



Squaw Butte Back Country Horsemen

MEETING Minutes January 6th 2022

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31 members present and 2 guests

7 pm meeting started with pledge of allegiance.

December Minutes accepted

SBBCH Treasurer's Report by Lisa Deas
1-Jan-22

SBBCH Treasurer's Report 1-Jan-22 (Dec. 2021)

Savings Acct Bal Nov. 1, 2021 **\$16,151.86**

Int Earned Dec. **\$0.14**
Bal Jan. 1, 2022 **\$16,152.00**

Checking Bal , Dec. 1, 2021 **\$6,410.48**

Deposits December **\$1,025.00** *membership/calendars/donations*
\$1,025.00 *Total deposits December*

Expenses December **\$14.00** *Web fee*
\$14.00 *Total Expenses December*

Ending checking Bal Dec. 31, 2021 **\$7,421.48**

Working Bal **\$23,573.48**

(Dec. 2021)

Treasures Report Accepted
BCHI arm patches available for \$8 each. See Lisa Deas

Education: No updates (see projects below)

Projects Dan/Lisa/Rob

- Dan and Lisa had a meeting with ITA. They are scheduled to meet again to discuss partnering on projects again in February. Date TBD. Lisa and Dan are discussing the possibility of splitting project coordination into two roles. Lisa, rides and trail maintenance; Dan, stock education and pack support.
- No upcoming projects discussed. Leadership planning meeting will be held on January 16th at the Waugh's home.
- There will be a first aide class again this spring, as well as a sawyer class dates TBD
- Posters have been made and are being hung around the community advertising the Sawyer class by Rob.

Upcoming projects:

- Fun ride will be held on February 20th at Centennial Park see calendar for details.

Public Lands: Bart brought up that the secretary of interior Deb Haaland has put together a task force to remove derogatory names from federal lands. Squaw is the primary term that has been targeted for removal. You can read about the order here-<https://www.doi.gov/pressreleases/secretary-haaland-takes-action-remove-derogatory-names-federal-lands>

BCHI Sawyer Program: USFS has announced that there will be a new curriculum coming out this year. More to come on this.

Recruiting: the FB page has 821 friends! Keep up the good posting!

Foundation: Bill gave an overview of what the foundation is and what it does. He reminded the group to use the amazon smiles when making purchases from Amazon-as this raised over \$400 dollars for the state BCHI last year. Rob volunteered to resend instructions on how to use this.

State Board:

- The next Board meeting and BCHI convention will be hosted by Cache Peak on March 18 & 19, 2022 in Burley, ID
- Rob will take the submissions for the photo contest
- The chapter may hold a raffle to pay for 1-2 members to attend the convention.
- Discussed that SB has eight votes should it have eight members attending to vote. There was no mention of what items might be up for a vote, and there

are not any resolutions that will be presented by SB, but where there one it would need to be submitted early to ensure it would be considered.

New Business:

- Idaho Sportsman show will be held March 3-6, 2022, and a signup sheet was distributed for volunteers
- Idaho Horse expo in April has asked the club to put on a packing clinic daily as well as requesting a trails etiquette class. There is no curriculum for this currently so that would need to be created.
- It was determined that LaCosta does not have beefy enough broadband needed to host the meeting via Zoom. There was a call from MaryBeth Conger to consider some alternative to this, as there are younger people who would attend if there was a virtual option. Dan Waugh agreed and proposed that maybe the meetings be recorded with the GoPro and posted on FB. This item will require ongoing discussion.
- A call was put out for winter calendar pictures-these should include horses in a winter theme, ideally taken by a BCHI member or of a BCHI members horses.

Meeting adjourned at 8:20.

Notes submitted by Tracy Zamzow