



Clark County 4-H Horse Leaders Association MEETING AGENDA

November 12, 2025 @ 7 p.m.

Heritage Farm/WSU Extension Office

1919 NE 78th Street, Vancouver, WA 98665

Facebook page – Clark County 4H Horse Leaders

Instagram – cc4hhorseleaders

I. Call to Order and Pledges

Meeting called to order at 7 p.m. by Holly Swenson.

ATTENDANCE:

Cindy Chase, Stablemates

Jeanne Schaffer, Sup.

Holly Swenson, Painted to Win

Tricia Goode, Royal Riders

Kaileigh Core, TTR

Ann Jones, Sup.

Heidi Massie, Range Riders

II. Officers/Regional Specialist/Superintendent/Executive Board Reports

a. SECRETARY'S REPORT/APPROVAL OF MINUTES (Heidi)

Approval of October 8, 2025 minutes as forwarded via email on 10/17/25.

Kaileigh motioned to approve the 10/8/25 minutes as forwarded via email 10/17/25. Holly seconded- ALL APPROVED/MOTION PASSED.

b. TREASURER'S REPORT (Ann)-

Current balance: 2665.00

Black Pearl check given to Ann by Kayleigh for 500.00.

c. HORSE SUPERINTENDENT REPORT (Ann/Jeanne/Tricia)
They had a meeting and discussed a policy proposal to keep the same schedule at fair as last year, except for small equine. We will have showmanship for small equine right before they show rather than in the morning. No motion needs to be made because superintendents can change it. The schedule for next year will be an easier schedule without Budweiser horses. Drafts will still go 12-2, so plan on that 2 hour break each day.

d. CLARK COUNTY EXECUTIVE HORSE COUNCIL (CCEHC)
(Kaileigh reporting for Stacy)-

Fair Theme-will be "Blast off to Fun" with the feature exhibit being "Mars Encounters."

CCSC Open House- Nov. 16th from 12-5, non members can haul in for 20.00 with 10 years old and under riding for free.

CCSC 3rd annual Tack Sale and Holiday Bazaar- Nov 22 at the CCSC.

III. Committee Reports

Show committee, no news

Fundraising committee, no news

Rule Book committee, no news

IV. Old Business

- a. Black Pearl Recap- even though we had people who made the commitment, they didn't all show up. It seemed like everyone had fun. The haunted trail had less horses/kids than the year before. Kaileigh is stepping away from being in charge of it next year. It was decided that we still want to do it next year if we're asked because we make 500.00 for the club.

V. New Business/Announcements

a. Policy Proposal for Clubs Showing at Fair

Tricia proposed a change for how clubs earn their way to fair. **Proposal:** A leader (or representative) from each club, are required to attend 6 4H Horse Leader meetings, with the July meeting being required, in order to bring your club to the Clark County Fair to show in 4H Equine. If you don't meet that, your club WILL NOT be able to show in 4H Equine at Clark County Fair. Tricia motioned it, Kaileigh seconded it, ALL APPROVED/MOTION PASSED. Will go out in minutes and FB page.

b. Small Equine Height Change

We need to change the small equine height to match the state rule book by updating small equine measurements.

c. Dressage State Team

Discussed clarifying state dressage state team- amending rulebook to clarify state dressage team, continuing to leave one open spot.

d. Showmanship Patterns

Since our past patterns need updated, Tricia proposed bringing 1 pattern per age group from each club to the January leaders meeting. They need to have at least 5 of the components in the rulebook. The patterns will be voted on at the meeting and will then be used at fair.

e. Pre Fair Show dates and Information

May 2-3: Performance- Reining, Small Equine, Dressage (tentative, have to check with Jessica), Hunter Hack, Novice, Trail (½ price, practice only, no trail course just elements out to practice with), Hobby Horse (competition at the end of Saturday for half the price and prizes.)

June 13-14: Saturday: Performance-English, Western, Bareback and Trail
Sunday: Gaming

We decided we would not use the Friday nights because it saves the club 300.00. So, no Fridays, but we'll move the start time (7 a.m. haul in and 10 a.m. show time) to later on Saturday. Holly motions to eliminate Fridays for pre fair shows to eliminate the 300 fee. Kayleigh 2nds it. ALL APPROVED/MOTION PASSED.

Performance Showmanship- for performance, you only need to do showmanship one time per weekend if it's the same horse. Gaming is separate and you'd need to do both showmanships for each. This is only for pre fair.

We will put the show info out to other counties to see if they want to participate.

Last year, we lost money on the prefair shows, so we asked Phoebe to pull up some numbers for us. In

21-22 there were 111 members and 47 participated = 42%

22-23 there were 119 members and 62 participated = 52%

23-24 there were 127 members and 56 participated = 44%

24-25 there were 101 members and 45 participated = 45%

Ann will update the entry forms- drop Friday and change Sat haul in to 7:00 a.m and start time to 10:00 a.m., for performance and gaming

VI. New business for Next Meeting

Showmanship pattern voting

Prizes for pre fair shows

Fundraising ideas

Cost of each class for prefair classes

4H social for all the horse kids (jan.feb)

Meeting adjourned 8:32 by Kaileigh.

Approved as to form this ____ day of _____, 2025.

Heidi Massie, Secretary

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FACEBOOK: Clark County 4-H Horse Leaders