

MYQHA Meeting

April 19th, 2013

The meeting was called to order at 7:06pm at Red Horse Ranch Arena in Fergus Falls, Minnesota. Role was taken by playing an ice breaker game. Member present were: Connor Crook, Danielle Paulson, Lexxie Perez, Taylor Jacobs, Caitlin Johnson, Megan Eckstein, Lorretta Bowser, Victoria Janusch, Michaela Zebro, Lauryn Thune, Sydney Thune, Alex Beckman, Amy Frebault, Jordan Hendrickson, Katelyn Jerde, Sara Reuvers, Olivia Petersen, Kameron Kocurek, Nykia Neuerburg, and Whitney Fenna.

The secretary's report was read. Michaela Zebro made a motion to approve this report, Caitlin Johnson seconded this motion.

The treasurer's report was read. Our account balance is \$9949.84. Katelyn Jerde made a motion to approve this report, Caitlin Johnson seconded.

The reporters report was read by Connor Crook. Taylor Jacobs made a motion to approve this report, Caitlin Johnson seconded.

Old Business:

The YES fundraising was discussed. All of the youth attending YES have been selling candles to help fundraise for this trip. They have currently raised about \$2500. Future fundraisers were discussed. It was suggested that a money war should take place at the Corporate Challenge. This idea is still under discussion. Lorretta Bowser made a motion to approve these suggestions, Danielle Paulson seconded.

The open show was discussed. Blairview Saddle Shop will donate ready bags as prizes for our show. There will be Hi-Point awards at our show for all of the age divisions. Rosie Haugie will donate trophies for the lead line and walk-trot classes. Lexxie Perez made a motion to approve these announcements, Michaela Zebro seconded.

The meeting calendar was discussed. Our upcoming shows will be at the Corporate Challenge, Regions Three, Masters Show, and at the annual meeting. Our Corporate Challenge meeting will be held on Friday, May 24th at 8am. Lorretta Bowser made a motion to approve this report, Megan Eckstein seconded.

The trainer's Calcutta was discussed. We did not have as many trainers this year due to the weather. However, our Calcutta was a real crowd pleaser and all of the trainers enjoyed the pattern. We had many great suggestions for our Calcutta next year. We will continue to discuss our Calcutta for next year in the future. Caitlin Johnson made a motion to make more proposals for our Calcutta at a future meeting, Sydney Thune seconded.

We are also working on a contact list for our new and current members. Lorretta Bowser made a motion to have the contact list set up by the end of the meeting, Caitlin Johnson seconded.

New Business:

We discussed our Expo and Boot Camp sign-up. Members signed up for their available times to work the booth at the horse expo. We also discussed our Corporate Challenge baskets. We would like to ask in advance that not everyone make a food basket. Please email Vickie your theme so we do not have repeats or similar baskets. Danielle Paulson made a motion to approve these sign-ups and suggestions, Lorretta Bowser seconded.

We will not be fully in charge of trail at the Corporate Challenge but it is encouraged that the youth help when they can. However, the five YES attendees will have more responsibility for the hospitality area during the show. Lauryn Thune made a motion to approve this new announcement, Lorretta Bowser seconded.

Lorretta Bowser made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:50pm, Alex Beckman seconded.

Respectfully Submitted,

Taylor Jacobs