Thumbs Up Riders of Door County
Monthly Meeting Minutes

August, 18, 2026 CDT, 6:49pm

Bailey's Harbor, Wi. Town Hall
Online available via Google Meet

In attendance:
Chairperson: Mindy Wuollett
Vice President: Soirsce Moriarty
Secretary: Jeanne Flock
Carissa Weber and Jim Weber
Penny Geitner
Suzi Haas online

1.Submission of July 21, 2026 Minutes: motion made to accept and seconded by Carissa and Soirsce.

2.Financial Report:
Checking has $4,405.91
Savings has $4,187.09

3:Membership Update: No new members. Suzi and Lisa will fill out that info by next meeting.

4.Voting for President and Treasurer:
No one sent in submissions for either office.
A:Treasurer position; accepted by Penny Geitner and seconded by Suzi Haas and Soirsce Moriarity. No one opposed.
B: President position: all were in favor for Mindy Wuollett to continue as President. No one opposed.

5.Trail report: Carissa reached out to Wi Horse Council and got immediate feedback via Eric. We have to have all the funding out in place before we can move forward. Working towards grant paperwork with Cricket and Eric. They are happy to help us write the grant. We now need to talk about fund raising and get the community interested to help raise funds.
Ideas:
Rebrand membership as trail donation?
Buying a foot of the trail? 1 foot per every $3, etc.
Public trail rides.
Talk with other community clubs about helping one another.
Reach out to old members to let them know where we are to try and get them back on board.
Businesses can donate as tax exempt.
We are mixed use so let's reach out to other clubs.

Let's not rely solely on grants.
Grant application deadlines are:
Horse council is Feb 1st and
DNR is November 1st
Trail walk planned for Monday September 21st at 10:30am.
Next meeting set dedicated to fundraising. Set for September 22nd at Jeanne's FC rental house.
Google spreadsheet agreed upon to keep a working record of who has contacted who regarding fundraising.

6. Carlsville Day Parade Recap: went great. Not much was said. Next year...schedule more in advance for next year for advertisement. Last Saturday in July every year.

7. New Business:
Penny handed out paperwork and talked about a ride from Geitner's to Institute to help raise funds. T-shirts for sale. A wine trail. Picnic ride.
Coupons given out to Geitner's when people become members. Horse Spa Day.
Discussed a FallFest parade float and/or ride.

8. Meeting closure: Motion to Adjourn at 8:05pm.