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Hello Members,

The AAMHC is gearing up to host our annual AMHR show at the Iowa Equestrian Center in Cedar Rapids, Iowa on June 18 & 19, 2011. You can find the entry form, premium book and class list on the club website. The club is selling raffle tickets for a new Jerald show cart. Tickets may be purchased at the show.

We look forward to seeing you there!

General Membership Meeting July 10, 2011

The July 10th meeting will be held at "The Little Horse Ranch" 2201 270th, Mt. Pleasant IA. Our hosts will be Dale & Dawn McSorley.

Our hosts will be grilling pork loin for lunch. Please bring a covered dish to share, drinks & table service for your family and don't forget your lawn chair!

Directions: From the North or South take exit #42 off Hwy 218 at Mt. Pleasant go east on Hwy 34 one mile to Marsh Ave (first gravel road) turn south and we are on the corner of 270th.

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Current Events

June 18 & 19, 2011...AAMHC AMHR Show...Iowa Equestrian Center (Kirkwood) in Cedar Rapids, IA. See the club website for details, click on the show link for entry form, premium book & class list. Contact Sue Johnson 319-688-1030.

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June 4, 2011...North Iowa Miniature Horse & Donkey Sale, 25167 7 Mile Road (Highway 11), Floyd County Fairgrounds, Charles City, Iowa. Tack sells @ 9:30 AM with horses and donkeys to follow. Preview of sale horses on Friday evening @ 6:00 PM. Contact Ed Putney for information 641-228-3818 E-mail: putter4@myclearwave.net See their website for early consignments.

<http://sunrae.com/N.IA.miniaturehorseanddonkey/>

July 9, 2011...Miniature Horse Sale, Lolli Bros, Macon, Missouri.

www.lolibros.com

July 10, 2011...AAMHC general membership meeting at the home of Dale & Dawn McSorley, Mt. Pleasant, IA. See the front page for details.

July 31 & 31, 2011...AMHR show...Iowa Equestrian Center, Cedar Rapids, IA. Contact Kevin Woodford for information 319-350-3443.

August 7, 2011...AMHR show...Mississippi Valley Fair, Davenport, IA. Contact Dottie Olander for premium book. 309-927-3588

September 4, 2011...AAMHC Fun Show, Benton County Fairgrounds, Vinton, IA. Watch for details in upcoming issues.

Equine Herpesvirus-1 (EHV-1)

As many of you may be aware, there is a highly contagious virus circulating in some areas of the United States within the equine community. There are several informative articles on the internet about this virus. The following link/e-mail was sent to me on May 25, 2011, by the Iowa Veterinary Medical Association in Ankeny, IA.

I am providing a link to the USDA website that will provide continual updates about EHV-1.

<http://www.aphis.usda.gov/vs/nahss/equine/ehv/>

At the present time there have not been confirmed cases of EHV-1 in Iowa Horses. There are horses in Iowa that were exposed at the show in Utah. They are being monitored twice daily and have not shown signs of disease.

President's Message

Hello members, it is almost show time! This year's show June 18-19 is shaping up to be bigger and better than last year. We showed the AMHR community what we could do and expectations are high for this one. I know we can deliver another top rated show, all we need to pull this off is for a few more members to come out and lend a hand. We have all the bases covered but we could use a few more people to help fill some gaps. Please stop out if you can, we will be setting up the center ring and barn on Friday, June 17th at 10 a.m. We are going to have a great weekend! I hope to see you there.

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If you are planning on attending the Macon Miniature Horse Sale on July 9th we are right on the way. We have room to board horses and park trailers overnight Saturday so you can attend the meeting. Also (if I don't eat too much Sunday) after the meeting I am going to put on a mini clinic on Hoof trimming and hopefully teach you enough to get you by between farrier visits.

Dale

Secretary Report

The AAMHC met at the home of George and Mary Ronek near Maquoketa, Iowa on May 14, 2011. There were 18 members present to enjoy turkey and ham sandwiches.

President Dale McSorley called the meeting to order at 12:35 pm.

The Treasurer's report was read by Stephanie Kinney.

The Secretary's report was read by Amy Dalsing.

Old Business:

Dale McSorley asked Stephanie Kinney if she had received the plastic totes that were to be purchased for the club items and she confirmed that we had plenty of them.

Amy Price asked Joel Stohlmann if the remaining ribbons for the club show in June had arrived. He said they had arrived and he would take care of sorting and finishing up the ribbon packages for the classes.

Gary Price indicated the show cart for the club show raffle is done and the bill for it has arrived. Tim Gordon will be delivering the cart to the show so there will not be shipping charges. Joel Stohlmann made a motion to pay the bill for the cart from Jerald Sulky Company. George Ronek seconded the motion and it passed.

Gary Price gave several updates for the club show including

Flights for the judges have been paid, hospitality items are done, Dale McSorley will be the Barn Manager, set up for the show will begin Friday, June 24th at 10:00 am, Deb Robinson has volunteered to be the show secretary, the Mare Calcutta horses will be stalled together to spur interest and the stall fees will be waived if these horses are not showing in any other classes. We would like a minimum of four mares & foals, Amy Price started a Facebook page so please visit the site, Sue Johnson is currently training on a computer program for show managers that is efficient with adding and changing classes, also there will be an equine dentist from Chicago at the show . visit www.balancebite.com for more information. The club will be paying Belinda Jones of Galloping Winds Photography a vendor fee, and the Young Equestrian Ladies Club in Morley, Iowa will be handing out ribbons at the show.

New Business:

Discussion was started about having AMHR Show Royalty come to our show for a donation of \$200. Gary Price made a motion to contact AMHR Royalty and offer \$200 for expenses. Tom Dalsing seconded the motion and the motion passed.

Dale McSorley requested that a donation be made to a horse rescue organization. Gary Price made a motion to donate \$250.00 to Eastern Iowa Equine Rescue and \$250 to Miracles in Motion. Deb Robinson seconded the motion and it passed.

Amy Dalsing would like to see the club presence at AMHR Nationals by either sponsoring youth or rent a table as Terry Kinney suggested. The discussion was tabled until after the club show.

Kris Halberg was not in attendance so no update was available for the Fun Show so this issue will be tabled until the July meeting.

The next meeting will be held July 10th at the home of Dale and Dawn McSorley. Additional details to follow.

Tom Dalsing made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Marty Maurer seconded the motion and it passed. Meeting adjourned at 1:15 pm

Happy Tails,

Amy Dalsing

All American Miniature Horse Club

Membership Application

To represent and promote the best interest of the Miniature Horse.

To maintain a club open to new ideas and to encourage cooperation between registries and other Miniature Horse oriented organizations.

To develop communications and friendship among members of our organization, other breed organizations and equine groups.

To provide an opportunity for our members to socialize, and share experiences with other Miniature Horse owners.

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Annual membership fee of \$25 covers all family members in your household (18 & older allowed to vote). An Associate member (non-horse owners with no voting rights) with e-mail newsletter is \$15 or a mailed hard copy version is \$25 annually. Please list all family members wishing to participate.

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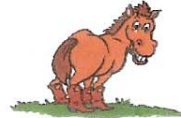
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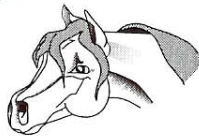
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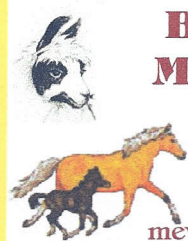
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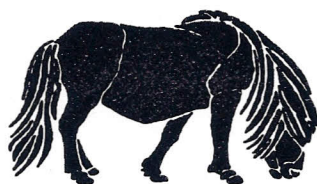


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