

Horse Leader's Meeting Minutes – July 9, 2015

Attendance: Key: X = Attended Blank = Absent

Please remember to sign in on the attendance sheet!

A Canterin' Commotion
 A Step Ahead
 Bit by Bit
 Blue Ribbon Riders
 Country Cowboys
 Denim & Dust
 Dream Riders
 Friends & Neighbors
Gallop'n' Riders

Horsin' Around
 Leather N Lace
 Nickers N Neighs
 Perfect Partners
 Rainbow Riders
 Ridge Riders
 Rockin' Horse
 Saddle Up Country
 Showcase Riders

Slow Lopin Riders
 Stablemates
 Steel Horses
 Train N Rein
 Wind Riders

Horse Superintendent
 MSU Educator

Call to Order w/ Pledges: President, Carolyn Johnson @ 7:30 p.m.

Secretary's Report: Pam Lockwood-nothing new to report

Motion to Accept: Matt Weldon MSC Kristi Rozeboom – Motion carried

Treasurer's Report: Carolyn Johnson-in place of Adela-went over balance sheet

Motion to Accept: Pam Lockwood MSC Matt Weldon – Motion carried.

Extension Office: Glenda Kilpatrick

- Camp went great-there 40 campers, and the age was older this year. Excellent instructors (Carolyn and Stacie both instructed) this year. Feedback from kids and parents has been great. Glenda recognized the committee of Sue Clay, Lori Raimer, Kathy Covert, Holli Melton, and Kristi Rozeboom for their excellent work on the camp.
- Bunn Scholarship interviews were July 8.
- Eleven Kent 4-H riders will be participating at the State 4-H Horse Show. **Two volunteer workers still needed.**
- Glenda reminded us to stay calm with any situations that may arise right before the fair. Something usually does, but we always get through it. Be a source of information and leadership for your members and their families.

Fair Board: Dave Pachulski

- Dave reported that we need sweepstakes judges for fair. He would like them to be a few years out of fair. Marlana Barkow's name came up as a possibility. Julie G will check and get back to Dave.
- Dave also reported that 40 campers are going to have to camp across the road (Alden Nash) this year. If people want to volunteer, they should do so through the fair office by July 17. Any spots not filled will be determined by lottery.

Old Business:

- New forms for immunizations will be available next year.
- Fair programs will be on the website next week. Carolyn asked that everyone proof this and get back to her with changes needed.

New Business:

- Pam will be posting fair job descriptions on the website, as well as making paper copies to hand out at the next meeting. This should help groups understand the job duties better.
- Marci reminded people that the Leather and Lace show is July 11. Neck ribbons and a high point trophy will be given out.
- Terri Gordon was introduced as the show manager for fair. Much Applause!

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- Stalls were set up by Carolyn and 5 workers. Applause!
- Buildings and Grounds work list-Team Meadowview is working on finishing their jobs.
Committee reports:
- Capital Improvements-FF&H in Sparta may be able to supply a round pen for fair at a discounted (or free) rate. We still need two 12 foot gates. Entry gate B is fixed. People need to see Dave for any help with the double stalls.
- Cathy N. reminded everyone that they need showmanship exhibit tags.
- Youth Committee-We are planning games again for the Sunday night before fair. A great way to get everyone together for some fun!
- Explorers-patterns are done.
- Banners-Artwork must be done by July 1 to guarantee printing for fair.
- Herdsmanship-Sue has printed guidelines. Daily prizes like popsicles will be given out. Clubs can earn extra points if they recycle.
- KFNO-Thanks to Country Cowboys and Lindsay Watkins for (judge) for working the July 8 show.
- Jillian will put in the ribbon order tomorrow.
- State delegates-11 people going. Candice still needs 2 workers, or we cannot send the delegates.
- Trail-Holli reported that HM can walk over the round mat, instead of trot. Also-no animals will be used for the pattern.
- Some discussion on porta johns for fair. Conclusion-Adela will call and order 4. Dave will determine location. Fair will give us 2.

The next leader meeting is on August 6, 7:30 **AT THE EXTENSION OFFICE**. Please note this location-it is not at the fairgrounds!

Motion to adjourn at 8:30 by Matt-seconded by all.

- KFNO Speed, 7/16/14 Pleasure, 7/23/14 Pleasure.
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Motion to Adjourn @ 8:30 p.m. by Dave Pachulski

MSC Kathy Covert

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