>Membership Related Expenses</b>	
<b>Farm Listing</b>		<b>Administration</b>	
08 Farm list	2,574.46	Conference Calls	1,653.01
09 Farm Listing	1,944.91	Government fee	25.00
<b>Total Farm Listing</b>	<b>4,519.37</b>	Mbshp. Postage	400.03
<b>Membership Dues</b>		Office Exp.	45.76
2008 Membership dues		Printing for Membership	84.35
08 Family memberships	4,772.67	Tax. Prep. Services	435.00
08 Individual Memberships	6,877.08	<b>Total Administration</b>	<b>2,643.15</b>
08 Youth Membership Dues	137.36	<b>Annual Meeting Exp.</b>	
Total 2008 Membership dues	11,787.11	09 Annual Meeting	
2009 Membership dues		Annual Meeting Notice	283.73
09 Family Memberships	2,424.01	Annual Meeting Room Exp.	350.00
09 Individual Memberships	3,637.52	<b>Total 09 Annual Meeting</b>	<b>633.73</b>
09 Youth Memberships	67.36	<b>Annual Meeting Exp. - Other</b>	<b>300.00</b>
Total 2009 Membership dues	6,128.89	<b>Total Annual Meeting Exp.</b>	<b>933.73</b>
<b>Total Membership Dues</b>	<b>17,916.00</b>	<b>Election exp.</b>	<b>967.93</b>
<b>Quarterly Inc.</b>		<b>FEIF related expenses</b>	
Quarterly Adv. Inc.	2,769.18	FEIF Mbshp fees	1,759.30
Quarterly back issue sales	45.00	Wire fees for FEIF pmts.	42.00
<b>Total Quarterly Inc.</b>	<b>2,814.18</b>	<b>Total FEIF related expenses</b>	<b>1,801.30</b>
<b>Website Inc.</b>		<b>Insurance</b>	<b>1,324.00</b>
Stallion Book Inc.	-200.00	<b>Quarterly Expenses</b>	
Website Ad Inc.	225.92	Graphics	6,000.00
<b>Total Website Inc.</b>	<b>25.92</b>	postage for Quarterly	1,036.71
<b>Total Membership Related Income</b>	<b>25,275.47</b>	Quarterly Printing	9,965.68
		<b>Total Quarterly Expenses</b>	<b>17,002.39</b>
		<b>Service fees</b>	
		<b>Bank Fees</b>	
		Returned check fees	18.00
		Wire fees	82.00
		Bank Fees - Other	28.00
		<b>Total Bank Fees</b>	<b>128.00</b>
		<b>Total Service fees</b>	<b>128.00</b>
		<b>Website</b>	<b>115.90</b>
		<b>WorldFengur Exp.</b>	<b>1,724.20</b>
		<b>Total Membership Related Expenses</b>	<b>26,640.60</b>

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## Income/Expense Report

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Income		Expense	
<b>Non USIHC Member fees</b>	<b>980.00</b>		
<b>Pleasure Rider Program Inc.</b>		<b>Pleasure Rider Program Exp.</b>	
08 PRP Mbshp. Inc.	840.00	07 Pleasure Rider Pgm. Exp.	1,366.16
09 PRP Mbshp. Inc.	560.03	Pleasure Rider Program Exp. - Other	118.01
<b>Total Pleasure Rider Program Inc.</b>	<b>1,400.03</b>	<b>Total Pleasure Rider Program Exp.</b>	<b>1,484.17</b>
		<b>Promotional</b>	
		Display booth shipping	56.16
		Equine Affair Exp.	651.72
		Promotion Material Printing exp	83.88
		Promotional Advertising	835.00
		Trail Blazer Festival Exp.	350.00
		<b>Total Promotional</b>	<b>1,976.76</b>
<b>Registry Income</b>		<b>Registry Acct. Expense</b>	
Duplicate Registration fees	150.00	Clerical for registry	4,858.00
Late Stallion Report fees	3,200.00	Computer Program exp.	65.00
Non-registration fees	625.00	Printing & reproduction-Regist.	212.27
Registration fees	9,180.00	Reg. Office supplies	576.37
Transfer fees	2,640.00	Reg. WorldFengur Sbscrptn exp.	228.28
<b>Total Registry Income</b>	<b>15,795.00</b>	Registry Postage	563.95
		<b>Total Registry Acct. Expense</b>	<b>6,503.87</b>
<b>Youth Inc.</b>		<b>Youth Exp.</b>	
Spaeri Award Inc	300.00	Spaeri Award	257.70
Youth Cup Tryout Fees	350.00	Youth Cup Exp.	350.00
<b>Total Youth Inc.</b>	<b>650.00</b>	<b>Total Youth Exp.</b>	<b>607.70</b>
<b>Net Ordinary Income</b>	<b>57,663.09</b>		
<b>Other Income</b>			
unknown deposit	0.35		
<b>Total Other Income</b>	<b>0.35</b>		
<b>Net Other Income</b>	<b>0.35</b>		
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>57,663.44</b>	<b>Total Expense</b>	<b>51,199.08</b>
<b>Net Profit/(Loss)</b>		<b>6,464.36</b>	

