Horse Committee 2024

Adult members:

- Pallavi Vembar (Chair)
- Sarah Justice (Chair)
- Judith McCloskey – Office/Points Chair
- Samantha Owen
- Christina Mitchell
- Jacquie Stutin
- Jillian O'Connor

Adult volunteers:

- Chris Wokojance
- Dennis Miller
- Dale Freeland
- Angela Hawsman
- Debbie Hookway
- Mike Hawsman

Junior Fairboard Members:

- Natalie Pham
- Lauren Sigrist
- Bella Vasquez
- Madison Stutin (Youth Chair)

Meeting dates:

February 8th
March 14th
April 11th
May 16th
June 13th
July 2nd
August 8th
September 12th
October 10th
November 14th

February 9, 2024 Meeting Minutes

Call meeting to order: 6:31

Introductions

Fairboard Updates

- Dino-mite theme
- Barn updates: reconstructing barn, new roof
- New building project up by gate A
- Horse Camp: $225 campers, $100 jr leaders

Judges

Thank you Sara!
Contracts are almost all back
Need to send contract to steward
Need to send contract to photographer

Last meeting notes:

For 2024:

- New Coordinators!! Pallavi Vembar & Sara Justice, Judi McCloskey as the new Points Secretary/Office Lady
    - Judi: points, late fees, office manager
    - Will need a new awards committee coordinator for 2024 **(Jill)**
        - Ribbons already ordered
        - Same trophy size for classes but different colors
        - Gift certificates for embroidering?
    - New Academy Horse forms needs created or found amongst emails

New 2024 books: **committee purchase 1 of each book once they are available**

- **Sam volunteered to do questions for project judging**
    - Gymkhana book (NOT a requirement for gymkhana kids)
    - Roping - covers mounted and ground roping (IS a requirement to show in ground roping class at state fair, will have to be enrolled in Roping project on 4-H Online, and will have to present Roping project book as part of their score for their class at state fair)
    - BHM is still a book for 2024, but likely for 2025 it will be updated to a “Horse Resource Book”, which will include annual activities and will allow kids to take it multiple years (not limited to 3 like BHM
    - New state fair class - Ranch Trail

    - Will have different obstacles than regular trail, including a metal gate with handle (reach out to see if anyone has this and also take note of regulations for the gate)
    - Rules for state fair qualification to come soon (might potentially be able to qualify for ranch trail even if only regular trail is offered, still working on details)
    - Liberty Challenge - “shankless showmanship”, SMS pattern without a lead rope
    - Ground Roping changes - will be allowed to qualify in just ground roping and go to state without having to ride or show a horse (will not count as state fair participation for State 8 though)

Fair & Packet

- Rules Quiz (June 1st)
- Fair packet (June 1st)
- Coggins and vaccinations
- Equistep
- Academy horse form: fix
- Project book and record book: due by G&E
- Sponsorships due **April 15th**
- If google forms does not work, contact us
- Memorials: contact Sam
- Create a photo release statement at the end of the fair packet
- **Scholarship**

Subcommittees

- Do we have any interest in trying to pursue the subcommittees again in order to organize duties among the committee?
- Yes:
- Scheduling: Sara, Lauren, Susan
    - February 22nd scheduling meeting 6:30pm fairgrounds
- Volunteer Hours/Project Judging: Brenda
- PAS: Sara, Jill, Judi
- Awards: Jill, Jacquie, Judi

Fair Dinners: are any horse people interested in fair wide dinner every night? Free donated food, open to everyone, need a number by clubs by the beginning of march Tuesday-Sunday

Horse show series:
May 18th: Stark County Massillon Saddle Club
June 8th: Portage County
July 13th Summit County

August 10th: Wayne County NO
September 28th: Open Show banquet at Summit County
No payouts–only ribbons
2 out of 3 shows: eligible for year end awards

Important dates:
Officer Trainings: February 17th and February 29th
Enrollment deadline: March 15th
Ohio 4H Conference: March 9th
Farm Bureau Breakfast: March 9th 8am-11am (Copley High School $1)
Horse Bowl/Hippology: April 6th

