

# Oceana County Horse Developmental Committee

## Secretary's Report

July 2013

Members in attendance- Karla Swihart, Amanda Coker, Judie Burmiester, Chad Coppess, Hiedi Michael, Stephanie VanSickle, Sarah Velat, Kim Eubank, Sarah Sylvester, Lori Cargill, Mia Altland and Mary Yeager

\*Secretary's report- June minutes were emailed to those wishing for emailed minutes as well as a few copies available at the meeting. A motion was made by Sarah with a second by Hiedi. **Motion carried**

\*Treasurer's report. No report available Aaron

\*Complaints are not to go to fair board members, the process is leader, superintendant, and executive board and if still not resolved it will go to Youth Council. Stephanie was given the list of the executive council list. **The Executive Council consists of Amanda, Julie, Kim and Mary.**

\* Stall reservation cards including tie/box stall and request letters due Aug.2<sup>nd</sup>.

**Stall Mtg- The stall meeting will be held on August 12<sup>th</sup> at 7pm at the extension office.**

\*Grace Adventures clinic- Save the date cards have been mailed to all 4H members. The clinic will be held July 13<sup>th</sup> from 10am-3:15pm the cost is \$20 per person with a maximum of 40 participants. HDC has scholarships available for 4H horse project members. Youth Council has offered scholarships for non horse member.

\*Feedback from those that went to Grace Adventures, the younger kids (non horse club kids) enjoyed themselves. Older kids and younger kids that are in horse clubs were a little bored. Older group wanted to have more hands on type activities and more leadership.

Grace Adventures is offering a Fall Horse camp. This will be open to all 4H'ers registration will be due Friday August 6<sup>th</sup> by 5:00pm. Camp needs Head County by August 9<sup>th</sup>. There will be high-lines for tying horses, can also make pens for horses that may not tie. Arenas will be set up on skill levels and a structured recreation/down time. Chaperones are a must. Horses are available for those 8 years and up that do not bring a horse.

Amanda will look into prices for t-shirts for horse camp.

\*Any other business- Mia Altland is looking for a few horse kids that will work with special needs kids and therapy horses. The more help she has the more people the program can reach. It is also for a non-club point for those needing them. Please contact Mia Altland.

A motion was made by Karla to adjourn the meeting with a second from Julie.

**Motion carried**

Respectively submitted by Mary Yeager- HDC Secretary

**These minute are not yet approved**