

**Approved  
via Email**

**Equestrian Committee  
Minutes for 7 May 2019  
Equestrian Center  
12:00 p.m.**

**1. Call Meeting to Order.**

Meeting was called to order at 12:05 pm by Chair Lori Harmon.

Present were members: Dedi Klawon, Lori Harmon, Judy Tarrer, John Danko, Kay Chilano, Theresa Mammana, board liaison Bill Lewis II and guests: Lee West, Dominique and Maralyn Teare.

Absent: Jan Vieth, Tony Harmon, Martha Northway

**2. Approval of minutes for 2 April 2019 meeting.**

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**3. Discussion/ New items**

Emergency supplies/medications: please be sure to have your own supplies or go in with a group of people to purchase supplies for your horse should an emergency arise. As the weather changes, horses are prone to colic and a number of other ailments and require medical assistance. If your horse should fall ill, Lori and/or staff will be notifying you and the medication needs to be readily available.

Barn etiquette: please do not encourage horses turned out in the arena to run/buck or charge while others are riding/walking around the outside of the arena or especially while the vet is treating a horse at the opening of the arena.

Also, if your horse should kick out or lean into the fence and break it, please advise the staff ASAP so repairs can be completed.

Full barn etiquette summary has been emailed out.

Lilac Festival 5/18/19: John will be ordering purple cowboy hats, we will be walking in the parade as the "purple posse", please let him know if you plan on attending so he can place the order on the hats.

Boarder Appreciation Day 5/30 & 5/31/19: Lori has organized a Boarder Appreciation day featuring a natural horsemanship clinic with Bruce Griffin.

Please rsvp to Lori with which days you can attend so she can coordinate the sessions. BBQ will be provided.

Just a friendly reminder to please keep visiting with the staff to a minimum. They are extremely busy with all the upcoming projects and events.

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They are expecting two new horses coming in soon as well. Also, Lori and the staff will start carrying radios instead of their personal cell phones. If you need to get ahold of them during work hours, please do not call or text them on their phones, call the equestrian office at (661) 242-2400 and leave a message for them to call you back when they get a free minute.

The new round pen and cover has been approved!!! Planning and permits are underway. A HUGE THANK YOU to Lori and all involved to help make this much needed project a reality!!

Please return all rakes/tools to their original locations, staff is running into problems trying to locate rakes and tools they need to complete their jobs.

Kay has requested an additional bracket at the opening of the existing round pen to help keep it closed, Lori will look into it.

**4. Adjournment**

**Motion** to adjourn at 12:26 pm **Motion** carried.

The next equestrian committee meeting will be held at **12:00 pm on Tuesday, June 4, 2019 at the Equestrian Center.**

Dedi Klawon  
**Secretary, Equestrian Committee**