Welcome members to the 2014 KCRC Season. For those that don't know me... I was raised on my family's ranch here in the Kittitas valley, and joined the roping club after HS. Roping was a great sport to pick up after years of playing sports in school. My favorite thing about roping and rodeo in general is that I plan on continuing on as long as I can still ride. I feel it is a great sport to include families, and people of all ages. Our club is made of every skill level. To some people these ropings are practice for bigger ropings, and circuit rodeos. For others it's as important as the NFR. Our first roping went well, and I appreciate everyone hustling to try and make our time cutoff. Hopefully the year can follow with everyone being ready to rope when their time comes. We are all here to rope and enjoy it, so if everyone helps out a little here and there we can all enjoy it. I strongly encourage new members and those who are unsure of how to help or what to do, to find/ask someone to show them the ropes. There is no reason not to help, since the other members run your events while you rope. It was great to see such a large turnout at both the January meeting and roping... It should be a fun year. If you have any questions throughout the year, please bring it to the attention of one of the board members. It would be wonderful if everyone could keep the drama to a minimum as we are all here to rope and have a good time! Keep an eye out for upcoming events via email and Facebook, and let's have a great year!

~Katie Stingley

~2014 Newsletter~

Hi all! As your 2014 KCRC Secretary I am trying something new with the newsletter. I would like to keep the club updated on upcoming events and the members in our club. So please, if something exciting is going on in a member’s life, let me know! (HS rodeo, college rodeo, engagements, kids, sports, babies)… whatever it may be, please feel free to email me both the info and a picture if you would like. Also if there is something you would like published regarding raffles/fundraisers/etc I am open to those too! Looking forward to a great year!

~Hailey Minor
2013 KCRC Year-End Banquet

The 2013 Banquet took place at Spurs Bar and Grill January 11 and it was a great success! The night started off with a nice social hour as many people enjoyed getting out of the gloomy weathered days we have been having and celebrating a great year had in 2013!

Once dinner was served and eaten we got to the important part of presenting awards to 2013 winners. The awards committee did a great job this year as always and provided the members with great awards that were well deserved by their accomplishments. Thank you awards committee for helping capture another year of memories for one to hold on to through their awards!

BJ Mothershead was presented with a very nice album of photos over the years while he served as the KCRC President. A very well deserved gift that cannot even begin to repay him or show him how thankful our club was to have such a great president!

The night was ended with a great Calcutta with Johnny Sloan as the auctioneer. Sunday morning was a great start to a new year in KCRC, on to the next one!

New Faces

First off ~ WELCOME all of our new 2014 KCRC members! We are happy that you have joined to be a member of our club. We just wanted to take this time to thank you for wanting to be a part of the KCRC! We would also like for everyone to feel they are getting the best experience from our club, please if you ever have any question, concerns, or suggestions feel free to get in touch with a KCRC member. Looking forward to a fun and successful year ahead!

Our new joining members to date are as follows;

- Brady Coker
- Maddie Johnson
- Cynthia Johnson
- Sierra Shiplet
- Ruby Mineer
- Joey Doritis
- Karly Kester
- Tegan Abbot

KCRC Events — Member work duties

This year KCRC is taking a new approach to attaining help for the KCRC events. To be eligible for awards at the end of the year a member must be in good standing and have worked a minimum of three KCRC events. Doing this we are trying to get more help from varying members throughout the year, as in the past it seems that many times the same people are helping time and time again. This is a wonderful club with many members, all of us have obligations, families, work, and many other things outside of our club that are going on, so please just do your best to contribute to work on the days you sign up for. That way everyone can enjoy everything a little bit more!

The following members received one KCRC event for working at the January Roping; Christina Bloxham, Maddie Johnson, Cathy Jergens, Hailey Minor, Carley Dodge, Tom Luft, Jim Mills, Kelly Giustetti, Chris Wiedenbach, Patrick Hollingsworth, Jack Wallace, Jordan Alberg, Carl Bisonette, Shane Luft, Russ Cramer, Julie Blackmore, Karly Kester.