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>USIHC Annual Meeting Education Committee report</b></p>
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## **1. Review USIHC projects 2008**

### **⇒ FEIF trainer level 1 seminar GA**

- In March 2008, Katrin Sheehan organized and hosted a FEIF trainer level 1 seminar with clinician Walter Feldmann at Creekside Farm, Georgia. The USIHC certified 5 FEIF level 1 trainers who passed the exam.

### **⇒ Introduction of new 2 day sports competition seminar CA and WI**

- Asta and Will Covert organized and hosted a sports competition seminar with clinician Uschi Heller-Voigt at Flying C Ranch in Santa Ynez, California. Participants qualify to be a member of the sports committee.
- Barb and Dan Riva organized and hosted a sports competition seminar with clinician Andre Boehme at Winterhorse Park in Wisconsin. Participants qualify to be a member of the sports committee.

### **⇒ Sports judging seminar with intern judge certification VT**

- Susan Peters, Sigrun Brynjarsdottir and Jason Brickner co-organized and hosted a sports judging seminar with clinician Marlise Grimm at the Tunbridge Fairgrounds in Tunbridge, Vermont. Jason Brickner took the exam, passed and was certified as a USIHC intern judge. Participants qualify to be a member of the sports committee.

### **⇒ Horse health and well fare KY**

- Kathy Love and Gudmar Petursson supported, hosted and coorganized a variety of seminars conjunction with Gudmars Kentucky Icelandic Horse Show in October in Louisville, Kentucky. The seminars included horse health lectures with Doctor Jack Easley speaking about equine dental care and Doctor John Timoney speaking about bacterial diseases as well as a discussion panel of the two doctors and Laura Benson and Gudmar Petrusson and a saddle fitting clinic with Eileen Gunipero.

- **2. Review other accomplishments and projects 2008**

⇒ **Introduction of a new questionnaire for quality control**

- development of a new questionnaire
- responses and the feed back helps to plan and improve
- responses very encouraging in 2008.
- questionnaire is supposed to be up on the web site for down load soon

⇒ **Creation list of certified trainers in the US and description of different trainer programs for USIHC web site**

- Sara Lyter and Alex Pregitzer created a list of all certified Icelandic horse trainers in the US
- Worked out a detailed description of the FT and IPZV trainer programs
- Working on FEIF trainer program to add
- All information is in the process of being verified in order to get published on the USIHC web site soon
- Information will be a helpful assistance for members enabeling them to locate trainers, get in touch and also to see what their qualification means

⇒ **Canadian reciprocity of intern judges**

- The committee suggested to acknowledge Canadian intern judges and the board agreed
- After talking to Canadian members, it was concluded that it would be difficult because of different responsibilities in the two countries
- Decision to work together closer for further education

⇒ **International reciprocity of intern judges**

- The committee suggested to acknowledge other countries intern judges if they have a similar knowledge/education
- Board requested a more detailed request which is being worked on

