

Hay Creek Valley Saddle Club

MINUTES

JUNE 5, 2009

7:00 P.M.

PIERCE COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS –
ELLSWORTH, WI

MEETING CALLED BY	Kelly Niedermyer, Vice President
TYPE OF MEETING	Monthly – Pot Luck – Lots of good food!
VICE PRESIDENT	Kelly Niedermyer
SECRETARY	Dana Blattner (Lisa Laing)
TREASURER	Carole Thuringer
NAMES OF ATTENDEES	Kelly Niedermyer, Lisa Laing, Carole Thuringer & Zoe, Jeff/Kari Lacey & family, Gail Dickinson, Kim/Ken Nealy & family, Derek/Sandy Lawson & family, Sue Gerdes & family, Leslie Schoenfelder, Bill Paquet

Agenda topics

SECRETARY'S REPORT

LISA LAING

DISCUSSION	The May Secretary Report was read.					
Additions/Corrections.						
Motion to Approve	Carol Thuringer	2 nd	Leslie Schoenfelder	Approved	X Yes	No

TREASURER'S REPORT

CAROLE THURINGER

DISCUSSION	Beginning Balance	1,161.31	Ending Balance	\$2,031.60		
Deposits: Fun Show Beg. Cash \$150.00; \$105.00 for Memberships; \$50.00 Sponsors for Open Show; \$85 for GCSCA Books, \$823.49 for Fun Show Entries = \$1,213.49						
Debits: \$150.00 for Fun Show Beginning Cash and \$193.20 Valley Graphics						
Net Profit – Fun Show = \$414.88						
Motion to approve	Kari Lacey	2 nd	Gail Dickinson	Approved	X Yes	No
ACTION ITEMS						
Sue Gerdes – Order more Entry Cards from Office Max (White and Green...Carole will make copies of Yellow) Sell to other clubs if there are extras.						
Carole Thuringer – Order accounting software – Needs to be updated. Cost \$29.99 (Windows Vista version). License is usable for any other member's computer.						
Motion to approve	Kari Lacey	2 nd	Kim Nealy	Approved	X Yes	No

GCSCA REPORT

SUE GERDES

DISCUSSION	The GCSCA Report was read. Some of the discussion items included the Annual Banquet. Location? Date? Meal? Entertainment? Food? Types of Awards? Farm Technology Days – July 20 – 22, 2010 in Wisconsin. Need 50 volunteers. GCSCA website is closing. A new website will be set up soon.
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OLD BUSINESS

KELLY NIEDERMYER

DISCUSSION	FUN SHOW – Profits were \$90 less than 2008. Net of \$414.88. Total Volunteer Hours = 154.
	DISCUSSION – Non-members who are "volunteering" their time, etc. to HC FUN SHOW. Is this fair and equitable? We need more HC members to volunteer at our Fun Shows. Check your calendar for the date.
	NEEDS – HC needs a "go to" person.
	JUDGING – Deb Sjoquist – positive comments! Thanks, Deb, for a job well done! We appreciated it!

<p>HCVSC OPEN SHOW – JUNE 27 & 28, 2009 – PIERCE COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS – ELLSWORTH, WI</p> <p>DISCUSSION – HC needs volunteers!</p> <p>SPONSORS – An updated list will be included with this e-mail message. WE NEED YOUR HELP IN OBTAINING SPONSORS! What's involved? A letter or a telephone call. Attached is a "sample" that you can use. If you would like, the businesses can send their donations to:</p> <p>Lisa Laing 31124 County 2 Boulevard Red Wing, MN 55066</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Carole Thuringer 882 Aurora Circle Red Wing MN 55066</p> <p>Please make note of Carole's new address. Our bylaws require members to obtain at least one sponsor! Some sponsors may donate less than \$25.00 which is OK also. One sponsor donated \$50.00. The letter explains more information and also includes a copy of the show schedules for Saturday and Sunday, June 27 & 28, 2009 at Pierce County Fairgrounds – Ellsworth, Wisconsin. This is also in celebration of Cheese Curd Festival.</p> <p>A sign-up sheet was passed around for volunteer help at the Open Show. If you missed the meeting, please contact Sue Gerdes at gerdesds@rconnect.com to sign up.</p> <p>JUDGE – Does Tamara need a motel room or will she bring a motor home and need an electrical set up?</p> <p>PORTAPOTTY – Rental \$35 each day to empty. Cheese Curd Festival organizers – paid for this in the past.</p> <p>BOXSTALL RESERVATIONS – Need a member to be in charge. Carole's name was suggested. Boxstall charge will be waived for Hay Creek members only who work a minimum of 4 hours for our Open Show. This boxstall is to be used for the member only. Responsibilities for these 4 hours may vary, but the member must work! A sign-up sheet for "check in" and "check out" will be provided. There are rules for members who want to use the box stalls. All horses staying overnight must be in boxstalls. Horses cannot be tied to trailers, etc. The barn needs to have all items removed so there is ample room for horses, etc. Bill/Lisa Paquet and family will be cleaning the barn prior to the show. They can always use more help!</p> <p>MONDAY A.M. CLEANUP – AFTER OPEN SHOW – Only needed if the clean-up is not finished on Sunday. Please contact one of our club members to see if this is needed.</p> <p>COMPUTER – Use Dean Gerdes's computer.</p> <p>PHOTOS – Request from Conrad Fleming to take photos on Sunday. He wants to be in the arena. We must check with Judge Tamara to see if this is allowable. His website is www.cfphotos.com</p>

Meeting adjourned (Sandy/Gail).

Instead of having a July and August meeting, we will have a combined July/August meeting on Friday, July 24th at 7:00 pm. It will be held at the Pierce County Fairgrounds, and it will be a potluck. Please note the date change and location!

Happy Trails! Good luck to all horse show participants in GCSCA, MPHA, MQHA, and any other breed associations with horse shows scheduled this summer!

Respectfully submitted,

Lisa Laing, Member