

CDEC September 19, 2019 Meeting Minutes

Location: Thanks Angie for hosting the meeting.

Call to order: 6:40 p.m.

Those in Attendance: LaNita Lovercheck, Otis Lovercheck, Sue Basham, Becky O'Leary, Kim Giffin, Julie Swearingin, Sue Gentle, Diane Wenzel, Terry Whitenight, Guest: Vickie Barker

Club Business meeting:

New business:

- **Review/approval of June minutes** – Sue G moved to accept the minutes as printed, 2nd by Becky
- **Treasurer's report-** Sue G reported that since the last meeting, in June, we received an additional \$30 for the silent auction from our recognized show, paid \$400 to USEF to keep the date for our recognized show even though we will not have it in 2020, ordered new checks for \$30.90, paid show expenses: LCCC - \$2016.75, EMT - \$200, miscellaneous expenses - \$50. The recognized show had a profit of \$142.71. Checking currently has \$10, 703.95.
- **September 28 two-phase schooling show** update, **Committee members:** Diane, Kim, Angie, Sue G. **Volunteers: Trail Course design** – Sue G; **Office secretary** – Cheryl Mair & Diane's neighbor, Chantri; **Parking:** Terry W; **Scribe(s):** Marcy Kassahn, Kim said she check with others; **Gate for trail course:** Otis; **Set up (Friday, Sept. 27 @ 1:00 pm):** All; **Take down & clean up:** All. **Other details:** Diane will bring out dressage arena, her little camper for the office & bottled water, Kim will get snacks to have in office, Sue G will take care of insurance & porta potty; & Terry will go for the judge's lunch. **Note:** the arena will be open for practice on Friday from 2:00 to 5:00 pm. Also, the trail course will remain set up after the show for folks to practice more if desired.
- **Loss of member Bitsy Heckert-**donation to Cheyenne Animal Shelter in her memory? Attached is the Giving Back (wish list) page from the Animal Shelter. Kim moved and Sue 2nd that members, who wished to, would provide something from this wish list, bring it to the next meeting, and Diane will collect it all and take it to the Cheyenne Animal Shelter as gifts from the members of the CDEC in memory of Bitsy Heckert. Bitsy passed away recently and she was a very active and longtime member of the CDEC. Also, if you go to the Shelter's website, you can click on the Amazon wish list and check that out if you'd like.
- **Upcoming elections for officers:** According to our bye-laws, Diane has served her 2 years as president, so we need some candidates for that position. New officers are needed. Please consider running for an office,

Old business:

- Update/comments on June recognized show/just a reminder there will not be a 2020 show, maybe in 2021.
- Summer BBQ at Kim's: those in attendance had a great time.

October meeting place: Thursday, October 17 at Becky O'Leary's @ 6:30 pm.

Adjourned @ 7:45 pm, moved by Diane, 2nd by Kim
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Giving Back by Cheyenne Animal Shelter (Wish List)

Did you know you can give back to the Cheyenne Animal Shelter when you shop on Amazon? Amazon Smile donates 0.5% of the price of eligible smile.amazon.com purchases to charities selected by customers. You can select to give back to the Cheyenne Animal Shelter: <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/83-0217643> or give back to the Cheyenne Animal Shelter Foundation: <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/20-5610344>

Every donation goes a long way, and we appreciate what you do for us!

Our Wish List View our [Amazon Wish List](#) (go to shelter webpage to click on it)

- Purina One Dog Food
- Purina One Puppy Chow
- Purina One Cat Food
- Purina One Kitten Chow
- Canned Pate-Style Cat Food
- Non-Clumping Clay Cat Litter (Special Kitty, Tidy Cats, etc.)
- Cat and Dog Treats
- Cat and Dog Toys
- Timothy Hay
- Blankets
- Towels
- Unscented Bleach
- Clorox Disinfectant Wipes
- Baby Wipes
- Desitin/Diaper Rash Cream
- Pens
- Sharpies
- Dry Erase Markers
- Post-It Notes

Additional information of interest to equine enthusiasts:

Sue Basham shared that September 7 -8 she was part of the Happy Jack Endurance Ride run by the Colorado Hightail group. Ride was well attended and included a 30 & 50 mile ride plus a 10 mile intro ride for newbies which included a vet check at the start and end. But the one problem she came across is the bicycle riders think they own the trails and horses shouldn't be there. The Forest Service supports multi-use and has been working on trail improvement. Part of the problem is that there are not a lot of people riding their horses up there. The concern is that it might be a "use it, or loose it" situation. The bikers don't realize it was the horse riders that developed many of the trails initially. Sue shared that Heather Schultz has been involved with this concern. Check the website for the Colorado Hightail group for more info.

Respectfully submitted by Kim Giffin, secretary