



PRESIDENT: Bob Clogg
VICE PRESIDENT: Duke Fields

SECRETARY: Connie Murray
TREASURER: Cheryl Thuma

Minutes
Aug 15, 2019
Goodells County Park
Community Building

The Aug meeting was called to order at 7:15 pm.
Pledges were led by Bob Clogg

Attendances were done by roll call this month:

Absent:

1st Roll call: Equestrians Anonymous, Liberty Riders, Midnight Express, Rimrock Acres, Saddle up, Whispering Pines

2nd Roll call: Equestrians Anonymous, Liberty Riders, Midnight Express, Rimrock Acres, Saddle up, Whispering Pines

Minutes /Correspondence:

~Minutes approval: motion to accept July 2019 minutes by Lucy Brown, second by Robyn Limberg. Motion approved.

Treasurer's report:

~Motion to accept July 2019 Treasurer report by Nikki Scott, second by Dawn Anglebrandt
Motion Passed

Extension Report:

- ~Interviews for Loris Supervisor are being conducted.
- ~Lake to Table has 35 kids registered
- ~4H open House sponsored by Leaders Council. Enrollment is better but still down from 2016-2017. Please encourage your kids and club to participate in this event On Sept 28 from 10-2
- ~Background checks will be done every year from now on for all volunteers. Watch your email for different emails regarding reenrollment.
- ~Leaders banquet is Nov 1 @ Alexanders in Marysville
- ~We had some great teamwork this year for fair! Thank you!

Fair Board Report:

- ~Numbers were down due to weather this year
- ~Capitol project for grant from MDARD will be the horse barns this year.
- ~Moving forward to next year

Fair Superintendent Report:

- ~Great year!!!

Barn Managers: Good**Ad Book:**

- ~Extras left over
- ~We may utilize them for the 4H open House

Awards:

- ~All information for kids graduating out of the program next year will be sent to Nikki Scott.
- ~Suggestion to do a better job for the kids graduating out of the program.
- ~Plans are to get certificates for the 2019 graduating out of program kid's certificates.

Billboards:

- ~1 billboard needs the spelling fixed
- ~1 needs to be rehung
- ~Heavier zip ties worked better this year plus having the extra posts helped also.

Budget: Good**Clinics:**

- ~Day Camp Date is May 9, 2019

Developmental: Good**Dressage: Good****Fair Open Show:**

- ~Total on show was \$1405.00 w/receipt
- ~We still need payment from fairboard for the last 3 yrs but Mike Tomasek is working on getting the records for this.
- ~Ideas on how to improve: Gate Fees? Change showbill? Jackpot Class Sponsor? Early Entry? Parking?
- ~Cost to put up portable stalls is approx. \$2250 and horseleaders pay \$1125

Fun Classes:

- ~Everything went well this year! We will continue to have it on 2 days again next year.

Gymkhana: Good

Horse Bowl/Hippology:

- ~Sponsor forms for nationals will be available soon.
- ~The first Monday in Oct starts the new season!

Horseless Horse:

- ~Please encourage your kids to participate in this program.
- ~Can we get a gift certificate for Tammy Schlabach for being the judge?

Horse ID:

- ~The state is expected to mandate that we have a copy of everyone's coggins in our book with the horse ID for next year.
- ~We will have updates on how we will proceed with this.
- ~The suggestions are for each club to build their own binder or if doing a digital copy then horse ID may not be necessary but if using a yellow copy horse ID will be needed. More information to come!

Horse Judging: Good

Horse Ring Bookings:

- ~Discussion as to how effective this is? How many clubs are utilizing this? We will put a poll on facebook? This does cost us \$900.00 to sponsor these rideout dates.

John Tate Memorial Speed Show: Good

Jumping: Good

Miniature Horse:

- ~Will need Coggins next year for the cloversprouts.
- ~Open show went great! Total was \$644.00
- ~Pens need to be washed or power washed before they are put away.
- ~Need more clubs on the committee

Presentation Parade:

- ~Get the info to Marianne by May 1
- ~Add line to Horse ID for graduating senior

Project Record Books:

- ~Moving on to next year
- ~Option for no project record book is doing a horse science project for Winter Achievement on Jan 18, 2020

State Qualifying Show:

~ Date: June 28, 2019

~Kids are all at the state show or headed that way.

Sue Jones Memorial Scholarship Fund: Good

Teen Leaders: Good

Trail: Good

Warm Up Show: Date for show June 27, 2019

Winter Project Area:

~Starts on the first Monday in October 7 at Goodells

Old Business: Good

New Business: Good

Open Forum:

~Suggestion for Horseleaders to buy radios for use during fair and shows.

~Suggestion to split walk trot showmanship class, this year had 28 kids, into age groups.

~Suggestion was that Set up & Tear Down not many stayed for tear down.

~Suggestion was to move horsemanship to Monday after showmanship to alleviate some of the waiting issues.

~SCC Trailblazers won trash barrel

~MIHA Recruiting still taking Kids

Leaders Donation: Donation amount was \$42.00 Robyn Limber won 21.00

Motion to adjourn meeting was made by Barb Schember; Second by Austin Saab. Motion passed.

Aug 2019 Minutes respectfully submitted by Connie Murray.