



# North American Corriente Association

2014 Board Meeting  
Nov 18, 2014 7pm MT

Vice-President Dave Kalasinsky called the meeting to order at 7:12 pm MT.  
Board Members present: Russell Drury, Douglas Dale, and Russell Drury. Ellen Hamilton (Secretary) was also present.

## Memberships for 2014 so far

- 137 active members
- 16 associate
- 15 junior members
- 330 life members
- 40 new memberships for 2014
- Total members: 498

**2013:** 139 active members, 10 associate members, 19 junior, 335 life members  
Total: 503

**2012:** 103 active members, 8 associate members, 13 junior, 333 life members  
Total: 457

### 2014 Registrations: (1/14 – 11/18)

Under 12 months: 491

Under 18 months: 131

Under 24 months: 49

Over 24 months: 23

TOTAL Reg so far = 694

Transfers: 328

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### 2013 Registrations Statistics: (1/13-12/13)

Under 12 months: 447

Under 24 months: 180

Over 24 months: 19

TOTAL for year = 646

Transfers: 375

New Business:

1. **2014 National Show Review:** Financial Numbers are in... and the show was in the black by \$800!

## 2. **Half Blood Registry Discussion:**

Dave, Douglas, Russell and Dale commented in support of half blood registry due to: low numbers for breeding stock, and high prices. It was suggested that a half blood registry would increase membership numbers and herd book entries by involving those currently attempting to become breeders that can't find registered stock. If this idea is advanced further, then it was suggested that it mimic the program from the past except that a one-time inspection of unregistered females should be considered prior to allowing progeny to be accepted in the registry. The fee schedule would need to be reviewed.

Costs to launch: Initial launch could be done without added cost to the registry, but the registry software should eventually have modifications made to allow for automated printing of different certificates. This can currently be done by manually manipulating the registry. It is expected that the software upgrade would be less than \$500.

**ACTION:** Request that all board members and advisors send their opinions in to Ellen by email by NLT Dec 8<sup>th</sup> for review in next meeting on Dec 15<sup>th</sup>.

3. **Wrangler articles:** Dave K handling submissions for next two months (due Nov 15<sup>th</sup>, Dec 15<sup>th</sup> ) Douglas Dale will have PACA article and pictures in by Jan15<sup>th</sup>; Russell will have article in by Feb 15<sup>th</sup> on branding; Dale will handle article due by March 15<sup>th</sup>; Russell will handle April 15<sup>th</sup> article;
4. **Next Face to Face Board/Advisory Board Meeting:** Suggest the next face to face meeting be set for mid to late March 2015
  - a. (eg) 19-21 March, 26-28 March or April 2-4
  - b. **ACTION:** Everyone check their calendars and submit their preferred date!
  - c. We would love to have as many advisors as possible too!
  - d. Location: Monument, Colorado

Next Board Meeting: Monday, December 15<sup>th</sup> at 7pm  
Adjourned: 8:15pm