

November 11, 2012 SWBA Meeting
Location Ponderosa Steakhouse
Meeting Called to order at 9:32 am

Members in attendance: Stacie Gretchen Kathy Y Sarah Sue W Sherri L Kathy F Mashele H Theresa P Kayla

Secretary Report **approved by Gretchen and Kathy**

Treasurer:

June show: profit

August show: loss

Motion to accept: Stacie and Gretchen

Fundraising: possible dinner opening night split costs for start up with palys.... (Food committee with 2 palomino members Nancy and Stacie and then Susan Weyers from SWBA)

-Facebook Auction: people bid on items then they get shipped out either a sponsor hosts the items and people can choose to buy them or we find people to donate items and then members bid and go about that way.

-Look for more sponsors for the silent auction at the shows. **Get list of past sponsors from Wendy for silent auction businesses** (possible cash donations from business' if they aren't willing to give items)

-Cash lock box for up at the office for people to just drop money would be

-Travel Mugs for SWBA to be made at Top Dog (Dishwasher safe)

-Embroidery Items sent out to members. (Sweat shirts and things)

-Sponsors need more recognition (banner needs to be made for at the show) class sponsorships from business for a cost and will be announced before the class

-Make a local SWBA Directory for members and have a page from the sponsors in it

-Thank you's sent out to the Sponsors at the end of season

Theresa is committee chair for Sponsorship/Fundraising: Motion to Approve Gretchen and Kayla

Trailer for trail equipment: golf cart trailer 12 ft is the longest size for poles (just kind of watch craigslist) wait on buying one now until we see how funds go this next year. Continue hauling from Gretchen's dad with two trucks

Facility Contracts: Grounds fees went up \$100 everything else stayed the same. All fees will be splits between p and s. \$1,100 for each show.

Advertisement: on average done by 6:00 shows run great. Show bill may look large but it runs quick

Get list of places to sent advertisements too

Some fees are different between shows because the grounds fees are not split

Awards: Kathy - Gretchen will help

Weekend highpoints: stay

Ideas: reserve hi point from june show was nicer than the grand for tool trunk

Bridle Plates bracelets

Halters

Totes/Backpacks/Canvas Bags

Yearend awards: Motioned: **Theresa and Gretchen**

Belt buckles (maybe not so blingy) All Around

Plaques: All combined on for one horse and rider **Motion to pass: Stacie/Theresa**

Certificates: 3-6

Lifetime Achievement:

Get more advertisement out there and have something in the SWBA local booklet for how people are doing and on the website

Sarah needs to report news

Youth Advisor:

- In need of representative
- the ABRA nationwide directory is a fundraiser for youth
- Youth teams will have state comps.

Website:

Done

OLD BUSINESS –done

NEW BUSINESS:

Surveys: 27 people took survey

- Majority of people enjoyed the shows. (88% enjoyed 11% not)

Office staff:

- Need to find new office person
- Announcer
 - Paly's old announcer is back in the game Betty Beck
- Sarah Riehl will possibly do in gate
- Separate EMAIL made for entries to be emailed in

Adding another show:

- More varied answers

ABRA ANNUAL MEETING

- Youth performance halter is possibly at local show level but will not be at the world show
- WALK TROT 10 & U approved
- Weighted Tails 2.5 pounds approved
- Ear plugs approved
- New classes: Hunter in Hand, Ranch Horse Pleasure (waiting on actual rules to see about adding), in hand trail for yearlings
- Triple point shows will be shown as multiple shows
- Thanksgiving show in Florida (honor roll wont be posted after that) Christmas holiday show somewhere
- Age divisions for western riding/reining will now be all ages reining
- 2 yr old long line to pre world
- WORLD SHOW: Things were changed
 - Possible neck ribbons, medallions may be changed
 - All around is going to be readjusted the way to run for AA
 - Saddles are going to be done through someone else
 - Double the drug testing at the world show
 - Entry fees will stay the same
 - Stall fee has gone up \$25
 - Preworld add hunter hack
 - Will accept credit cards
 - Videographer
 - ABRA cost \$30,000
 - Pages same

- Canter post is going online to be a newsletter **NEED TO GET SOMETHING IN THERE**
- Five new judges
- Working on hall of fame and lifetime achievement

2013:

Show dates: Combined May 31 June 1 2 August 9 10 11

Alone: June 14 15 16 August 23 24 25

Discuss: can't pass up a weekend alone

Motion to keep June 14 15 16 NOT AUGUST: Gretchen and Kayla

SHOW BILL **Individual Show:**

Contact Horse Council for Open Series (Stacie)

Contact Paint and Pinto (Kathy)

Add classes hunter hack hunter in hand Yearling in hand trail

3 Judges for ABRA each day

1 judge for open classes at the second June show

-Fees:

Individual Shows:

Entries will go to Ellen and Camping/Stalls/Shavings will go to Kathy before show

All day fee was \$90 for Y and A

\$50 for AS

\$75 for O

Decisions Made: Motion Kayla and Susan

Y AM AMS \$100/day ability to cross over

OPEN \$85/day

ALL COLOR \$50/day

Individual class fees are going to stay the same

Office fees: stay the same

Stall fee: Individual show \$65 motion to pass: Sarah and Kathy

Stay the same for combined at 54

Camping will stay the same

Shaving will stay the same

IN NEED OF SHOW STAFF

JUDGES:

Flat rate when hiring Judges

-Judges we don't want:

-EVALUATIONS NEED TO GET FILLED OUT FOR JUDGES

Motion to close the meeting at 12:18 pm Kathy Gretchen and Theresa and everyone