



Grounds Report 2017

Two work days were held in 2017. The first was our usual clean-up day in May. The second was in Oct.

There were no acts of vandalism at the facility in 2017.

Garbage sorting continues to be an issue at events and during rentals. Some groups are now taking their garbage with them when they leave.

Work done:

- TIR graded the road as far as the culvert, but not until many phone calls later.
- During clean-up day, general cleaning was done. Rails and planks were replaced on fences of all 3 rings.
- Shingles were replaced on the roof of the Judges booth and the booth was painted.
- A large washout in the lower part of the ring is an ongoing issue. It was repaired once again.
- Two straight stalls were turned into 1 box stall.
- The pressure tank on the pump was replaced.
- A new kitchen light fixture was installed.
- The trim and doors on the barns & clubhouse was painted.
- A make-shift tire drag was constructed. We need a new one.
- Toilets were repaired.
- A board on the clubhouse steps was replaced.
- A post in the barn was secured.
- The manure pit was cleaned out twice.
- There is lots of damage to posts & rails of the rings. This needs to be repaired in 2018.
- Pattons winterized the plumbing in Nov.
- Minor repairs around the facility are on-going.



Series and Hunter Horse Shows Committee Report 2017

CNHP offered three Series Shows in 2017. They continued to bring in revenue for the club. Entry numbers were consistent with 2016. The class list remained the same except for the Regular Open Hunter Class. A 3' height was added. The number of Stakes classes remains at 4. The number of divisions remains at 11. Thanks to the hard work of our Board members, all Stakes classes were sponsored, along with the divisions. The Stakes classes were sponsored for \$100.00, the payout being to 6th place. All fees remained the same. Division winners were awarded summer sheets. Reserve place winners were awarded gift certificates from the local tack shops. The club wants to thank those who sponsored divisions in 2017. It is greatly appreciated.

CNHP offered a Hunter Show in May, the day following our first Series Show. The format and classes remained the same. Prize monies were handed out for division winners.

All hunter courses were designed by two CNHP members, who had taken the Course Design Clinic offered by the NSEF.



CNHP Dressage Year end Update - 2017

Dressage at CNHP in 2017 offered two Bronze shows: a two day show in July with Judge Ron King from Ontario and a one day show in September with Judge Alison Gallagher from New Brunswick. Unfortunately, the September show was cancelled due to lack of entries as was a proposed one day clinic with Ron after the July show.

Greenhawk continued as our primary sponsor which was much appreciated by both competitors and organizers. Roz Moskovits of Hearthstone Equestrian continued with her sponsorship of the Charlotte Whidden Memorial Prize at the July show for a deserving Training rider, with CNHP's thanks.

We continued to offer the Dressage Equitation classes for Juniors and adults this year, and we also offered Western Dressage classes, as well as the NSEF Scotia Series Skills classes.

There is much work required "behind the scenes" leading up to each show which has to be done so thanks to those who looked after this for the club. Thanks also to the many people who helped prepare for and worked at the show.

Many thanks to the competitors also. Your support is appreciated!

Respectfully submitted,

Pam Macintosh



Central Nova Horse Trials 2017 Year End Report

2017 marked the seventeenth year of Central Nova Horse Trials. This EC Silver & Bronze competition ran on Sunday, July 16th. 45 riders from around the Maritimes came to compete, which was great and the NS Regional Pony Club Rally was also held in conjunction with the Horse Trials. It was a very successful day with everyone enjoying themselves. The dressage judges were Susan Fraser and Roz Moskovits, both from NS. They were also the Ground Jury members.

A clinic, run by Horse Trials Nova Scotia, was held on July 5th with Andy Wadowski to help prepare riders for the upcoming competition. This clinic was well attended. A show jumping clinic was run by HTNS on October 9th with Ruth Allum, which was full. Ruth is a well known eventing coach from Ontario as well as the Chair of Eventing at EC.

Ongoing maintenance is required on the course with a few jumps being replaced prior to the competition as they had come to the end of their lifespan. This type of replacement will have to continue in 2018.

Once again, we had a very enthusiastic Eventing Committee comprised of myself, Sheri Morehouse, Margie Johnson, Carollyn Crewe, Jackie Waugh and Lisa Pettigrew. Stacey and Norman Paupin also worked hard alongside us to help get ready for the competition and Tami White continued on as Chief Scorer for the day. Gillian Doiron, Darlene Stevenson and Sid Peters also were a great help with the show preparations – thanks so much.

Both course preparations, getting sponsorship and running the competition requires much time and commitment and the members were outstanding in their devotion. We'd like to thank all those people that came out to work on the course and who volunteered during the competition. We also have a number of volunteers who return each year to help work at the competition which is wonderful. Your help was much appreciated.

Thanks also to the sponsorships we received from both individuals and businesses. A complete list of these sponsors can be found under Sponsors on the CNHP website. We could not provide such a great competition without their generosity. Please support them throughout the year.

Once again, the course was put to good use last season with a range of Pony Club activities. Others used the course for schooling purposes. It's gratifying to see the course well used as it makes all the volunteer efforts worthwhile.

Respectfully submitted,
Pam Macintosh, CNHP Horse Trials Committee



Canteen Report 2017

The canteen duties for the shows in 2017 were carried out by CNHP Board members Chrissy Lindsay, Sheila McLellan & Sheri Morehouse, plus a few volunteers. The club ran a canteen for a total of 6 shows plus 1 rental and 1 clinic. Sheri purchased the groceries for all the shows. Very little food was donated to the canteen to sell this year.

Profits from canteen:

May Series Show/Hunter Show	\$435.40
June Series Show	\$438.70
Horse Trials	\$714.00
July Dressage Show	\$341.90
September Series Show	\$664.25
October Rental	\$355.15
October Clinic	\$61.00
Total	\$3010.40
Receipts for food	\$1353.38
Profit for CNHP	\$1657.02



Finance & Membership Year end Update - 2017

Financial:

opening balance – \$8231.81

deposits – \$24,668.27

expenses – \$28,120.26

closing balance – \$4779.82

Membership:

single – 61

family – 10 (28)

total - 89

Respectfully submitted,

Sheila McLellan