Adams County 4-H Horse Committee
Minutes
October 14, 2015


The October 14 meeting of the Adams County 4-H Horse Committee was called to order by Angie Crothers at 6:30pm at the Annex building.

Attendance sheet passed around. All attendees introduced own self. Committee is not at maximum members. More members are welcome.

Secretary’s Report: Not Available. Jessica was computer illiterate.

Treasurer’s Report: Edie gave treasurer’s report. Current balance is $1909.68. Total bill at Raber’s is $62.50 for Groom and Clean equipment. Angela Meyers moved to approve payment of Raber’s bill of $62.50. Edie seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Brian and Kara Shearer donated amount of $62.50 to pay bill from Raber’s.

Staff Report:
   a) Carolyn explained reasons for new guidelines and structure of Horse Committee. Horse Committee is a sub-committee of Advisory committee with main focus of working together with others to make improvements, facilitate shows and camp, provide educational programming, and so on.
   b) Reviewed all positive notes on accomplishments of 2015 horse program.
   c) Keep word of mouth for program POSITIVE!!! Facebook PAGE-anyone can like and follow. Facebook GROUP-only for committee members.

Old Business:
   • OHHA Grant Update - $1,000:
      a) Grant money has been completely spent.
      b) 9 youth active in program. Communication Contest and Competitive Trail Ride are only competitions equine team members were not involved in.
      c) Looking for new grant ideas?

New Business:
   • Review Adams County Calendar 2016. Edie moved to continue horse camp in 2016. Ryanna seconded the motion. The motion carried.
   • PAS shows - June 11 and June 25, Camp Fun Show - June 4. Sam moved o keep all dates in yellow on 2016 Calendar draft. Edie seconded motion. The motion carried.
      o Dates include:
         ▪ Horse Safety and Ethics – March 16 and 22
         ▪ Horse Registration Day and Fun Show – May 14
         ▪ Horse Camp – June 1 (Move-in), June 2 and 3 (Camp), June 4 (Camp Show)
         ▪ PAS Shows – June 11 and 25
         ▪ Last day for ride nights at the fairgrounds – June 30
         ▪ Horse Recognition at Long’s Retreat – August
• Discussion about possible fundraising events, including fundraising shows, was tabled until a future meeting.
• Nominating Committee - Teresa Gaffin (Chair), Ed Crothers, Jessica Goon. Elections to be held in January.

Next meeting: November 11, 6:30p

Edie moved to adjourn meeting at 8:10p. Ed Crothers seconded the motion. The motion carried.