



IHTA MINUTES

August 14, 2018

ISRA Site # 138 Horse Camp

Started at: 6:40 pm Attendance: Jennifer Ross, Mickey Dawson, Maggie VanDyken, Nancy Simmonds, Ron Walker, Carla Walker, were present. Kristie Walls, Lea Burger, Sue Manes, Nicole Thompson were excused.

Treasurer's Report: Submitted and accepted

Merchandise Report: Discussion held on popular items, drink coolers were not available at Sam's

Membership Report: total count after FTR 70, Calling unpaid members tabled, energies to be spent on upcoming year. Mickey won the free camping weekend for membership drive.

Trevor: Any word on numbers & arrows ordered? They are here.

Events:

Forbidden Trail Ride – Discussed a more adventuresome trail route, too many events

Chili Cookoff Hosts – Walls & Walkers, since no one else volunteered, Mickey on games

Old Business:

Skills Course phase 1 work bee Date 25/26 of August, Works for Kristie, Curt, Jennifer, Maggie, Mickey. DNR will set 3 picket posts for weave, we tamp in, - install rope gate (design?) – install rope curtain on existing branch (how much rope needed?) – install 2 tractor tires, fill with gravel – build steps down off raised trail. **If we get a huge volunteer group (committed ahead) we can bring rocks and also build steps. **

Does Trevor have timbers for raised trail steps, and for ravine steps Quantity needs to be established? Sign In Station Banner mount it Install TSC plaque, and Sign In Banner on the same date.

DNR Funding approval? No update

New Business:

Need Work bee for Pavilion Rails, 24 posts, plus 60 feet of rail, plus 4 sections 8 or 9 feet long to span the openings on each side.

18' , 3'8" gap, 18' each long side

12' , 3'8" gap, 12' each end

Plus 8-9' overlaps x4 (each gap)

This project was tabled until spring 2019

September Annual meeting Tuesday 9/18 The board is asking for the membership to get involved with this association so that all these great projects can continue to completion. We are suffering from burn out with the same few volunteers doing 90% of the work. We will be forced to let improvement opportunities pass us by, if we do not get more involvement from the membership. The BOD would like a news flash put out needing new board members.

2018 Ballot, Renewal: Jennifer, Lea, Kristie. not renewing Nicole Carla, room for 2 more board members!

Mounting Steps? Style, Location Tabled Project tabled for 2019

Adjourned: 7:39