

Oregon Paint Horse Club Minutes

January 13, 2026

Call to Order - 6:33pm

Attendance: Allison Freeman, Joanna Latham, Jessica Wolfer, Sarah Lutz, Kristen Shaw, Denys Buss, Rachel Arbuckle, Jamie Bansen, Carrie Averill, Erin Henderson

Minutes: Rachel made a motion to approve the October and December meeting minutes. Sarah seconded. Motion passed.

Treasury Report: financials were attached to the meeting packet. Molly was not available for the report. OPHC has a little over 30,000 in our bank account.

Zone One Report: Elections were held - not much change. Zone One wants to use our trail equipment for the Zone One show. All classes will only have one award so it will be the high point under all 10 judges. There won't be one award for Zone and one award for the other 4 judge show. It will be a circuit award for all 10 judges. There will be a buckle for champion and there will still be a reserve award and a third place award. There will also still be high point awards. Financials were closed out for 2025. The 2025 show made \$1000. Awards for 2026 are looking better.

NWCC Report: Voted for new positions. Positions stayed the same except Lindsay was voted in. Discussed the banquet and Sarah questioned the financials, but she didn't get any answers. Delegates are supposed to get 20% of the funds, but there is only \$500 total for all delegates to help with travel expenses. NWCC raised \$14,000. Sarah asked about supporting our delegate to go to the convention. Denys is going to reach out to Linda Vance regarding clarification of NWCC funds. We can then move forward if we need to do some fundraising for Joanna.

Spring Fling Show 2025: Board was sent the premium and class list for the show. Joanna is concerned about the ranch halter and there is a large break between Saturday morning until Sunday afternoon. At another show it was done the same way and most participants scratched and didn't show in those classes. She said to maybe get rid of ranch reining. Erin asked why the ranch is before the halter. Kristen will look into it. We are offering 2nd chance pattern classes. We are still looking for sponsors. Allison will work on a flyer for the youth scholarship silent auction for the show so we can promote the auction at the show. Sarah mentioned taking one of the auction items and doing a live auction. A couple of people asked about vendors at the show. Erin mentioned doing a clinic of some kind. At the Arizona show they were well attended. We have some fun things planned for the show. We have a hot cocoa bar one morning, a wine and cheese night, a nacho bar (possibly). There are plans for morning snacks for barns and lunch delivered for sponsors, etc..... T-shirts will be random

giveaways this year. We are going to put flowers on stalls and the person can take to the office for their free t-shirt.

Committees:

Youth- Nothing new to report

Awards - All the award emails have gone out and Kristen has received responses from everyone except 1. The drawings will all be sent when Bethany is done. Awards will be displayed at the show. We will try to make the presentation an event during the wine and cheese night.

Sponsorship -

Membership - We have 12 memberships for 2026. Allison will put out a reminder to join the club. The form is very easy to fill out online.

Marketing -

Old Business: Website is updated

New Business: 2026 youth scholarship may need to be looked at sooner this year. We can discuss at the show things to change on the application or process. Jessica will review the application and we will get it going so it can be advertised at the show and students can get their awards for their senior nights.

Next Meeting: February 17th at 6:30pm via Google Meet

Adjourn: 7:53pm