

5MRA Meeting Agenda
May 11, 2021 via conference call

Call to Order: Meeting was called to order by Jojo Wagner at: 7:32

Attendance/Roll Call: highlight members in attendance. Underlined = nonvoting member

President: Jojo Wagner

VP: Emmitt Davis

Secretary: Kari Heidebrink

Treasurer: Courtney Otto

Bull Riding: Kenny Betts & Nick Reynolds

Calf Roping: Brett Hewitt & Matt Nelson

Over 40 CR: David Slipka & Jeff Thurlow

Barrel Racing: Sarah Rose & Courtney Otto

Team Roping: Emit Valnes, Randy Melby, Wyatt Treeby, Eric Nelsen

Breakaway Roping: Callie Shephard & Whitney Locken

Steer Wrestling: Nolan Hart, Jace Christianson

Judges Director: Dru Wilking

Bareback: Dylan Pratt & Allen Petron

Saddle Bronc: Billy Hampton, Jason Cole

Queen Director: Tana Dirks

Stock Director: Scott Berends

PR Director: MRA Queen (Stephanie Mackissok)

Mixed Team Roping: Carm Schneider & Terri Grinager

Finals Director: Jamie Thompson

General Members:

Topic	Who	Decision/Action
Treasurers Report	Courtney	Courtney sent out to the board. Expenses- Kari & Courtney for May. Backus insurance and rodeo checks. Terri asked for the breakdown of the rodeo. Checks wrote- \$9623. Kari deposited \$18,229.80 after the rodeo, that was all the memberships, Also broke down the silent auction and rodeos. Steph mm to accept report. 2 nd by Jeff. Report approved by the board
Secretaries Report	Kari	Kari sent out the April meeting minutes and posted them online. We had a great turn out for the MRA memberishp drive jackpot/rodeo. We

		<p>currently have 121 members. The MRA membership drive brought in 37 members, 15 of which were new members.</p> <p>I had Micah Eveland contact me and inform me that the Pine River fair board gave him the okay and asked him to organize a rodeo for during the fair- Rodeo July 9 & 10. He asked for logistics of it being an MRA 1st rodeo and said he had to talk to Scott some more as well about being the contractor. I asked Micah to strongly consider having it be an MRA 1st approved. He also asked for us much help from any of us as possible as he has never produced a rodeo.</p> <p>Everything else has pretty much been back to the normal swing of things with answering questions, memberships, approvals, etc. Terri mm to approve report as read. 2nd by Jamie. Report approved by the board</p>
Queen Report	Steph	Nothing new to report
Stock Committee Report	Scott B,	
Awards / Fundraising Committee	Kari, Courtney, Jojo,	<p>Thank you to all who helped to make the fundraiser jackpot happen! It was a successful day!</p> <p>Jamie sent Courtney an email of some possible grants the MRA may be eligible for.</p> <p>TBRA first, Jamie asked about the awards funds how that will work. Kari has a message from Jill saying that they will still collect the MRA awards money up to a certain amount per event.</p>
Budget	Jojo, Courtney, Jamie Thompson	<p>Go over profit total from membership drive rodeo and silent auction.</p> <p>Courtney did a rough breakdown and will have more finalized numbers. We are still waiting to get one of the sponsor checks so we can cash it.</p>
Nominations		
Rules and Bylaws	Jojo, Kari, Scott Berends, Dru Wilking	
Finals	Jamie	<p><u>Venue:</u> Verndale vs. Henderson</p> <p>JoJo clarified with Steph that the bid is the same as years past Jacket sponsor- jojo talked to Ron \$1,000 jacket sponsor Fine with running 2 perfs the same day or slack.</p>

