Darke County Horse Committee Minutes January 14th, 2020 7:30pm @ Extension Office

Members Present: Buckeye Buckaroos: Amy Frantz, Angie Young, Kayla Young, Logan Moody

Stablemates: Jennifer Bedwell, April Bowers

Greenville Rangers: Laura Wintrow

Horse & Rider: Kelly Smith, Elizabeth Rausch

Silver Hoofs: Mary Neill, Patrick Neill

Trails & Tails - Marla Warner **Jr. Fair Board**: Gracelyn Harter

Guests Present: 4-H Youth Development: Rhonda Williams

Jr. Fair Coordinator: Beth Martin

Sr. Fair Board Member(s): Russ Bennett, Dudley Lipps, Brian Rismiller

Other: Maggie House

Meeting was called to order by President, Angie Young.

Secretary Report: October 2019 minutes were emailed by Secretary, Amy Frantz. The November 2019 meeting was cancelled due to weather. Jennifer Bedwell moved to accept the minutes and Logan Moody seconded. Motion passed.

Treasurer Report:

Treasurer's report given by Jennifer Bedwell, Treasurer:

	Beginning balance	Ending balance
GNB Checking	\$ 3,288.31	\$ 3,288.31
GNB Savings	\$ 1,307.64	\$ 1,307.64
CD	No new CD info received	
"Self-Insurance" Savings	\$ 500	\$ 500

IN:

\$0.16 and \$0.06 interest in savings accounts

OUT:

\$27 - insurance for horse camp

\$808.50 - trophies

Logan Moody moved to accept the treasurer's report and Patrick Neill seconded. Motion passed.

- **Jr. Fair Board Report:** All horses will now need to be at the fairgrounds by 8am on Friday of fair.
- **Sr. Fair Board Report:** Nothing to report.
- **Jr. Fair Coordinator Report**: Class list, breakdown by age given to Angie, who will review this and evaluate if age groups need adjusted.
- **4-H Youth Development Report:** Volunteer updates start this Friday where we will be learning about online enrollment. Rhonda recommended doing the update sooner than later to learn about online enrollment and be able to help members through the enrollment process. The ride night schedule was passed out to be reviewed. Rhonda will send this to the fairboard to get the ride night contract for this year. Trails and Tails 4-H club will be doing ride nights on Saturday mornings.

OLD BUSINESS

Fair:

Saturday ranch class order - There was discussion about the ranch class order. It was decided to move classes #72-74, Ranch Riding, all three age groups, to after mule pleasure.

Picture area - Amy and Laura will explore some options and discuss the location with the Sr. Fairboard.

Timer and display board- Nothing new.

Rosettes for Championships - Nothing new.

Poles for jumps: There was discussion about painting the poles. Amy will evaluate the current condition of the paint / poles and we will schedule a date/ time to paint at the next meeting. Kelly offered to allow us to paint them in their climate controlled shop.

Skillathon - The skillathon is on July 16th, 2020. Participants must arrive between 4pm-7pm to start the test. Amy passed out the Skillathon info sheet, which was reviewed, changes were made, and Amy will bring these to the next meeting.

Show - There was discussion about shows. It was decided to move the camp show contesting classes to Friday, June 12th, to start at 5pm. The camp committee will discuss the end time of camp on Friday. Then the showmanship/ performance classes will start at 9am on Saturday, June 13th. Our mid-summer show will no longer be a MVHSA show and will instead be a 4-H show with show clothes required. This will be on Saturday, July 18th.

The PAS show was discussed. Rhonda stated that she will need a copy of a 2020 Coggins turned in with State Fair entry forms, which most people turn in the day of the PAS show. It is recommended that exhibitors bring their copy of the 2020 coggins to the PAS show.

AED's - Marla is still working on this.

Wristbands- There was discussion about wristbands to identify healthcare providers. It was determined that this was not necessary.

NEW BUSINESS

Tack sale-

There will now be several shifts for tack sale set up and assisting vendors with loading/unloading:

Table set up: 4pm Sat- Trails & Tails

Vendor set up: 6-9pm - Greenville Rangers, Buckeye Buckaroos

Vendor set up: 7 am- 10 - Horse & Rider

Vendor Tear down: 3pm- end - Stablemates, Silver Hoofs

Heaters- Amy plans to talk to some companies about getting heaters for the coliseum

Newspaper- Amy will put the tack sale in the newspaper

Radio station- Amy and Rhonda will publicize the tack sale on The Tiger.

Promoting on facebook - It was decided not to spend money on promoting the event on Facebook. Everyone will try to encourage more people to share the event.

Food Stand times will stay the same and Trails & Tails will overlap from 9:30-11:30am.

8am - 10am Horse & Rider

10am – 12pm Greenville Rangers

12- 2pm Buckeye Buckaroos

2pm – 4pm Stablemates

Working door all day- Silver Hoofs

Barn duty nights:

2020 order – BB, GR, HR, SM, SH - The new club will be added to the bottom of the list this year.

BB: Tuesday GR: Sunday

HR: Saturday

SM: Wednesday

SH: Friday

TT: Monday

Horse Camp Committee- A committee was formed: Amy, Marla, Kelly, Kayla, Laura, Elizabeth

2020 Officer Elections:
President: Angie Young
Vice President: Mary Neill
Treasurer: Jennifer Bedwell

Secretary: Amy Frantz

Comy Fruit

Amy Frantz moved to adjourn, Laura Wintrow seconded. Motion passed.

Next meeting will be February 11, 2020 at 7:30pm at the OSU Extension Office.

Submitted by Amy Frantz, Secretary.