

***SKMHTA CLUB MEETING MEETING MINUTES (pending approval)**

Date: 6/15/2025 Location: Horseriders' Campground, Palmyra WI

CALL TO ORDER TIME: 8:38pm

ATTENDEES (9): Devan L, President; Amy J, Secretary; Duane D, Trail Coordinator; Barb L, Fundraising Coordinator; Mike L Sr; Mike L Jr; Jo; Trudy M, Debbie D

WELCOME, INTRO, NEW MEMBERS, RECOGNITION

Thank you to Andy A & Family for the wonderful work keeping up the obstacle course!
Our thoughts are with Amy M, our Treasurer, as she recovers from surgery!

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING (AMY J)

Correction: Pack the Park has a donation of \$25 to participate, not a free event, dinner only \$15

MOVE TO ACCEPT: Devan L SECONDED: Barb L

TREASURER'S REPORT (presented by Amy J in Amy M's absence)

Total funds: \$17,810.16 (\$9877.57 in Checking, \$7426.71 in Money Market, \$505.88 in Savings)

Preliminary numbers for Pack the Park after expenses about \$1000 income.

MOVE TO ACCEPT: Debbie D SECONDED: Devan L

TRAIL REPORT (DUANE D)

Duane will continue working on downed trees on trails. Will install mounting blocks: one at "pop stop", one in camp near the group site trail access.

FUNDRAISER REPORT (BARB L)

- ☐ **Pack The Park** - 35 adult and 3 kids for the full event, 19 additional dinners sold plus merchandise. Cowboy Steve presented a Knot Tying Clinic and HORSE was a fun activity with lots of prizes. Thank you to the volunteers and sponsors who provided prizes, food or spent the day working!
- ☐ **Fall Fundraiser**
 - ☐ **Always Find Time to Ride design** - congrats to Victoria E, who will receive a 2025 hoodie!
 - ☐ **Tshirt colors** - Hot Pink with Black ink AND Black with White ink, chosen at ticket purchase. Will also do preorders of long sleeve/hoodies and a black zip up hoodie with the club logo only (large logo on back)
 - ☐ **Big Ticket Raffle Items** - waiting for info from WI gaming office for class A license. Raffle items donated so far: 5 nights camping at Timber Ridge in Jamestown, TN; 5 nights camping at Geitner Homestead in Sturgeon Bay, WI; two half pigs & processing; 2500 watt inverter generator. Ticket prices: 1 for \$10, 3 for \$25



OLD BUSINESS

- ☐ **Obstacle Course** – signs have been measured, Amy J mocking up for DNR approval (in progress)

- ☐ **Additional Electrical Campsites** – pending quote from electrician
- ☐ **Bob Michaels Memorial Fund** - Application Deadline: May 1st to begin in 2026. Clarification that if the funds are not dispersed to applicants by the deadline, they will still be available for the year, but early applicants will get priority.
- ☐ **Corral Expansion** - Corrals installs ARE COMPLETE! Footings to be installed by the DNR
- ☐ **Trail Passes** - The SKMHTA is now a Wi Trail Pass vendor, with 10% of each sale going back to our club! Get your daily or annual trail passes at SKMHTA events (meetings, booth at horse fair, etc).
- ☐ **Container for Storage/Supplies** - delivery/purchase waiting on DNR approval of placement, Duane to follow up
- ☐ **Table Purchase for club (instead of renting):** purchase 12 tables - waiting for storage container

NEW BUSINESS

OPEN DISCUSSION

- ☐ **MWHF Box Suite** - if available, auctioned in December, bidding starts at \$1200
- ☐ **Julie Cyra** stopped by to share some thoughts and suggestions about finding cost effective ways to install additional electric campsites and fundraising. Suggestions included working with a union contractor who may have an apprentice program to assist; using local contractors for trenching. Julie also discussed holding fundraising events at West 20 Ranch & Saddle Co, such as intro to cattle sorting, stockmanship, fun shows, etc with the entry fees split 50/50 between West 20 and the SKMHTA
- ☐ **Group Site** - is it possible to make it individual sites or reservable individually or group? Tent sites only? It is not being utilized very often.

NEXT MEETINGS/ACTIVITIES:

July: 7/14 General Club Meeting

Aug: 8/11 General Club Meeting

Sept: 9/8 General Club Meeting

2025 SKMHTA Fall Fundraiser: Sat Sept 20th, 2025 - Horseriders' Campground, Palmyra WI

MOVE TO ADJOURN: Devan L SECONDED: Debbie D

TIME: 10:11am

Submitted for approval on 7/14/2025 by Amy Janecek, SKMHTA Secretary