

POWAY VALLEY RIDERS ASSOCIATION  
GENERAL MEETING MINUTES  
April 2, 2024



Call to order (7:00 PM)

Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of Minutes for March General Meeting: Motion to approve minutes made by Mike Jim Thouy – motion carried

Treasurer's Report: (Kasey Bergman)

Checking: \$17,967.17 MM: \$75,082.13 PayPal: \$0 SquareSpace: \$293.96 Cashboxes: \$600 Total: \$93,943.26  
Ranch Riding Show brought in over 85 horses and net \$7,500 for PVRA!

Board Member of the Month: April Jim Touhy

Membership: (Julie Hammond) – New Members Desire and 10yr son Luca was recommended by Betiina Obradovic - approved by the Board. Jasmine Lu is a Temporary Member.

Work Hours & High Point: (Louann Schloss): Work Hours are Updated on the Website – everything updated except the Ranch Riding Show

Grounds and Maintenance: Jim Walls and Michael Goldberg – Light pole continue weather permitting.

Tractor Training Guide is Posted on the PVRA website [Download](#) - Application and Tractor Training guide are available. Please complete application and submit to Jim Walls.

Tractor Training Classes (New Operators and Existing Operators) – explanation of how things work may only take a few hours, but driving the tractor is an art and will require some more training and is

Arena 2 Solar Lighting – progressing as weather permits

Weed Whacking and Raking – we have hand held tools and need help keeping ahead of the weeds. The ride-on lawnmower may require some training - ask Jim or Mike

Old Business:

Caretaker Contract – have candidate and working on getting contract scheduled

Show Manager's Meeting – Meeting scheduled for next Tuesday at 6pm with \_\_\_\_\_ at the PVRA grounds. We have a Show Managers Guide ready to be distributed.

Committee Reports:

Trainers (Emily Jarvis) – All Trainers are current

Rentals (Kasey) – Nothing to report

Horse Shows:

Barrel Races (Tammi Johnson) – Last Barrel Race was successful. Next show scheduled for 20 April (morning). We have many barrels available – have someone to drag afterwards if needed. Tammi is offering her food truck for anyone who has a show – he is open to support for breakfast and lunch/dinner.

Dressage (Sam Miller) – Next show scheduled for 28 April. Sign up sheet is available for folks to sign-up. Dressage court set-up day before. Show for both English and Western

Fun Shows (TBD) – Next show scheduled for October

Gymkhana (Sally Lin-Lutz) – Last show cancelled due to rain however the next show scheduled for 20 April (5pm).

Hunter Jumper – Next show scheduled for 13 April. Biggest concern is that folks will not join PVRA because of lighting concerns. Discussion was made over the rules about the use of the lights and

the protocol for turning on the lights – there was some confusion over when night riding was possible and why members couldn't turn on the lights at will.

Obstacle Challenge (Christine Snyder) – Currently planning clinics – next scheduled for 27 April with a show later in the year.

Open Shows (Holly Hart) – Next show scheduled for 14 April – HELP is greatly appreciated!

Ranch Riding (Susan Gillespie) – Next show scheduled for 21 April

Working Equitation (Janice Kall) – Scheduled for 7 April however will be rescheduling due to rain.

Sub-Group Reports: Drill (Tammi Johnson) – Nothing new to report.

Polo (Sherry Gibson) – First Lesson Free!

Pony Club (Sam Miller) – Pony Club visited Equatic Spa re-hab/spa facility and is open for others.

Rodeo (Nancy Kirchhofer) - now have a budget and will be discussing distributions. Looking to exchange out a 40ft trailer.

New Business: Sherry asked about a Committee to develop ideas for PVRA Grants. Sally, Julie, Andrew – have volunteered to serve on this project. Looking at acquiring a defibrillator for the grounds. Mike is looking for a purple 3-ring binder for the Rodeo execution. Tammi is working the vendor area and asking folks to stay within their limits. Sherry asking about running electricity to their shed – could be cost-prohibited.

Motion to Adjourn made by Jost – Shelly seconded and passed at 7:53p.

Time and Place of next meetings: April Board Meeting April 17, 2024: Sara Miller's House  
May General Meeting: May 7, 2024: location PVRA Grounds