

St. Joseph County, MI 4-H HORSE COUNCIL



Meeting Minutes

June 7, 2022

President: Shajnett Huffman (Desperados)

Vice President: Teresa Hufsteadler (Competitive Trail)

Secretary: Andrea Littlefield (Tumbleweed) Deputy Treasurer: Bobbi Newland (Driving)

Treasurer: Shirel Hart (Gymkhana) 4H Office: Autumn Converse

Attendance: Andrea Littlefield, Shirel Hart, Teresa Hufstedler, Katie Staples, Danielle Sackrider, Julie Bruce, Autumn Converse, Cindy Sigman

- Meeting called to order at 6:35 by Shajnett Huffman
- Pledges
- Additions to the agenda- State Horse Show
- Approval of Agenda- Motion by Danielle second by Teresa Hufsteadler
- No Visitors
- No Public Comments
- Approval of May 2022 HC Minutes- Motion by Danielle second by Teresa Hufsteadler
- Secretary- No Correspondence received
- Treasurer:
 - o Beginning; \$3598.58
 - Ending \$3569.09
 - April interest .31
 - o SMILES \$5.00
 - Deposit on June 7th of \$1100
 - Stamps \$34.80 second mailing
 - Motion to accept treasurer's report by Teresa and second by Andrea
- State Horse Show- Entries due July 12th, entries are online, the office will send a lint to us once we have our list of members that are going, all money will go through the office. Youth Council has been asked to reimburse members for ½ the cost of State Show \$32.50. Horse council motion by Danielle second by Cindy Sigman for HC to pay ½ cost based on need if a 4-H family contacts HC for assistance. Our county is responsible for sending 6 volunteers 2 per club, 2 can be youth 15 and older.
- Fair Awards- Awards were selected from several vendors. Andrea will create a spreadsheet with fair classes, the award selected, cost and share with HC and Tonya so that awards can be ordered.
- Showmanship and Champion and Reserve Champion Awards will be paid for by Youth Council. This will cover 28 trophies. Ordered through Dr. Hooks

- Feedback Show- at the fairgrounds July 23-24, need a trail judge, Julie will create a google form for entries
- Club Updates- Desperados has had one workout, TW workout is next Wednesday considering a cap on club number, Driving workouts are going well many young drivers and drafts have come, Gymkhana had 2 workouts mostly younger members, Competitive Trail has 2 rides, Jumping has had 2 workouts.
- Reining Clinic at Horsemen's 2 Wednesdays in June 22 and 29, 6:00, \$10
- Dressage had had 3 kids riding at Patty Adams
- Pony measuring will be at Driving Workouts through June
- Fair Entries- Will be entered in Charlie Horse prior to fair and then into Blue Ribbon with the results after fair. We need a list of leaders and members for the office for passes. We need to make copies of the fair entries to take out of the 4H office the originals need to stay in the office
- County High Point Award- Discussion about there being 6 or 9 awards since we changed age groups.
 No decision reached
- Farewell to Autumn as she has taken a position at MSU
- Next meeting July 12th at Horsemen's 6:30 with Zoom option
- Adjourn 9:30