

## Chatsworth Neighborhood Council Equestrian Committee Meeting

### Minutes of January 9, 2013 Meeting

The regular meeting of the CNC Equestrian Committee was held on Wednesday, January 9, 2013, at the Old Train Depot (Hal Bernson Community Room) in Chatsworth.

The meeting was called to order at 7: 05 p.m., by president, Mary Kaufman.

Roll was taken and members present were: Dorothy Allison, Pat UpdeGraff, Bill UpdeGraff, Mary Kaufman, and Linda van der Valk.

Excused were: Dan Huffman, Carol Lucas, & Vicki Briskman

Absent: Mark Speer

#### **Stakeholder & Public comments:**

Per Linda van der Valk on Thursday there will be a land use committee meeting on the property next to Jeannie Plumb's, on Desoto, about a proposed 100 bed elder care facility. There was discussion regarding the negative impact this facility would have on the community and horse keeping rights.

#### **Minutes:**

There was a motion made by Dorothy and Seconded by Bill to approve the minutes of the October 10, 2012 meeting. The minutes were approved as submitted.

#### **Old Business:**

Day of the Horse 2013. This will be our 10<sup>th</sup> annual Day of the Horse. It is Chatsworth's 125<sup>th</sup> anniversary year. Founded 3/10/1888 as a township. There was a lot of planning discussion. Stick horses will have an age limit of 12 and under. No age limit for horseshoe decorating. Proposed 2pm for the stick horse race.

Schedule the gunfights at noon and 3pm

Ride On will go first at 11:00am

Would like to have a breed class. Jan will check on Guinness

Dorothy will check on the minis.

Mary will check with Jamie Sailor re a jumping demonstration and maybe barrel racing.

Kiwanis will be barbequing the food. Need to plan for 700 people

Mitch Englander's office is sending out letters with all the information about the Day of the Horse and poster contest.

George's wife will set up a facebook page for the Day of the Horse

We will try to get a well priced ad in the Daily News. Mary will speak with Suzie Eskander.

Mitch Englander, Mike Antonovich, Brad Sherman and Fran Pavley will be invited.

Theme for the poster contest: "Horses celebrating 125 years in Chatsworth"

Mary will ask if we can use the church parking lot.

Mary will order ribbons for the poster contest. Our Community and Monarch are two new schools.

Will Mark be available to announce?

Need to promote the jail and its benefit to the historical society.

George will try to get a drill team to participate.

Jan will run the gate.

Cary suggested getting community service volunteers from the schools to help.

NO DOGS at Day of the Horse.

**New Business:**

April 28<sup>th</sup> is the Garden Festival

March 26<sup>th</sup> at 7pm will be poster judging at the train station meeting room. March 28<sup>th</sup> is the alternative date.

Mary would like to see the K overlay extended from Desoto west to the county line and Chatsworth Street north to the county line.

Dorothy made a motion and Bill seconded and the meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

The next meeting of the CNCEC will be on Wednesday, February 13<sup>th</sup> at the Chatsworth Train Depot at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Pat UpdeGraff, Secretary