

# MINUTES

## Hidden Hills Community Association

### Equestrian Services Committee

Wednesday, September 1, 2021 at 6:30 PM

#### Using Zoom Teleconferencing

The meeting was called to order at 6:40 pm. Present at the meeting were Keith Christian, Sarah Phillips, Lonna Weber, Linda Yallen, Karen Lipman, Debbie Kulik, Linda Raznick (Board Liaison), Jill Green, Nedra, and Cary Brackett (HHCA).

#### Approval of August 4, 2021 Minutes

Approval of the Minutes was tabled so that all members could have time to review them.

#### New Business:

**1. Discussion of Perimeter Trail Above Saddle Creek Arena**

- a. Cary identified that the trail is closed due to a possible intrusion from someone who came into the community. The ESC would like this trail re opened.
- b. When trails are fenced off or closed, the ESC should be notified.

**2. Trail behind Mitch's house (Spring Valley/El Dorado)**

There are differing opinions, but the trail was tilled to help remove rutting etc. It appears that the trail is already breaking in and likely will just need time to settle. Cary will have them roll the surface to break up dirt clods and lightly compact the surface.

**3. Discussion of Saddle Creek Refresh Work**

Sarah reported that she is waiting for bids from Rey Toro and Dave Martin.

**4. Recommendation of Budget for Fiesta/Pancake Breakfast**

- a. The Committee asked Jackie to look into pony rides for the Fiesta Pancake Breakfast. Nedra was suggested as she may be here for the parade.
- b. On a motion that was made and properly seconded, the Committee recommended the Board approve the budget for the Fiesta Pancake Breakfast.

**5. Discussion/Planning of ESC Events**

- a. Nedra has offered to help do monthly pony rides starting at 11 am September 12<sup>th</sup> and build a lesson option from that. She can bring 4 horses. (This is also grandparents day)
- b. Patty Warner – teaches at Pierce College – does lectures.
- c. Dr. Connelly from Pierce College used to come and give talks – she might come.
- d. Oct 30 – possible Gymkhana date
- e. Nov 14 – possible Community Trail Ride

- f. Dec 16 – possible Christmas caroling
- g. Jan 22 – Vaulting Event – subject to availability.
- h. March – St Patrick’s day Gymkhana

**6. Tip of the Month**

- a. Importance of hoof picking – Jackie can you look for a thrush tip
- b. Maybe a tip on feeding etiquette and signage (don’t feed other peoples horses).

**Old Business**

**1. Discussion of Architectural Plan Review**

- a. Jill reported that there are lots of new plans and that she often doesn’t get responses on concerns/questions.
- b. ESC recommends a moratorium on building until the rules are updated to reflect changes requested by the community. Keith will discuss the feasibility of this with the Board.

Meeting was adjourned at 08:05 pm