



Lake Don Pedro Trailblazers

February 16, 2012

Meeting Minutes

Attendees:

Terrie Booten

Monica Fay

Kim O'Mara

Jeanne Jenkins

Dyanne & Ray Loyola

Steve Alexander

Jane & Bill Cloud

Christina Hansen

Melvin & Miriam Jones

Marcia Cruz

Vickie Eiland

Kathy (new member)

Thomas & Debra Smith

LDPOA representation: Jane Cloud

Cash Donations at meeting: \$111.00

Calendar Updates:

- Next Meeting: March 15, 2012
- Upcoming Trail Work Days:

For future work dates and upcoming events please refer to our website -
www.ldptrailblazers.com

Old Business

- Treasurer's report:

Should any one wish to make a donation to the group, please have them make their checks out to **LDPOA** and on the memo line put ***Trailblazers***.

Account balance - \$1466.00

Fundraising proceeds:

31 Mugs

8 maps

4 photos

- Updates:

Alfier Park - Terrie & Ray secured the BBQ to the post. The picnic table and trash can have also been installed. We've burned 4 of the burn piles. Gravel for the parking area will go in when we get dry weather.

Jalapa trail – this trail has been blocked since the mid 80's. It is now

99% opened. Terrie continues to work on a solution to the garage that was erected on the trail. One suggestion Terrie made to the county is approaching the property owner behind the trail and asked to donate a small section behind the garage to allow for the trail. Terrie will provide update once a solution has been reached. Merlin Jones is helping to work this out.

Red paddles – will be installed were trails eventually come to an end. Paddles will be placed at the last trail intersection so that riders can decide whether to turn or continue forward.

- Website Update:

Eric not in attendance

- Fundraiser Opportunity:

Coffee mugs with our Trailblazer logo are available for sale - \$10. We would make \$3 off each mug sold. Tell a friend and sell, sell, sell!



- New Business:

- Fundraising ideas

- September Poker Run – proceeds to go to LDPTB.

- Participation in Owner's Association Yard Sale – Members interested in helping at Yard Sale so far are: Terrie, Monica, Kim, Christina, Dyanne, Kathy, Vickie, Marcia, Jane, Joyce and Miriam. If you are interested in helping, please contact the Lake Don Pedro Trailblazers at 852-9459

- Crab Feed

- Grant ideas

- Kiosks, gravel, sign for Ranchito side of Alfier Park
We learned that the Back Country Horseman's Poker Ride was very successful.

- Paddles for Mariposa County need to be purchased. Merlin Jones taking request for paddles to Mariposa County.

- Terrie prepared budgets for both Mariposa and Tuolumne Counties as well as a budget proposal for LDPOA.

- Merlin Jones asked about our opinion regarding opening an Equestrian Facility in Lake Don Pedro.

- If you are hiking or riding and see paddles that are unmarked or if reflective tape needs replacing please address it while you are there.

As a group we can purchase tape for marking, Terrie can assist with obtaining tape. You can also go onto the website and place an order. www.gemplers.com or by calling 1-800-382-8473. The item number is AD300.



TRAIL EASEMENT AND ABANDONMENT

Nothing noted at this time

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

March 17th @ 1pm – Manteca Horsemen hosting a Ride at IT Ranch in Lodi

March 24th – Peoria Flats – CSHA Trail Trial – Cost \$45. Western items will be raffled.

April 14th @ 9am – Lake Camanche South Shore – Hoof & Boots hosting “Saddle Up for Saint Jude” - more information to come.

Volunteer hours for January – 24 hrs

Meeting adjourned at 9:15pm.

Next Meeting: March 15th, 2012 LDPHS Multi Purpose Room