



Next General Membership Meeting

****Tuesday, March 15th 7:15 pm****

Location: Bitsy Heckerts's Home

Co-host-Julie Daniels

Address: 10769 Portugee Phillips Rd.

(Yellowstone Rd North to Horse Creek Rd. Left on Horse Creek. Left on Portugee Phillips. House on Left.)

Program: To Be Announced

Minutes of the February 18th Meeting

Members Present: Val and Steve Siegel, Sue and Bill Gentle, Laurie Box, Jane Swanhorst Ringolsby, Julie Daniels, Bitsy Heckert, Pete and Tracy Rolfe, Terry Whitenight, Sue Basham. Guests present: Tracy Ringolsby.

Program

Kirk and Raedene Messenger presented an extremely interesting and informative program on the Mark Messenger Memorial Hitch. The Messengers have been involved in horses for many years and travel all over the country competing with their Percheron teams. It was fascinating to compare the differences between these huge horses and "light" horses. It was also interesting to find out the Messengers have an Old West Museum. Located at 616 Crook Ave, it is definitely worth checking out.

Treasurers Report

The checking account has a current balance of \$7,466.38. With the exception of a voided check –the income for this month came from 2011 dues.

Old Business

The Schooling Show will be held May 14th at the Gentle's.
The Recognized Show will be held August 6-7th at the LCCC Arena.
We have Kenison's Katering lined up to provide food and beverages at both shows.

New Business

Our dues for the Wyoming Horse Council are due. It was agreed to join this organization for another year. Bill Gentle gave us an informative presentation on the activities the Horse Council has been involved with. The Horse Council is active in many legislative and policy issues that affect all aspects of horse ownership. One of the more interesting events is a Horse Expo slated to take place at the end of April/beginning of May in Douglas. You can look at their website:www.WyomingHorseCouncil.com for more details

Announcements

Please check our the Cheyenne Dressage and Eventing Club website :
www.cheydressageandeventing.com

Veronica has done a wonderful job of updating our website. Forms for membership, Show entries, links to other sites, are all there for you to use.

Schooling Show April 2nd at Riding Club Arena Cheyenne
Schooling Show- May 14th at Gentle's Arena

If you haven't paid already, club dues are due and payable. Membership form is on CDEC website.

Members paid to date: Heckert, Daniels, Gentle, Ringolsby, Wiltse, Box, Giffin, Harris, Siegel, McKusker, Monchecchi, Poulton, Rolfe, Whitenight, Box, Breton, Cover, O'Leary.