		<p>JoJo did contact Kathy from Henderson and they would still like to put in a bid for finals. She said she would do it as half of the last year's bid (\$7,500) and renegotiate if it goes well. She is contacting the school to make sure there isn't homecoming or anything big that will affect it. She is hoping for end of September/beginning of October. Kathy would like performance to be under 2 hours</p> <p>Steph asked about their normal rodeo. JoJo said it normally is 15,000-25,000 to put on a rodeo or produce so having the finals there is the extra stress off their back.</p> <p>David asked about MEA weekend. Does everyone think that is a good weekend? Jamie brought up that there's pros and cons to each place and each weekend. It initially is down to the one who is producing the rodeo.</p> <p>JoJo asked Jamie what the difference would be for each place and the amount they bid. Jamie pointed out that obviously a higher bid pencils out better</p> <p>JoJo had brought up the idea that if we end up doing it in Verndale, maybe we can do a third day of some kind of membership drive or something to offset the difference.</p> <p>Terri did a quick breakdown of the Verndale bid and stalls. There's a lot of money pocketed from stalls even if we get a small cut. Terri did clarify that either way it's a good deal and both us and them are making money.</p> <p>Ron gets all of gate fee and Kathy would as well.</p> <p>David suggests to get the bid from Kathy and tell Ron here is what's on the table and see what is offered back. JoJo clarified to David as well that Kathy will renegotiate for years to come on price if this year goes well.</p> <p>David said MN horse expo has offered to have us at the expo next year and put on a rodeo there next year. David said maybe we can do finals there next year in April.</p> <p>We will get final bids and email them out to the board.</p> <p>Jamie mm to get a finalized date from Kathy and JoJo will reach out to Verndale and see if they will up there offer. This will then get sent out to the board and be voted on. David 2nd. Approved by board.</p> <p>Terri asked Jamie if he has numbers put together of expected costs for finals. Once he gets updated numbers from Courtney he will put a projection together and send out to the board.</p>
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	Online entries Friday August 20- Monday August 23
Events	BB, SB, BR, CR, SW, TR, Breakaway, Barrels, SR Men's breakaway
Entry Fee:	Per NDRA scale
Added Money	\$300 in timed events, \$500 in roughstock
Emergency #	
Application Status	You must have your membership post marked by August 23, 2021 for your points to count

Kenny mm to approve rodeo. 2nd by Steph. Rodeo approved by board.

Rodeo Name	Grant Co Ag Association
Sanction	TBRA/MRA
Stock Contractor	Triple B
Address	Herman MN Grant county Fairgrounds
Performance	July 17th @ 6pm
Slack	After Perf
Entries	July 11 from 12:00pm-5:00 PM. Call 320-367-2047 or text 320-226-3627. Will only accept texts that day and between given hours. A reply will be sent if message was received. If no reply, no entry! Please send name, town, card number and first and second preference.
Events	SB, BB, BR, CR, O40 CR, SW, TR, Breakaway, Barrels, MTR
Entry Fee:	Per TBRA Scale
Added Money	\$400 in all events \$100 in MTR
Emergency #	320-226-1487
Application Status	You must have your membership post marked by July 12th, 2021 for your points to count. MTR in slack only

Sarah mm to approve rodeo, 2nd by Kenny. Rodeo approved by board

David has been in conversation with MN horse Expo. He spoke with president and is open to having the MRA rodeo during the expo. He said it does not have to be a PRCA rodeo. They are open to the idea of having an MRA rodeo there. (2022)

JoJo's bid on website-

This girl was recommended and does website design. She bid to redo all of the pages and set everything up so Kari can take it over and do editing. She will also link our facebook to the website.

One time fee
~\$1500

		<p>David asked about Julie Johnson's bid. We currently work with that business. Kari explained to David what we currently have going on with them and what the problem we are encountering is. Their options that they have for us are far more time consuming and in depth than what we are looking for. Their options are complex and are for someone who has experience with web design.</p>
<p>Next meeting date and time: Adjourn:</p>	<p>All</p>	<p>Next meeting date:</p> <p>June 8, 2021 @ 7:30 pm via conference call</p> <p>Kenny mm to adjourn the meeting, 2nd by David. Meeting adjourned at 8:27 pm.</p>

Entry fee receipt for all events

- At the time entry fees are being paid a printed receipt stating the breakdown of the fees being charged will be given to the contestant.

See example

Contestant Name	Events	\$0-\$300. added money	\$301-\$500. added money	\$501+ added money	Finals Fee \$2.	Office Fee \$3.	Stocker Time Fee \$10.	Day Money \$5.	Award fee \$	Fee for taking entry \$	Fee ?	Total
Mary Jones	Break Away						10.0					\$
	Roping		60.00		2.00	3.00	0	5.00		4.00		84.00
	Team Roping		60.00		2.00	3.00	5.00	5.00	3.00	4.00		\$
	Mixed Team Roping		60.00		2.00	3.00	5.00		3.00	4.00		82.00
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