### **3. Overview projects 2009**

- ⇒ **Further education of intern judges**
  - ⇒ **Cooperation with CIHF**
  - ⇒ **Breeding seminar**
  - ⇒ **FEIF trainer level 1 seminar**
  - ⇒ **Other seminars in 2009**
  - ⇒ **Riding badge program**
- planning for a judging seminar geared towards further education of intern judges in the works. Options so far are Jens Krarup and Einar Ragnarsson. For further planning awaiting exact WC tryout dates and locations.
  - CIHF member farm asked to piggy back on some of our educational events to cut back cost and include more people in the programs. The Education Committee will consider this option in the future.
  - some USIHC members are interested in a breeding seminar (judging for breeding evaluations). Inquiries have been started.
  - FEIF trainer level 1 seminar at Creekside Farm this spring. USIHC supports the seminar and will certify those passing the exam.
  - For future trainer seminars, the education committee is working on more detailed policies such as prerequisites (so far first aid class).
  - English teaching materials lacking for trainer seminars in the US. German IPZV signaled willingness. FEIF is awaiting an official response.
  - Gudmar Petursson and Kathy Love signaled to support another USIHC seminar at their 2009 show and there are other facilities, too. No detailed plans so far.
  - Winterhorse Park, WI, is planning to host a riding badge program for badge level 1 this spring.

### **4. Goals 2009**

- ⇒ **Further development of educational programs covering a variety of topics**
- ⇒ **Trying to market the riding badge program better**

## **USIHC – Quarterly Committee Report 2008**

- Four issues were produced and mailed on time.
- Our editorial focus this year has been "the welfare of the horse"; we have also continued to stress "the versatility of the horse".
- We've had several new people join the committee and are now up to 16.
- The electronic Quarterly project was implemented and has been very successful.
- We're having problems with advertising. Once our new system was in place to guarantee that we didn't print ads until they were paid for, the number of pages of advertising dropped way down. We could use the help of someone interested in marketing to increase the number of ads we sell.
- We're developing a new protocol to collect Regional Club news more efficiently.
- We could use more input from committee chairs. Some contribute articles and news items regularly, some never contact the Quarterly.



## **2008 USIHC**

### **Pleasure Riding Program Report**

The 2008 PRP included 52 USIHC members!

As of 1-13-2009, there are well over 10 new PRP members enrolled in 2009!

The PRP now has enrolled our past sponsor, Mountain Horse and has recruited two NEW sponsors: Tolt News and Kerrits.

A new award for 2500 hours has been established.

PRP renewals and logs are moving towards electronic/paper less.

## **2009 PRP**

Plans for 2009 include but are not limited to:

Establishing a new division: The All-Star's, this division is for PRP members who have won 1st place awards more than twice. The PRP Committee is currently working on defining this new division: stay tuned!

To group the youth division into one: There are not enough youth in each region yet and this will allow a more competitive spirit. Furthermore, each youth will have a placing, and each youth will achieve a prize! For example, places will not be limited to 1<sup>st</sup>- 3<sup>rd</sup>.

The PRP logs will become shorter, using less paper and time spent filling them out.

A new award is in the works: The USIHC PRP Award for Community Service. This award will honor a PRP member who provides community service hours with their USIHC register horse! The award is in the process of being defined. Shaggy Mountain Icelandic Horse Farm is willing to sponsor the award for 2009.

## USIHC – Regional Clubs Committee Report 2008

- Club renewal status as of January 12, 2009. (Renewals are not due until January 31<sup>st</sup>).

