Sullivan Saddle Club Regular Meeting Minutes 1/8/2015

Meeting called to order at 7:03 by Teri Feller

Regular meeting minutes read by Kelly Onder. Mike Onder moved to accept. John Janish seconded.

Treasurer report was not available. Pam has been to Bank of Sullivan with an address change but appears that Carla Cooper is still receiving the statements. Deposited \$35.00, \$30.00 from membership and \$5.00 was loose in checkbook. Paid \$102.55 for utility bill and \$55.00 to Jack's nephew for making certificates for last year's show book sponsors.

Sponsorship

Jack had certificates made and framed them for last year's sponsors. He has also made up sponsor packets that can either be mailed or hand delivered to potential sponsors. Some were taken by members to hand deliver, others will be mailed. He also had packets for potential sponsors that members could take to businesses. The packets have a cover letter, sponsorship form, schedule of events and show bills.

Jack also has the bill from the Sullivan Area Chamber of Commerce for membership fees of \$72.00. Pam Ramsey made motion to pay the fees, seconded by Mike Onder. Motion passed. Jack also had the bill for the Horsemen's United insurance. This year we will choose plan A and the cost is \$575.00. Mike Onder made a motion to pay the insurance and Pam Ramsey seconded. Motion passed.

4-H advised that they will be doing the cook shack this year for the fair.

Show Committee Report

Ashley received a couple of flyers for a trail ride in Sedalia and passed them around. The dates are set for the Fun Shows and Open Shows. The Fun Shows are April 18th & October 3rd, the rest of the shows are Open Shows. The show bills are done. Halo will once again be setting up a booth at the Coggins Clinic. Need farriers for the clinic. Cuba Veterinary will be the vet this year and will be getting prices to Ashley and she will then post to website. Vendors are welcome. Will have a tack swap. Have 2 of the 4 Open Show judges booked so far.

<u>Membership</u> 2 new memberships were taken at the meeting.

Old Business

John talked to the rodeo company about doing a 2 day rodeo this year. Will try for July 24 and 25. This will be in recognition of National Day of The Cowboy.

Ashly stated that Kramer Arena has taken out all of their dirt and we may be able to get that dirt. They have not been contacted yet. Should we add dirt to arena instead of sawdust? Possibly add some dirt and some sawdust. Will look further into this.

New Business

We need to set a day for painting before the first show which is April 18th. Will decide at the March show what date to use as a work day.

Linda S. would like the club to have colored t-shirts with the round logo to wear and show they are a club member. Ashley will get t-shirt prices. Members will pay for their own shirts.

Mike Onder moved to adjourn. John Janish seconded. Meeting adjourned at 7:50.