



**COWBOY STATES REINING HORSE ASSOCIATION**  
**\*\*\* GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING \*\*\***  
**4/21/2018 6:00 PM**

**CALL TO ORDER:**

President Gordon Hinders called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm.

Gordon thanked Nanette Till, Stephanie Williams, and Brye Williams for all their hard work and time prior to and during the Renee Pipinich clinic and CSRHA Fun Day.

**TREASURER'S REPORT:**

Treasurer, Nancy Pfeiffer reported that all year end awards and expenses have been paid for 2017. Donations/sponsorships have been collected for the year-end trophy saddle, but she has not yet sent a check to Continental Saddlery (\$1,400). The budget for 2018 awards looks good at this time. She reminded everyone that the funds collected from the silent auction will also help pay for these awards.

George and Nancy Pfeiffer purchased CSRHA awards and prizes in Oklahoma City last fall for the Grasslands Market Slide, the Sheridan Slide, and the CSRHA Fun Day in September.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

- ***Grasslands Market Slide - Douglas, Wyoming (May 12-13)***
  - Nancy Pfeiffer reported that BOD Debbie Russell and her husband Bill are major sponsors for this event. There will be \$6,000 added money to the Open and Non-Pro Derby classes. The CSRHA will also have a full slate of classes for two days of showing. Shawn McClurg will judge on Saturday, May 12. Margo Ball will judge on Sunday, May 13.
  - George Pfeiffer visited the NRHA website/find a trainer and sent CSRHA show bills and a list of classes to trainers in Wyoming, Montana, South Dakota, Nebraska, Colorado, and Idaho. He noted that there are no other NRHA events in the area during this timeframe, so we can expect a good turnout of competitors.
- ***Sheridan Slide – (June 9, 2018)***
  - This event will have \$2,000 added money and will be held at Sheridan College's Agri-Park arena in Sheridan, Wyoming. Stalling will be available at the nearby fairgrounds. Janet Wilson from Rock Springs, Wyoming will be our judge for this event.
- ***Sam Schaffhauser clinic – Sheridan, Wyoming (July 7-8)***
  - Nancy Pfeiffer reported that this event will also be at Sheridan College's Agri-Park arena in Sheridan, Wyoming. The clinic will be divided into two sessions with 5 riders on Saturday and Sunday mornings; 5 riders on Saturday and Sunday afternoons. Most people signed up for two sessions. Nancy does have one spot left due to an unexpected cancellation (horse will not be sound).
  - Sam Schaffhauser is a trainer from Tennessee who worked as Tim McQuay's assistant for five years. BOD Robert Peterson is one of his clients and will be paying for Sam's clinic fee and transportation for the CSRHA. This event will be the primary fund raiser for the year and will finance the added money for our 2018 shows.
  - The cost to ride in this clinic is \$300 for one session or \$500 for two sessions. Contact Nancy Pfeiffer if you would like to reserve this last spot.
- ***CSRHA Fun Day – Sheridan, Wyoming (September 8, 2018)***

- This event will be similar to the CSRHA Fun Day we hosted on Saturday, April 21 at the Flying T Ranch Arena in Cody, Wyoming. There will be a full slate of CSRHA classes, so there is something for everyone.

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

- **2019 CSRHA events**

- Nancy Pfeiffer asked everyone for ideas on how to run the horse shows and events for 2019. She encouraged us to bring up ideas at this meeting or speak to a Board of Director as the CSRHA will welcome ideas on how to make improvements for our show seasons.
  - There was an inquiry as to the possibility of getting stalls at the Agri-Park Arena in Sheridan, Wyoming. Nancy informed us that the facility was funded for the college and local community to use. Their board did not have the vision of hosting big events at this facility. George Pfeiffer explained that they do understand the issue and noted that the CSRHA is not the only group who are requesting stalling options.

- **Awards**

- CSRHA Fun Day judge, Ashley Bomar presented two additional awards: one for an outstanding performance – a flawless run by George Pfeiffer on *AMR Just Plain Firey* and a hard luck award to Kim Lance riding *Catts Playboy* as they forgot to complete the back-up in the Green Horse pattern at the end of the day. Both received a cap and a gift card for a bucket of Platinum Performance. Congratulations!

Gordon Hinders thanked everyone for their participation and continued support of the CSRHA and we continue to strive forward, month after month with our teleconferences.

Next meeting: Wednesday, **May 2, 2018** via teleconference at 7:00 pm. Dial **951/797-1058** with passcode **681306**.

#### **ADJOURN:**

There was no additional business to discuss. The CSRHA general membership meeting was adjourned at 6:22 pm.