

Grays Harbor 4-H Horse Council

For the month of August 2021

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Call to Order - Pledge of Allegiance and 4-H Pledge

Attendance: Andrea, Jessica, Peggy, Farralee, Marilyn, Rachel, Dan & Tracie

1. Welcome Visitors & Guests
2. Approval of previous minutes – revisions to be approved at following meeting
3. Treasurer's Report - Expenses \$1,302.00 (American Income Life for clinics, storage, clinicians)

Balance \$6,805.25

4. Extension Report

- a. Upcoming Dates:

Aug. 16th Leader of the Year Nominations DUE

Aug. 19th GH 4-H Council Meeting 6 pm

Aug. 24th, 31st 4-H Office Hours, 2 pm <https://wsu.zoom.us/j/510781379>

Aug. 25th State 4-H Still Life Items DUE to Extension offices, 2pm

Aug. 30 & 31st State 4-H Still Life Items DUE to Puyallup

Sept. 1st Volunteer/Leader of the Year Nominations Due to WSU

Sept. 3-26th WA State 4-H Fair

5. General Council Report

6. Fun activity – Farralee

- a. Next month - Jessica

7. Old business

- a. 4-H Youth Exhibiting at GHC Fair

- i. Laid back and nice, thank you for the fun, Jessica! Clinicians interacted with kids and built confidence, new insights and perspectives ... smiling, laughing, wrapping up a day early! Some of the public were sad to miss the horses on exhibit, but gracious, once they understood that this was an unusual year.
- ii. Overall went well, clinicians did a great job ... would like to use them and a similar format in the future, spreading out fun and games for fun/relax time each day, Wednesday was hectic for some of the newer members with multiple animal exhibits ... firmer agenda would have been helpful, show portion on Friday went very smoothly ... thank you volunteers!
- iii. Had a great time, overall kids had a blast, opportunities to learn ... new junior had the time of her life!
- iv. Congratulations for doing something amazing ... providing an awesome, fun learning opportunity, especially in a year that we knew would be different! More success stories than challenges. Let's plan on incorporating strengths of this year into future years!

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8. New business

- a. Leader of the Year Nominations - Submit your nomination digitally at <https://forms.office.com/r/MvDDakT4uE> or use the nomination forms available at the Extension Office or on our website at <https://extension.wsu.edu/graysharbor/4-h/forms/>
- b. 4-H Youth Exhibiting at State 4-H Fair
Different selection process this year – the Executive Board will contact the 4-H youth who qualified for State 4-H Fair with their equine project to confirm their availability. Once they have confirmed, they will submit required forms to the WSU Extension office by Friday the 20th and be a part of the Equine State 4-H Team Zoom on Wednesday, August 25th.

Next Meeting Scheduled for September date TBA 6:30pm