

**Promoters Meeting  
January 22, 2011**

Meeting opened at 1:50 pm with promoters from Worland Sagehoppers, Rock Springs, Gillette, Casper and Riverton tracks present. Track promoters not present were Cheyenne, Laramie, and Douglas. Meeting started with an overview by Bob Lynch of track rules and responsibilities as well as amendments made to the rule book during board meeting.

Race schedule discussed and set with the understanding that HPMA would like to cut the number of 2 day races back to 1 per month if possible. Riverton will be hosting the Championship race this year as well as the 2011 HPMA banquet since they won track of the year in 2010.

Dale Lobdell, pee wee track coordinator continued by discussing Pee Wee track concerns. There is a need for better track maintenance and the need for functional gates at pee wee tracks. Safety issues were also brought up with the promoters. In addition to this, emphasis was put on the fact that promoters need to assure proper race day prep and the need for trained staff and to put on a high quality race that will draw larger numbers to their track and into the club. It was presented that the board will issue each track a race day check sheet to assure things are done, as well as prior to race day track inspection to assure quality and safety of track.

Promoters were then informed by President Joe Mayer that we will not be using Transponders this season and if promoters wish to use them at their race, they must supply equipment and cover the cost.

NMA rule changes were discussed by Reilly Ludwig.

Board discussed need for increased advertising and promotion of tracks and clubs, and that we are all there with a common goal. Meeting adjourned at 3:15