Thank you!
# January KCRC Points Roping Results

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## Average

| 1. Erika Rocha 4.60 (1) | 1. Renee Poulson 3.18 | NO TIMES/CATCHES IN THE NOVICE BREAK-AWAY FOR JANUARY |
| 2. Kathy Jurgens 4.65 (1) | 2. Ruby Mineer 3.29 | |

## B Tie-Down Roping

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| 2. Russ Cramer 17.83 (1) | 2. Kyle Sloan 10.32 | |

## NO TIMES/CATCHES IN THE NOVICE BREAK-AWAY FOR JANUARY

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**No Catches/times in Novice**

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## B Team Roping - 1st Round


## Average

| 1. Austin P/Jim B. 8.10 | 1. Austin P/Jim B. 8.10 | |

## Century TR

**No Catches/times in Novice**

## A Team Roping - 1st Round

| 4. Doug B/Jerred P 10.05 | 4. Doug B/Jerred P 10.05 | 4. Doug B/Jerred P 10.05 |

## Average

Meeting January 8, 2014

Meeting called to order by President Katie Stingley at 7:31pm

Members Present:

Attendance:


New Members:
Brady coker, Maddie Johnson, Cynthia Johnson, Sierra Shiplet, Ruby Mineer, Joey Doritis, Karly Kester, Tegan Abbot

December 4, 2013 meeting minutes read by Sherri.

- Minutes were corrected to state that Jack Wallace was second and then Conner Ackley and Ryan Stingley tied for third for the hi point year end.
- Minutes passed.

Treasures report read by Julie Blackmoore

Current balances are as follows;
- Checking acct $11,818.92
- CD acct $9941.75
  - Interest rate of .18% that will mature 12/16/2014
  - Cathy placed $2,000 voted from last meeting into CD acct

Outstanding bills
- Oct. arena fee --- Cathy is going to check on this as we have not been billed for this PO Box

New Members introduced themselves to club.

Old Business

Reviewed reason as to why new membership forms have not been completed.
Rick Kohl still has words that Christina gave him for better verbiage for the membership forms. Cathy used the draft of the new membership forms to complete the 2014 Membership forms. Christina is going to meet with Rick to complete the review of the wording on the new 2014 memberships ASAP.

Discussed and reviewed requirements of the new “work rules” for KCRC members. The following members volunteered to work at January points roping: Joanie Lee, Maddie J, Cathy, Hailey, Carly Dodge, Tom Luft, Jim Mills

Russ Cramer checked on the lodging taxes. He met with Amy at the Chamber. He was under the impression that there was not a state Nonprofit registered club for KCRC. Kathy made correction that KCRC has paid its dues and is a current registered nonprofit, paid July 29, 2013. Russ was unable to move forward with the lodging taxes. Katie suggested that we look into it the taxes and lodging for the 2014 year and see what we can do, if anything, to benefit the club. We must stay on top of this so we do not wait until the last minute with deadlines again.
County commissioner meeting December 17, 2013; Sheri was able to go and reported back. Hourly fee was increased from $25 to $35. Straight 35 hourly fee now, flat rate. Increased outdoor arena fees. $1700 lost income reported by county.

Katie introduced 2014 committee/board members to the KCRC club. Stated if any questions or problems arise to please bring to one of the stated people.

Katie reviewed office help --- Marcie Krueger is our new office help that will be help at every point roping, she is the paid position. BJ will help her with training on the OS for the computer. Marcie will be present at 11am day of roping. Katie also stated that Ashley Arnes, Jacquie Mauceri, and Hailey Minor are all willing to help in the office as well.

Banquet – tickets are available tonight. Cost of $20

Katie reviewed the roper auction that will take place at Sat. night banquet.

PA system was provided by Carl Bissonette’s brother for $50. Conner acquired this.

BJ made clear that there will be some memberships for the 2014 KCRC year at banquet for door prizes --- credit will be applied if you have already paid

Marty stingley will be taking pictures at banquet

Daily record has sponsor lists.

Mounted shooters will be at the roping January-April and providing a concession stand.

