



Secretary's Report
Hanson Riding Club Board Meeting
Tuesday, July 1, 2025

The monthly meeting of Hanson Riding Club was held at Balmy Acres on Tuesday, July 1, 2025 at 7:06 p.m.

The following members were present:

Officers: Micaela Shea, Karen Quigley, Chris Ferri

Board Members: Stephanie Speers, Mason Rober, Madison Berkeley, Al McConnell, Elizabeth Robinson

Secretary's Report: The Secretary's report was read by Karen. Motion to accept with changes made by Al, seconded by Elizabeth.

Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer's report was read by Chris. Motion to accept made by Karen, seconded by Elizabeth.

Newsletter/Website: The newsletter will go out the beginning of August and will include points from the two shows as well as versatility information. Patterns for the July show will be posted on the website.

Old Business:

June Trail Ride – Karen and Al gave a report of the June trail ride at Myles Standish. There were six riders that attended. The boxed lunches were a success. Discussion of getting more signage for HRC events. Karen will work on that. Thank you to Al McConnell and Karen Quigley for running the event.

Parade clinic – The parade clinic was cancelled due to not enough people signing up. Discussion of rescheduling it to the fall.

July 4th Parade – Three riders will be participating in the Duxbury 4th of July parade. Shirts have been purchased for the riders to wear, and a volunteer has graciously

offered to be the pooper scooper. Micaela will reach out to the parade committee to make sure three riders will be acceptable since we are paid for this event.

Text Blasts – We signed up for a text blasting service with Textedly.com. Discussion of trying it out for six months to see how it goes with texting event information to members who opt in for the service. Discussion of pushing this new service on social media and at the horse shows.

New Business:

July show – The patterns were picked for the show. Discussion of putting descriptions together for some of the new classes for the announcer.

Trail Ride – The October 4th trail ride will be run by Micaela. We are waiting on permit approval. Discussion of future trail rides reaching out to Myles Standish and seeing if we can run the ride out of the equestrian area where the footing is better.

Versatility – Discussion of themes to have at the versatility competitions. August will be a beach theme. Discussion of obstacles.

2025 Events Calendar:

Shows:	July 27 September 21
Trail Rides:	June 14 th at MSSF October 4 at MSSF BEACH Ride – November 1 at Plymouth Beach
Versatility:	August 24 September 28 October 26

The next HRC meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 5th at Balmy Acres at 7:00 p.m.

Meeting adjourned at 8:20 p.m.

Faithfully submitted,
Karen Quigley Recording Secretary