

Lake County 4-H Horse & Pony Leaders Meeting
October 11, 2018

Call to Order: Superintendent Debbie Sajdera; debsajdera@yahoo.com, text/call (219) 545-2693 at 7 pm

Secretary's Report: Christi Long Vicky motioned to accept as posted Tiffany seconded

Treasurer's Report: Vicky Gianni no change

ACTIVITY REPORTS:

- Color Guard/Drill Team: **Vicky Blink**, Amy Ingebretsen, Christi Long
November 13, meeting donation to Montana Silver
- Horse Bowl/Hippology: **Vicky Gianni** call out 10/22 6:30 at extension office
- Judging Team: **Vicky Gianni** call out 10/22 6:30 at extension office
- Mini 4-H Horse & Pony: **Debbie Sajdera**, Karen Casey, Tiffany McKeague no report
- Horse Explorers: **Karen Casey**, Debbie Sajdera, Christi Long, Becky Bewick no report

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- Ad Book: **Linda Miller**, Katie Miller no report
- Awards Party: **Cathy Micco**, Sandy Solomon no report
- Awards: **Tiffany McKeague**, Karen Casey, Conrad Kerosky, Mychelle Taylor no report
- Event (Band): **Conrad Kerosky** no report
- Driving: **Conrad Kerosky**, Vicky Gianni no report
- Four Part Awards: **Denise Barnes**, Wendy Falaney no report
- Fundraising:
- Gymkhana: **Nancy Brown**
- I&R: **Tiffany McKeague**, Vicky Gianni, Emily Beneturski
- Jumping: **Amy Ingebretsen**, Kelly Keilman, Marie Ingebretsen
- Remembrance: **Vicky Gianni** No report
- Stall Maintenance: **Jason Casey**, Conrad Kerosky, no report
- Team Tournament: **Karen Casey**, Emily Beneturski, Mar Hollier no report
- Tenure: **Sandy Solomon**, Kevin Solomon, Vicky Gianni no report
- Trail: **Amy Ingebretsen**, Christi Long, Charlie Blink, Marie Ingebretsen no report
- Volunteer Maintenance: **Karen Casey**, Emily Beneturski no report
- Wellness: Vet, **Debbie Sajdera**, Conrad Kerosky, Meg Bush, Vicky Gianni no report

OLD BUSINESS:

- Other old Business

NEW BUSINESS:

- Calendar Vicky motioned to approve, Tiffany Seconded
(copy of calendar later in minutes)
- Rule Change (see below)
- Budget (see below) Tiffany motioned to approve, Karen seconded
- Other
- Vicki Blink, Montana Silver gave a great discount because we were 4h - they asked us to give to their scholarship program which is based on how the applicant improved themselves and get involved with their community. Vicki will give link to Debbie so it can be added to facebook.

COUNTY NEWS:

- Chicken Dinner – October 18, 2018; Great Oaks Banquet Hall; Vicky has tickets
Time is 4 - 7
- Leaders' Banquet – January 17, 2019; Great Oaks Banquet Hall
- Extension Educator:
Jennifer: 4H adventure edge tickets at deep river \$20 if 50 or more. Can use pass received earlier. For all not just 4H Nov 3rd
Julie Nov 3rd Purdue Football discount tickets to be expanded next year
Purdue adult work shop on chickens
4h yard signs
4h enrollment 67 kids 37 adults
Welcome Slippery Saddles newest club.

CLUB REPORTS:

- Happy Wranglers hay ride pumpkin patch zip line kids had a blast
- Jollie Ranchers Hay ride pumpkin patch trunk or treating Christmas
- Just Horse'n Around beach clean up Dec Indy zoo and Ronald McDonald House Freeze food packs, baking cookies for vets.
- Prairie Pioneers hay ride Buckley Fest 10-4 10/13 – 10/14
- Saddle & Spurs hay ride, banquet collecting socks for vets Packing for GI's salvation army selling soap
- Slippery Saddles new club, call out good turn out
- The Lone Rangers costume Halloween party, fundraiser promote for new members

Other comments

Next H&P meeting is will be at banquet meeting 2/21 @ 7 PM
Tiffany motioned to end meeting Emily seconded

Rule changes

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From:

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To:

Competitive Day is basically a fun show that is held at the fair each year. If Competitive Day Classes need to be split they will be JR Riders (Grade 3,4,5,6,7) and SR Riders (Grade 8, 9,10,11,12).

Vicky motioned to approve Michelle seconded, passed

Add to Page 9 Horse Explorers

- Horse Explorers will need to buddy up with a regular or mini 4-H Horse & Pony member to coordinate the use of their horse/pony. All Horse Explorers will be responsible for securing the use of a horse/pony and registering that horse/pony with 4Honline on July 1st. The horse/pony MUST be one that is owned/leased by a regular or mini 4-H member and will be exhibited at fair in the current fair year to insure that it meets all the vaccination requirements.