AIHA	Missing 2 USIHC member signatures
Cascade	Missing 1 USIHC member signature
CIA	Missing 1 USIHC member signature
FIRC	Missing 1 USIHC member signature
Flugnir	Missing 1 USIHC member signature
Klettafjalla	Nothing submitted
Kraftur	Missing 1 USIHC member signature
Los Angeles	Missing 1 USIHC member signature
Maine	Nothing submitted
<b>NEIHC</b>	<b>COMPLETE</b>
Saint Skutla	Missing 1 USIHC member signature
So. Cal	Nothing submitted
Texas	Nothing submitted
West Coast Can Am.	Missing 2 USIHC member signatures
- Suggestions for Clubs activities:
  - Parties,
  - Parades,
  - Drill Teams,
  - Fun Shows,
  - Clinics,
  - Meetings,
  - Trail Trials,
  - Trail Rides,
  - Gymkhana,
  - On-line classes
  - Geocaching.
- What does the USIHC offer and what would people like to see offered?
  - Offered:
    - *Quarterly,*
    - World Fengur,
    - Clubs listed on USIHC website.
  - Would like to see:
    - Airfare for judges judging Schooling Shows,
    - Help for fees with Clinics,
    - Help pay Insurance costs.  
(% basis of membership/USIHC membership ratio)
- People would like to see the words "Fun Day" and "Schooling Show" used when possible instead of "Competition" to help increase participation in events due to people not wanting to feel as if they are getting "Judged".
- Simplify the Regional Club Renewal Process.

# **USIHC Sport Committee 2008**

## **Sanctioned Shows in 2008**

Location	FEIF International Judge(s)	Starting Combinations
Dillsburg, PA May	Petur Jokull Hakonarson	21
Santa Ynez, CA May	Uschi Heller-Voight	35
Watsonville, CA June	Petur Jokull Hakonarson	27
Watsonville, CA August	Johannes Hoyos	26
Vermont August	Marlise Grimm	38
Wisconsin September	Halldor Gunnar Victorsson	45
Virginia October	Horst Klinghart	46
Kentucky October	Petur Jokull Hakonarson and Isolfur Lindal Thorisson	76
Santa Ynez, CA November	Rune Svendsen	25

## **2009 World Championships Tryout**

Judge will be Einar Ragnarsson and the tryouts will be held in California, New York and Georgia mid May.

Einar was the Chief judge at the World Championships in 2007 and will be again in 2009, he judged the US tryouts in 2007 along with the German, Icelandic among other WC team qualifications.

Ancramdale, New York – Mill Farm  
Atlanta, Georgia – Creekside Farm  
Santa Ynez, California – Flying C Ranch

World Championships will be held in Switzerland August 3 – 9, 2009  
For more information [www.icelandichorses2009.ch](http://www.icelandichorses2009.ch)

## **Rules**

**New edition of FIPO --** FIPO is valid from April 1 until April 1 the next year. Every year in the end of March, a new version of FIPO is published. This version includes all changes in previous years. This version (in English and German) is available for free download from the USIHC website.

## **USIHC Sanctioned Show Rules**

Updated USIHC Sanctioned Show rules will be available prior to and go into effect on April 1, 2009

## **USIHC -- Web Site Committee Report 2008**

### **Mission Statement:**

The USIHC's web site exists to serve the needs of the membership, promote the Icelandic Horse to guests, and relieve the burden of Congress volunteers.

### **General**

- ✓ Complete the work started in 2007 to revise overall site layout and navigation.
- ✓ Add graphical member, member household, and horse statistics.
- ✓ Make USIHC logo a link to the home page to follow web best practices.
- ✓ Standardize footer to correctly set copyright date and contact info on all pages.
- ✓ Change background on the left side of all pages on the test server to make it obvious which server is being viewed.
- ✓ Add placeholders to all (or key) pages for sponsorship links in either a banner-at-top-of-page position or on the right side.
- ✓ Clobber all personal email addresses and replace them with forwarding aliases indicative of Congress office or function (eg. president@, stallion\_book@, etc.)
- ✓ Make sure all pages are fully W3C standards compliant.
- ✓ Actively monitor web logs and make sure all pages are error free.

### **Quarterly Pages**

- ✓ Implement online ad submission and tracking pages.
- ✓ Publish the *Quarterly* online as a PDF.
- ✓ Allow members to opt in to receive *Quarterly* via PDF (instead of by US Mail).

### **PRP Pages**

- ✓ Allow members to use Acrobat Reader to complete applications.
- ✓ Integrate PDF enrollment with membership application and renewal.