Jack Wallace asked about gift certificates and how up to date they were. Cathy stated that it is still up to date and if we have any changes they have the master copy at Copy Shop and it can be updated at any time. Julie read through listed sponsors.

Regarding summer Sunday/Monday dates --- Cathy was unable to get in touch with fairgrounds office. Discussion regarding the schedule took place. Advised to look into 2015 schedule far ahead of time. The dates as far as now are not able to be changed. Ryan is not present --- tabled for 2015 as he was the one to make a motion for roping to move to Sunday.

New Business

Katie presented that we need to sign up for committees for the year. Encouraged new members to be a part of the committees and learn more about KCRC.

Committees are as follows;

**Points Committee** – gets together at end of the year and evaluates points.
   Members: Jay, Hailey, Steve Wiltfang, Renee Poulsen, Kathy

**Budget Committee** – Katie, BJ, Kathy, Julie, Jack Wallace, Christina Bloxham

**Banquet Committee** – Sammi Jo, Joanie Lee, Conner Ackley, Rob Rapose, Brenda Rapose, Tuffy
Flagging committee – Katie suggested that we work on the flagging committee this year as far as rules and determining what association rules/guidelines we are going to use. IE; PRCA, NPRA, USTRC, ACTRA? --- BJ, Katie, Conner, Julie, Steve, Joanie, Jeremy, Terry, Gerry, Julie, and Renee

Awards Committee – Carly, Michelle, Shane, Rob, Hailey, Maddeline Johnson, Brenda Rapose, Kelli G

Nominating committee – Michelle

5-header committee – Gerry, Sam, Kathy, BJ, Joe D., Hailey, Aaron

Chair committee – always have two chairpersons for each point roping. Suggested having a committee this year that would evaluate the supplies and take care of things that need to be replaced prior to roping such as calling contractors and checking barrier supplies etc. Michelle has volunteered that she would be an equipment manager and will also help guide new members/chairpersons to what is needed to be done.

Sponsors committee – Rob R, Maddeline Johnson, Brenda Rapose

Memorial Day Weekend Committee – Sammi Jo, Tom Luft, Tuffy, Bob Bryant, Terry

There was discussion that the HS finals may not be in Ellensburg – we will need to do something that weekend as we already have the arena reserved. Jay will check with the HS rodeo director and see if they have decided on a location regarding HS finals.

These committees are not final, members are welcome and encouraged to participate and join these committees throughout the year.

Gift certificates – Katie reviewed what our gift certificates are good for. Explained what we do with the leftover gift cert, --- donate to nonprofit or charity, good cause, family in need, etc. Last year we donated the amount to Sparrow Club--- $320 left over this year.

BJ suggested that we take that extra money and put it towards the efforts to pay for the timer.

----- tabled until next time.

Discussion regarding the ear tags that need to be placed on the calf roping /breakaway calves. Extra tags will be brought to Sundays roping in case this has not been done. Katie will put some in the equipment box in case/as needed.

Roping chairs for Sundays roping
- Conner
- Terry

Katie reviewed rules/regulations for members regarding work events to be in “good standing” in the KCRC events in order to be eligible for year-end awards. Members must work 3 KCRC events and be a member in good standing to be eligible for year-end awards.

Meeting points --- Katie addressed you need to designate where you want meeting points to go to. There is a new option this year to split points in 50% and separate between two events. This must be done prior to your first point roping.

New Members were categorized as follows:

New Members/Categorization,

Karley Kester - Novice Team Roping
Maddy Johnson – Nov. B-Away, Nov. Team
Cynthia Johnson- Nov. B-Away
Ruby Mineer- B Team Roping, A B-Away
Joey DeRitis - Nov. Team, Nov. B-Away
Sierra Shiplet- Nov. Breakaway
Tegan Abbott- Nov. B-Away, B Team Roping
Brady Cokjer- B Team Roping, B Calf Roping

Cassie Rome wrote a letter to the club requesting to move back to the Novice Breakaway, the flagging committee voted to allow it, but will be moved back up at if they feel it is needed.

Attendance was read by Jay
Terry motions to adjourn meeting
Seconded by Steve W.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:45 pm