

March 14th 2010
Palouse River Ropers Association
Annual Meeting and Awards Banquet

John Merriott called the meeting to order at 1:41PM at the St John Grange on March 14th 2010.

Treasures report:

Jacki Pearce asked if there were any member with outstanding entries. Yes 2

Old Business
None

New Business

Rodeos one or two days?

It was moved and 2nd that we go back to a one day rodeo

No discussion

Arena Locations

Colfax wants to charge \$350 per day with \$50 a day for the office, \$15 an hour for lights, \$10 weekend per stall we monitor, RV hook up \$10 we monitor, Tractor with Ernie \$150 per weekend. Totaling up from about \$800 and up

Rosalia is \$250 a weekend covers garbage and portapotties. No lights for night ropings/no pa system, no return alley. Discussion about Tractor was brought up and would need to be checked on. Rosalia does having bucking chutes.

Tekoa is \$150 a weekend. It was discussed that Tekoa is set up and ready with lights, and chutes it hosts an EWJRA rodeo every year.

A motion was on the floor to move to Rosalia

Then a second motion was to move to Tekoa and was 2nd.

The 2010 PRRA rodeos will be held in Tekoa John will contact all arenas and let them know of our decision.

Rule Changes:

Toni brought up a question about more than one person per event not being very profitable in there is only one person in that event...

A motion was to change the 4D format or add a novice Barrel Race event. After discussion is withdrawn and we will stay with a 4D format.

John made a proposal to change the Ribbon roping to instead of the rider dismounting the rider must dally once the roper has caught the calf. The runner will run up grab the ribbon and run for the roping box. As soon as the runner has the ribbon the calf must be released. With much discussion it was tabled to have the directors make all the changes necessary.

Kris made suggestion that we change up our daily events and have the roping events moved up in the day. Discussion as to why we open with poles and barrels and adjusting the eye everyone decided it was a good idea to change and keep everyone involved and helping throughout the day. Justine moved and was 2nd to table to a directors meeting and have them change our daily schedule.

Justine asked about enforcing the rule of when called 3 times and you are not at the gate or ready you are out. The member cannot be put to the end after their name has been called.

Late entries will be placed at the top if it is a roping event and placed at the bottom if it is Poles or Barrels.

No other rule changes were presented at this time.

Elections of officers

Calf roping/calf stake tying director Bobby Winn

Pole Bending Director Allora Anderson

Team Roping Director Rick Fredrickson

Goat Flanking/tying? Director Becky Atkins

Barrel Racing Director Anna Ackerman

Chute dogging Director Tom Swannack

Ribbon Roping Director Scott Zuger

Dummy Roping????

Steer Dobbing Director Dave Paul

Arena Director...responsibility of all directors???

Association Secretary/Treasure Justine Winn

Association President John Merriott

Points Secretary Toni Merriott

Entries Must Be PAID before a member competes!! This will be the job of the Secretary to monitor!!

It was brought up that we charge a \$25/individual and \$50/Family for Awards fee or bring a sponsorship. It must be paid by the first rodeo attended and will be added to everyone's entry fee. If you bring in a sponsorship you can be reimbursed or donate to the club.

Awards were handed out to award winners!!!!