### **Calendar**

- ✓ Automate calendar page so events drop off at the end of each month.
- ✓ Maintain archive of expired events for browse and/or search.
- ✓ Create RSS feed for calendar.

### **Bulletin Board**

- ✓ Automate bulletin board so items drop off at a specific date as specified for each item.
- ✓ Maintain archive of expired bulletin board for browse and/or search.
- ✓ Create RSS feed for bulletin board.

### **Stallion Book Page**

- ✓ Accept online submissions for new listings.
- ✓ Accept PayPal for new listings.

### **What we didn't get to...**

1. Update the photos throughout the site with new, more powerful images.
2. Investigate implementation of a horse sales page to generate revenue for the Congress.
3. Online PRP hour tracking & submission. Allow submission via web site and email.
4. PRP Automated scoreboard (requires online hour tracking).
5. Online application for sanctioned competitions (both for organizer and participants).

## Annual Report: Icelandic Horses Registered for year 2008

	Domestic Bred Under 12 Months	Imported Under 12 Months	Domestic Bred	Imported from Iceland	Imported from Canada	Imported from Iceland through Canada	Imported from other countries	Total Registered		Total Transfers
Mares	62	3	33	40	3	2	2	145		96
Stallions	49	2	14	10	0	0	1	76		17
Geldings	5	1	23	23	6	0	1	59		61
Total 2008	116	6	70	73	9	2	4	Total	280	174
Total 2007	129	1	90	82	12	4	11	Total	329	230
	-13	5	-20	-9	-3	-2	-7		-49	-56

**2008: Total number of horses registered: 280**

**2008: Total number of horses transferred: 174**

Domestic Horses registered	<b>2276</b>
Imported Horses registered	<b>1570</b>
Total number of Icelandic horses registered with the USIHC 1/9/09	<b>3846</b>

### Recorded for 2008

Horse that were gelded	12
Deaths	7
Duplicate registrations	3
Number of Mares Bred in 2008	211
Foals born in 2008 already registered	47
Microchips registered into WorldFengur	25

#### AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE V (Proposed by Kari Pietsch-Wangard)

**Article V – Offices** (deleted portion struck out, added wording in *bold italics*).

The principal office of the Congress shall be 6800 East 99th Avenue, Anchorage, Alaska 99507 Telephone: (907) 346-2223. The Board of Directors may change the location of the principal office *of the Congress* as it may from time to time designate.

**Reason: The principal office of USIHC has changed and may again at any time in the future, which is allowed in the current Constitution. In order not to confuse anyone reading the Constitution, it would be best not to list any address in this document and therefore should be struck.**

#### AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE V (Proposed by Doug Smith)

**Article IV – Voting and Elections** (deleted portion struck out, added wording in *bold italics*).

Section 1: Only adult members of record as of two weeks before the notice of election are eligible to vote in the upcoming election. Voting for elections will be accomplished by secret ballot. Mail-in ballots will be provided with instructions subsequent to the Notice of Elections. All other issues at the Annual Meeting or a General Meeting will be voted upon by the member in attendance at the Meeting.

Section 2: The President of the USIHC shall appoint the members of an election committee at least six months prior to an election. The committee shall have no less than three members and no more than seven, all of whom shall be members in good standing with the USIHC. Members of the Board of Directors and candidates for election, as well as members of their immediate family, may not serve on the election committee. The election committee shall

- (a) Select its own chairperson.
- (b) Notify the membership of elections by September 1st.
- (c) Accept nominations until October 1st.
- (d) Prepare and mail out ballots to all members by October 15th.
- (e) Accept voted ballots until December 1st.
- (f) Count ballots with a majority of the election committee present at a location of their choosing.
- (g) Announce election results by December 15th.

