

Date: Tuesday, June 2, 2026

Time: 3:30 PM

Location: McKee Building, Estes Park Meeting Room 5260 Arena Circle, Loveland, CO 80538

Rodeo Board Minutes

Call to Order: 3:32pm

People in Attendance:

Rick Harris, Rayne Rule, Brandy Edmonds, Shannon Fancher-Rule, Holly Spreitzer, Gene Olson, Katie Miller, Abby Nash, Abby Marr, Christian Southwick and Chris Brodzinski.

Public Comment/Correspondence: None

Board Member Report: We welcomed our newest board member Holly.

Committee Report

Gene has contacted Steve again for the hay to make sure we still are good with the drought and he is still on board with the hay we need. Christian advised the Sheriff Dept had to take some of the hay from our left over but we should still be good for this year.

Partner Reports

1. Commissioner Shadduck-McNally: not present
2. Queens committee: not present
3. The Ranch: Rick reported what Rebecca sent him before her vacation. She has forwarded all contract to Thomas. She has ordered more wristbands and the 250 flag.
4. OVG: Abby Marr said tickets are doing good for just going on sell. She will be putting Dusty Tuckness on social media soon. She is meeting this week with the videographer for the historic video. Posters will go out July 1st. She wanted to make us aware the facility is now using a metal detector device for all events for the public. It will not be somewhere that our contestants have to go through. Rick let her know that all the contestants carry knives for the safety of the animals. She said the rodeo billboards will start to go up also. Rayne wanted to know if they needed more ideas for social media after Dusty. She said we can do older photos and maybe the stock contractor. Rayne will gather information on Beutler & Son for her. Katie stated we are at \$77,000 for sponsorship and still working on some partnerships. She wanted to make sure the amount of dirt was good in the alley even with us dropping the deck. Christian advised that will be fine to do what we did last year. Katie will let the company who is putting in the dirt know. The bobbleheads are on their way. Rick and Brandy will meet up with Katie an hour before our next meeting to go over the scripts. The hotels are taken care of. She will talk to Kenzie about being our other person on the microphone. Abby Nash said group sales are going well and everyone seems to be excited about the bigger discount. She has sent all the information to the 4-H and the mutton busting will go out on July 1st.

Old Business: Rayne has found a fireman/military person for us and once he has fully committed he will let us know. Brandy sent Abby Marr the new Rodeo 101 videos for Dillon. Katie will let Rick know when we can take our board shirts to the embroider.

New Business: none

Review Monthly Schedule:

Abby Nash will talk to the events team regarding our luncheon at the facility on the Tuesday of the rodeo. Rick has given will call the comp ticket list and already reached out to the commissioners for their ticket needs.

Adjourn: 4:10pm

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