

## OWPS Meeting Minutes 20-Feb-2016

Meeting called to order at 12:25 by Tonya Fellner at the Pioneer Villa, Brownsville, OR

**Members Present:** Marie Coleman, Tonya Fellner, Kathleen Lindholm, David Maurer, and Cindy Thomas

**Guests Present:** Maria Geck and Larry Reiter

**Minutes:** OWPS 20-Feb-2016 meeting minutes were approved

**Treasurers Report:** Report Approved

	Opening Balance	Closing Balance
Money Market Account:	\$ 3,880.01	\$ 3,915.01
Checking Account:	\$ 599.25	\$ 639.25

Deposits:

\$ 25.00 Candace & Amy Hale – Joint Membership

\$ 15.00 Madeline McCalley – Associate Membership

Expenses:

None

Question on why Cindy Thomas's Membership check was not deposited

### Current 2016 Memberships:

#### Voting Memberships:

Beam, Alvin	Beam, Rita	Benson, Claudine
Benson, Debbie	Bingham, Debbie Spencer	Christensen, Pam
Christensen, Steve	Davidson, Megan	DiBrino, Cindy
DiBrino, Keith	Fellner, Tonya	Garvin, Audra
Garvin, Sierra	Hale, Amy	Hale, Candace
Lindholm, Kathleen	Lumsden, Richard	Maurer, Carol
Maurer, David	Thomas, Cindy	Wynn, Barbara

#### Junior Memberships:

Davidson, Jennifer	Maurer, Haley	McCalley, Madeline
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### Old Business

#### OWPS 2016 Show – 5 to 7 – August, 2016

Debbie has decided to bring down all the Jump Standards and Poles for the hunter courses to make sure that there are enough for legal courses.

The intention is to use jump standards to make a judge's area in the center of the arena, using plastic chairs and a table. Ribbons will be numbered and placed in a plastic tote for Steward to hand out.

I preliminary Show Premium was reviewed.

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Still need to review the WPCSA Class Change Rules and update the premium before presentation.

Guy Clardy's contract has been updated and we are waiting for a signed copy to be returned.

The show grounds will have shavings available for purchase. The club will be responsible for collecting the fee for the shavings, so a provision for that will need to be made the entry form, and a form for shavings purchased at the show will need to be available in the show office.

Considering 2 minute hunter ticket rounds, pre-purchased \$ 5.00, go in without a ticket, \$ 7.50 or \$ 10.00. Expect to add an Open Cross Rail Hunter, and an Open 2' Hunter Class(es). Need to get further feedback from Welsh Barns, and consider letting local trainers know of the classes.

Discussion on dropping trail, it was decided to keep trail for this show.

It was moved and seconded that the club should get a room for Friday and Saturday night for the volunteer ring steward. The motion was passed.

Volunteers:

Gate Person: Diane Lillywhite

Announcer: Mara Tomlin

Ring Steward: Kathleen Lindholm

Ribbons: Still Needed

Still looking for other volunteers to help at the show.

### Other Pacific Coast Horse Shows

**May 13 to 15** – WPCAC Gold Rated Show – Double Halter Judged – Brookside Equestrian Park – Elk Grove, CA – Judges: TBA – Contact: Jen Sommer (937) 725-4360 – jen@summerponyfarm.com

**June 16 to 17** - Far West Classic – Gold Rated Show – Double Halter Judges – Deschutes County Fairgrounds Expo Center – Redmond, OR – Joann Williams & TBA – Contact: TBD

**July 2** – Potential 1 day show with classes expected to include Halter, English and Pleasure Driving – Show in Portland, Eugene and Southern Oregon – Contact Patricia Cochran for more details.

**August 23 to 28** – Potential AWE Western Idaho Fair Show, Boise, ID – Silver Rated Show – Double Halter Judged – Contact Contact Jill Marolf (208) 315-4188 - greenbroke@frontiernet.net.

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**September 2 to 5** – WPCAC Brookside (Silver Rated – Double Halter Judged) and Pacific Coast Classic (Gold Rated Double Halter Judged) – more show details as they become available.

Reports of a possible show by Sharon McHone in Idaho as well

### **Ideas for the Club to Make Money**

Nothing to Report.

### **High Point**

Nothing to Report.

### **Canby Tack Sale**

The next sale is scheduled for Saturday March 19th.

### **Web Site**

Debbie Benson is having difficulty updating the page after the service provider was changed.

### **Facebook**

Getting many visits. Debbie is sending out request to view and like the page.

### **Newsletter**

Still need a Newsletter editor. A sample of a newsletter was presented by the interim editor, waiting for a Presidents message to be sent out. In the electronic age of Facebook and other Social Media is the Newsletter even needed. Please let the Officers and Board know how you feel. If you would consider publishing the newsletter or writing an article please help.

### **New Business**

None

### **Next Meeting(s) – Pioneer Villa – Brownsville, OR – 12:00 PM**

Saturday – April 16, 2016

Saturday – May 14, 2016 – **Site TBD**

The Meeting on May 14 will be canceled if there is no need

The Meeting was adjourned at 1:25 by Tonya Fellner