New Directors shall take office ~~upon the announcement of the election results~~ *on January 1<sup>st</sup>, following the election.* Officers of the Board of Directors shall be elected by the Board of Directors at their first meeting *in January.*

*Section 3: If by October 1<sup>st</sup> there are three or fewer nominations, the nominees shall be considered accepted by the Membership and there will be no need to prepare ballots for an election. The nominees shall take office on January 1<sup>st</sup>.*

**Reason: If there are no more than three nominations for an election, it would be in the best interest of the organization to consider the election complete. This would save the Election Committee's time and the Membership's money by eliminating the mailing of ballots.**

**Regardless of when the results of the election are announced, the new Director's terms should begin on January 1<sup>st</sup> following the election. The current wording is not consistent with this date.**

# Youth Committee Report 2008

Laura Benson, Youth Chairman

## Getting Started

2008 was a year of change and great accomplishments for the youth committee. First off we would like to thank Sandie Weaver for her wonderful years of service as youth committee chair.

First priority of the year was forming a functional and committed group of people to run the youth committee. Laura Benson accepted the role as chair and has been diligently assisted by Susan Peters, Susan Milloy, Barb Riva, Nicki Esdorn and Kimberly Hart. This team has dedicated countless hours of time and research into paving a greater path for the youth of the United States.

## FEIF Youth Cup

Our first challenge of 2008 was to quickly (and efficiently) pull together the team for the 2008 FEIF youth cup in Switzerland. After a huge collective effort we managed to send off 4 wonderfully talented young riders; Carrie Lyons-Brandt, Sophie Shaloub, Lucy Nold and Amber Parry. The team leader was Jasmine Ho, who generously opened her home in Switzerland to the girls and offered transportation and fantastic leadership. Susan Peters went as country leader, putting together all paperwork and organizational aspects of the endeavor, she was a priceless addition to the team. Here is an overview of the Youth Cup:

Each girl made it to the finals in at least one competition (Amber Parry: A finals in T-6, Sophie Shaloub: B finals in T-6, Lucy Nold: B finals in T-7 and Carrie Lyons-Brandt: A finals in V-4.)! They also one the Country Night competition for their rendition of "Cotton Eyed Joe", which raised everyone from their seats and resulted in a room full of foot stomping, clapping and animated dancing.

These girls were outstanding ambassadors for the United States. They worked extremely hard, often in hostile weather, rode with talent and skill and were all around excellent representatives of the US, earning the respect and friendship of youth participants, team leaders and country leaders alike.

## Spæjari Award

This year the Youth Spæjari Award went to three dedicated young riders. Jennifer Wright, Megan Milloy and Emily Pfoutz. Spæjari is the Icelandic name of the Icelandic endurance horse commonly known as Remington. Spæjari is known for his determination, passion and indomitable will. This award is intended to inspire and encourage these same qualities in our youth who enjoy spending time with Icelandic Horses. John and Marilyn Parke kindly sponsor this award on an annual basis. Read the essay's of this years winners in the 2008 Issue 2 of the USIHC Quarterly.

## Competition

2008 was a great year for youth in competition as well. We had more youth participants in sanctioned USIHC competitions than ever before, some of them placing highly in the National Ranking system. We had a very successful “Youth brainstorm session” at Gudmar Petursson’s sanctioned show in Kentucky. Many youth attended and great new ideas were born.

### Looking Ahead

Although there were many other things we would have liked to accomplish in 2008, the rest of our time has been dedicated to the planning of the first FEIF youth Camp to be held in the United States. This is an event of great importance for our country and it will give us a chance to show the other countries our hospitality and also our dedication to the Icelandic Horse. Barb and Dan Riva have offered to hold the event at Winterhorse Park in Wisconsin and preparations are well underway.

I think we are at the beginning of an exciting new era for North America’s youth and we will continue striving hard to create more opportunities and events for these kids. 2009 has been declared “Year of the Youth” by the USIHC and we hope that you will join us in making it a year to be remembered. Here is a list of ideas that we have on our agenda for 2009:

### **Kids Suggestions:**

- Create a youth advisory board to the youth committee



- Create a USIHC blog for kids
- Create “featherlight” seat award for best youth rider to be given annually (or at each show, or both)
- Have a national camp each year in the US
- Start planning earlier to help kids get to the Youth Cup and to the WC.
- Sponsors for youth participation in international events
- Mentoring program
- Youth riding badge program that documents levels of achievement

