WMRC Monthly Meeting February 25, 2019 7pm Weeks Memorial Library

Attendance: (8) Casey McMann, Jessie Savage, Dan Savage, Kaydren Savage, Vicki Herzog, Robin Gregg, Love Hodie, Kris Von Dorhman.

Vicki Officially in as President, Robin officially in as Treasurer.

The Secretary's report from the January 14th meeting was read by Casey. A motion to accept the report as being read was made by Dan, 2nd by Kaydren, zero opposed.

The Treasurer's report from January 14th to February 25th was read by Robin. A motion to accept the report as being read was made by Dan, 2nd by Kaydren, zero opposed.

Old Business:

Robin reported that she spoke with her contact at the NHDART about doing a trail riding rescue. The training that they offer cost \$1000 plus travel. Members present all agreed that this would not be feasible at this time and we will approach the idea next year and see if we can get local fire depts to join and possibly help with costs.

Vicki has lined up an educational meeting with Corey McNeal on 4/13 at Vicki's house. Corey does magna wave therapy. The meeting will be \$5 members and \$10 non members.

A profit loss statement was read for the Banquet.

Show dates were announced.

New Business:

Savage Bargain Barn has sponsored Day End trophies for all of the divisions for our Friday show during the Fair.

Robin brought up discussion of building a gazebo in the show ring to dress up the ring, this would also allow the judges a place to get out of the weather, and this would also allow sponsors a place to hang banners. Much discussion was made about getting volunteers to build, asking businesses to donate wood, it would have to be movable/draggable. We need to ask Bunny her thoughts. It was left as a letter needing to be sent to the Fair Association and an email to Bunny.

Casey made a motion to ask for \$100 donations/sponsors and with that \$100, \$20 would buy a small banner to advertise the business or sponsor name, leaving the club with \$80 to use for show costs. The motion was 2nd by Dan, zero opposed.

Kris brought up discussion about a memorial trail ride in honor of Sue Ann Sidel. Other people in Colebrook are doing a ride in the Spring, the idea for the club would be to host a Fall trail ride at the Pond of Safety, have a pot luck lunch with burgers. The Fees would go toward education or to the Coos Animal Sanctuary. The date of Sept 14th with a rain date of Sept 15th was talked about. Kris made a motion that this trail ride could be a club sponsored ride and covered as one of the 7 events with insurance, the motion was 2nd by Love, zero opposed.

There was discussion about holding an educational meeting on May 18th about Equine Wellness, massage, teeth, vet, essential oils, etc. Kris and Love will be looking into options or speakers and will report back at the March meeting.

Jo Ann has resigned from the Board of Directors and her position as BOD Chairperson. We will table this until the next meeting to discuss how the position needs to be filled, getting nominations and voting.
Carrie was nominated by Casey.
A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Love, 2 nd by Kris.
The next meeting will be March 18 th .

Submitted by Casey.