



# WESTERN HORSEMEN OF OREGON

## February 2017 newsletter

### **PRESIDENTS MESSAGE**

Well, Here goes my first President's Message in a couple of years. Thank you all for trusting me to step in the role of head honcho of WHO. It really is an honor. I would like to start out by thanking the clubs that are putting on all these shows we have had so far. If you have never put a show on, you would be surprised by the amount of work behind the scenes it takes to put them on. And then there is all the work you will see them doing at the show itself.

Our condolences go out to Kathy and Dawn on the loss of Mike, and our thoughts are with David in his struggle with his heart problems. Hang in there and get back in the saddle soon!

Here is hoping the weather starts to cooperate and let's us all get the chance to get to all these shows and we can finally have a board meeting!

Tully

### **REMINDER**

With having watched the recent video of Amber Moore's barrel run when her cinch broke I thought I would pass along this reminder, CHECK YOUR EQUIPMENT. I know it made me go check mine! And as we are hopefully starting to haul more as the weather gets better, don't forget to check and maintenance your truck and trailer too.

### **N.O.R.A**

NORA/WHO February 12th Show Results -

Hi Point Sr - Tosha Ferrando on Honda

Hi Point Jr - Stormy Griffin on Cash

Fast Time awards:

Barrels - Zoe Behrens-Martens on THR Buggin Da Bully

Figure 8- Zoe Behrens-Martens on THR Buggin Da Bully

Polebending- Suzie Kennell on Whiz

Flags - Tosha Ferrando on Honda

Keyhole - Brent Rocha on Gato

Our Hi Point and award sponsors:

Pacific Storage, Kurt's Custom Cabinets, The Total Look Salon, Werner Meats, Stimson Lumber Company and TCCA feed store.

Thank you Purple Rein Creations for the awards.



## **MEMBER NEWS**



I forgot to mention in the last newsletter that Ally Mager & Prada went Supreme in barrels at the November CCGA show at Canby. Congrats!



Wishing a speedy recovery to David Trachsel with his heart issues and to Jerry Ross on his recent surgery.



Extending sincere condolences to Kathy, Dawn, and family on the passing of Mike Moody. He was a very giving person and did so much for WHO and Interstate where he had many friends and will be missed by them all.



We have also recently lost four of our WHO family members from the past. Dean Conrad, Joanne Vosberg, Lucky Newell, and Edrah Spielman. Our condolences to their families, they will be fondly remembered by many.

Dean Conrad was a member of WHO, Lane Sheriff's Posse, West Lane Ridge Riders and Emerald Empire Riders. Dean rode A Supreme 5A horse named Rebel and set some records in WHO. He was a member of the All Oregon 4man team with Pam Fletcher, Gary Foster, & Bill Neely. Dean rode with his wife June and daughter Kelly. Dean was very much involved with the Lane County Horseman building the Mt Pisgah horse facility and arena.

Joanne Vosberg was a valued member of her community who helped many of its members. She was Blodgett's unofficial mayor, Blodgett postmaster, helped found the Blodgett – Summit Rural fire department and EMT's, and was a long time member of WHO and the Blodgett Jinglyng Spurs. Her and her husband Floyd owned the store in Blodgett for many years. Their daughters Julie and Janie competed in WHO and Janie was the 1975 Interstate Queen.

Lucky Newell was an ironworker, rancher, and rough stock rider. He was the Oregon State All Around Cowboy in 1963. Him and his wife Audrey were together for over 64 years and raised three daughters. Their daughter Melinda was the 1973 Philomath Frolic & Rodeo Queen and their youngest Debby was a 1976 Interstate Princess.

Edrah Spielman was a WHO Gold Card member and was active with her husband Larry in the horse industry throughout the Northwest. They worked together, Edrah as horse show secretary and Larry as show manager and announcer. They owned Pacific Equestrian Center for a number of years. They were well known and respected in the horse community in Oregon and Washington, and were active in Oregon Horsemen Association, Western Horsemen of Oregon, Oregon Horse Council and the Interstate Games.

## **NEWSLETTER**

If you would like to submit something for the newsletter you can send it to me at [cookav@peak.org](mailto:cookav@peak.org) , my Facebook page, mail it to 35609 Norton Creek Road Blodgett, OR 97326, or catch me at a show.

# Western Horsemen of Oregon

## Meeting Minutes

### November 26, 2016



Meeting Called to Order at 1:01 p.m.