#### **Challenge Each Club:**

- Work with the youth coordinator of each club
- Implement goals through greater communication
- Challenge holders of sanctioned shows to look for ways to increase youth participation
- In annual renewal of club membership, ask each club to offer thoughts on how youth participation might be increased

#### **Short and Long Term Goals:**

- Short term: create awards, blog, advisory board and coordinate with clubs
- Long term: national camp, sponsorships for YC and WC

## **2009 FEIF YOUTH CAMP**

JULY 17<sup>TH</sup> - JULY 24<sup>TH</sup>

The 2009 FEIF Youth Camp will be held at Winterhorse Park Icelandic Horse Farm in Eagle, Wisconsin, located about 2 hours Northwest of Chicago, Illinois. Winterhorse Park is a 97 acre facility nestled in the middle of the Kettle Moraine State Forest.

Winterhorse is a full service Icelandic Horse specific facility which offers an official 300 meter competition track and pace track and a 200 x 80 indoor riding arena. Of course, the itinerary includes Icelandic Horses and a trip to Winterhorse would not be complete without a trail ride through the Kettle Moraine Forest to the town of Eagle for lunch.

Some of the highlights of our 2009 FEIF Youth Camp will be:

- A full day of water park fun at Noah's Ark Water Park in Wisconsin Dells. America's Largest Water Park featuring 49 waterslides, 2 huge wave pools, 2 endless rivers, mini golf and much, much more. ([www.noahsarkwaterpark.com](http://www.noahsarkwaterpark.com))
- American Indian Culture Day. Lac du Flambeau Indian tribe Dance and Drum group will perform at Winterhorse. An authentic American Indian meal will be served. Events of the day will be geared toward American Indian culture.
- A refreshing summer event floating down the Wisconsin River on inflated tubes. Campers will enjoy floating down the scenic Wisconsin River stopping for lunch, swimming and fishing along the way. ([www.bobsriverside.com](http://www.bobsriverside.com))
- Cowboy Up for some Western Riding Fun. Southwind Ranch of Eagle, Wisconsin will give lessons on how to ride "Western Style". We will also have the opportunity to do some Team Penning on their ranch. ([www.southwindranchinc.com](http://www.southwindranchinc.com))
- We will also arrange some time for shopping at one of our large outlet malls. Prime Outlet Mall in Pleasant Prairie offers a large variety of stores to shop.

The cost of the Camp will be \$800 USD for the week.

## **FEIF YOUTH CAMP VOLUNTEERS AND CONTACT INFORMATION:**

- **TRANSPORTATION:** Dan Riva: [djasn@centurytel.net](mailto:djasn@centurytel.net)
- **ACCOMODATIONS:** Barb Riva: [winterhorse@centurytel.net](mailto:winterhorse@centurytel.net)
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## **LIST OF ADDITIONAL VOLUNTEERS:**

- Ann Schmitz: [ann@onceuponatimeverona.com](mailto:ann@onceuponatimeverona.com) \*events on the farm
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- Kimberly Hart [kmbryhrt@sbcglobal.net](mailto:kmbryhrt@sbcglobal.net) \*events on the farm



## USIHC Sport Committee

### National Ranking 2008

#### Award Winners<sup>1</sup>

<b>Discipline</b>	<b>Rider</b>	<b>Average</b>
T1	Asta Covert	7.60
T2	Anne-Marie Martin	7.30
T3	Asta Covert	7.35
T5	Kari Pietsch-Wangard	5.90
T6	Sverrir Bjartmarz	5.30
T7	Dominic Ng	5.85
T8	Lucy Nold	7.65
V1	Asta Covert	7.40
V2	Asta Covert	6.75
V3	Doug Smith	5.65
V5	Dominc Ng	6.00
V6	Lucy Nold	6.50
F1	Gudmar Petursson	6.80
F2	Asta Covert	5.40
F3	Kari Pietsch-Wangard	5.75

<sup>1</sup> Complete results for all qualified riders will be available on the USIHC web site after the annual meeting.