

## Horse Leader's Monthly Meeting – April 5, 2012

X	A Canterin Commotion	X	Hidden Creek		Shooting Stars
X	A Step Ahead		High Bounty Posse	X	Showcase Riders
X	Bands, Braids & Barrels	X	Horsin' Around	X	Stablemates
	Bit by Bit	X	Leather N Lace	X	Stars, Stripes & Snips
	Blue Ribbon Riders		The Mane Event		Steel Horses
	Boots N Britches	X	Nickers N Neighs	X	Team Meadowview
X	Carousel	X	Perfect Partners		Train N Rein
X	Country Cowboys	X	Rainbow Riders	X	Wind Riders
X	Dream Riders	X	Ridge Riders		
X	Friends & Neighbors	X	Rockin' Horse		
	Galloping Riders	X	Saddle Up Country		Horse Superintendent
Key: X = Attended    Blank = Absent				X	MSU Educator

**Please remember to sign in on the attendance sheet!**

Call to Order w/ Pledges: by President, Stacie Berends-Bode @ 7:36pm

Secretary's Report: Barb Roth

March, 2012 Horse Leaders Meeting Minutes – emailed out to leaders on March 15

Motion to Accept: Cathy MN            MSC

Treasurer's Report: Deb Zbikowski

Motion to Accept: Marty                MSC

Date	Description	Withdrawal	Deposit	Balance
3/1/12	Beginning Balance on Checking			<b>\$17,831.75</b>
3/27/12	michigan message center	-\$10.95		\$17,820.80
4/5/12	<b>Ending Balance on Checking</b>			<b>\$17,820.80</b>
4/5/12	<b>Account Balance on Savings</b>			<b>\$20,019.62</b>

Extension Office: Glenda Kilpatrick

- Please remember to share with your families!
- Emailing the Horse info to all Horse Families! Please make sure that Glenda has current email on all families
- Bunn scholarship due June 1

Fair Board: Dave Pachulski – absent

- 2012 Fair Theme – The Bounty of Kent County
- Next Meeting: April 11; 7:30pm @ King Building

Old Business:

- Youth Committee – Marty Barkow – barkow@wmis.net
  - Next Meeting: April 12 7pm @ MSUE
  - Showmanship/Trail Clinic - May 20
  - Dressage Clinic – still in the working stages
  - Safety Posters due June Leader Meeting
- B&G Work List – sign ups at May meeting
  - Clubs who did not sign up to work KFNO will be required to work 2 B&G
- KFNO
  - June 6 Concessions – Country Cowboys taking June 6 – Opening up July 3
  - Jumping Showbill – one change is the Coggins dated in the current fair year (Sept 1)
- X-Treme Cowboy Race - Website up and running – www.xtremecowboy.org
  - Tee shirt orders due today – can order at the website
- Declarations or Intentions due May Horse Leader Meeting – see below for all paperwork/fees due – make sure money is in!

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- Additional funds can be earmarked for: Bleachers, Drainage, Stall Repair, Barn Electric

### New Business:

- State 4-H Horse Show – Aug 17-19 – Applications due July 2 to the Extension office by 3pm – Applications available by 4/15 on website
- ? on the restriction of allowing a 3<sup>rd</sup> place rider from a pleasure equitation class riding in the gymkhana equitation class
  - Discussion regarding the fairness of excluding a rider that didn't qualify for the championship class
  - The program is already approved – needs to be put on the list to discuss for 2013
- Double Stall form & KFNO showbill – new form will be up on website soon
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Motion to Adjourn by: Kristie Rozeboom MSC

