## KPRA Meeting Minutes Zoom Meeting Monday, July 11, 2022 8:00 PM (CT)

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EXECUTIVE BOARD - Leon Winfrey, Austin Hawkins, Tim Gleason, Troy Boone, Melissa Wanger, Justin Russell, Heather Westbrook

Meeting called to order: 8:00 p.m. Review of minutes from May meeting – posted to the website "Business" page

## REPORTS

Secretary Reports – Current account balance - \$118,129.95 Leon feels like we are doing alright. Ulysses looks good, Scott City looks good, Ashland looks good other than there are not many entries for the performance. Leon feels like we need to get the committees on board with each other so they can schedule accordingly. We might need to put in a rule that KPRA governs the dates so the committees can work together on dates. Leon feels that our numbers looks good enough to move forward with our finals plans. Our income is steady and we know what our expenses are.

## OLD BUSINESS

## **NEW BUSINESS**

1. KPRA Finals 2022 –

Personnel – Voted on and hired

Pickup Men – last year we hired 3 at \$750, do we want to hire 2 or 3 this year? We will do three this year. Whoever has their card. Melissa moves that we hire 3 pick up men for finals, Tim seconds. Passes

Chute Boss job - Cody Whitney was our chute boss last year. Austin asked if Cody clashed with anyone last year. Leon did not think there was a clash and that Cody did a good job. Austin moves to hire Cody Whitney as chute boss for finals for 2022, Troy seconds. Passes

Announcer – Monty Stueve contacted Leon and said that he would like to have his name put in for the announcer this year. Leon wants to know what the board thinks about hiring 2 announcers, he feels that they would be able to tag our sponsors better if we had two. Leon feels like it would be more professional. Caleb Dorenkamp has his card and does a good job. Monte Williams does a lot of Bud's

rodoes. Scott Fry does a really great job and his son does a really great job on sound. Austin would be good with Caleb working with Monty. Heather did get a quote from Scott Fry last year and it was high. Troy's only complaint about Monty is that he does a really good with IPRA contestants but was lacking with KPRA contestants. Tim thought Randy Lewis did a good job at McCracken.

Last year Monty was \$2400, hotel & buckle Scott Fry quoted \$3500 with sound man plus hotel Garrison Panzer was \$2400 with sound man the last year he did it.

Tim suggested that we do an information sheet on the top twenty the beginning of August so the announcer has info on the contestants.

Austin wanted to confirm that the Executive board picks the announcer, he asked if we had talked to Monty about doing two. Austin moves to hire Monty as the announcer/sound man and talk to Caleb about doing some color commentating and sponsor recognition. Tim suggested calling Monty and asking if he know if there is someone that he would like to work with. Leon mentioned that we have other announcers that we work with.

Austin moves that we hire Monty Stueve if he is in our budge as the head announcer with a possible back up announcer. Troy seconds. Passes. Leon mentioned having Monty do a radio ad, Tim and Austin agree.

Ranch bronc rule – Mike went with the ground rule in the ranch bronc, and Bud followed suite. Troy feels that we voted on it at the meeting and we should honor what we voted on for the 2022 finals. Mike will not allow anyone to pull on his horses at finals, per Leon's conversation with Mike. Mike thinks Bud feels the same way. The contractors that qualify to bring stock to finals, can probably bring lease horses from Justin at finals. Troy feels like if Mike and Bud do not want to bring stock for the Ranch Bronc to the finals, then we will find other stock.

Big Screen – Leon contacted a couple people but they have not gotten back to him. He will keep us updated.

Buckles – 2022 order is ready for payment. See attached Power Point. Total \$7,524.63 -

Saddles – Cody is going up \$150 per saddle. Leon has contacted a couple other saddle makers, but the cost is 2K plus. Austin was very frustrated with the steer wrestling saddle because he wanted it by a certain time to get it to the champion and it was not available at that time. Laine now has the saddle and said that it looked good.

Shannon Frascht and Shane Goad – need to get their saddles order.