



2025 Board

President-Elane Drushella

Vice President- Toni Minthorn

Secretary- Casie Hull

Treasurer- Kelly Doherty

May 8th, 2025 Meeting Minutes

- Meeting called to order at 6:02pm by Casie Hull.
- Members/Board/Directors attendance; Elane D., Casie H., Mickey H., Barbra N., Joey W., Debra W., Alex P. (online), Shawna P. (online).
- Joey W. made a motion to approve April's meeting minutes, Debra seconded.
- TREASURER'S REPORT, Did not have a current report as Treasure did not make the meeting. Will update at our June Meeting.
- Agenda preview
- NEW SPONSOR UPDATE SINCE April MEETING- Alex attended the meeting virtually, she is in the process of contacting previous sponsors for their renewals.
- NEW BUSINESS to add- none.

OLD BUSINESS:

- USR details regarding facility AGREEMENT- PAID AND IN EFFECT- Board voted to not renew advertisement above bucking chutes at USR. Saving \$300.00
- Cup of Appreciation, guest was not present. Wayne Hamlin's memorial roping was announced on FB to be at Shady Spot arena on memorial day weekend.

NEW BUSINESS:

Show Review:

- 74 gos, 8 AM-3PM including national anthem, 40 min lunch and two arena drags.
- Thanks to Elane- Full day announcer to thank for this (and teena for the headset)
- 32 Horses Entered, 100% payment, 31/32 showed up
- Youth Herd work-most entered class

HUGE Thanks to:

- Teena for the hard work coupled with the Bowles family for the facility preparation for ORCHA to come in.
 - Mickey for the water truck and Jeff for his fruitless labor on the USR pump.
 - Cierra for gate duty and full day bit check, Barbie, Alex, Shawna and Dency extra set up help.
 - Cathrine, Diane, and others for cattle shuffle.
- (Most of the folks listed above were JUST volunteers, not entries at our show-
Wow, big thanks!)
- Abraham- Thank you for the cattle rental.
 - WORKDAY SIGNUP SHEET -Piles of volunteers AND ZERO **BUYOUT \$50- Zero**

Results

- Points posted on website!!! **PLEASE VISIT WEBSITE and the NEW Facebook page. Go give it a follow and like @ 2025 Oregon Reined Cow Horse Assn.**
- Show financial breakdown. **Profited \$1,172.00 Entries brought in \$6,820, expenses were \$5,648.**

SHOW FEEDBACK, SUGGESTIONS, CHANGES

- Run all dry work, including boxing, independent of cattle work? **It was decided that we would try it for this next show and see how it goes.**
- **Jake Stanley has agreed to provide the cattle at \$50/hd for the Pendleton show in July. Joey can contact NBX for trucking to and from Stanley's to Blue Mountain equine center. (Kelly Doherty was also going to contact someone regarding trucking).**
- There will be no change in cattle fees for this show, they will remain the same from April show to July show @\$65 a head.**
- **Change in cattle provider was determined due to Abraham's trucking costs (\$1,300).**
- Joey suggested a simple different reining pattern for the youth and to not have them do the same pattern as the adults. We will send out a survey for everyone's opinions. One pattern for everyone or one for adults and one for youth/peewees??**
- **Insurance News- currently insured with Swansons for \$1,595 yearly premium, Markel had given us a quote back after the April show for a total yearly premium of \$849. We will have to pay a minimum balance to Swansons of \$375 plus fees/taxes. By**

switching we would save about \$371. Elane will work our remaining details and likely have the change over in place for the next show.

-Points and year end award calculations -\$= points, 1000 points= \$1000 bumps you out of that class. Points will be posted shortly on the website. They will include the jackpot money earned for the April show.

-Next show location-SHOW LOCATION FOR JULY SHOW WILL BE HELD AT THE NEW BLUE MOUNTAIN EQUINE CENTER IN PENDLETON! New 2025 sponsorships to cover the building rental.

-We will no longer have a June 7th show, it has been rescheduled for July 26th. We had several members ask for a date change due to conflicting with other local cow horse shows that weekend. NO JUNE SHOW, MOVED TO JULY 26TH!

-Toni-501 (c) 6 renewal?- any benefit to pay the additional (tax, sponsors, Other perks?/ Disadvantages) What does Oregon say about our club- a named entity filing taxes? JOEY ASKED Barbie TO CHECK IN ON THE 501, SHE AGREED TO LOOK INTO THIS FOR US. She suggested seeing a CPA for the taxes and to see what we need to do for the club structure, advantages, disadvantages, etc.

-Club input regarding structure? Board will vote. AGREED TO MOVE TO NEXT MEETING WHEN MORE MEMBERS ATTEND.

-New Meeting- members who attended agreed to Change the day for monthly meetings. New meeting days will be held on the second Friday of each month instead of Thursdays. Times will remain the same. Board @ 5:30 and Members @ 6:00.

Meeting concluded @ 6:57pm Motion made by Deb and seconded by Barbie.