#### Board Attendees:

Jessica Abaite, Leslie Davis, Marilyn Norris, Von Cook, Stacy Hardin, Tully Ferrando, Tosha Ferrando, Suzie Kennell, Eileen Barker, Terri Weber, Alyssa Kennell, Pam Fletcher, Kattie Hoffman, Kathy Moody, Mike Moody, Betsy Snyder

#### Committee Reports

**Secretary:** None

**Treasurer:** Treasurers report was passed out and reviewed. Stacy made a motion to approve the report, Tully seconded; report passed.

**Correspondence:** Nothing reported.

**Newsletter:** Nothing to report.

**Website:** Nothing to report.

**Classification:** Nothing to report.

**Point Secretary:** Nothing to report. Chris said thank you everyone for working hard at getting those numbers on the time sheets.

**Judges and Timers:** Clinic will take place after meeting today.

**Rules Committee:** 4 rules to be voted on in New Business.

**Show Approvals:** Website is up to date.

**Beat Washington Meet:** There needs to be clarification on the rule in the rule book regarding payback amount. Should read \$3150 instead of \$2100

**Convention:** We are here!

**Annual Awards:** They are here and awesome. Special thank you to the point secretaries getting the results to Tosha in record speed!

**Interstate:** Our Interstate princesses and Queen spoke and did great!

**Junior Director:** Nothing to report.

**Junior Representative:** Nothing to report.

**Historian:** New book is here!

**Gold Card:** 1 Recipient

**Hall of Fame:** None.

#### Old Business

Nothing to discuss.

#### New Business

Voted on the New rules and Rule change proposals; they were all denied.

Voted on New board members:

President: Tully Ferrando

Vice President: Alyssa Kennell

Secretary: Betsy Snyder

Treasurer: Leslie Davis

Classification Director: Eileen Barker

Junior Director: Tosha Ferrando

2 yr. Director: Levi Comerford

2 yr. Director: Sherri Henry

1 yr. Director: Jessica Abatie

1 yr. Director: Pam Fletcher

1 yr. Director: Butch Backen

Meeting adjourned @ 2:13 p.m.

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

February 25 SOGO @ Douglas County Fairgrounds - Pavilion Arena

March 11 ACLS @ Benton County Fairgrounds - 110 SW 53rd St, Corvallis, OR 97333

March 11 & 12 CCGA @ Clackamas County Fairgrounds – Canby, OR.

March 25 SOGO @ Douglas County Fairgrounds - River Arena

April 8 SOGO @ Douglas County Fairgrounds - River Arena

April 8 & 9 CCGA @ Clackamas County Fairgrounds – Canby, OR.

April 29 ACLS @ Benton County Fairgrounds - 110 SW 53rd St, Corvallis, OR 97333

May 13 ACLS @ Benton County Fairgrounds - 110 SW 53rd St, Corvallis, OR 97333

May 20 SOGO @ Douglas County Fairgrounds - River Arena

May 20 & 21 CCGA @ Strobls Arena - 54444 KALBERER Rd. - SCAPPOOSE, OR. - 97056 (INDOORS)

June 3 & 4 CCGA @ Clackamas County Fairgrounds – Canby, OR.

June 17 & 18 CCGA @ Strobls Arena - 54444 KALBERER Rd. - SCAPPOOSE, OR. - 97056

June 24 & 25 CCGA @ Horse Haven - 24952 SE Bohna Pk. Rd. - Damascus, OR. 97089

July 1 & 2 WHO Jr. Show @ TBA

July 8 & 9 NORA @ Strobls Arena - 54444 KALBERER Rd. - SCAPPOOSE, OR.

July 15 & 16 Princess Erica Benefit Show @ Philomath Frolic Rodeo Grounds-502 S 13th St., Philomath, Or.-97370

July 22 & 23 CCGA @ Horse Haven - 24952 SE Bohna Pk. Rd. - Damascus, OR. 97089

July 29 7 30 WHO Summer Show @ TBA

August 12 & 13 CCGA @ Horse Haven - 24952 SE Bohna Pk. Rd. - Damascus, OR. 97089

September 16 & 17 CCGA @ Horse Haven - 24952 SE Bohna Pk. Rd. - Damascus, OR. 97089

October 8 CCGA @ Clackamas County Fairgrounds – Canby, OR.

November 4 & 5 CCGA @ Clackamas County Fairgrounds – Canby, OR.

November 18 CCGA @ Clackamas County Fairgrounds – Canby, OR.

