Horse Advisory Meeting Minutes

May 12, 2010

Michele Bundy called the meeting to order at 7:08 pm.

**Corrections to the minutes:** April 14, 2010 - Barlow Vet, Equus Vet, and Coastal have given donations to Springfest Horse Show. Correction, Barlow Vet, Equus Vet and Wilco have given donations to Springfest horse Show.

**New faces:** Welcome Nicole with Rocking Rainbow Riders and Janine from Horse Power.

**Guests:** Members of the Spring Horse Classic Teams gave a thank you presentation to Horse Advisory for its support.

Darby O’Hearn, a member of Divine Equine, gave a presentation on the Ely arena-painting project. We will paint on Saturday, May 22 from 11:00 to 4:00 and on Sunday, May 23 from 12:00 to 3:00. Volunteers are still needed. **Motion:** Cindy made a motion that Horse Advisory gives Divine Equine $200.00 to purchase food for the paint party volunteers. **Second:** Shirley **Motion passed**

**Committee Reports:**

- **Treasurer** – Glendel – Current Balance – around $23,000. More information later.

- **Dad Potter** – George – 5 members signed up. 1 member got a 3 step. The clinic was a wonderful, educational experience.

- **Springfest** – Gerry – There were 99 entries for this year’s Springfest. The profit for this event was $2,362.83. There was one injury, other than that the event went great!

- **Driving** – Rennie – Just a reminder that there is a new book for Driving.

- **Jr. Horse Advisory** – Michelle - Fair events schedule:
  - **Sat** – Carnival during Barbeque
  - **Sun** – Mini Power Hour TBA
  - **Mon** – Stick Pony Race
  - **Tues** – Game Night
  - **Wed** – Costume Contest
  - **Thurs** – Scavenger Hunt

Jr. Horse Advisory would like pictures of members and their ponies for fair posters. Pictures may be from Fair or from other Horse 4-H activities such as Horse Bowl, Horse Judging, Public speaking/Presentations, etc. Please email pictures to Michelle - shell.my.bell27@gmail.com

- **Pre Fair** – Janice – All went well. Karen did a great job with the volunteers.

**Old Business**

- **Fair Book** – All flyers and information that is to go in the Fair Book must be given to George by June 1. Thanks to United Riders, there will be Ice Cream Sundaes at Fair on Monday and Wednesday. Janice, can we have donuts at the morning meeting? And can we get more photographers for Fair?
• **Outriders** – Tom – The more outriders/walkers we have, the merrier we’ll be. Please volunteer!

• **May 15 Clinic** – Cindy – The hours will be from 9-12 am. There will be 12 tables for displays in ½ of Ely arena and demonstrations on Showmanship, Western Equitation, and Hunt Seat Equitation in the other half of the arena. Set up time is 8:30. Hours of Clinic are from 9:00-12:00.

• **Golf Cart** – Ours is dead. Becky will ask for donation on face book. Shirley will look into prices on new ones.

• **Hay Fund** – Michele presented the Hay Fund concept at a State Extension meeting. The idea was well received. A website is in the works.

**New Business**

• **Pink shirts and badges** – Horse Advisory will pay for 1 pink shirt for voting members and will pay for 1 shirt for each voting club. If you want to order a shirt, contact Polly Crouch. If you need a badge, please contact Glendel.

• Medic red shirts will be ordered in larger sizes.

Meeting adjourned at 8:30.

Respectfully submitted
Carol Bridges, Secretary