Pinal County 4-H Horse Advisory Committee (HAC) Meeting Minute

Date: 08/26/2025 / Time:639:pm / Location: Zoom

Attendees

Michelle Weese, Colette McKee, Dawn Odell, Beth Williamson, Kimmy Wiley

Agenda

Call to order

Meeting called to order at 6:39pm by Michelle Weese.

Roll call

Michelle Weese, Colette McKee, Dawn Odell, Beth Williamson, Kimmy Wiley

Approval of previous meeting minutes

- Motion to approve the minutes from the last meeting on 08/12/2025.
- o Motion made by Dawn; seconded by Collette.
- Motion carried/unanimously approved.

• Treasurer's report

- Checking \$2,477.44
- o Savings- \$2,511.03

New Board:

President: Michelle Weese

Vice President: Colette McKee

Secretary: Amaris Saldate

Treasurer: Kimberly Wiley

Member at Large: Beth Williamson

Backup Member at Large: Dawn Odell

Announcements

- Introduce yourself : Brief introduction
- Show google drive, and blog posting Send Collette password
- State Horse Show Thurs Eve Sorting, Friday- Western, Saturday AM-Gymkhana, Saturday PM- Ranch/Reining, Sunday AM - Roping, Sunday PM-English
- Pinal Co Clubs w/horse Country Kickers, Desert Dust Devils, Desert Rustlers,
 Florence All-Around, Maricopa Sidewinders, Maricopa Trailblazers, (maybe
 Casa Grande Desert Dwellers) Need to spread word to some of these clubs
 to increase participation at shows.

New Business

- Rule Book: State Horse Rulebook updated our county rule book to match, any discrepancies? Add that beginners can use a knotted split rein to our rulebook, update once State Final Copy is done. Will need to update shows to attend under year end awards, and then sponsorship fees.
- Trailer: Repair, current location Beth knows someone who may be able to help, \$200 plus parts. Canyon State Academy - Amaris will reach out, see if we can tow there and they repair.
- Class Fee: Re-evaluate Current: \$5 per class with \$20 arena fee Discuss these and then vote at Sept HAC meeting Beth- thinks it's cheap, not benefiting the whole program, especially for awards. Kimmy- things are expensive, ribbons are alot, buckles cost money, arenas, suggesting \$8 per class, \$25 arena fee. Colette, \$10 per class, \$25 arena fee.
 - Sorting Fees: Currently: \$15 per ride, \$20 arena fee Suggest increase on arena fee to \$25
- Sponsorship Fee: Evaluate- Current \$50 due be Feb 1st Let's discuss this and then plan to vote at September HAC when we have youth reps also on board. Beth- \$150 suggestion maybe \$25 due Nov 1st. Then balance by January 1st., Dawn says by Feb 1st. Colette thinks \$150 is fair, Kimmy also agrees \$150 is fair, you have to work towards year end awards. Or half by Nov 1st and balance due by Jan 1st.
- Sorting Dates: Colton willing to host, we need to select dates. He likes Friday nights best. Jan 16, Feb 13

- Could we look at a practice night with Colton? Usually does that on Wednesday, - Beth to check dates.
- Horse Shows: Feb 21st Weaver Ranch?
 - How many to qualify Beth, Michelle, Colette, and Kimmy all feel that both shows need to be attended to, to qualify for year end awards.
 Same for sorting, attend both shows that county his hosting
 - Dates? Location? Weaver Ranch, Cowboy Church Nov 15th?
 - Awards come to both shows to qualify
- Open Discussion:
 - Beth kids can donate ribbons back. Maybe add on sign up from no ribbons.
 - Amy Set up meeting so Kimmy and I can learn square and talk finances.

• Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 7:44pm

Next Meeting

• Date: 9/16? Should we always do the 3rd Tuesday of the month?

Time: 6:30p?Location: ZoomAgenda items:

- Vote on sponsorship fee, and class fees, then get the 4-H office to update the sponsorship packet and update on blog.
- Ribbons: Need to place order ASAP but we need to know what we have: in trailer. Ask Marianne to count what we have.