

WPC Parent Meeting Minutes
June 9, 2007

Meeting was called to order at 10:11 a.m. at the Kiely Equestrian Center, by D.C. Catherine Swent.

Members present: Catherine Swent, Karen Gregory, Cathy Siegel, Christine Taylor-Keeling, Lora Quinlan, Gina Greenen, Beverly Lipps, Wendy Burger, Victoria Murphy Vixie, Scott Michelsen. Diane Tapscott joined at 10:38.

1. Minutes: Many members did not have a chance to review the minutes. Please review on the web and we can approve next meeting.
2. Treasurer's report: Vandana was away. Nothing has really changed since the last meeting except the upcoming Mock D Rally and Show Jumping Rally, subsidizing C Riders at \$50. Will review financials next meeting.
3. Leadership
 - a. Nominating committee report: Yvette is away, but Catherine stated the nom-com is working. Catherine explained that WPC has had 2 Joint District Commissioners (JDC's) and one District Commissioner (DC). The duties may be divided up any way we would like. Marty is willing to stay on as a JDC and Catherine is willing to serve as the other JDC. We just need a new DC! There were many kudos and thank you's to Catherine for her hard work and dedication serving as our DC for the last 3 years. There was a round of applause.
5. Membership: we have one new member Kat (Katherine) Gregory.
6. Riding Program: Catherine advised we will have 3 open rings per week.
 - a. Summer program - 3 weekdays from 3-6pm + Saturdays from 9:00 on. The open rings will be \$40 per session split among the the riders and Saturdays will be \$50 per session, split among the riders. Please respond directly to the instructor for weekday riding and to Gina for the Saturday riding, and please give 24 hours notice to cancel. Be prepared to be flexible. Mady and Merilee are the only D2 riders. Since there are fewer riders in the summer, we will be combined lessons.
7. Dismounted Program - On hold over summer, but Rosemary is working on the dismounted program for the Fall.
8. Facility: Thank you for the great clean-up day. We had over 80% participation! There are still jobs to be done, like sealing the new picnic tables and removing the debris. Scott is willing to do more weed whacking; we have more tall grass due to the late rains.
9. Ratings -Catherine for Marty: We've just finished ratings for D1 - C1 with many members rating up. There will be another round of ratings, probably in July. The HB, C3 and A ratings are coming up. Some of the ratings are at the Horse Park. It's a good idea to watch or be an impartial observer, though you must be 21 or older. Contact Katrina Deane if you are interested.
10. Rallies - Cathy: We did well at the Show Jumping Rally.

The Mock D Rally is coming up next weekend and we have a team going: Alicia, Mady, Merilee and Abbey. C Camp is June 20-24th at Eventful Acres. Many of the C's will be attending.

11. The Horse Show: September 9th, a Sunday. Here are the coordinators:

Publicity: Joy and Leslie
Ribbons & Prizes: Terry A.
Show Personnel Manager: Marty
Facility Manager: Gina
Gatekeeper Coordinator: Rosemary
Show Secretary: Catherine S.
Registration Coordinator: Christine Taylor
Sponsor Coordinators: Belinda and Leslie
Program Coordinator: Diane

All families must participate in one of the above areas; please advise the coordinator. Also, all families must help with set-up on September 8th from 2pm - 5pm.

12. The Dressage Rally is still on the Horse Park calendar, possibly October 22nd. Someone would need to head it up. It might draw interest as a clinic.

13. Horse Master's Report - Laura was not with us today.

14. Junior Advisory Board Report- Joy was away. Look for email about the upcoming pool party.

15. Snack calendar will resume September 1st.

16. Parent Meetings - Next meeting July 21, 2007 (Subject to change as this is the Junior Riders Show Day.) Watch your email.

Meeting adjourned at 10:56am.

Respectfully submitted,

Victoria Murphy Vixie