

## Horse Leader's Monthly Meeting –June 7, 2012

X	A Cantering Commotion	X	Hidden Creek	X	Showcase Riders
X	A Step Ahead	X	High Bounty Posse	X	Stablemates
X	Bands, Braids & Barrels	X	Horsin' Around	X	Stars, Stripes & Snips
X	Bit by Bit	X	Leather N Lace	X	Steel Horses
X	Blue Ribbon Riders	X	Nickers N Neighs	X	Team Meadowview
X	Boots N Britches	X	Perfect Partners	X	Train N Rein
X	Carousel	X	Rainbow Riders	X	Wind Riders
X	Country Cowboys	X	Ridge Riders		
	Dream Riders	X	Rockin' Horse		
X	Friends & Neighbors		Saddle Up Country		
	Galloping Riders	X	Shooting Stars	X	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 @ 7:42

Secretary's Report: Barb Roth

May, 2012 Horse Leaders Meeting Minutes – emailed out to leaders on June 5

Motion to Accept: Robin Kline            MSC

Treasurer's Report: Deb Zbikowski

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Date	Description	Withdrawal	Deposit	Balance
5/3/12	Beginning Balance on Checking			<b>\$19,179.85</b>
5/5/12	KCYF SALT	-\$500.00		\$18,679.85
5/21/12	michigan message center	-\$10.95		\$18,668.90
5/25/12	May Declarations, Banners, Sponsorships		\$14,610.00	\$33,278.90
5/31/12	Returned NSF Check	-\$50.00		\$33,228.90
6/5/12	#1585 Meijer - 3 KFNO Judges	-\$150.00		\$33,078.90
6/5/12	#1586 Deb Z - KFNO Supplies	-\$14.59		\$33,064.31
6/6/12	<b>Ending Balance on Checking</b>			\$33,064.31
6/6/12	<b>Account Balance on Savings</b>			<b>\$20,019.62</b>

Extension Office: Glenda Kilpatrick

- Horse E-News went out last week
- Addressed 4-H family father's alleged behavior – not to be discussed in 4-H setting – send all questions/comments/concerns to Glenda – this family is not in a leadership role anywhere in 4H
- We are youth leaders – we are set to higher standards as such – think about behavior exhibited in front of kids – we have signed a code of conduct...

Fair Board: Dave Pachulski

- Footing is in make-up arena – came in \$400 under budget!
- Light at wash rack is in as of today!
- Need to set up stalls on Wednesday June 13 – Paul Graves to supervise – it is our responsibility to check our stalls before moving in horses
- There is NO premium fee for ABC Grouping or Record Books – if you paid it, you will be reimbursed in premium checks – otherwise do not pay

Old Business:

- Youth Committee – Marty Barkow –aleisha.miller@gmail.com
  - Dressage clinic – Tues, July 17; 6:30 @ Fairgrounds- use KFNO hotline for cancellations
  - Next Meeting: Thurs, June 14; 7:00 @ MSUE – planning games for Sunday night

Horse Leader Website – [www.kentcountyhorseleaders.com](http://www.kentcountyhorseleaders.com)

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- B&G Work List – Four clubs left to sign up – will send out the final list in email next week
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- KFNO
  - \$980 for 1<sup>st</sup> KFNO
  - Workers need to be there at 5:00pm
  - There is a refrigerator in the food booth now!
- X-Treme Cowboy Race - [www.xtremecowboy.org](http://www.xtremecowboy.org)
  - Tee Shirt Order forms due by June Leader Meeting – kids entries get FREE shirt if signed up by July 1!
- Declarations for Intentions and Double Stall request due tonight
- July 2 deadline for remaining balance of Declarations – Banners to Stacie, Sponsorships to Barb, All other due to Deb – can be turned in at any KFNO or mail

### New Business:

- Dressage Arena – since we moved to 4 arenas, we borrow one arena from Linda Cooper. We need to purchase our own. The 4<sup>th</sup> arena has been priced at \$1000. Cindy Koning motioned to approve the quote MSC
- KFNO original intent was a schooling show – they have become much bigger. It's a great fundraiser for our program. We currently give a \$25 gift card to our volunteer judge. We are low on judges that are willing to give up their night... There are some leaders and aged out 4Hers that are judging this year to make up the difference. We are going to have a hard time to continue this type of show. We need to either appeal to the "open show" or the "schooling show". Please remind parents that these judges are volunteers, announce at KFNO, put in news letter from Glenda...
- Rachel VanLaar is willing to do another trail clinic – call her if interested 616.877.2886
- Emily White is offering a casual show series on Tuesday nights
- 189 Declarations, 36 Explorers, 7 Horseless

Motion to Adjourn by: Sabrina Nienhuis @ 8:50pm MSC

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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	Country Cowboys	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

**KFNO Hotline** 616.394.4018

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

**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*)

State Horse Show Applications Due

**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 2011 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

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

- Leader Meetings – 7:30pm @ MSUE Office – 7/12, 8/2, 9/6, 10/4, 11/1, 12/6
- Youth Committee Dressage Clinic – TBA July
- Horsin' Around EWHA Show – Saturday July 14 – Lowell
- 2012 Fair Dates: August 6-11 – Theme: The Bounty of Kent County
- 2012 State Show August 17-19 – applications due by July 2 to the extensions office