



49er's Saddle Club
March 2019 Newsletter

Officers 2018:

President: Lisa Hawkins 509-780-1828

Vice President: Jamie Canning 208-791-7707

Secretary: Erika Raggio 208-816-3296

Treasurer: Lisa Hawkins 509-780-1828

3Year Director: Brandi Van Buren 208-791-7261

2Year Director: Mark Cook 907-385-2841

1Year Director: Don Cook 208-746-5134

Appointed Chairman:

Arena Directors: Mark Cook 907-385-2841, Don Cook 208-746-5134, Patti Triplett 208-305-6406

Barrel Series: Lisa Hawkins 509-780-1828

Club House Rentals: Patti Triplett 208-305-6406

Pasture Rental: Kelly Wiik 208-305-1468

Reader Board: Sharon Peterson 509-780-7102

Royalty: Erika Raggio 208-816-3296

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Playnights: Erika Raggio 208-816-3296

Idaho State Omoksee: Patti Triplett 208-305-6406

Meeting called to order: 6:05pm

Officers Present: Lisa, Erika, Jamie, Don

Reading of Treasurer's report (Lisa) , reading of Royalty report (Erika)

OLD BUSINESS:

- Don reported on the status of the tractor, that has been at Blue Mountain Ag for repairs. All needed repairs are done, and bill totaled \$1,933.47. Don also changed the oil
- Lisa received final quote for our new announcers stand sound system, totaling \$2,650. Motion to move forward with purchase, voted on and approved. Wireless system was an additional \$634.94 so we decided not to purchase it at this time.
- Don reported concerns about the unfinished water project, there needs to be more work done to help get the water draining better from arena and parking area behind announcers stand. Don will be coordinating project and will begin looking into materials and costs. As well as organizing members to help with project as needed.
- Patti updated forms for clubhouse rental, and reported on tentatively scheduled dates for future rentals
- Erika read State Omoksee Report, report done up by Patti.
- Erika set April 10th as the deadline for membership forms and dues, to be eligible to ride at State Omoksee (June 21st, 22nd, 23rd). We are excited to once again be hosting!! Spring Roundup will be at the clubhouse on April 6th, meeting 12, potluck 1pm.
- Our club is paying for the royalty court and chaperone tickets for Horseman's Ball (March 16th)
- 2018 Royalty Program that Erika created will stay in place for 2019.
- Erika gave reports on club unity and club facebook etiquette

Club will be donating use of arena for the Holly Heitstuman Memorial Roping on May 11th, 2019.

- CIRA has booked arena for May 18th and July 20th.
- Date for Trail Challenge needs to be moved as it conflicts with rescheduled Trail Challenge at LCSC. Erika will report date when decided.
- Jamie is going to check into information on our fire extinguishers, expiration etc
- Atlas Sand and Rock donates materials each year to the club in exchange for their signboard, and we discussed what materials were needed.

NEW BUSINESS:

- Lisa reported that the new sound system for announcers stand has been ordered and should be installed by April 10th
- Don is working on coordinating water drainage project (both arena and parking area), as well as picking up materials needed. Unfortunately winter snow has slowed project, but with weather getting better, progress will be made.
- Erika set date for our Trail Challenge for July 27th
- 2019 Royalty Court presented their "pocket speeches" to show what they learned at the "Now That You Have the Crown" royalty clinic. They greatly enjoyed the clinic and look forward to the year ahead.
- Officers and Chairman that have administrative privileges on our 49er's Saddle Club page are Lisa, Erika, Jamie. Kelly and Patti.
- Jamie reported on fire extinguisher matter, ours needed replacing. She has Oxarc coming to replace them for \$8.25 each. They will be of appropriate size, and Oxarc will also service them yearly. Safety first!
- Newsletter will go out to all contacts, regardless of membership status to keep folks informed, via our club Facebook page and our website. Erika will work on creating a past member contact list for email as well.
- Reminder, Spring Roundup is April 6th, at the clubhouse. Potluck at 12, state meeting at 1pm.
- Jamie and Lisa reported on who has been contacted for possible sign board sponsorships
- Jamie started discussion on T-Shirts for the club, and reported costs from NW Design. More discussion on the topic needed for April meeting.
- Reminder that all 49er's Saddle Club equipment must not leave saddle club grounds for personal usage. Discussion on how to help remind members (sign on activity shed, labels etc)
- GATE COMBO HAS CHANGED, ONLY AVAILABLE FOR PAID 2019 MEMBERS.
- **Meeting Adjourned at 6:55pm**

Next Meeting will be April 15th at 6pm

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