- Already junior team, need 1 senior member, can still come to practices and not be a team member if interested, deadline is march 15th

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Dressage PAS: June 8th
PAS: June 9th and June 28th
Summit Open Shows: July 13th
Horse Camp: June 16th-20th (applications out march 1st, public on facebook march 7th)
State Fair: July 15th-19th
Summit County Fair: July 23rd-28th (It's going to be a dino-mite time)
Eclipse Viewing Event at Fairgrounds: April 8th weekend

March 14, 2024 Meeting Minutes

Call meeting to order 6:36pm
Madison Stutin, Jacquie Stutin, Susan Garside, Chrissy Mitchell, Jen Stroll, erika Somerville, Sam Owen, Bella Vasquez, Sara Justice, Amanda Rosen, Angie Hawsman, Judi McCloskey, Lauren Sigrist

Fairboard Updates
Open Show Series
June 15 Portage
July 13 Summit
Aug 10 Stark
Banquet Sept 28
**Not in stone how many shows you need to go to for high point eligibility.
Horse camp applications are out. Please get those in asap.
Fair – There will be a parade again this year that will end at the gazebo like last year. Will start at the same time as last year.
Pancake breakfast will be on Thursday starting at 8-10.
Carnival with a cop – not sure if this is happening
Dinosaur race on Thursday before racing in Grand Stand. There will probably be a sign up. 6PM.
Sunday- Rodeo at 4pm. Sign up ahead of time – discount for 4H members.
The 22nd of March NEW DAY CLEVELAND will be at the Fairgrounds to showcase the 2024 Fair. If anyone wants to watch!!
Camping form is available for Horse Camp and Fair. Please be sure that you know your camper's length. If you need a special haul in time, please contact Debbie and she will work with you.

2024 Classes: vote

VOTE Costume class as a fun class-passed
VOTE Versatility classes–look into the past 3 years of contesting in versatility
- In-hand class
- English pattern
- Western Rail
- Contesting 2020 class

VOTE complete class list

2024 High Point Classes

Equine In Hand	Walk-Trot English	Walk-Trot Western	Open Western	Open English	Novice English	Novice Western	Open Contest	Novice Contest
5/7	7/9	7/9	7/10	7/10	7/10	7/10	7/10	7/10
Showmanship	Showmanship	Showmanship	Showmanship	Showmanship	Showmanship	Showmanship	Barrels	Barrels
Trail in Hand	Pleasure	Pleasure	Pleasure	English Pleasure	English Pleasure	Western Pleasure	Cones & Barrels	Cones & Barrels
Hunter in Hand	Equitation	Horsemanship	Horsemanship	Equitation	Equitation	Horsemanship	Stakes Race	Stakes Race
Jumper in Hand	Road Hack	Road Hack	Ranch Riding	Road Hack	Road Hack	Ranch Riding	Speed & Control	Speed & Control
Halter	Dressage	Trail	Trail	Hunter Hack	Hunter Hack	Trail	Pole Bending	Pole Bending
Ground Driving	Trail	Western Riding (Small Pattern)	Trail in Hand	Equitation over Fences	Equitation over Fences	Trail in Hand	Keyhole	Keyhole
Longe Line	Eq. over Ground Poles	Trail in Hand	Reining Pattern	Trail	Trail	Reining Pattern	Stake Bend	Stake Bend
	Trail in Hand	Ranch Horse Pleasure	Western Riding	Dressage	Dressage	Western Riding	Turn N Burn	Turn N Burn
	Command Class	Western Dressage	Ranch Horse Pleasure	Trail in Hand	Trail in Hand	Ranch Horse Pleasure	Birangle	Birangle
			Western Dressage	Hunter Over Fences	Hunter Over Fences	Western Dressage	Showmanship	Showmanship
							Horsemanship (Nonpoint)	Horsemanship (Nonpoint)