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From:

- Buddy Showmanship (Horse Explorers ONLY) – A regular Horse & Pony member and horse or pony will be provided to help the Horse Explorer member navigate a simple showmanship pattern to be judged. Level breakdown will be Level 1 (3 to 5); Level 2 (6 to 8); Level 3 (9 to 12). Appropriate attire is required.

To:

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Tiffany Motioned to approve Vicki B seconded passed

Add to Page 7 Add In Hand Trail Class:

In Hand Trail Requirements:

In Hand Trail will be an option open to any level/grade plus open to the Horse Explorer members and will be an option to Equitation. Horse Explorers horses may be used more than once in the In Hand Trail class to accommodate those members. In Hand Trail will use the In Hand Trail section of the most current edition of the Indiana 4-H Horse and Pony Handbook, current edition. Judges decision is final. Starting July 1 pattern will be posted on the Lake County 4H website: <https://extension.purdue.edu/lake>. Horse Explorers horses may be used more than once in the In Hand Trail class.

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From:

- Horse Explorers will be eligible for their own 3 part separate from the regular Horse & Pony members if all the above is completed (Demonstration, Poster, and Buddy Showmanship) and all paperwork deadlines are met accordingly including the deadline for the age appropriate activity manual.

To:

- Horse Explorers will be eligible for the 4 part if the following classes are completed: Demonstration, Poster, Buddy Showmanship, and In Hand Trail plus all paperwork deadlines are met accordingly including the deadline for the age appropriate activity manual/worksheets.

Vicky motioned to approve Karen seconded passed

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From:

1. Two (2) members in the same level will be allowed to share a horse as long as they do not exhibit in the same project class or competitive day class. They must choose which one of them will exhibit in any given class. The horse will only be allowed to be shown once per class. (i.e.: One member may show Entry Class – Showmanship and the other would have to show Entry Class – Horsemanship and so on.)

To:

1. Two (2) regular 4-H Horse & Pony members in the same level **per grade** will be allowed to share a horse as long as they do not exhibit in the same project class or competitive day class. They must choose which one will exhibit the horse/pony in any given class. The horse will only be allowed to be shown once per class. (i.e.: One member may show – Showmanship) then they both may ride in different equitation disciplines (i.e. One show English Equitation and the other shows Trail). Mini 4-H Horse & Pony and Horse Explorers may share horses as long as the class is worked under individual patterns.

Vicky Motioned to approve with the added words per grade, Tiffany seconded

Came to vote 1 opposed Kevin

Barb motioned to remove You may or may not be penalized for the use of note cards by the judge.

From page 4

If you wish, you may use note cards to help you remember...However, you should practice beforehand so that you do not READ your entire demonstration from the cards. You may or may not be penalized for the use of note cards by the judge. Look the judge in the eye and talk to him/her.

Vote 7 for 7 against, Debbie passed.

2018 – 2019 HORSE & PONY CALENDAR

October 1 thru January 15 - Online Enrollment:

4-H online enrollment period opens October 1 and extends through January 15. All Horse & Pony members and adult volunteers must log in at: <https://in.4honline.com> to enroll/renew their enrollment in Lake County 4-H Horse and Pony Project. After January 15, members will need to contact the Extension Office to enroll.

January 17 Leader's Banquet at Great Oaks After 4 Supper Club

February 21 @ 7:00 PM Extension Office – Regular Business Meeting

March 1 - Online Deadline: Last day to log in to Lakecountyin.fairentry.com to select entry for Demonstration

March 1 – MINI 4-H H&P ONLY Call the 4-H Extension Office (219) 755-3240 to register for Mini 4-H Horse & Pony Demo

March 9 (Saturday) Demonstration

- Clark Middle School - 8915 West 93rd Avenue, St. John, IN 46373
- CHECK IN: 8:00 a.m. START TIME: 8:30 a.m.

April 25 @ 7:00 PM Extension Office – Regular Business Meeting (Fair Schedule Discussion)

May 15th - Horse Online Identification (regular members only; Mini will not have this feature)

- Horse and Pony animals must be identified in 4HOnline no later than May 15
- A color photo of each side of the horse must be uploaded for each horse to be eligible for exhibition
- *ONLY if you are showing at the Indiana State Fair a Lease agreement must be turned in to the Lake County 4H Extension office by May 15*

May (end of) County Demo used for make-up of H&P Demo (Participation awarded/4 Part/Education Requirement for Fair) Call the 4-H Extension Office (219) 755-3240 to register.

