



August 2018 Idaho Miniature Horse Club Newsletter

Maria Redinger, President
Heather Jaillett, Vice President
Valerie Marshall, Secretary Lynne Wing, Treasurer
Jane Steele, Robin Willeman, and Kelli Phillips, Directors

*The meeting minutes are from the July and August general membership meetings,
with July appearing first and August appearing second.*

Minutes of July 12, 2018 at the Middleton Community Center in Middleton, ID

Maria called the meeting to order at 6:36 p.m.

Those in attendance: Valerie Marshall, Maria Redinger, Brock Redinger, Pam MacFarlane, Robin Willeman, Lynne Wing, Heather Jaillett, Lee Clark, Lois Cant, Felicia Humpherys, Amy Humpherys, Donna Bernadelli, Jamey Robbins, Kelli Phillips, and Courtney Phillips. Guest: Tess Eastman

June secretary minutes were reviewed. Felicia made a motion to accept them and Robin seconded the motion. Motion passed by the club.

Lynne gave the treasurer's report. June's ending balance was \$3,220.35. Receivables was \$100.00 from Heather, for cash change at the playday, and \$120.00 from playday participants. Expenses were in the total amount of \$1,126.83. Expenses went towards club swag, playday rental, the annual premium, meeting room fee, and the 2019 Horse Expo booth. Cash on-hand is still \$50.00, in the hands of Valerie Marshall, and a check of \$350.00 that is being held as a security deposit by the GMPRD. This leaves the July checking account balance at \$2,363.52. The club received a \$50.00 VISA gift card for taking second place in the Star Parade, that was given to Lynne by Maria at the meeting. Kelli mentioned that the company, ePromos, was supposed to be sending a check back for overcharges on the club swag, so far it has not been received. Kelli motioned to accept the report, and Felicia seconded. The club approved.

OLD BUSINESS

Points Committee: Any new declarations or changes? Contact Valerie, Felicia, Lois, or Heather.

SWAG: Pick it up from Kelli! Pay your dues to the club! Kelli also a few extra items, so if you're interested, contact her.

Show Committee: Judges and gate helpers are still in the works, but the ball is rolling!

Playday Committee: The driving playday was fun, but there was a low turn out and no profit made. The club does want to have another one next year. The October In-Hand playday is next! Also, Jamey was going to look into asking the Zimmerman's if they would be willing to hold a clinic for miniatures sometime this year or next!

Youth Committee: Jessie is working on things for the youth and hopes to have more information at the next meeting.

NEW BUSINESS

Felicia asked the club if Amy could continue her declarations with Elsa, since Tee had gone lame and was sold. Donna made a motion to accept the variance in award declarations, Pam seconded the motion. The club passed the motion.

Grievance account? The club decided to form a committee consisting of Donna, Lynne, and Kelli. They will meet up and make guidelines which will be presented at the next meeting.

The Star Parade was a hit! The club won second place in horse groups, receiving a \$50.00 VISA gift card. It was discussed that in the future, parade participants should try to meet up for a practice or two so the club is more entertaining and involved with the crowd.

Reminders: July 14th is the Denim N Dust 4H show, July 20-22 is the Logan, Utah AMHR/ASPC/NSPPR X-Posure show, July 20th is the WIF 4H deadline, Open entries for the WIF are due August 3rd, or by the 7th if online. The Western Idaho Fair is August 17-26th, 4H showing is the 17th-20th, driving is on the 21st and 22nd, trail, showmanship, and halter are on the 24th.

LeeAnn went to state for Hippology and had lots of fun. Placings are not known yet.

Heather brought up a parade taking place in Emmett, ID on July 28th at 6:30 p.m.. She needed to find out if horses were allowed, and yes, they are. The theme is "Raising the Steaks"... If you want to participate or want more information, check your email!

Pam was wondering what the 4H club, Mini Hoofbeats, had made at the WISK show during the silent auction. Maria said it was \$500.00! Thanks to all who donated and bought items!