Fun Classes	Equine in Hand	Western	English	Contest	Walk-Trot
All Classes Count for Point Calculation	Catalog Race	Egg & Spoon	Egg & Spoon	Egg & Spoon	Egg & Spoon
	Dizzy Bat	Ride N Run	Ride N Run	Ride N Run	Ride N Run
	Water Glass Obstacle	Ribbon Race	Ribbon Race	Ribbon Race	Ribbon Race
	Scurry	Scurry Race	Scurry Race	Scurry Race	Scurry Race
	Carrot Temptation	Ball in Bucket	Ball in Bucket	Ball in Bucket	Ball in Bucket
	Barrels	Barrels	Barrels	Flag Race	Barrels
	Keyhole	Keyhole	Keyhole	Solo Cup Race	Keyhole

Equine In Hand	Walk-Trot English	Walk-Trot Western	Novice English	Novice Western	Open Contest	Novice Contest	Open Ranch	Open Sport Horse	Open Western	Open English
7/7	7/9	7/9	7/10	7/10	7/10	7/10	7/7	7/7	7/7	7/7
Showmanship	Showmanship	Showmanship	Showmanship	Showmanship	Barrels	Barrels	Ranch Showmanship	Showmanship	Showmanship	Showmanship
Trail in Hand	Pleasure	Pleasure	English Pleasure	Western Pleasure	Cones & Barrels	Cones & Barrels	Ranch Horse Pleasure	Hunter Under Saddle	Pleasure	English Pleasure
Hunter in Hand	Equitation	Horsemanship	Equitation	Horsemanship	Stakes Race	Stakes Race	Ranch Riding	Hunter Hack	Horsemanship	Equitation
Jumper in Hand	Road Hack	Road Hack	Road Hack	Trail	Speed & Control	Speed & Control	Ranch Trail	Equitation over Fences	Western Riding	Road Hack
Halter	Dressage	Trail	Hunter Hack	Trail in Hand	Pole Bending	Pole Bending	Ranch Horsemanship	Hunter over Fences	Western Dressage	Trail
Ground Driving	Trail	Western Riding (Small	Equitation over Fences	Reining Pattern	Keyhole	Keyhole	Reining	English Equitation	Trail in Hand	Trail in Hand
Longe Line	Eq. over Ground Poles	Trail in Hand	Dressage	Western Riding	Stake Bend	Stake Bend	Ranch Dressage	Sport Horse Dressage	Trail	Dressage
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	Command Class	Western Dressage	Hunter Over Fences	Western Dressage	Birangle	Birangle				
			Trail	Ranch Horse Pleasure	Showmanship	Showmanship				
					Horsemanship	Horsemanship				

ALL THE ABOVE CLASSES HAVE BEEN UPDATED.
THESE SHEETS ARE A DRAFT.

5/7 classes for minis–decrease fair fee? (by 2 classes)

Schedule –
Went through all divisions and decided on the classes.
EGG AND SPOON DURING VERSATILITY WHILE THEY WAIT FOR POINTS TO BE CALCULATED
Please send 2024 Fair Rules to the committee – have them posted on the jr fair website. Please ��
Are we able to have Ring C dragged, please?

March minute updates April 12, 2024
Ring C is a mess with grass. Best solution is to lunge horses and beat grass down at this point
Walk trot English-Command class is now discipline rail
Open/Novice contest-trade turn and burn to flags for this year. Turn and burn next year
Open English-trade trail in hand for discipline rail
Open Western-trade trail in hand for road hack
Equine in hand fun class-trade dizzy bag for costume
Western fun class-trade ball in bucket and keyhole for poles and costume
English fun class-trade ball in bucket and keyhole for poles and costume

Contest fun-trade ball in bucket and flags for turn and burn and costume
Walktrot fun-trade ball in bucket and keyhole to poles and costume

We will try to have the schedule and patterns out as soon as possible- please keep in mind that things can change depending on how many exhibitors are signed up for what divisions, and if open divisions need to be combined.

