

Sierra Freepackers Meeting Notes – July 23, 2025

Called to Order: 6:30 PM by Denise Robinson

In Attendance: Patricia Vallentyne, Teri Cook, Gloria Garland, Denise Robinson, Robby Robinson, Beth Killner, Lee Smith, Adriane DeWolfe, Kristoffer Von Bonsdorff

Minutes Approval

- **Motion to approve the June 2025 minutes (with corrections) was made by Lee Smith, seconded by Teri Cook. Motion passed unanimously.**

Reports

Treasurer's Report:

- **To be announced.**

Education:

- **To be announced.**

Public Lands:

- **Hensley Lake: Patricia will stay in contact with management regarding Sierra Freepackers' participation in Public Lands Day – September 20th. Project ideas and workday tasks were discussed. Awaiting official trail survey before moving ahead with the trail marking project.**

Membership:

- **Renewals and new members noted – full details to follow.**

Unit Work Projects

- **Planning for the July Clover Meadow work party was discussed. Directions and logistics were shared.**

Volunteer Hours & Reminders

- **A big thank you to everyone who put in June hours —your work is making a real difference!**
- **Reminder: Please track and report all volunteer hours—including planning time and recon rides. Send hours to: office@cvacupuncture.com**

Other Business

- **Public Education Day: Lee Smith, Annette Deneuve and Laurie Wagoner are working on a community education event at the YLP Stables. Possible topics: shoeing and equine first aid.**

Calendar Updates

- **September 27, 2025: Public Lands Day at Hensley Lake – project details TBD**
- **January 2026: State Officer Leadership Training – possible co-hosting opportunity**
- **Fall 2025: Wilderness Rider LNT Master Course Training – contact Denise for details**
- **March 20–22, 2026: Rendezvous in Ceres, CA – Volunteers needed (contact Denise)**

Old Business

- **Unit Shirts & Embroidery: Updates pending.**

Announcements

- **Please send agenda items for the next meeting to the board.**

Next Meeting

- **Tuesday, August 19, 2025 – Oakhurst Library, 6:30 PM**

Adjourned: 7:03 PM