

**Horse Committee Meeting  
Minutes of April 4, 2017**

Superintendent Kellie Stoll called the meeting to order at 7:31 PM.

Those attending signed in and include:

Kellie Stoll	Laura Brashear	Barb Marty	Mike Brashear
Jim Brown	Brenda Brown	Laura Cassidy	Kari Gomez
Ann D'Epagnier	Heather Piaseck	Kendra Torgerson	Brooke Torgerson
Hailey Jo Torgerson	Lori Torgerson	Leah Rook	Holly Sheldon
Mike Lerch (Big R Stores)		Wendy Anemaet	Amy D'Epagnier
Ryan Brown	Colten Brashear		

CSU Ext. Staff Present: Chris Uhing

Secretary's Report: Motion to accept March's minutes (Kari/Ann) Passed

Treasurer's Report: Given by Kristie. Ending balance for end of month February \$23,501.47

- \$5300 Memorial Funds & \$3010 in Family Fundraising
  - Memorial funds Marian Sonneman & \$300 Amanda Milton
    - Milton – wants it a buckle and is fairly passionate about herdsmanship
      - Heather and Mike recommended a Hard Luck Award
    - Ray (Barb's friend) family donated money and it will be made into a commemorative plaque for all "In Memory" Donations
  - Fundraising \$750-Brashear, \$410-Truck Raffle, \$750-Gomez (\$250 check also), \$250-Stoll Orthodontics (Stoll), \$500-Porterfield, Leadropes from Boomgaars - Torgerson
  - Please make sure there are business cards with donations for pattern books
  - Think outside the box for getting donations
- Motion to approve (Laura/Kari) Passed

Fundraising:

- F350 truck raffle will be another opportunity this year
  - Julia is working on getting the tickets

Mike Lerch with Big R Stores – Willing to help out in numerous ways

- Hot dog sales, \$500 bucket for kids in need, etc.
- Sponsoring Boots & BBQ bash
- Would like to get a banner up at shows – possibly through raffles (gun, saddle, etc)

Horse Shows: Kellie

- May 13<sup>th</sup> – First show – WRH
  - Lyndsay is getting all patterns put together
  - Kellie will get all sponsorships to put books together
- Will have another sub-committee meeting toward end of April
  - Need \$2000 more to have another saddle series
- Chris is going to see if our July meeting can be moved to June 27<sup>th</sup> and have it at an earlier time due to close proximity of show
- Can sign up for all horseshows online now!
  - AdamsCountyHorse.com

## Clinics:

- Can we try to contact Boulder County soon to pre-book for the upcoming fall/winter season?
- WRH Lesson day in March with Cody Crow – well attended
- Walk/Trot here was low attendance
- Last Double D open ride is Wednesday, April 12<sup>th</sup>
- Monday night rides will start in May (in addition to Wednesday)
  - Open rides & leader coaching
  - May bring in clinicians if possible
- Can open ride at vaccine clinic 5PM Dr. Cline Wed., April 5<sup>th</sup>
  - Will have another for April 26<sup>th</sup>
  - Send people to Holly to sign-up
- Need to schedule a clinics meeting
- April 9<sup>th</sup> – RH lesson day with cows – Cody Dawson
- April 9<sup>th</sup> – W/T and Level 1 level clinic
  - Having hard time getting a raters for Level 2-4
- Have Laura Jordan coming as a rater on June 12<sup>th</sup> – also Kenny Scott clinic
- April 30<sup>th</sup> – Kapuschin Clinic – may try to get sign-ups via website
  - \$40 for an all-day clinic which includes lunch
- May 1<sup>st</sup> – ID's due
- RH Lesson day May 21<sup>st</sup> with cows – Mike Brashear
- WRH show May 13<sup>th</sup>
- May 31<sup>st</sup> – tentatively level 3/4 clinic
- June 12<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> – Kenny Scott & Cody Crow respectively
- June 30<sup>th</sup> – fair entries due and Levels testing must be done
- July – still deciding clinic for July 7<sup>th</sup> – thinking maybe 4 or 5 disciplines
  - Rotate kids on an hour and half basis per discipline
- Gymkhana and Perf 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup>
- July 18 & 20<sup>th</sup> – Record book interviews

## Unfinished Business

- Truck/Trailer Wash – April 9th 11-3PM
  - \$10/Small rigs, \$15/Med rigs, \$20/Lg rigs
    - Outside only
  - Bring dry rags and such
- Bill Scebbi – Spring Clinic
  - Chris is going to talk to Bill on 4/5
- MoU – update
  - Still in discussion – will present in May

## New Business

- Horse Levels Assistance April 21<sup>st</sup>/22<sup>nd</sup> Garfield Co – Training is asking for riders
- Adams County Judging Contest – Need riders still as well
- Queen Gymkhana – September 10<sup>th</sup> or October 1<sup>st</sup> ?
  - Kellie will check into those dates
- Master Plan – we will get the indoor arena – per the planning crew
  - Looks like a good plan –
    - 2 covered arenas
    - Stall barn
    - 2 outdoors

- Will be built in an open area – no demolition!
- There were only 100 people since February who filled out the surveys
  - We are the 2<sup>nd</sup> fastest growing county in the state
  - Majority of people in attendance were older
  - We need to get younger folks involved.

Announcements:

Next Meeting: May 2nd, 2017 @ 7:30PM – Extension office lobby

Meeting adjourned @ 9:07 PM. (Heather/Laura) Passed

Minutes by Laura Brashear