Horse Camp Updates: Erika

Next meeting will be April 11 th at 6:30 in the admin building.
Meeting adjourned at 8:01PM

Fair fees: Breakdown of expenses in 2023

EXPENSES

Track it Forward 4 Months	120
Amazon	130.61
Ribbons for both open show and fair	4739.73
Horse Activity Guide	304.46
Track it Forward	30
Track it forward	30
PAS Judge	400.00
Judge Meal Dressage	20.00
Over Payment for Dressage	15.00
Over Payment for Dressage	15.00
Over Payment for Dressage	15.00
Dressage Judge	342.00
Clinic judge	175.00
Supplies for horse show	6.99
Supplies for horse show	5.98
Supplies for horse show	80.04
Judge for Open Show	200.00
Sponsorship money for Addison Laber and Abbie Rich	400.00
Track it Forward	30.00

Stall Cleaning	170.00
Track it forward	30.00
Judges Meals	40.82
Camping From Sponsor Money	285.00
Horse Signs	286.90
Horse Awards	871.00
Banners	306.46
Steward	1200.00
Photographer	300.00
Announcer	400.00
Announcer	400.00
Deweys Shake Shack supplies	217.50
Horse judges and such	870.00
Horse supplies	48.75
horse awards	188.80
Horse	250.00
Horse Show Cleanup	180.00
Horse Supplies	48.75
Fair bucks for Horse	870.00
Horse Supplies	188.80
Horse Awards	99.63
Horse Supplies	21.96
Track it forward	30.00
Mollys Custom Silver	1320.28
Donation	10.00
Showman of showman banners	45.00
Track it forward	30.00
track it forward	30.00
Track it forward	30.00

Total

April 11, 2024 Meeting Minutes

Call meeting to order: 6:34
Present: Judi, Sara, Chrissy, Erika, Lauren S., Jill, Jacquie, Madison, Amanda, Mike, Angie, Molly G.

Fairboard Updates:
Angie Hawsman said that Howard and Theresa Call are donating $500 towards the club meal. There will be breakfast, lunch and dinner. Lunch and dinner will be in the Low Family Pavilion. There will be a sign up genius for parents to donate or pick up items. Lunch and dinner will be staggered for a couple hours so all kids can get to dinner. Help with these will be included with park and pavilion clean up. Pancake breakfast Thursday.

Fair Packet: will be released Friday AM, is there any feedback any Horse Committee members have before it is released? Committee has been back and forth with getting it set up. We are trying to get the rules questions to match up to the 2024 rules.

Awards:
Jill O'Connor said that ribbon holders are $45. Will need to get a count of how many horses at fair. Buckles for Versatility grand and reserve champion. Swag bags will be handed out to every 4H member with a poncho, cup, candy etc. Gifts or ribbons were mentioned. Trade in your ribbons for a gift certificate. Fan holders were also discussed as well as engraved stanley cups. She had many great ideas and was asked to bring a list and prices to the May meeting.
Remind everyone that sponsorships are due April 15th!!!
We were reminded that first horse is $200 in sponsorships with $160 towards the horse committee budget and $170 for each horse thereafter with $135 going toward the horse committee budget.

Fair schedule:
VOTE: which ranch association patterns for ranch classes & dressage. Was not voted on

There was much discussion about the fair schedule and it was decided to go back to having a showmanship day, a pleasure day, a trail day, a dressage day etc.

A reminder that >10 are 8 placings and <10 are 6 placings

Distribution of ribbons was discussed and all liked the idea of handing them out in the show ring for non scored classes.

Skillathon/SMS clinic: May 11th at the Fairgrounds (Lauren Sigrist 9-12)
Volunteers needed! Contact Tami Herman
Erika has all the supplies for the poster. Lauren Sigrist will be the horse table volunteer. Erika gave Lauren the bag of stuff.

Is the committee able to have record books printed for all the clubs to avoid any issues with wrong record books?
This is being checked on by Jillian and others

Important Dates
Judging Team: July 15th State Fair
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Competitive Trail: September 6th & 7th at Waynesville
Dressage PAS: June 8th (Sara)
PAS: June 9th (Sara, Judi, Jillian) and June 28th (Sara and Judi)
Open Shows: June 15 (Portage), July 13 (Summit), August 3 (Stark)
Horse Camp: June 16th-20th (applications out march 1st, public on facebook march 7th)
State Fair: July 15th-19th
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Parent advisor fun classes at Fair
Much discussion about parent advisor classes with the final idea of having them on Saturday night instead of Sunday morning. It was also advised that adults must sign that they "decline to wear a helmet" as a precautionary measure.

