

Northern Saddle Club General Meeting

July 7 2010 Hudson Bay Lodge

Present: Kathleen O'Donnell, Ron Brown, Erin Rowsell, Gail Pasalouko

1. Called to Order: 7:11pm
2. Previous Minutes: Not enough members to vote.
3. Old Business:
 1. We are going to go ahead with the round pen, the Town of Smithers doesn't consider it a permanent structure. The Horse council monies applied for if received will go to footing for the round pen.
 2. Jump standards, poles and NSC equipment / valuables needs to be marked with NSC's name and locked up for the 3 in 1 Breed show, Gail will contact Geri to organize.
 3. Tom and Lexi were presented with the NSC volunteer of the year award for 2009.

4. Treasurer's Report:

1. Not enough members to vote.

5. Correspondence:

1. The Town of Smithers accepts the proposal for the Round Pens and would like plans, prints, etc. before shaving bins go in.
2. Town of Smithers offered ad space on the Towns ad board for \$600.
3. Town of Smithers approved all of our events for this year but would like to be notified of all upcoming events.
4. Town of Smithers agreed to remove the Midsummer House, part of the Rodeo Arena and the Logging area from the NSC grounds.
5. Town of Smithers will not do the mowing but we can submit a "fee for service" and 6. get them to mow.

Rental process – We will amalgamate the two forms for the Town of Smithers and the Fall Fair Board. Changes need to be made to the rental form, eg. Remove the speaker system from the rental agreement.

6. New Business:

- 1.** We NEED an Events Person!! Ron will look at a list of responsibilities and see if he can do the job.
- 2.** Pat did the mowing once again and will invoice us for the work.
- 3.** Cameron worked hard to set up the wiring in the Judges booth, NSC will give him a \$50 gift certificate as a thank you.
- 4.** Gail has the keys for the Show office, Judges Booth and Concession stand.
- 5.** Ron will inquire with probation services about when we can get some people together for painting the riding rings, fences and Show office. Painting needs to be done by the Fall Fair.
- 6.** Ron will measure gate widths for the new gates.
- 7.** New Show Office is on wish list.
- 8.** Jumps may be out for repairs, we may need new cups and pins.

7. Meeting Adjourned: 8:18