June 20 @ 7:00 PM Extension Office – Regular Business Meeting

July 1 – REGULAR H&P MEMBERS:

- Last day to log in to Lakecountyin.fairentry.com for H&P Educational Poster/Showmanship/Equitation Option Entries.
- Original completed "Lake County 4-H Horse & Pony Veterinarian Signature Sheet"
- A COPY of the current State Form 4-H-1031-W "Certificate of Completion of Indiana 4-H Requirements for Exhibition of 4H Horse and Pony". The original must stay with H&P member for all 4-H H&P events.
- H&P Activity Manual and/or H&P Activity Worksheets with a total of three (3) completed activities

July 1 – HORSE EXPLORER MEMBERS:

- Last day to log in to Lakecountyin.fairentry.com for H&P Educational Poster and Buddy Showmanship entries
- Must declare what 4-H horse you will be sharing for Buddy Showmanship
- H&P Activity Manual and/or H&P Activity Worksheets with a total of three (3) completed activities

July 1 MINI 4-H H&P ONLY – Online "fairentry.com" deadline

- Horse or pony must be identified (if the Mini is doing lead line with live animal); please DOUBLE check that you have met the requirements to bring a live animal to fair.
- Original completed "Lake County 4-H Horse & Pony Veterinarian Signature Sheet" VACCINATIONS for all LAKE COUNTY 4-H HORSE & PONY animals MUST be given by a licensed veterinarian. This form supersedes the State Form 4-H-1031-W.
- Copy of Indiana 4-H Certificate of Completion of Indiana 4-H Requirements for Exhibition of 4-H Horse and Pony. State form 4-H-1031-W. Original to stay with Mini H&P member
- Completed grade appropriate worksheet

July 1st – ALL H&P MEMBERS:

- *H&P AD Book Forms are due to Linda Miller - CHECKS or MONEY ORDERS ONLY - NO CASH!*

July 12 5 to 6:30 See Lake County 4-H Handbook for schedule-

- Mini Educational Poster at Lake County Fair 4-H Building; make sure to check the poster requirements for Mini 4-H posters

July 15 5:00 to 6:30 PM Horse & Pony Education Poster

- Check In: See Lake County 4-H Handbook for schedule
- Early Check In: See Lake County 4-H Handbook for schedule

August 5 to 7 Lake County Fair

- August 6 (Monday) Early Check In: 8:30 to 11:00 a.m.
- Stall assignments will be available at 8:00 a.m. Monday morning. After designated stalls are cleaned and you have checked in with a "Stall Maintenance" representative 4H members/parents can check in with I&R and receive their packet between 8:30 and 11:00 am.
- 3:30 - 4:00 p.m. Check-In (*only if you didn't check in earlier*)
- 4:00 p.m. Judges Meeting
- \$10 per horse fee will be collected at the Lake County Fair Gate 6. ALL horse trailers will have to pay the fee but it will be refunded if your trailer area is cleaned up and you locate the person in charge of releasing the trailers.

September 12 @ 7:00 PM Extension Office – Regular Business Meeting (Fair Review/Election of Officers)

October 10 @ 7:00 PM Extension Office – Regular Business Meeting (Budget/Rules/Committees)

Always check the county website/footnotes or the Lake County 4-H Horse & Pony Indiana Facebook page for any changes to the above scheduling.

Horse Pony Budget

	2018	2018 Actual	2019	2019 Actual
Income				
Cash On Hand	\$1,218.02	\$1,218.02		\$1,003.29
Ad book	\$1,100.00	\$1,380.00		\$1,300.00
\$5 support				
4-Part	\$0.00	\$599.68		
Banners		\$1,850.00		
RSVP Party	\$200.00	\$189.00		\$200.00
Navajo Donation				
Fundraiser/carwash		\$347.00		
Fair / Judges				
Project Income	\$2,518.02	\$5,583.70	\$2,503.29	\$0.00
Expenses				
Banners		\$1,850.00		
4-Part Award	\$0.00	\$599.68		
Completion/Tenure Awards	\$300.00	\$120.59		\$300.00
Awards Party	\$200.00	\$189.00		\$200.00
Demo Facility	\$275.00	\$270.00		\$300.00
Showmanship Day	\$0.00	\$0.00		
DJ/fair	\$100.00	\$100.00		\$100.00
Announcer	\$100.00	\$100.00		\$100.00
Navajo/timer	\$50.00	\$0.00		\$50.00
Driving Clinic	\$25.00	\$0.00		\$0.00
Judging Team	\$100.00	\$100.00		\$125.00
Drill Team	\$100.00	\$100.00		\$125.00
Horse Bowl Team	\$100.00	\$100.00		\$125.00
Hippology Team	\$100.00	\$100.00		\$125.00
Financial Awards	\$200.00	\$200.00		\$200.00
Purdue Workshops	\$0.00			
Administration	\$25.00	\$0.00		\$25.00
Remembrances	\$50.00	\$0.00		\$50.00
I&R Expenses	\$25.00	\$0.00		\$25.00
Misc Fair	\$60.00	\$55.74		\$60.00
Fundraiser	\$0.00	\$0.00		
Ad book Printing	\$460.00	\$485.00		\$490.00
Misc	\$248.02	\$21.00		\$103.09
Total Expenses	\$2,518.02	\$4,391.01	\$2,503.09	\$0.00