

Adams County Horse Committee Meeting
Tuesday May 3, 2022
7:00 p.m. Zoom Meeting

Bill Acklin	Darci Acklin	Renda Beard	Brenda Brown	Tania DeKruif
Alyssa Gomez	Kari Gomez	Kristie Hamilton	Sandy Lampo	Elsie Oswald
Paige Oswald	Kellie Stoll			

Extension Agents present: Chris Uhing, Kenzie Kimmel

Bill called the meeting to order at 7:06 p.m.

Introductions

Agenda: The agenda was reviewed

Minutes: Kari moved to accept, Darci seconded, approved

Treasure Report: Kristie reporting

- The account balance is \$1340.54
 - purchases this month were: computer - \$553.00 & the horse show program - \$395.00
 - our scholarship fund account is \$3500.00
- Kellie moved to accept report, Darci seconded, approved

Horse Shows:

- Bill and Taylor will meet with Jeff tomorrow to learn how to update the website
- The registration link for the rescheduled show from April, participants will need to reregister
 - Kellie reported that the call to change the show date was made because of impending weather. By canceling when we did, we were able to change reservations for judges without having to pay anything. We are being extra cautious with our very limited funds.
 - Brenda Berlin reported that we have 2 confirmed judges for the show
 - still need an announcer, ring stewards, gate help, scribes and runners
 - also need office help as Kristie and Sandy will both be out of town
 - Paige and Elsie can assist after 10:00
 - Bill will reach out to Bould County for possible scribes
 - reminder that members can get volunteer credit for helping set up Trail the night before the show
- Tarp set up will be May 14th at 4:00. We will have a BBQ potluck

Clinics:

- Brenda Brown reported that they are working on the June clinic schedule.
- Open ride clinics this month
 - May 9th - Safety & Walk/Trot clinic
 - May 11th - English clinic
 - May 16th - Chiropractic clinic, Kenzie reported that this could be moved into the barn or sale arena if the weather is bad. It will be \$60 for the chiropractor.
- Reminder that we can do Level 1 & 2 testing during open ride clinic nights. The deadline for leveling up is July 1st.
- Reminder to take the written tests for leveling. You do not need an appointment, they can be taken anytime during office hours

Unfinished Business:

- Fundraising
 - Renda reported that they made a donation from Great Way Real Estate several weeks ago, Kenzie & Chris will look into it
 - Coswald Consulting will send in \$500 this week
 - DeKruif family has been doing some fundraising, someone gave \$100
 - We do not have money to purchase awards this year for horse shows as we did no fundraising for the last 2 years. In the past, we have spent about \$5000 on awards
 - Barb Marty and Dry Creek club would like to do concessions for all of our horse shows this year. HC will ask for a percentage of profits to go back to the Horse Committee.
 - Reminder that donations do not have to be just cash, they can be “In-kind” donations as well.
- Website
 - Bill & Kellie met with Jeff about the website
 - Bill sent him the link for the show registration
 - the website should be fully up and running soon
- Awards
 - Executive committee will look to see what we still have

New Business: No new business

4 H Extension Update: (Chris)

- Bank: TBK or 1st National?
 - Kristie reported that she is ok with staying with TBK for now
 - Kristie & Kenzie will get together to go in to add Kenzie as a signer for the account
- Thank you for the May arena dates. Kenzie and Chris will send them to the grounds crew so they know when to work the arenas
- Kenzie attended the Colorado State 4-H advisory committee meeting April 14th in Jeffco and brought up some of our suggestions. She learned that there is a place to send rulebook suggestions throughout the year. Kenzie is working on tracking down that link.
- The written test is scheduled for July 11th. Who is going to be writing the test? Do we want assistance?
 - Kenzie will assist with creating the tests.
- The deadline for Horse IDs is past, recork book interviews will be in mid-June

Announcements

- Next meeting: June 7, 2022
- Animal Record Books Due: September 2, 2022

Kristie moved to adjourn, Darci seconded. Meeting adjourned at 8:11pm