

LRC Meeting Minutes
3/27/2023

Call to order: 7:27 pm

Attendance: Dick, Kimmy, Payton, Trina, Kolt, Wayne, Jason, Charis, Marlene, Ashlee, Melissa, M.A.

Minutes: Marlene read the minutes, Trina moved to approve the minutes there was a second and the motion passed.

Treasurer's Report: We have \$45,965.69 in the main account and \$353.77 in the Royalty account. All checks have been cleared. The Auction's actual net income was \$14,961.77. Charis will move \$748.00 to the Royalty operating funds and the other 5% of the 10% that goes to Royalty will go toward their scholarship funds.

Tabled Items:
Cash Calf 5/29/23

Old Business:
Sound system: Kolt is still talking with Ben.

Calcutta Auctioneer: We are going to ask John Nation first if he would like to be our auctioneer. If no, we will ask Scott Heny, or Josh Linebaugh and possibly Jeff Campbell.

Maintenance: Kolt or Wayne will ask Dave if we can use his tractor before the Queen contest. Wayne said he would get sand prices. Marlene is going to send out a reminder about maintaining the arena before the Queen contest on 4/22/23.

Vendors: Munchies and Wet Works are both in as vendors. All Vendor spots have been filled.

Queen contest: Lovell's Queen contest is 4/22/23, Cowley is 4/15/23 and the Circuit is 4/8/23. April 29, 2023 is set as a backup date in Cowley if the weather does not work out for either, Cowley or Lovell's Queen Contest. Exit interviews were held at 6:00 pm (right before the meeting started). Payton was asked to leave the room for discussion on who and how much should receive a scholarship this year. The interviews went very well; all three girls did an outstanding job. Kaitlyn and Payton went above and beyond with their duties this season. Nellie did a great job also. She is much younger and we hope she will continue to learn and grow with Rodeo. The scholarships awarded are Kaitlyn our Queen \$400.00, Payton our Princess \$250.00 and Nellie our Princess Attendant \$30.00. Melissa moved to award each girl this year with a scholarship, there was second and a vote was taken. The motion passed. The crown has been dropped off at Miller's Fab for reconstruction.

Town Meeting: Jed presented our contract with the town. Due to scheduling conflicts both Charis and Jason were not able to make it. Jed said the town is very receptive to our proposal. Charis and Jason want to reach out to the town and represent our proposal so they are able to hear it from us and not a member of the town council.

Stock Bids: Are Due 4/20/2023. Spread the word.

Judges: Cole Linebaugh and Sam Gernhart will be our judges this year. TJ Cambin said he would be a backup if one of them does not show up/ back out; if TJ is not already judging at another rodeo.

Sponsorship letters: We need to follow up with sponsors that were mailed a letter earlier this year.

New Business

Wyoming Rodeo Association (WRA): Would like for us to co-sanction with them. If we co-sanction with them, all we have to do is tell them the payout amount. They will add the points themselves to their athletes. MA moved to co-sanction with WRA for the 2023 season only, it was second and a vote taken. The motion passed.

Circuit: There are open positions for the Circuit board. The positions opened are President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. Jason was nominated to run for president and he accepted. Charis was nominated and she declined the nomination.

Ranch Bronc School: Britney Miller has reached out to us, she would like to hold a Ranch Bronc School either the 4/29/23, 5/12/23 or 5/13/23. We told her she needs to reach out to the town to reserve the arena.

Next Meeting: 4/24/2023 at 7:00 pm

Adjourn: 9:40 pm