Meeting Adjourned: 9pm (ish)

2024 HIGH POINT CLASSES					
Equine In Hand (5 of 7)	Walk-Trot English (7 of 9)	Walk-Trot Western (7 of 9)	Open & Novice Western (7 of 10)	Open & Novice English (7 of 10)	Open & Novice Contest (7 of 10)
Showmanship	Showmanship	Showmanship	Showmanship	Showmanship	Barrels
Trail in Hand	Pleasure	Pleasure	Western Pleasure	English Pleasure	Cones & Barrels
Hunter in Hand	Equitation	Horsemanship	Horsemanship	Equitation	Stakes Race
Jumper in Hand	Road Hack	Road Hack	Ranch Riding	Road Hack	Speed & Control
Ground Driving	Dressage	Trail	Trail	Hunter Hack	Pole Bending
Halter	Trail	Western Riding (Sm Pattern)	Trail in Hand	Equitation over Fences	Keyhole
Longe Line	Eq. over Ground Poles	Trail in Hand	Reining Pattern	Trail	Stake Bend
	Trail in Hand	Ranch Horse Pleasure	Western Riding	Dressage	Flags
	Disciplined Rail	Western Dressage	Ranch Horse Pleasure	Trail in Hand	Birangle
			Western Dressage	Hunter Over Fences	Showmanship
					Horsemanship (Nonpoint)

If there are enough exhibitors to have the Open Specialty Divisions, the classes will be as follows:

Open Ranch (7 of 7)	Open Western (7 of 7)	Sport Horse (7 of 7)	Open English (7 of 7)
Showmanship	Showmanship	Showmanship	Showmanship
Ranch Horse Pleasure	Pleasure	Hunter Under Saddle	English Pleasure
Ranch Riding	Horsemanship	Hunter Hack	Equitation
RancH Trail	Western Riding	Eq Over Fences	Road Hack
Ranch Horsemanship	Western Dressage	Hunter Over Fences	Trail
Reining	Road Hack	English Equitation	Disciplined Rail
Ranch Dressage	Trail	Sport Horse Dressage	Dressage

2024 Versatility Classes

Showmanship

English Equitation
Ranch Horse Pleasure
Poles

2024 FUN CLASSES	Equine in Hand	Western	English	Contest	Walk-Trot
	Catalog Race	Egg & Spoon	Egg & Spoon	Egg & Spoon	Egg & Spoon
	Costume Class	Ride N Run	Ride N Run	Ride N Run	Ride N Run
	Water Glass Obstacle	Ribbon Race	Ribbon Race	Ribbon Race	Ribbon Race
	Scurry	Scurry Race	Scurry Race	Scurry Race	Scurry Race
	Carrot Temptation	Costume	Costume	Costume	Costume
	Barrels	Barrels	Barrels	Turn N Burn	Barrels
	Keyhole	Poles	Poles	Solo Cup Race	Poles

May 16, 2024 Meeting Minutes

Call meeting to order: 6:34
Fairboard Updates:
Open show dates
Show bill is out–check website for more details
Animals released at 6pm on Sunday
3rd tuesday–June meeting

Scholarship: vote on scholarship rule–to be more specific this year
A couple new clubs–clarification on the rules
3 years of horse projects overall
Will reach out to advisors for last year members
Due June 1

Jr Leaders: money in budget to be donated to Jr. Leaders
$1,500 donation from Horse Committee

Laptop: options sent by Amanda, also consideration for Microsoft Office
Narrow down to 2-3, send an email to Cathy's brother asking for his guidance on our options and what we need it for, needed by 1 month prior to fair

Ranch gate:
Need fairboard's help to purchase it and welding feet onto it
Potential work day–we could ditch the gate for this year, and have a good plan for next year

Horse packet question: if they let us know beforehand, should we allow forms to be submitted after June 1st? Ex. Coggins not available until June 5th

- As long as it is before fair

Patterns: pattern options are in the google drive, narrow down and vote on at next meeting

