

NSBRA Meeting Minutes June 10, 2021

North State Barrel Racing Association held a meeting Thursday, June 10th at From the Hearth in Red Bluff, CA.

Those in attendance included: Sylvie Chatham Perez, Kaillee Hamre, Diane Link, Susie Gunter and Monnicka Antonowich.

Meeting commenced at 6:41 p.m.

Kaillee read past meeting minutes from May 20, 2021. Diane made motion to approve. Monnicka seconded. Meeting minutes approved.

Treasurer: Sylvie read treasurer report. Diane motioned to accept. Susie second. Treasurer report approved. Discussed Venmo not financially feasible/ beneficial for organization at this time. Will continue to use PayPal. Revisited switching to QuickBooks at beginning of next tax year.

Membership: Diane stated we currently have 307 members.

Arena Director: No report.

Publicity Director: No report. We are currently in search of a member to fill this position.

Old Business

Discussed Spring Classic.

Discussed carryover races and current rules regarding contestants running in second race vs. a carryover only option.

Discussed continuing to focus on smaller jackpots to increase profits for association and member finals.

Discussed co-sanctioning more races with West Coast as a way for members to get qualifying races/ points with this association.

New Business

We currently have a Les Schwab raffle on the NSBRA Facebook page. Raffle item is a \$1000.00 gift certificate. 40 spots. \$50 a spot. Please share and tag your friends. Anyone is eligible to enter.

Sharon Camarillo race is Saturday, July 10th. It will be an NSBRA prime race. Dress code. \$500 added. \$55 entry and \$5 haul in fee. Time only 5-6:30 p.m. Cash at the gate. Race at 7 p.m.

Discussed Anniversary race. 1 day vs. 2. As well as, venue, awards, added money, and including an Xtreme qualifier.

Awards Committee: Susie provided an updated, detailed report on sponsors for our finals. We currently have 6 of 10 finals saddles sponsored. Team Equine is giving members a 30% discount on their products. And 10% of members purchases will go back to NSBRA for future awards. Finals this year is looking fabulous with \$45,000.00 in awards to date, and \$10,000.00 in projected added money. Susie has been working hard to secure new sponsors for NSBRA and its members.

End of year raffle ideas discussed which included guns, 4-wheeler, or shopping spree. Finals are November 6th and 7th.

Sylvie suggested posting proposed rule changes at finals so that members had a chance to read/ discuss them. NSBRA is a member driven, volunteer, nonprofit organization.

There will be a jackpot at the Bull Sale Arena Friday June 11th. \$35 entry. No co-sanctions. Time only 5-6:30 p.m. Race at 7 p.m.

Meeting adjourned at 8:17 p.m. Monnicka motioned. Susie Seconded.