Minutes of meeting October 2, 2004

President Shirley Ruby called meeting to order at 12:23 PM, with 53 members in attendance, at the Churchill County Fairgrounds and covered details in the last newsletter.

Sharon Avery gave treasurers report. Prior to the October 1-2 show there is \$18,887.52 in the bank with a \$1,467.00 stall deposit for a total of \$20,354.53.

Becky Goodwin reminded us that December 1st is the deadline for the directory ads. If you are interested in running a business card ad, please contact one of the youth members with your card and \$20.00. The cost for a full page ad is \$75.00 camera ready. Please mail ads to Becky Goodwin, HCR 37 Box 663, Sandy Valley, NV 89019, if you need additional information concerning the requirements, call her at (702) 723-5310 or email <u>ropers@sandyvalley.net</u>. The deadline must be adhered to so that the directories will be ready by the awards banquet.

Sharon Avery read the club rules that are printed in the directory regarding the (2) day show requirements for year end awards to verify clarification. It was unanimously agreed that the rule was clear and should remain in effect.

Shirley Ruby read the results of the ballots received for 2005 officers and directors:

President – Gary Avery Vice President – Gene Young Secretary – Sandi Young Treasurer – Sheila Plimpton Directors – Jennifer Aufill and Todd Goodwin

Sandra McManus will be handling the 2005 memberships this year. Her address is 3255 Alcorn Road, Fallon, NV 89406, (775) 423-2317.

The NSCC requirements will remain the same for 2005 which will include the ENPHC, NPHC and Zone II shows.

Becky Goodwin said that she thought we should try to assist ENPHC in their efforts to better the facilities and equipment available at Ely fairgrounds. It was discussed and decided that maybe a little pressure could be brought to bear by some letters to White Pine County and/or Ely Chamber of Commerce requesting some upgrading of PA and stalls. Let's do our best to bring these items to their attention in the hope that it may start the ball rolling to upgrade a few items for all concerned. Please take a moment, sign and send the attached letter.....let's do our best to help make this facility more user friendly and the shows more successful for the folks at ENPHC.

The awards banquet will be changed to Saturday instead of Sunday. Date and location to be announced, but will still be in February.

Gwen Russell made the suggestion of reworking the class list to allow more time between the Jr. and Sr. Horse classes. This suggestion will be reviewed and class list will be reworked if possible.

A big round of applause for outgoing President Shirley Ruby for a year of hard work and dedication. Thanks Shirley!!!!!

The next meeting and last meeting for 2004 will be held at Round Table Pizza, located at Mae Anne Ave. and North McCarran Blvd. in Reno, starting at 1:00 PM. If you need a meeting, this is your last chance......see you there.

The meeting was adjourned by Shirley Ruby at 12:45 PM.

Sandi Young Secretary