- Versatility judge will choose versatility patterns

*******approved new metal gates for chute
ADD IN DUTIES: runners from ring a to ring b

Meeting adjourned: 8:07pm

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PAS: June 9th and June 28th
Open Shows: June 15 (Portage), July 13 (Summit), August 3 (Stark)
Horse Camp: June 16th-20th (applications out march 1st, public on facebook march 7th)
State Fair: July 15th-19th
Summit County Fair: July 23rd-28th (It's going to be a dino-mite time)

June 13, 2024 Meeting Minutes

Call meeting to order: 6:30pm

Fairboard Updates:

- Today is the deadline to register for any arts
- Parade again–Tuesday of fair–start behind arena, end at the youth park
- Presale tickets for some fair items and grandstand are on sale until the weekend before fair
- 4h tickets still on sale for the rodeo
- Roof $180,000
- Royalty July 21 at 6 pm
- Dino races in Ring A Thursday from 6-7pm Bring your own dino costume and get in free to the fair and 2 other free admissions

Project Book Judging: project book judging manuals done by next weekend – discussion among volunteer hours subcommittee to schedule days for kids to come get their project books judged

- Get advisor for Monday-Wednesday after 7pm
- Project judging: grade and exhibit 10-12 on July 13th .
- Sign up in order to get judged

Patterns:

- Novice Western Reining - Pattern A
- Open Western Dressage - Basic 3 https://wdaa.memberclicks.net/assets/docs/2022-WDAA-tests/Basic3%20%28091821%29.pdfq
- Novice Western Dressage - Basic 1 https://wdaa.memberclicks.net/assets/docs/2022-WDAA-tests/Basic3%20%28091821%29.pdf
- Open Ranch Dressage - Basic 4 https://wdaa.memberclicks.net/assets/docs/2022-WDAA-tests/Basic4%20%28091821%29.pdf
- WT Western Dressage - WDAA Intro 3 https://wdaa.memberclicks.net/assets/docs/2022-WDAA-tests/Intro1%20%28091821%29.pdf
- Open English Dressage - Training 2 https://www.usdf.org/docs/showflash/web/tests/2023/2023%20Training%202%204.7.pdf?t=6/17/2024%202:39:11%20PM
- Novice English Dressage - Training 1 https://www.usdf.org/docs/showflash/web/tests/2023/2023%20Training%201%204.7.pdf?t=6/17/2024%202:39:11%20PM
- Open Sport Horse Dressage - Modified Test B https://useventing.com/resources/documents/2022-USEF-MODIFIED-TEST-B-WEB-2.15.23.pdf

- WT English Dressage - Intro B https://www.usdf.org/docs/showflash/web/tests/2023/2023%20Intro%20B.pdf?t=6/17/2024%202:39:11%20PM
- Open Western Riding - Pattern B
- Novice Western Riding - Pattern A
- WT Western Riding - Modified Pattern A
- Open Ranch Reining - Pattern C
- Novice Western Ranch Riding - Pattern A

Maintenance: Sam
- Barn maintenance - redo east wall
- Would need families to come and help do this project
- Would be around $2000
- More R&D to come up with final cost
- Use alpaca stalls for 2 minis

Divisions:
- Open Sport Horse – proposal to keep this division for following reasons
    - *Majority of kids signed up for flat classes, but two want to jump. If we have the division back to 10 with drop classes, the jumping kids have an advantage in points.*
    - *The jumping kids will go in all 10 classes, and there would be less kids than placings either way so unless they get DQ, everyone places in everything they go in.*
    - *The people with horses that can't or don't jump for any reason automatically have 3 classes they get no points. The jumping kids have a high probability of getting points in all classes because less people than placings. So, they're going to drop whatever their low stuff is, which means they'll have 3 firsts of 2nds from over fences, and dropping things they probably placed in.*
    - *While historically people have won the division without jumping, historically we had more people than placings so the chance of placing in every class was lower.*
- Sam Motioned to keep the Sport Horse Division as it is with two riders
    - Chrissy second
    - All in favor – motion approved

