

## MVHC Minutes

3/10/22

We met via Zoom. The meeting was called to order at 6:01 PM.

In attendance: Jen Rand, Julie Flanders, Jill Lane, Nina McMann, Lisa Scannell, Jessica Burnham, Kaitlin Dorr, Stephanie Dreyer, Martha Scheffer, Mariah BenDavid, Vici Surr, Kara O'Sullivan, Ginny Lobdell, Laura Plunkett

**Secretary's Report:** The minutes from the meeting of 2/11/22 were sent out with the February newsletter. Member should review the minutes, and we will vote on them at the next meeting.

### **Treasurer's Report:**

\$11,499.98 in total operating account , less \$8,144.52 scholarship money

Operating: \$3,355.46

Junior: \$6,889.28

CD: \$17,263.25 (,maturing on 3/29/22 for 1 year)

Scholarship: \$8,144.52

Lisa reported that she had voided the check for Katherine Cuthbert (2020 recipient) and issued a check for the 2021 recipient to Bella Thorpe.

### **Old Business:**

**Rescue Training:** Jessica Burnham reported that we will definitely have a one day training on March 26. If all the people who expressed interest attend, the training should be full (40 people). Jessica suggested a registration fee of \$25 for the day. She has a list of people who said they are interested and will contact them.

There was a discussion of how to handle registration. Kara offered to find out about insurance for the event. She will also create a form for registration.

**Dressage:** Jen reported that she has been working on two events.

1. Clinic with Sheila McLevedge: May 21 and 22 at the Ag Hall

Fee will be \$130 per ride. Full payment will be required one month in advance, and participants will need to find a replacement if they need to cancel.

2. Dressage show: June 19. Crystal Taylor can judge. There was a discussion about how to house the judge since hotel prices have become unrealistic. Ginny offered to put her up and Julie said she may be able to accommodate her at Flanders House and will check on the date.

**Education:** Julie reported that the Lucile Bump clinic is set for April 23 and 24. The cost will be \$250 for the weekend or \$125 per day. Priority will be given to those riders who want to participate in both days.

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**Trail:** Stephanie confirmed two trail rides and a fall pace ride. There was a discussion about insurance costs and what to charge riders. It was decided that for the two trail rides (May 22 and June 12) we will ask for donations to the Scholarship Fund, and for the Fall Pace Ride there will be an entrance fee.

Jen raised the idea of having a membership drive.

**Hunter:** October 14 has been chosen as a tentative date for the Fall Fuzzy. Samantha Look will organize.

**Scholarship:** Ginny reported that so far there have been no applications, but she will check with the High School.

Julie mentioned that the Ag Society has asked us to think about ideas for including horses at the Fair. We should think about this for the next meeting.

**New Business:** none

The meeting was adjourned at 6:35 PM.