Oregon Paint Horse Club Minutes

August 28, 2024

Call to Order - 6:32 pm

<u>Attendance</u>: Carrie Averill, Elaine Grimps, Sarah Lutz, Kristen Shaw, Rachel Arbuckle, Joan Horton, Allison Freeman, Denys Buss, Molly Davis

Minutes: Joan made a motion to approve and Rachel seconded. Motion passed.

<u>Treasury Report</u>: Received Invoice from Brenda, zone 1 donation, and application for Secretary of state. Total costs \$750 Account balance is \$19578.88. \$273 came in from silent auction and membership. Not a lot of upcoming expenses except awards. Joan made a motion to approve the report - Rachel seconded - motion passed.

Zone One Report: No new information - next meeting in October - People were very disappointed in the size of the show and awards.

NWCC Report: No updates

Spring Fling Show 2025 - State fairgrounds is doing some renovations but not to the footing or ground. We don't know new contact. Kristen Downs will announce for the show. We have all the staff taken care of for the show. Kristen shared the draft of the class list. We need to finalize. Trail will be after lunch break in indoor and ranch trail will be set up in covered arena. Both courses will be set at lunch break. Joan and Elaine will help with setup along with Kristen, Allison, and Carrie. We don't need too many people. Traci Olney will provide a pattern with measurements at least. If she comes to the show, she will be the setter, but if not we have a plan B. Lisa will be making the calls regarding walk throughs, clearing arena, etc... but OPHC will be providing the trail committee. Friday night the trail will be set up in an indoor pen and taken down that night before the morning. There will be practice poles available Saturday morning for warm up in the outdoor during hunter classes. We are not doing APHA ranch events, but we will be doing all breed- 18 and under, Amatuer and Open. Joan mentioned adding APHA ranch classes that have added money to them or to jackpot them

Sunday - Ranch Conformation, halter stallions, geldings, mares, - last halter class will be "Never Won a Buckle". Showmanship - first class will be "Never Won a Buckle, Lunch, western riding, leadline, western pleasure, and horsemanship. All Breed classes will be

before the APHA classes so people can use it for practice to get more people in it. Weather permitting, Western Riding will be in the outdoor pen because it's better.

Committees:

Youth- trail pole painting was canceled. Possible opportunity in the fall for the youth. Q and A with Theresa Pelton, or Zoom meeting????

Show - see above

Awards - Kristen presented some options from Danae Way's son, but the prices are a little higher. Year-end awards are High Point \$120-130 and Reserve are about \$75. We still have Karrots vests that will be monogrammed. Kristen also showed saddle stands - the \$125 price comes with shipping but not assembled. She showed buckle racks as well with different options and price points. Let's go with one theme. Saddle racks for high point and buckle racks for reserve. She showed buckle end tables as well.

Sponsorship - No updates. She will start to contact at year end so they can plan for the next fiscal year. She will reach out to more ranch vendors and stallion owners.

Membership - A couple more members. We have 22 actually qualify for year end awards. Allison will make a Facebook post regarding people who qualify for awards.

Marketing - Nothing new

<u>Old Business:</u> Sarah will get more 6 foot poles and a bridge. Youth activities talked about above. Awards discussed above.

New Business: Spin to win prize table with small prizes. Rachel will look into mugs for prizes.

Next Meeting: October 22nd at 6:30 via Google Meet

Meeting adjourned: 8:10pm