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THE CANADIAN REGISTRY OF THE TENNESSEE WALKING HORSE

The 37th Annual General Meeting Saturday evening, May 25 saw a good turnout of members, and for the first time we welcomed our President, Sue Gamble from the comfort of her home in Ontario as she joined

us via Face Time on her iPad! *Photo Right*

After the meeting The Canadian Triple Challenge Awards were presented. The Ride, Drive, ALT participants accumulated a total of 1401 submitted hours in 2018, and we also had two 1000 hour riders - Brenda Woodall reached her first one thousand hours and Allanna Jackson was awarded her second 1000 hour badge. (see page 2.)

There were 8 submissions in the Program For Excellence with 3 Bronze, 1 Silver and 4 Gold Awards, plus 8 submissions in the Training Levels Challenge. Congratulations to



all participants for your achievements and hard work. Details and photos to follow.

RESIGNATION



Brenda Woodall of Linden, AB has resigned from the CRTWH Board of Directors. She was

appointed in 2016 and has been an asset to the Board. Brenda managed the Ride Drive ALT Program until the fall of 2018. Her hard work helped make 'The Canadian Event' last fall the great success that it was. She was also instrumental in organizing the May AGM Clinic which was very popular and well received. Thank you for all your work and enthusiasm, Brenda. We will miss you!

NEWS FLASHES

- Send hair for DNA <u>with your foal's</u> registration application. See next page for details and instructions.
- You can pay for CLRC transactions by e-transfers now. See last month's Canadian Walker.
- The new Coat Colour Chart is available on www.crtwh.ca. Watch for the addition of photos, coming soon!
- An on-line auction to raise funds for our Programs and Educational initiatives will be featured this fall. Please start looking for 'horsey' items you'd like to donate to the cause.

SEND FOAL HAIR SAMPLES <u>WITH</u> REGISTRATION APPLICATIONS

*Send foal hair for DNA with the registration application (except for registrations from the U.S.)

*Pull 20-30 mane hairs, usually from the withers, or tail hairs. Pull a few at a time, so you get the hair roots (that's the part with the DNA).

*Tape the hair onto a clean sheet of paper across the middle of the sample. DO NOT touch the hair roots (which may contaminate the foal's DNA).

*Fold and seal it into a paper envelope (never a plastic bag!).

* Write the pending name of the foal, its parents' names and your name on the outside.

* Include with your foal's registration application.

*MAIL to CLRC at 2417 Holly Lane, OTTAWA, ON K1V 0M7



Congratulations!

To BRENDA WOODALL who reached her first <u>one thousand hours</u> certificate and badge in the CRTWH Ride/Drive/ALT Program.

(ALT = Agility, Liberty & Trick training or other ALTernate activities with your horse.

That is an amazing commitment of time and devotion.

Our best wishes as you continue your journey with your Walkers!

Congratulations!

also to ALLANNA JACKSON

Back Yard Velvet and



who was awarded her <u>second</u> 1000 hour badge this year for her hours spent riding her home bred and raised mares, Back Yard Cinnamon. A wonderful achievement!