

Oceana County Horse Developmental Committee

Secretary Report

July 2016

In attendance: Faith Mayse, Lillian Gregory, Connie Cargill, Lori Cargill, Kim Eubank, Hiedi Michael, Beth Meachum, Deb Giraitis, Colleen Sayers.

Secretary Report: The report was emailed and sent via Facebook as well as copies available at the meeting. Questions and changes were made to the June minutes as follows: Clinics-Kim will hold a jumping clinic at the fairgrounds on July 27th at 6:00 pm. Must have the proper attire to participate. (Clinic point will be awarded only if you participate in the jumping clinic) Driving Clinic needed to have non-club point added to the minutes. **A motion was made by Amanda with a second by Beth for the above changes. Motion carried. A motion was made by Amanda with a second by Deb to approve the minutes. Motion carried.**

Treasures Report was tabled until the September meeting.

July Show: The judge stated we need to learn the 4-H Rules. Such as in speed events the rider must dismount prior to leaving the arena. 4-H Rule Book pg.98 #7 states Gymkhana riders must dismount etc. HDC will be enforcing this rule from now on. The question also arose on whether or not dismounting would pertain to all classes or just Gymkhana. (still in discussion) There were complaints that the judge didn't follow all the rules and was not consistent on who she enforced them upon.

HDC needs 1 set of jump cups ordered. **A motion was made by Amanda with a second by Beth. Motion carried.** (Kim ordered the set during the meeting)

PEP Saddles: Lori will check on PEP Tack

Clinic Updates: Jump Clinic 7-27-16 at Fairgrounds, Driving Clinic 8-10-16 at Cederquists, Trail Clinic waiting to hear on.

Stall Assignments: Connie will determine who will be in what barns. Per her request we are to leave the wall space alone due to her updates needing to be posted. No decorations!

Work Assignments: Clubs are responsible for in gates, out gates, ribbons, and cleaning poop in the arena.

Open Horses: Safety is an issue. Connie is checking on open riders/safety with the horses. Connie will contact open stall riders if there are safety concerns.

Questions were asked on adding a group fair demonstrations class. Where to put pairs freestyle riders?

Parade of Breeds: scrapping- no more

Drills may be done during the freestyle class, just enter using the clubs number. Drills being done during freestyle classes would then have a horse savvy judge vs a judge not educated in what they are judging.

Tab Sheets: Updated sheets were handed out for the fair during the meeting. Hand in to Connie ASAP. No later than the 22nd, but earlier if possible. May be dropped off to the office for Connie to pick up.

Workbee: Monday night-Tents on the side of the barns are still a possibility, see how it goes. No food or drink in barns.

Toni will mail the Youth Council bill for the Exploration Days insurance to Aaron, due to still accumulating bills, not ready yet.

Non-Club points are still available check the recent newsletter.

How to be a first time exhibitor at the Oceana County Fair workshop coming up. Teens may contact Lori on helping teach.

2 Horse Project Animals: The question arose on if a 4-H'r could have 2 project horses. Tabled until rule time in September.

Sportsmanship: Must follow the code of conduct, please remind youth and adults about sportsmanship.

Kim Eubank motioned for meeting to be adjourned with a second by Amanda Coker. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned.

Respectively submitted by,

Amanda Coker

These minutes have not yet been approved.