

April OTB meeting Minutes

Meeting called to order at 7:30. Present were Anna, Ginka, Kelly, Tom, and JJ.

Minutes read. Moved to approve by Tom, Seconded by Kelly. Accepted.

Treasurer's report:

Balance is \$9106.26. Two transactions to report from February: \$200 for fees to move the show date to USEF and USDF which was reimbursed, and \$160 for dues income. And \$27 annual fee for secretary of state.

OLD BUSINESS

· On The Bit Summer Dressage Shows will be on August 12&13 at the Hansen Arena in Laramie. Judges are Joan Darnell (S, WA) and David Schmutz (S, CA).

Tom will take care of reserving a tent.

We should follow up on the outdoor footing. Needs some sand for better drainage.

Mike will do food again. We can request particular menu items.

Ginka will look into insurance.

Anna will invite Happy Horse to come be a vendor. And will ask about gift cards! Tom will talk to Murdoch's.

· Clinic and educational events planning

Ginka talked to Jane Swanhorst who would be willing to host a clinic, for tentatively May 20 or 21. Maybe Joan Clay? Kathleen Donnelly? Kathy Simard? Or a ride-a-test? Motion to do a ride-a-test with follow-up instruction. Could make it flexible- folks could sign up for different amounts of time. Ginka will reach out to Kathleen Donnelly as our first choice. Motion to move forward by Tom, seconded by Kelly, all in favor!

NEW BUSINESS

Webpage and facebook page have languished a bit. Shall we task someone with updating?

Sue Gentle indicated that Cheyenne Dressage and Eventing Club is dissolving and they will send us their remaining balance.

Show season is just around the corner! These are upcoming events in our area:

- BVD Ride-A-Test with Gwen Ka'awaloa, April 29, Berthoud
- Dressage for the Cure Shows, May 5-7, Colorado Horse Park
- NCDA Schooling Show with Kathy Simard, May 13, Tomora
- Nighthawk Dressage, May 27-28
- Youth Summer Intensive, June 7-9, Nighthawk

- Cheyenne Dressage Show, June 10-11
- Rocky Mountain Dressage, June 17-18, Nighthawk
- NCDA Schooling Show with Sharron Sarchet, June 24, Tomora

Move to adjourn at 8:16 by Tom, seconded by Kelly.