

Horse Leader's Monthly Meeting – December 6, 2012

x	A Canterin' Commotion		x	High Bounty Posse			Shooting Stars	
x	A Step Ahead			Horsin' Around		x	Showcase Riders	
	Bit by Bit			Leather N Lace		x	Slow Lopin Riders	
x	Blue Ribbon Riders		x	Nickers N Neighs		x	Stablemates	
x	Boots N Britches		x	The Outlaws		x	Stars, Stripes & Snips	
	Carousel		x	Perfect Partners		x	Steel Horses	
x	Country Cowboys		x	Rainbow Riders		x	Team Meadowview	
	Dream Riders		x	Ridge Riders		x	Train N Rein	
x	Friends & Neighbors		x	Rockin' Horse			Wind Riders	
	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 Bode @

Secretary's Report: Barb Roth

November, 2012 Horse Leaders Meeting Minutes

Motion to Accept: Kathy Covert MSC

Treasurer's Report: Julee Pavelka

Motion to Accept: Kim Walsh MSC

Date	Description	Withdrawal	Deposit	Balance
10/30/12	Beginning Balance on Checking			\$24,421.41
7/25/12	#1630 Kristi Rozeboom - KFNO Manure Cleanup	-\$100.00		\$24,321.41
	#1636 Horsin' Around - 353.53 stick horse, 22.99 signs, 64.77 fair office	-\$441.29		\$23,880.12
11/11/12	michigan message center	-\$10.95		\$23,869.17
11/30/12	Ending Balance on Checking			\$23,869.17
11/30/13	Account Balance on Savings			\$20,022.86

Extension Office: Glenda Kilpatrick

- Horse Project News
- MSU Pavilion Benefit Clinic 2/2/13 Preparing Pleasure Horse – applications due 1/4/13 link in e-Newsletter

Fair Board: Dave Pachulski

- No Report
- Next meeting December 12, 7:30pm – King Building

Old Business:

- New Club Meeting – see Stacie after meeting
- Buddy Club System – see Stacie after meeting
- Youth Committee – Aliesha/Marty
 - 12/28/12 meeting at Extension Office – welcome party – pizza, fun @ 6:00 pm – contact Marty Barkow for more info.
- Program Changes
 - Order of go will be for contesting, jumping, dressage tests and ground pole classes
 - Sr/HM Presentations will have an application (for HM) and bio form (for both) that will be due at the time of Record Books
 - Ground pole patterns – will go up on the website – changing for Nov thru hm
 - Adding a w/t class which will be a jumping prep class (needs to be rated)
 - Swap order – hunter over fences, eq over fences, hunter hack, then ground poles
 - Swap – have dressage eq then hunter eq

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- SS pattern will be at 6 pm
- G/R showmanship class will split the arena and have one class at a time
- Versatility – events possible are 18" hunter hack, speed/action, IN flag race, reining, bareback eq, dressage eq, English eq, western eq, freestyle (basically, design a pattern) (Check box that says safety rating for versatility) – Four events will be chosen on Friday morning
- Game night – musical stalls Nov W/T and Nov Int/Nov A, egg/spoon, simon says, tennis ball relay
- Saturday Event
 - Pro/Am event – share horse on fairgrounds, have to sign up as a team, those eligible to play are kid with leader or parent, everyone will show individually, e.g. if adult gets knocked out the kid is still in the game – For example if we have 300 riders, there will be four events – top 90 riders move to speed, top 30 from speed move to eq pattern then top 6 will go on to extreme trail using Xtreme cowboy obstacles. The event will have a renaissance or medieval theme. Preliminary fundraising is Silent auction for Calcutta at the entry booth. It will start after awards ceremony. Not a 4H event.

New Business:

- Banner Brochure
- Declaration Process – coming soon Leaders will have responsibilities – form available next month (January meeting)
- Updated Sponsorship form
- 2013 Record books will be on web-site
- Discussion about doing survey on capital improvements and money we have to improve
- Send email to Stacie for improvements – will do a list and do a survey at January meeting
- Education Opportunities – assist in replenishing resources – need ideas

Motion to Adjourn by: Sabrina Nyenhuis MSC

- Upcoming Events: (4-H Year is September 1-August 31)
- Winterfest – 12/15/12 @ DeltaPlex
- Showmanship Clinic coming in January in Rockford
- Leader Meetings – 7:30pm @ MSUE Office – 1/3, 2/7, 3/7, 4/4, 5/2, 6/6, 7/11, 8/1
- 2013 Fair Dates: August 5-10 – Theme: TBD