

**EQUESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE
TO
BEAR VALLEY ASSOCIATION BOARD**

DATE:	October 6, 2025	
TIME:	9:05 AM	
PLACE:	EC Lounge	
ATTENDANCE:	Cheryl Akerly, Debi Kermode, Deborah Mayer, Linda McManan , Miles D'Cruz, Jena D'Cruz, Cathy Rehbock	
PRESENT:	Kris Pimentel, Julie Renfro, Deirdra Vierra, Suzi Vlietstra, Desiree Whatmough, Judy Walsh	
OTHERS PRESENT:	Guy Munday, Board Rep, Jeff Kermode,	
ABSENT:	John Casadorph, Joan Howard, Susan Mustaffa	
SUBJECT/ISSUE	DISCUSSION	CONCLUSIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS/FOLLOW UP
Call to Order:	Deborah called the meeting to order at 9:05 a.m. and read Board Policy Resolution No.3 18-19.	
1. Review of August 2025 Minutes	1. The minutes were approved and will be submitted to the BVSA Board.	
I. Informational Updates		
A. Equestrian Manager's Report	A. Doug reported on trail work done by Trail Crew. There are six stalls available for boarders. Crew has been clearing around pond. There has been club activity in the arenas which have not been scheduled on the master calendar. Painting of barns is near complete.	
1) MPS	1) No meeting. Both Debi Kermode and Suzi Vlietstra offered to serve on this subcommittee.	
2) CLUB UPDATES	Carriage Club: Both Melissa and Cathy offered a big thank you to trail crew and Maintenance department for creating a walkway/pathway from the Carriage Arena to the Trail Course. A big thank you for mowing the meadow. The clinic this weekend was very successful and kudos from the clinician on our lovely equestrian center. Jonathan Fields is October 24th, 25th, 26th and there is an opening which will be donated to a rider over 15. Cathy asked to use some of the asphalt debri to fill in tires on course and Don had no objection. Dressage: An AB Miller clinic will be November 8 and 9th. It will be working equitation and will be an obstacle test, dressage test, western, etc. with a practice show. Buckaroos: Last Playday of the year is this Saturday the 11th and last sorting JP is Sunday, the 12th;. Pony Club has enjoyed all the events the others clubs are hosting. Buckaroos Playdays, Greenhorns practices and show, Dressage Lessons. Horsemen's obstacle course. 18 riders led by Erica Underwood rode the Foothill trail. Horsemen: 13 riders made it to the Dutch oven ride with 33 attending dinner. Obstacle Course was 48 riders. On the 11th is a Safari Scavenger hunt ride at 3. the next meeting is October 20th. Volunteers will be offering gift wrapping in EC Lounge 12/14 and 12/21. Greenhorns: Schooling show is the 18th with Jessica Woodbridge clinic on the 17th. Looking for buckle sponsors - \$250.	

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E) BVSA/CSD Liaison/BVSA Board Reports	E). BVSA received letter from BVCSD stating they are in violation of lease agreement particularly with the trails and the cover for the campground kitchen.	
II) OLD BUSINESS		
1. Protocol for sick horses.	1) Debi Kermode reported last month the protocol was being reviewed by Don and Doug for practicality of implementing and then will be shared with EAC.	
2) Survey - Dierdra	2) In followup to last month's discussion Dierdra developed a non-partial and non-political survey to determine peoples interest in horse and club activities. She received 125 responses and the results of the survey will be distributed to EAC members. Of note was the need to have club articles in the Bear Tracks.	
III. New Business		
A. Meeting with BVCSD	Judy, a long time resident, is planning to meet with CSD regarding the encroachment of the trail called Fort Apache.	
Adjournment	Meeting was adjourned at 10:13 a.m.	
MINUTES SUBMITTED BY:	<i>Cheryl Akerly</i>	
NEXT MEETING	3-Nov-25	