

# Chico Equestrian Association

Minutes for Feb. 11<sup>th</sup>, 2014

**Guest Speaker** was Judy Kline from Enloe Flight Care. Extremely interesting and great information on horse related injuries as well as information on Emergency transportation with either a helicopter or ambulance.

**Call to Order:** Meeting called by Lorie at 7:20 pm. New member introduced Jani Howard

**Minutes of Previous meeting:** Read and approved. 1<sup>st</sup> by Ken, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Skip.

**Treasurer's Report:** Read and approved. Ending balance of \$10,223.90 1<sup>st</sup> by Ken, 2<sup>nd</sup>. By Yovvie.

**President's Report:** Lorie reported receiving a form from DOJ regarding some fees that should go to the State of California for annual income. Since we do not make more than \$25,000.00 a year, we are ok. Also, a reminder to board members that CEA dues need to be paid to remain on board.

**Committee Reports:** *Scholarships.* Donna reported sending out via email to Pleasant Valley HS, Chico HS, CORE and Fairview, applications for scholarship and advising that more apps can be downloaded off our website. Also, need someone to just drop some hard copies off at the schools. Applications are due April 15<sup>th</sup>.

**Ranch Horse Clinic & Show:** Irene and Barbara reported that the show will be held on April 13<sup>th</sup>, with a clinic on March 9<sup>th</sup>. Irene talked about possibly adding a cowboy dressage class at the end. They will be ordering some buckles and need to get ribbons yet. The judge is willing to only charge \$100.00 plus lunch for the day. Cost for the clinic will be \$20.00 for members, \$30.00 for non-members.

Discussion followed with members concern about the need for help. Flyers will be made up by Kathleen and a show committee will get together the next week to fine tune everything. Cost was discussed back in November. Buckles will run about \$130.00 each X 5, plus ship/handling. Total budget of \$1500.00. for buckles, ribbons and expenses. Sponsors are needed. Jen informed them that she made forms up that represent CEA for sponsorship. We need to give the sponsors

a form that states we are non profit. **Bidwell Buckle Series:** Jen said it may be too much this year to do 3 shows and would like to go with the May 18<sup>th</sup> and June 8<sup>th</sup> dates only. Additional volunteers will be needed for this.

**Old Business:** **St.Paddy's Day ride** and lunch March 16<sup>th</sup>. Discussion about having a desensitization clinic on the same day could be just too much going on. Members agreed. We will come up with an alternate date for the clinic. We will need a couple of trail leaders. Skip and Jeff?. Andrea, Donna and Mike will take care of the food for the day. **Clubhouse update:** Jeff reported via email that he and Mark will be rebuilding the deck railing upstairs and other club house work keeping it all within the approved \$900.00 budget. Jen asked if there was a way to add a structure for shade up there for the announcers. It gets very hot. Will send info to Jeff to address and add to construction.

**No new announcements or added discussions.**

Lorie will see if Dr. Darling can speak at our March meeting. Next meeting will be March 11<sup>th</sup> here at the store.

**Motion to adjourn.** 1<sup>st</sup> by Donna, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Yovie all approved.

Respectfully submitted,

**Donna Mathis, Secretary CEA**