### Upcoming Events: (4-H Year is September 1-August 31)

- Leader Meetings – 7:30pm @ MSUE Office – 4/5, 5/3, 6/7, 7/12, 8/2, 9/6, 10/4, 11/1, 12/6
- Stallion Expo March 9-11
- Leader Meeting for Fair @ King Building 4/26 @ 7p & 4/28 @ 10a
- Youth Committee Trail/Showmanship Clinic – Sunday, May 20 – 2-6pm – Lowell
- Circle K Performance Horses/Friends & Neighbors EWHA Show – Saturday June 2 – Lowell
- Circle K Performances Horses/Friends & Neighbors NBHA Show – Sunday, June 3 – Lowell
- Youth Committee Dressage Clinic – TBA July
- Horsin' Around EWHA Show – Saturday July 14 – Lowell
- Rainbow Riders Kids Hunter Show – Wednesday July 25 - Lowell
- 2012 Fair Dates: August 6-11 – Theme: TBA
- 2012 State Show August 17-19

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### 2012 KFNO Schedule

Date	Day	Show	Workers	Concessions	Manure Clean Up
June 6, 2012	Wed	Pleasure	Shooting Stars – 8 High Bounty Posse – 4 Hidden Creek - 4	Country Cowboys	Bit by Bit
June 12, 2012	Tue	Speed	Showcase Riders – 5 Stars Stripes & Snips - 5	A Step Ahead	Bit by Bit
June 13, 2012	Wed	Jumping Show	Rainbow Riders	Rainbow Riders	Bit by Bit
June 20, 2012	Wed	Pleasure	Stablemates - 7 Bit by Bit - 8	A Step Ahead	Perfect Partners
June 27, 2012	Wed	Speed	Blue Ribbon Riders – 8 Wind Riders - 6	Stablemates	Perfect Partners
July 3, 2012	Tue	Pleasure	Train N Rein – 6 Meadowview - 9		Rockin' Horse
July 11, 2012	Wed	Speed	A Canterng Comm - 10	Judging Team	Stablemates
July 18, 2012	Wed	Pleasure	Dream Riders - 8 Country Cowboys - 10	Blue Ribbon Riders	Wind Riders
July 25, 2012	Wed	Pleasure	Saddle Up Country – 8 Friends & Neighbors – 3 Steel Horses - 5	Stablemates	Train N Rein

**2012 Horse Leaders Deadlines** - [kentcountyhorseleaders.com](http://kentcountyhorseleaders.com)

#### May 3 – Horse Leader Meeting

Declaration or Intent to Declare forms with the 1<sup>st</sup> half of the Declaration Fee (\$50) per member (*no refunds*)

Horseless Declaration Form with \$10 Declaration Fee (*no refunds*)

Explorer Declaration Form with \$15 Declaration Fee (*no refunds*)

Assumption of Risk Waiver – One per family w/ each member listed & signed

Helmet Education Form – One per family with each member listed and signed

Xtreme Cowboy Tee Shirts Orders - \$12 (free tee shirt w/ youth entries)

#### June 7 – Horse Leader Meeting

Declaration Form for members who filed an Intent to Declare in May

Double Stall Form with \$50 fee

Safety Posters

#### June 15

Camping, Premium Statements... due to the FAIR office

#### June 30

2012 Early Release Request to Dave Pachulski (with required documentation)

State 4-H Horse Show application packet to MSUE on Ball Ave

#### July 2 (not a meeting date)

2<sup>nd</sup> half of the Declaration Fee (\$50) per member due – can be turned in any time before this date (*no refunds*)

#### July 13 – The following items are due to the Extension Office before 3:00pm (can be turned in early)

2012 Class Entry Form – one per member/explorer

Immunization and Negative Coggins Form with each member/explorer copies filed alphabetically

Required: Tetanus, Eastern/Western Encephalomyelitis, Rabies and West Nile - Negative Coggins dated September 2010 or later

KEEP Elements – where applicable

KEEP Book – Dismounted Abilities for appropriate division – Evaluation Patterns

KEEP Pattern for level change within division

Stable Record Book including copies of Immunizations and Negative Coggins

Age appropriate Explorer Record Book with dismounted abilities for 7-8 year olds

Horseless Record Book; Horseless Dismounted Abilities; Horseless Project Elements

Gymkhana and Jumping Evaluations