High Sierra Chapter

July 15, 2026

1. **Call meeting to order -** Welcome everyone!

2. **Officer's Reports**

   President/Vice President

   Treasurer

Beginning balance	$4,499.52 (as of June – pending July statements from bank)
Canned Food Drive	$157.00

Old Business

- **2026 Rendezvous**
  - 24 participants attended
  - 21 have paid
  - $1,050 spent
    - Including $55.22 for locks on BCH trailer
  - Weekly rides went well, and everyone had a great time
  - Wednesday – Tony Argento (Cowboy Poet)
    - State paid for the event, thank you!
  - Friday – Poker Ride
    - Thank you to Tammy and Kathy for all your hard work and flexibility!
    - Prize money donated back to club, +$337.00
  - Recommendations for 2027 to help with logistics:
    - RSVP Form, plus a % of cost up front (as non-refundable deposit)
    - TBD: Best month for event?
      Do we want to hold this event in June still?
      Or look towards end of year around September/ October?
      Is there another month that works best for everyone?
      Or, could timing depend on location/venue/etc?

- **Welcome to Our New Members!**
  - 3 new members as of July 1st
    - Chuck & Nita Beaupre
    - Shelby Mathis

- **Carson Trap Club** – June 27th
  - Set up an info booth at the event
  - Gained lots of interest, even for those without horses that would be interested in hiking in with us on projects.
  - Notes: Do we want to invest in business cards to be able to hand out contact information more readily.
  - Member idea: Could we find a realistic plastic horse to use as visual aid? (possibly find through donation?)

New Business

- **Upcoming Projects**:
  - **July 23-24**: Wolf Creek/ Soda Springs (Markleville, CA)
  - **August 1**: Washoe Lake Fence Repair and Ride
  - **September 3-4**: South Twin FONW (Round Mtn, NV)
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  - **TBD: Meadowview** – Pending finalization of materials with FS
    - Tentatively looking at August dates to start project

- **July Group Event**:
  - **This Sunday, July 19th, 10am** at Toni's House (in Red Rock)
    - Please RSVP to Toni 530-219-2538 by 3pm on Saturday
    - Unmounted packing session to review/learn basics of packing
    - We will watch a Royal Tines video in phases and take those skills to learn/ demo with our current equipment.
    - BYO Lunch

- **August Rides: TBD**
  - Discussion to possibly revisit Hope Valley/ Faith Valley area?

Adjourned at 7:43pm