Jamey let everybody know that the Treasure Valley Whips driving club had events and clinics planned for September 20-23rd, and October 27-28th. For more information, look on the TVW Facebook page.

Kelli forgot the door prize and said she would bring two next time!

Next meeting will be August 9th at 6:30 p.m. at the Middleton Community Center.

Jamey made a motion to adjourn, and Heather seconded. Motion passed by the club.

Respectfully submitted by Valerie Marshall, Secretary.

Minutes of August 9th, 2018 at the Middleton Community Center in Middleton, ID

Maria called the meeting to order at 6:35 p.m.

Those in attendance: Maria Redinger, Brock Redinger, Pam MacFarlane, Robin Willeman, Lynne Wing, Heather Jaillett, Felicia Humpherys, Amy Humpherys, Donna Bernadelli, Jamey Robbins, Niki Phillips, Kelli Phillips, and Courtney Phillips. Guests: Tess Eastman, Donna Gramarossa

July secretary minutes were reviewed. Felicia made a motion to accept them and Heather seconded the motion. Motion passed by the club.

Lynne gave the treasurer's report. July's ending balance was \$2313.52. Receivables were \$675.96 from ePromo Promotions and Club Members for club swag. Expenses were in the total amount of \$20. Expenses went towards meeting room fee. Cash on-hand is still \$50.00, in the hands of Valerie Marshall, \$50 gift card from Star parade in the hands of Lynne Wing and a check of \$350.00 that is being held as a security deposit by the GMPRD. This leaves the August checking account balance at \$3,069.48. Heather motioned to accept the report, and Jamey seconded. The club approved.

OLD BUSINESS

Club Swag: Kelli says we still have swag that was not claimed and may not be claimed. Club decided to

sell them to other or new members. Kelli will get a list together of what is left and sizes.

Show Committee: Everything is coming together for the show. Kelli needs auction items ASAP she only has a handful so far.

Playday Committee: Nothing to report

Youth Committee: Nothing to report

VSC Committee: \$50 was asked for the committee to use for cards, flowers, ETC. Felicia motioned to approve, Heather seconded, club approved.

NEW BUSINESS

Mini Hoofbeats: Amy and LeeAnn will be competing at the WIF. Amy will be presenting her Illustrated Talk at District level on Aug. 17 at 3pm.

WIF Awards: For the 4H Mini kids it was asked by Paulette if our club would like to sponsor the Mini Breed Grand and Reserve Hi- Point awards. Limit of \$75 per award. Motion to sponsor both awards by Pam and seconded by Robin, club approved.

Gem County Parade: Was not a real big hit. Very hot and very few spectators and very little direction from the parade staff. Club says we may wait a year or two before doing it again.

City of Eagle Harvest Festival: Jael Prin has invited us back to participate in the harvest festival. Oct.13th 10am-2pm. Club discussed to have shifts of 10am-12pm and 12pm-2pm so horses are not there too long. Lynne will be in contact about having designated parking for our trailers.

Reminder: WIF 4H Aug. 17-20, Open Driving Aug. 21 &22, Open in-Hand Aug. 24

TVPHC/ISHSA Show Sept. 1&2

Who Dun it/ISHSA Show Sept. 8

IDAMHC/ISHSA Show Sept. 15

IDPC In-Hand Clinic with Butch Mowdy Sept.16

Clay Maier Driving Clinic Sept. 20-23

Fall Double Point Show ISHSA Sept.28-30

IDAMHC Playday Oct.20

Megan Sibiga Driving Clinic Oct. 27&28

Awards Banquet: Need a new location. Maria will contact Idaho Pizza in Eagle to get availability and prices for next meeting.

Mini Angel Wings: Was approved as Abode Hospice & Home Health Volunteers. Their first visit was on July 24th at a Memory Care Facility. Lynne will be bringing 2 minis to her next event on Sept. 12th would like an extra hand to help.

Kelli brought 2 door prizes. Maria and Donna received the door prizes.

Next meeting will be September 13th at 6:30 p.m. at the Middleton Community Center.

