

Program: Chad Zadina, DVM, Owl Canyon Integrative Veterinary Services
Equine Acupuncture. Chad was assisted by his wife, Heather.

Dr. Zadina talked about the history and current use of acupuncture, point locations, how acupuncture can be useful and when it should not be used (pregnant mares). Jane brought her horse, Cinnamon, to demonstrate how acupuncture is performed on a horse. Cinnamon has been receiving acupuncture over the summer.

Audit committee: Veronica and Julie

Nomination committee: Leslie

Sue is willing to be treasurer again in 2010. Bitsy would be willing to be Secretary if someone else will take over Show Manager duties in 2010.

Treasurer report: CD = \$6493.74, Checking: \$5271.08

The show lost only \$473.23 thanks in large part to Julie for getting sponsorships from local businesses and an anonymous donor

Laramie County is in the process of planning for the Archer facility. The CDEC could contribute suggestions and help create a good facility for our uses. During the Oct. meeting lets talk about forming an ad hoc committee to compile a list of suggestions for the Archer complex.

Suggestion for May schooling show: have western tack division/programmed ride available to encourage more diverse local participation

Recognized show: 2010 judge possibility Sue Malone-Casey w/ Eva Marie Adolfi as TD. 2011 judge possibility Pummy Chopra, MD. Rates may be higher than we usually pay, Bitsy will ask if they'll accept lower rate.

Next Meeting the Oct. 20 meeting will be in the Gentles' arena Veronica co-hosting, but Julie has arranged for an equine specialist to come do a demonstration on heart rate during work, , unless the weather is nasty cold.

We will also need to discuss nominations for 2010 officers, 2010 show committee, the November CDEC dinner, and the results from the audit committee.