

September 2025 White Mountain Riding Club Minutes

Monday September 15, 2025

In attendance: Emma Gooden, Vicki Herzog, Ramona Chessman, Sharon Ellingwood-White.

Attended via Zoom: Bonnie Hamel, Jeannine Kenison

- Meeting called to order at 7:04 p.m.
- Secretary's report had been read by all. A motion was made to accept by Vicki, seconded by Ramona, all in favor
- Treasurer's report:
 - Passumpsic Bank Checking 8/19/25 - 9/15/25 [REDACTED]
 - Passumpsic Bank Savings 8/19/25-9/15/25 [REDACTED]
 - Service Credit Union Savings 8/19/25-9/15/ [REDACTED]
 - Service Credit Union CD 2566 8/19/25-9/15/ [REDACTED]
 - Service Credit Union CD 7540 8/19/25-9/15/25 [REDACTED]
- Vicki made a motion to accept the report, seconded by Bonnie, all in favor
- Horse show committee report was sent to Emma by Cathy Dorr and read by Emma
 - Bethany White Clinic June 28 & 29 was well received. We were very thankful the fair let us use a barn for the rainy morning session.
 - Kate Homan Flatwork/Jumping Clinic Aug 16 was sold out with 6 participants. Thank you to those who volunteered with set up and take down, as well as Vicki for setting up the clinic
 - Two practice days July 13 and Aug 10 were very appreciated by all who attended
 - July 20 Horse Show - Cindy Marshall, judge: 42 entries, a big show for July. Exhibitors enjoyed the goody bags
 - August 29 Horse Show - Ray Hackett, judge: 74 entries. Very long day, but exhibitors seemed pleased. Stalls sold out for the weekend. If this many exhibitors in future, recommend slimming down class list. Trail took a big part of the day. Day end points seem to be too much to keep track of. Maybe go back to year end or no points at all.
- Old Business
 - NH CT-11 form for Charitable Trusts has been submitted
 - ◆ Emma requests reimbursement of application fee of \$25. Vicki made a motion to reimburse Emma the \$25, Bonnie seconded, all in favor
 - David White sponsored an extra porta potty for fair show - thank you David!
- New Business
 - Vicki mentioned that there was no info in the by-laws about committees. She brought her notes that were taken during the meetings to redo the by-laws, it was accidentally left out during final typing. Emma will amend the by-laws with that information under Article 7 and send the by-laws out via email for a vote for approval.
 - Cathy Dorr submitted a letter resigning from her positions: Secretary, Webmaster, Board member and Horse Show Committee Chair. Ramona accepted her resignation, Bonnie seconded it, all in favor. We are all sorry to see Cathy go, she was a wonderful asset to have. We hope she will continue to be a member of the club

- ◆ Emma will connect with Cathy to take possession of all club items.
- Next meeting (November) is officer/board member nominations. Openings will be
 - ◆ President, 2 year term, currently Emma
 - ◆ Treasurer, 2 year term, currently Ramona
 - ◆ Secretary, finish term through 2026, vacancy
 - ◆ Webmaster, finish term through 2026, vacancy
 - ◆ Board seat #2, 2 year term, currently Robin
 - ◆ Board seat #5, 3 year term, currently Shirley
 - ◆ Board seat #7, finish term through 2027, vacancy
- Bring pet food donations to next meeting, Monday November 17, 7:00 p.m. at Weeks Memorial Library.
- Motion was made to adjourn at 7:48 by Vicki, seconded by Ramona, all in favor

Submitted by Emma Gooden Tuesday, November 11, 2025