Donna made a motion to adjourn, and Jamey seconded. Motion passed by the club.

Respectfully submitted by Maria Redinger, President, acting as Secretary.

Independence Day

Melba 4th of July Parade

The Dredge family spent the day in Melba, participating in the 4th of July parade with the Desperadoes 4-H Club. Thanks for sharing the photos, Christine!



Star 4th of July Parade

A large group of Idaho Miniature Horse Club members participated in the Star 4th of July Parade once more. Thanks to the collective efforts of Lynne Wing, Carrie Sigglin, and Pete and Pam MacFarlane, here are some photos from that event.





See more photos on the Idaho Miniature Horse Club facebook page and a slide show on www.idahominiaturehorseclub.com.



Mini Hoofbeats News



I am super proud of these two girls! Amy and LeeAnn of my 4-H club Mini Hoofbeats both competed in illustrated talk today. They both improved from last year in making their time and placing a step higher. Amy blew away the judges and earned a Blue and will be moving on to Districts at the WIF Aug.17. LeeAnn overloaded the judges with info and earned a red ribbon. They both were complimented on their outfits and informational subjects. Great work girls!!!

Maria Redinger, Mini Hoofbeats Leader

Denim and Dust Open 4-H Show



Placings for the minis at the Denim and Dust open 4H show:

Mini Showmanship ~ 1st Elyse, 2nd Lilly, 3rd Amy, 4th Nathan, 5th Elizabeth

Mini in-hand trail ~ 1st Elyse, 2nd Nathan, 3rd Elizabeth, 4th Amy, 5th Lilly

Age division showmanship (with the big horses)

Junior ~ 5th Nathan

Intermediate ~ 2nd Elyse

High point trophy awards includes points from both shows. Elyse won High Point Mini, age 15 and under. I won High Point Mini, over 15.

Christine Dredge, Desperadoes 4-H Club



Announcements

Club Logo Attire: For those members that haven't picked up their ordered attire, please contact Kelli Phillips to make arrangements with her to get your shirts, sweatshirts, etc.

Also we are in need of auction items also!!! I would like to get them from people in the next two weeks so I have some time to put together baskets & auction sheets.

You can email or call Kelli at (kellip1970@gmail.com) (208) 899-9086.

Vital Statistic Committee: If you know of any events where someone could use a special card or 'pick me up' from our club, please contact any or all members of our new VSC.

Contacts are: Donna Bernardelli, Kelli Phillips or Lynne Wing. Emails and phone numbers can always be found on the Idaho Miniature Horse Clubs website - listed under 'Member List'.

Congratulations to Jamey and Val!

Got the buckles I won last year for horse showing! Driving champion with Royal, 4 and over champion with Royal, and "Showman" with Razz!!

Valerie Marshall



Jamey Robbins and Shady won big in the large cart classes at ISHSA and Who Dun It shows.



(Announcements continued)

It's a Boy!

Tiny solid black colt

Born between 9:00 p.m., August 9, and 2:30 a.m., August 10

Dam: Bow Creek Lucks Halo, co-owned by Robin and Pam

Sire: Hollowtrees Shakespeare, owned by Shere Clark



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Welcome, new members, Tess and Donna!! Happy birthday to Lee.
And best wishes for quick healing, Lee and Janet!

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The Western Idaho Fair photos and articles will be in the next issue. This will be for 4-H participants and open class exhibitors. So many wonderful photos on facebook! If you exhibited at the fair, would you please submit 1 or 2 photos you like and write about your experience? Thanks to everyone who contributes!

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The newsletter grew to a size that was too big to publish on this site when the WISK photos were included. Sorry about that!

Pam

JULY & AUGUST HEAT WAVE.....

Okay, let's face it, July and now August are hot, hot, hot and our energy level is NOT! Mini Angel Wings don't usually turn down, showing our hooves around town but July is one month that we really do lay low, unless an event or visit is early in the morning.