Awards: Jill/Sara
- Discuss ideas proposed by Kristina Gardner. Instead of PAS signs, have banners made with the kid/horse. She found some that were similar in price to signs.
- Individual class trophies were ordered 6/10. Should be ready for pick up by
- Bannerbuz.com 24 hour turn around..Find last year ribbon place

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Voted to budget $1400 to spend on laptop, printer, or whatever needed

- Need microsoft office
- Need number pad

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Meeting adjourned: 7:32pm

July 2, 2024 Meeting Minutes

Call meeting to order: 6:31
Pallavi, Sara, Judi, Ada Alina, Christina, Gabbi, Victoria, Madison, Jacquie, Faye, Ally & Dan, Erika, Jen, Sam, Dawn, Tobi, Addy, Jillian and Jaclynn

Fairboard/4H Updates:

- Parade Tuesday of fair at 12:30pm–starting at indoor arena
- Sign ups for dino open online: Thursday 6pm
- G&E sign ups sent by email today if you are signed up through 4H online
- Camper, golf cart, parking passes due yesterday, $50 late fee
- Parking is separate from camping

Regression Riders:
5 individuals who are regressing divisions
3 are taking a second horse
2 are with a new horse
All five situations were reviewed by coordinators and positively contribute to the safety of riders and horses

Created a new division called Walk Trot Plus
Combining western and english
Sam motioned
Judi second
Showmanship (all WT is the same)
Pleasure
Disciplined rail
Trail (all WT is the same)
Trail in hand (all WT is the same)
Dressage (same test as WT English)
Eq/horsemanship (same pattern as WT HMS)
Eq over ground poles (same pattern as WT English)
Roadhack
Divisions and numbers:
Equine In hand: 4
WT English: 10 revised to 9 on July 8
WT Western: 7
WT+: 5
Novice Contest: 4
Novice English: 4
Novice Western: 3
Open Contest: 8
Open English: 3
Open Ranch: 8
Sport Horse: 2

Open Western: 3

Draft Schedule:
Any conflicts: let us know by Friday 7/5

Times:
Sawdust Friday, July 20
Stall setup Saturday, July 20 and Sunday, July 21 up until 6:00pm
Royalty Crowning at 6:00pm Sunday, July 21
Stall judging after royalty crowning
Monday, July 22 : move in 9am-bit check 6pm
Monday, July 22 Parade of Entries: 8pm
Need to have someone volunteer for pizza, ask about ice cream/food truck available

Stalls:
1. Vote on garwood arena stalls–Jill
    a. Pallavi motioned to keep what we have and purchase lights
    b. Chrissy motion to purchase stalls @ $90 a stall
    c. Judi second
    d. TAPE ONLY on portable stalls
2. Decide on whether we will have back stalls open to public–endcaps
    a. Not open to public
3. Decide if we are going to allow plain sheets in back stalls for stall decor
    a. Only stalls with a horse in it need stall decor
4. Stall assignments go by club–club decides which horse goes where

Awards:
- PAS banners needed sent to Jill by 7/3 at 5pm

New barrels-free! Thanks Jill

Quote for doing the project: 20,000-30,000 with concrete block
Asking for $3,000 to start collecting donations and start doing the project with treated lumber

Pallavi motioned, Chrissy second, All in favor
NO FILLING UP GROUNDHOG HOLES DURING WORK DAYS

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September 12, 2024 Meeting Minutes

Call meeting to order: 6:36pm

Applications for Horse Committee

Fairboard Updates:

- Theme for next year: Once Upon a Fair-y Tale
- All of Fairboard contests will be due May 1st for royalty, tshirt design, and scholarship
- Hay bales next year: mandatory

Fair Recap & Suggestions for next year:

Awards: great job Jill! Let's do it again next year!

- Superlatives
- Swag bags
- All awards

Judges:

- Create a google form for judges about their feedback on how we run the show
- List of preferred judges
- Gwen Stoll for 2025 Steward

Schedule:

- Last minute schedule changes: fix schedule for fun classes for next year
- Suggestion: all jumping on one day
- Open divisions requested to have at least one drop class

Points:

- Create scoresheet binder
- Posting points on window?

