

June 2020



Hello VCHA members and sponsors,

Cautiously Optimistic! That's how I am looking at our upcoming July show. Your board is working towards our July 18 show. We are looking at protocols used by other equine events from our county and surrounding areas, also we will be using Sonoma County recommendations and protocols. Our goal is to provide a safe and comfortable event for all participants, our judge, any outside help and our board and show committee. With that being said we are looking into payment options that will lessen the need for close contact during check in. Please watch your emails for information on show registration/payment and any covid related information.

Due to the shortened show series at this time we have decided to not have year end awards, but we will continue to have jackpotted classes.. The shows will be judged as normal according to NCHA rules. Thank you all for your patience as we work through the current conditions and restrictions to be able to put on an event.

On another note. Vintage has been gifted several items from Ron Malone's belongings. Among these items are three NCHA bronze trophies that we will be able to repurpose for future use as Vintage awards in memory of Ron. Special thanks to Sara Malone for thinking of VCHA as a way to pass along Ron's love of cutting.

Thank you for your time. "Everything will fall into place just be patient"

Sincerely
Kim Jones
VCHA President 2020

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The July 2020 Board Meeting will be a conference call at 6pm on July 1st. If you would like to join the conference call, please email vchacutting@gmail.com with your name and email. We will send you back an invite to join the call.



2020 Show Series

Our VCHA board and show committee are working to make our July 18th show fun and safe for everyone. We will be following Sonoma County's recommendations and protocols which will take a lot of extra work. We are in the process of updating the website so that you will be able to register and pay for your classes online. Please watch your email for more details regarding this new process. Entries are due the Wednesday before the show by 9pm.

<u>Help Wanted</u> - Due to the new safety requirements in addition to the required work needed to put on a show, we would greatly appreciate anyone who is willing to lend a hand. If you are able to help please send an email to vchacutting@gmail or notify a board member.

Upcoming Shows:

July 18th August 15th September 19th

Kathy Feickert Memorial Youth Award

Do you know a youth who has a love for horses and whose life has been affected by cancer? We are still accepting applications for the Kathy Feickert Memorial Youth Award. Applications and more information are on our website at www.vchacutting.com on the Home Page. If you know anyone who would qualify and benefit from this award, please pass the application on to them. We will continue this award until the funds are depleted.



Make sure to stay connected with VCHA for the most up to date information.

WEBSITE - www.vchacutting.com



Facebook - Vintage Cutting Horse Association



Instagram - vchacutting



Classified Ads -

Do you have something that you are looking to sell? Maybe we can help you. Send your ad to <u>vchacutting@gmail.com</u> and we will post it in the next newsletter and on our website. Please remember to notify us if you sell your item so we can remove it from our publications.



Sponsors -

We are still looking for and accepting sponsors, but due to COVID-19 and the economic impact it has had on local business we have decided to not actively seek additional sponsors. We are extremely grateful for our past and current sponsors and encourage you to help support them during these challenging times.

2020 VCHA Calendar of Events

<u>January</u>		<u>July</u>	
2	Show Committee Meeting	1	Board Meeting
2	Board Meeting	18	Show #2
<u>February</u>		<u>August</u>	
5	Board Meeting	5	Board Meeting
		15	Show #3
March			
4	Board Meeting	September	
		2	Board Meeting
<u>April</u>		19	Show #4
1	Board Meeting		
	(Cancelled)	October	
<u>May</u>		7	Board Meeting
6	Board Meeting		
	(Conference Call)	November	
<u>June</u>		4	Board Meeting
3	Board Meeting		
20	Show #1 (CANCELLED)	December	
		2	Board Meeting



Thank you to all of our sponsors, your generosity is greatly appreciated.



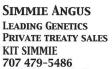


















Ross & Emily Hardester

Ed Vanoni

Randee Mascarenas

VCHA Board Meeting Minutes Minutes May 2020 Board Meeting

The May board meeting was held Wednesday, May 6, 2020 via Google.meet

President, Kim Jones called the meeting to order at 6:13pm

Board members in attendance were: Kim Jones, Heidi Thompson, Stacey Halvorsen, Cheryl Jensen, Sarah Miller, Alan Oglesby Jessie Jensen, Steve Litzky and Carla Hagge.

<u>Consent Calendar:</u> Kim inquired if everyone had reviewed the March Board Meeting Minutes and if there were any changes to be noted. Being no changes, Sarah motioned to accept the minutes, Heidi seconded.

Treasurer's Report: Stacey reported for the month of April 2020:

April Income:

Total April Income:

April Income: \$0.00

April Expenses: Phone Bill: \$14.00 Insurance: \$891.00

Franchise Tax Board: \$50.00

Total April Expenses: \$955.00

April net income: -\$955.00

Bills submitted were: Phone Bill: \$14.00

Carla motioned to accept the Treasurer's report and pay bills, Heidi seconded.

<u>Unfinished Business:</u> KGF Memorial Fund was discussed. There have not been any new applications submitted. The Board briefly discussed distributing the funds to another cause or possibly directly to St. Judes. Nothing definite was decided.

<u>Media Newsletter</u>: Sarah reported she created a VCHA Instagram Account. She also inquired if everyone had a chance to review the new website and if anyone had any changes or revisions they would like to suggest. Carla motioned to accept the new website, Heidi seconded.

<u>Insurance</u>: Steve reported the DNO and Liability Insurance have been paid. This covers us for our shows and two extra events. He is not sure who our agent is since George Peterson has retired but he will look into it. Steve also inquired about any additional coverage or waivers we may need due to the Covid situation.

<u>Awards Banquet:</u> Cheryl had nothing new to report. Since we are not sure yet if we will be able to hold enough shows to justify end of year awards we can't make any final decisions.

Silent Auction: Heidi had nothing new to report. Sarah suggested we look into doing an online auction.

<u>Awards:</u> Carla had nothing new to report. It's still to be determined if we have our full show series and if we are going with our same award program. Sarah reported that Ron Malone's estate has donated 3 bronze awards to VCHA which could be used as special awards if we do, or don't go with our traditional award program.

His estate also donated several boxes of memorabilia that we can possibly use for silent auction items.

<u>Sponsorship:</u> The Board discussed the difficulty of asking for sponsorships due to the current issues everyone is facing at this time. It was suggested we just let our current sponsors roll over their sponsorships into 2020 especially if we won't be able to hold all of our planned shows.

<u>Membership:</u> Jessie reported we have no new memberships. She is still looking into designing and ordering VCHA sweatshirts.

<u>Practice & Playdays</u>: Heidi had nothing new to report. She has been waiting to contact the Wollenberg's until the Covid situation is settled down and things get back to somewhat normal. Heidi will contact Astrid and see what she is comfortable with as far as holding clinics or playdays.

Show Committee: Carla reported she mailed in the CDFA registration packet with our proposed show dates for 2020. She also spoke with Tereasa Canada regarding her concerns about the Covid situation and proceeding with our 2020 show series. Being that there are so many uncertainties due to the Covid situation, the board decided to release Tereasa as Show Secretary for 2020. Sarah mentioned she could help out as show secretary should we go forward with the shows. We also need to confirm with PRDC that all is good to hold events there, and if there are going to be any restrictions due to Covid.

New Business:

- · Find out if we can have a cutting in June at PRDC
- · Proceed with new ground at PRDC regardless if we have June show or not
- We will look into the insurance regarding liability issues with conducting shows and report back

Being no further business, Stacey motioned to adjourn the meeting, Cheryl seconded. Meeting was adjourned at 7:53pm.

Respectfully submitted, Carla Hagge – 2020 Secretary