Star 4th of July Parade:

Naturally, Foxy isn't going to miss out on strutting his stuff in a parade and this year was no exception. We got there early, the owner has some issues with parking (so sad) so we needed to get a premium spot. It was about the time that Foxy Boy saw Splash (Donna's beautiful girl), and he went gaga! Throughout the whole parade, he was looking for Splash, and Donna was kind enough to oblige by staying near us.

Love at first sight. Splash & Foxy (Photo by Carrie Sigglin)



Mini Angel Wings are officially Abode Hospice & Home Health volunteers. Our first visit was to a Memory Care facility and Sassy did not disappoint. Maggie O'Mara of KTVB asked if she could do a segment on MAW and her camera man videotaped our visit. We are super excited and they will let us know when it will air on KTVB.



*Abode employee's grandson
with Sassy*



*Sassy in her red, white, and
blue tutu*

In-home visits can be challenging, as sometimes you have multiple steps to go up, leading to a person's home. ThunderPants did not disappoint, he took those 5 steps up to the porch like a pro.



Abode Hospice visit with Thunderpants



Thunderpants in his Abode vest

We love what we do with our mini's, the smiles and sometimes a break through with patients that haven't spoken a word in months. Just petting a mini and loving on them and hearing someone say - "Oh baby, you are so soft" is all we need to know we made someone's day just a little bit better.



It takes a special horse to be a therapy animal and we are so proud Sassy, ThunderPants and Foxy Boy fit that bill. The joy they bring can't be measured in ribbons, trophies or awards.....it's in the smiles, hugs, and laughter.

Submitted by Lynne Wing - Mini Angel Wings

Classified Miscellaneous

Advertising on the Idaho Miniature Horse Club website: Items for sale (horses or other) can be added to the club website, including photos. Items valued at \$200 or more cost \$5 (payable to IDAMHC) and those under \$200 are free.

Contact Pam MacFarlane at 208-922-1685 or email at pete_macfarlane@hotmail.com to contribute an article, event information, or advertisement to the newsletter and website.

Cart and Harness

*Harness fits both A and B sizes. Bridle has an overcheck. \$200 for harness
*\$350 for cart

*Located in Walla Walla, WA.

*Contact info for these is Maria Redinger's grandparents.

Bob Vance 509-529-0535



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Jessie Hunting has started managing the barn at SHH Stable in Kuna, and we have open stalls. Stalls are \$75 for minis and \$300 for big horses. Contact Jessie at 208-244-8648 or jeremyhunting@msn.com.

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Are you thinking of learning to drive a single or pair of miniature horses?

See if driving is your thing before you make a financial commitment! I will teach you to drive a miniature horse using my school horse and cart. \$35 per session

Contact Susan Welch at 208-887-6838. This is not a texting number; phone calls, only.

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Miniature Horse Bridles, Water Heaters and Heated Buckets, 4-Wheel Miniature Horse Wagon, and Miniature Horse Trailer

*2 leather bridles, \$25.00 each

*Two 16 gallon tubs (new at D&B are \$79.00):

will sell for \$75.00 buy one, get one free. One is almost new, the other only used 2 years for about 2 months. Also have 3 floating heaters, one with wire cage.

Take all heaters for \$125.00.



Miniature Horse Custom-Made 4 Wheel Wagon, with Green Upholstery

- * Features a driver's seat plus a wider passenger seat
- * Appropriate for wedding, anniversary, holiday, & birthday parties
- * Kept inside and covered
- * Removable U-shaped shaft so cart can be hauled easily

* Excellent condition with new rear tires

* Priced at \$800.00 *

Miniature Horse Trailer

I am wanting to sell my brown mini trailer that has 3 dividers for hauling 4 up to 34" & slant them for 3 larger minis.

*It also has a horse size divider.

*The tires are good & has a spare.

*It has "Caution Miniature Horses" signs on it.

*Double doors on back, with a ramp for hauling a cart.

*Tack space under manger, & emergency door on right side.

Asking \$2000.00 or trade. Make an offer.

Contact Lee Clark at 365-9439 or hollowtreehorses@Q.com.

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