Duties:

- Posting job descriptions by where the job is
- Add a ring b coordinator whenever there are ring b classes going
- Add tear downs
- Add more contact info for those who sign up
- Sign to pick up ribbon

Maintenance:

- Requests for updated bathrooms near horse area
- Speaker system for ring b and for barn

Other:

- Grievance committee
- Versatility: more strict and emphasis on the rules
- Have a meeting with everyone who works versatility prior to the show
- Walkie talkie for office and ring b
- Better system of releasing horses–zip tie system,
- Send out poll about stall decorations?

October 10, 2024 Meeting Minutes

Call meeting to order: 6:34pm

Fairboard Updates:
Junior Fair Bonfire next Saturday 10/19
RSVP link is on their facebook
Any youth member who are interested in joining the horse committee please reach out to Kelsey or Cathy, there are extra youth spots on the committee!

RULES:

- Speed & Control- question why we are allowed to circle the box multiple times. County & State rules were read; there is nothing in the state rulebook about circling the box before so rule was left as it is
- Changing Coggins to “current year active coggins”. The issue is this a state rule from Jan 1 of current year to fair. Left rule as it is.
- Combine western & ranch again. Our rules already deal with the size of the divisions. Kids in the western division stated they liked having the separate divisions & kids in the ranch division stated they liked having the separate divisions. It was stated maybe wait on another year to see how numbers are going before we decide to make numbers higher to create divisions.
- Versatility- wants more people watching in the tack change/paddock. Not really needed in the rules, but more of re-emphasizing rules at the grooms meeting and having people watch/telling people to stop when grooming time is up
- Adding a cleaning deposit to fair. (copy/paste from email) The logistics of monitoring the stalls to give the deposits back at the end would be very difficult to manage. Perhaps having an added duty of picking up manure in front of the barns would be helpful.
- Stall decorations to be taken down Monday after fair through August 15. Not at all during fair.
- Points program left in the building. There were issues last year that caused it need to be in a quiet area. Points were done both by hand & computer. Decided to leave the double check as it is.
- Change number of ribbons to a set number or leave it where if X then 6, if Y then 8. Sara J motion to change rule to 8 ribbons no matter how many in the division. Chrissy M. second. All in favor.
- (rules 39 & 40) Change Coggins date to Jan 1.
- Add Grievance committee back in to rules. Rule 40. Change the rule to sending an email to Horse Committee with the required info. HC forwards email to all voting member of HC to discuss. Advisors and parents are excluded from this discussion. If a change for lameness, illness, or death will

keep high point & versatility eligibility. Seat changes and division changes must be stated in the grievance email. Changes for any other reason will not have high point or versatility.

- Raise the minimum hours to 10 for the first horse and 5 for each subsequent horse. Advanced notice of work dates and more work dates are recommended. Judi M motion to raise hours to 10 hours for first horse & 5 for subsequent horses. Lauren S. second. 5 in favor, 1 opposed, 1 abstain.
- Suggestion to limit number of contest horses per person. States you can't do this in other divisions. There is technically no rule that says you can do this in ranch. (Rule 32). Tabled until next meeting. We will look at the old SCSHA rules.
- Pallavi V. motion to change all 4 open pleasure divisions to have 7 of 9 classes count for high point Lauren S. second. All in favor. Will decide what classes at a later division.
- Add to regression rule that if enough regressions occur, then there may be a division. Will decide in July if we do anything with regressions based on numbers.

Adjourned at 8:27

November 14, 2024 Meeting Minutes

Call meeting to order: 6:32

Fairboard Updates
Fundraising for jr fair, updating google form for sponsorships

Go over proposed budget
If fairboard approves it, motion to approve the lights
Motion withdrew
Tabled until fairboard comes to a decision

Sara will send information to Judi about simple and flying lead changes for the judges

Add area to rules to include class operations including use of whop, standards or road hack, contest, other association patterns can be used

Get dates for PAS and dressage

Discussed more than one horse in a class and the thought was do better, raise the bar not lower it

Updated Rules Draft: vote

Any other Rules need looked at?

Rules to look at: 33- discussed why it is necessary to have three members involved when looking at grievances during fair

8:28pm