

Northumberland County Riders
2025 Annual General Meeting
Saturday, 25 October 2025, 12:45 p.m.
Fenella Hall, 8071 Hwy 45 Roseneath, ON

MINUTES

Present: Voting Members: Anna Turnbull President, Sam Austin Vice-President, Helen Turnbull Secretary-Treasurer, Kaitlin Lewington Show Secretary-English Director, Mel Maynard Western Director, Presley Barton, Lisa Boyle, Brenda Casteels, Jennifer Dagenais, Rachel Filip, Grace Howard, Charlene Jacob, Terri Keough, Rosemary Nicholls, Nicole Robertson, Mandy Roth, Dorthy Shanahan, Lisandra Waldie, Youth members and Guests

Regrets: Desiree Bendell, Hailey Buckle, Sarah Watkinson, Andrea Wernham

1. Call to Order: 12:40 p.m.
2. Approval of the Agenda - Moved by: Anna Turnbull, Seconded by: Helen Turnbull - CARRIED
3. President's Report; Anna spoke to the success of NCR in 2025 as a rejuvenated club while remaining true to the club's original values. She acknowledged the positive culture of the club and thanked the Executive, specifically Kaitlin Lewington, the membership, the Austin/Riley families, specifically Sam Austin, Chris Field, Jason Stockman, Leisa Deremo, Kathy Blewett and our many sponsors and donors. Sign up sheets for jobs for 2026 were circulated. Anna, again, set increasing membership, specifically parents/guardians as voting members as a goal for 2026.
4. Treasurer's Report - Helen reported a bank balance of \$5, 544.72 at the beginning of 2025. A summary of revenue and expenses from 4 October 2024 (the day preceding the 2024 AGM) to 20 October 2025 was provided to the membership. Helen pointed out in Misc. Expenses an expenditure of \$1, 460.00 for jumping standards. Helen let the membership know that the club will be looking into purchasing a trailer to store and transport the standards. The closing balance as of 20 October was \$10,927.07. Helen informed the membership that a year end, as of 31 December 2025, will be posted on the website.
5. Elections - Officers
Slate of candidates:
 - President - Anna Turnbull
 - Vice-President - Kaitlin Lewington
 - Treasurer - Helen Turnbull
 - Secretary - Helen Turnbull
 - Show Secretary - Kaitlin Lewington
 - Western Director - Mel Maynard
 - English Director - Rosemary Nicholls

Nominations and Election: No nominations, from the floor, were received. The slate of candidates were acclaimed.

6. New Business

- a. Team Challenge 2026 - Anna - The idea of Team Challenge has been suggested as a possibility for the 2026 show season. Anna will look into it further for consideration by the executive before putting it out to membership.

ACTION: Brenda Casteel provided a folder with a description of NCR Team Points Challenge and Schedule "A" NON Rated Shows - Qualifying Classes to the treasurer to pass on to the President for information and possible action.

- b. Class list changes 2026 - Kaitlin informed the membership that due to time constraints Trail will no longer be a class in 2026. Members, Nicole Robertson and Terri Keough, asked if there was an opportunity for the membership to have input into the decision.

ACTION: Anna and Kaitlin invited the membership to provide input via facebook or directly to Anna and/or Kaitlin's e-mails as to how to continue to offer Trail in a time efficient manner.

7. Motions: To receive the financial report as presented. 1st Brenda Casteel
2nd Nicole Roberts - CARRIED

8. Adjournment: 1:03 p.m.