

WHC District 2 meeting minutes
Virtual Meeting
January 23,2022

CALL TO ORDER: Shaughn called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm

APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM PRIOR MEETING: Minutes read. No corrections. Motion to approve, Mary. Second, Shaughn. Motion carried to approve minutes.

Old Business:

Education Day: Shaughn asked if there was interest from anyone from another area would like to host the WHC District 2 Education Day this year. The goal is to host it in a different county each year. Mary (Northern Saddle Club) may have an interest, however they may not have the facilities to host the event. She will discuss with the club. We're hoping to secure a location by February to start planning and to start requests for grants.

New Business:

There are several upcoming events within District 2 - Marathon County tack swap in February and the Marshfield tack swap in March.

Upcoming nominations: We will be taking nominations for Secretary at the next meeting as McKenzie is stepping down. We may also need a representative for the WHC Board. Shaughn will check with Darla.

Grants: There is a WSHCEF grant of \$1000 available for each district in 2022. If there are any individuals that would like to apply for funding, please send requests to McKenzie as we would like to submit collectively as a District. We should have requests sent in by March.

Trail Updates: Mary discussed updates on the trails in Florence County. They are in the process of updating maps this year. She thought Amy had a booklet of updated trails for some areas that were being handed out. Shaughn will check into it.

Heidi discussed a past promotion that used to include having photos taken in front of certain trail signage. We could do something similar, with an entry fee and that would help offset the cost of prizes. In addition, discussion on promotion of District 2 at Midwest Horse Fair. Booth or District 2 info at the WHC booth.

Next Meeting: Possibly look at a meeting in Crandon after the 1st week in March. Mary will look into possible locations for a Sunday meeting. She will let Shaughn know the date and location.

ADJOURN: Motion by Mary to adjourn the meeting, Heidi second. All in favor. Meeting adjourned at 4:50 pm.