NWGHA Meeting Minutes

May 19, 2016

Meeting was called to order, 7:17 PM, Bartow County Saddle Club

Attendance: Keri Davidson, Laura Valentine, Allison Witt, Trudy Umfuhrer, Jessica Nguyen, Donny Williams, Melissa Kane, Linda Pechenino, Becky Siniard, Kathy Gilroy (for Brian Carlilse)

Minutes were read and approved with spelling changes of names

Treasurer Report (Linda)

- Account balances reported
- Charged a fee of \$42 in error, Linda to resolve with bank
- Bartow and Paulding owe the \$1.00 per entry for their money shows
- Taxes
 - o Ready for Trudy and Linda to go over
 - o NWGHA is about even in terms of revenue versus expenses
 - o Should be < \$50K in all years
 - Will need to pay penalty

VP (Jess)

- Judges hired for June show: Lisa Westmorland (pleasure), Glenda Barrow (racking)
- Need to remove names of those no longer willing to come for our going rate

Chaplain (Linda)

No report

VP Running (Donny)

- Lighter than normal show, no accidents
- Paulding did a good job last show

Points Keeper (Allison)

- April points posted
- Posted June judges

PR (Mel)

- Posting pictures on Facebook

Parliamentarian (Karen absent)

Sgt @ Arms

- Not her show, not sure what happened

Show issue

- Bartow member questioned the judge placing on the class
 - o Rider rode with 2 hands, judge did not DQ
 - o Placing is judge's discretion
 - o Paulding asked Bartow to deal with the member who raised the issue. Next meeting 6/6/16.
 - o Letter from the judge was read at the meeting
 - o Issue is really about behavior at the show ground.
 - o NWGHA asked that Bartow review the situation before the next show

Old Business

- To remove a judge, 2 of the 3 saddle clubs need to petition to remove
- Bartow has yet to create a sign detailing the needed items for NWGHA/Federation State Show
- BOD jackets, looking at a different vendor, zip-up fleece with a collar.

New Business

- Speaker system went out. PCSC used theirs for Sunday
- Theme for T-shirts for State?
- Set point audit meeting. Rep from each club: Becky, Kathy/Brian, Trudy; plus Allison
 - o 24th @ 1, @ Allison's
- Need Queen & Princess sashes, roses, and tiaras
- Bartow wants NWGHA to get their barrels out of the BCSC office
 - O What to do with them?
 - o Motion to sell the barrels
 - Will get them out by July
- Need to find out what happened to the metal barrels from state
- What to do with the extra t-shirts from last year's state show
 - Donate to schools or children's shelter

Motion to adjourn