

GARDEN STATE PAINT HORSE CLUB

October 1, 2007

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 PM, by the President, Marjorie Moser, at the Malaga Diner. In attendance were: Debbie Kinney, Mary Kensler, Brandi Bleifuss, Barbara Bleifuss, Sigrid Ware, Ken Ware, Judy Moyer, Jane Munn, Marjorie Moser, John Moser, Cindy Hetzell, Robin Donohue, Julie Bishop, Jack Bishop, Dorothy Quirk.

TREASURER'S REPORT: John Moser reported a balance on hand of \$25,828.00. He noted that approximately 60% of the September show expenses have yet to be paid.

APHA CONVENTION: Ken Ware reported that the following topics would be brought up at the APHA Convention: color rule (lower leg requirements), recent loss of APHA memberships, Solid Paint Breds, noting HYPP on registration papers, splitting the World Show.

Ken was requested to check on the following:

- Changing the one Paint parent rule.
- Why $\frac{1}{2}$ points are used when scoring since it makes it harder to scribe and easier to make numerical mistakes.

YOUTH REPORT: Cindy Hetzell reported the following:

- Ten Youth members and three adults will be attending Youth Conference.
- The Youth Club made the scarecrows that were used in the September Paint Show trail classes.
- The Youth will be holding a Halloween Party on October 27.
- The drawing for both the scooter and the free breeding will be drawn tomorrow evening at the Youth meeting.

SHOW BAKE SALES/SILENT AUCTIONS: The following schedule will be utilized for the 2008 Paint shows:

- April Show: both the Youth Club and the Futurity will work together
- July Show: GSPHC Youth Club
- September show: GSPHC Futurities

NJ BRED ALL BREED SHOW: Julie Bishop reported the GSPHC should receive approximately \$2,360.00 in All Breed Show monies to distribute. These monies will be mailed from the State about November 2. She will note on the checks that they must be cashed with 90 days in order to be valid.

The Equine Advisory Board is considering, for 2008, that any member organization which does not have representation for three consecutive Equine Advisory Board meetings, will not be eligible for NJ Bred End of Year monies.

Julie reported that the following NJ Bred Show Paint classes did not fill (with more than 3 entries): Weanling fillies, Senior stallions and geldings, Junior hunter under saddle, Junior trail.

NJ BRED SUPERIOR ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS: Julie Bishop reported that she has, at this time, received one nomination, Exclusive Star. She will keep applications open until October 15. If Julie receives more than one more application, she will choose the additional Superior Achievement horse using the scoring system set up by GSPHC several years ago.

NJ EAB EQUESTRIAN CONTEST: The application was given to Cindy Hetzell, as Youth leader.

END OF YEAR AWARDS: Judy Moyer reported that Lori Eisenhardt will be the winner of the Al Ambrose photo. Motion was made (Kensler/K. Ware) and passed that the club allot \$5,500.00 for 2007 End of Year awards. This amount is the same as the amount allocated for 2006.

HORSE SHOW FOOD BOOTH: The membership expressed their desire to have Bill Stowe handle the food.

GLOUCESTER COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS RENTAL: Motion was made (Munn/Kensler) and passed that GSPHC send their \$300.00 to hold their 2008 show dates.

COMPUTER SOFTWARE: Judy Moyer reported that all the data from our previous shows has been transferred to a thumb/flash drive. It will cost \$250.00

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to purchase the new program, with an additional \$100.00 required to convert our current information into the new system. After these initial expenses, the yearly fee will be \$150/year.

SWEEPSTAKES CLASSES: Motion was made (Bishop/Moyer) and passed that the Trail Sweepstakes be replaced. Motion was made (Bishop/K. Ware) and passed that we hold an Overo Color Sweepstakes and Tobiano Color Sweepstakes in 2008.

WEANLINGS: Motion was made (Kensler/S. Ware) and passed that the Jersey Bred weanling colt and filly classes show consecutively with the APHA colt and filly classes.

50/50: The Sunshine Club 50/50 was won tonight by Cindy Hetzell.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:25 with the next regular meeting date set for 7:30 PM, November 5, at the Malaga Diner.

Respectfully submitted,
Dorothy Quirk, Secretary