

GARDEN STATE PAINT HORSE CLUB
General Membership Meeting
April 5, 2010

The meeting was called to order at 7:40 PM by the President, Marjorie Moser, at the Woodstown Diner. (Note: Marjorie had to leave the meeting at 8:45 so the balance of the meeting was conducted by Jane Munn, Vice President.) In attendance were: Judy Moyer, Ken Ware, Sigrid Ware, Jane Munn, Mary Kensler, Margie Moser, Ashley Nolasco, Barbara Mantini, Dorothy Quirk.

MINUTES: The minutes of the March meeting were read and approved.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Mary Kensler, Treasurer, reported a balance on hand of \$12,373.00. Motion was made (Munn/K. Ware) and passed to reimburse Barbara Mantini the sum of \$321.00 for the additional back numbers she had ordered. Motion was made (Munn/Mantini) and passed for Sigrid Ware to purchase an additional supply of membership cards.

RIBBONS: Motion was made (Quirk/K. Ware) and passed for Mary Kensler to purchase a more "workable" size of plastic tubs for the horse show ribbons. The present tubs will be available for purchase at the horse show.

APHA RULE CHANGE PROPOSAL: Marjorie reported that our Rule Change Proposal to APHA was stopped at the Executive level. The Executive Committee's reasoning was either that the proposal would have a negative effect on APHA or that it was not in the best interests of APHA. However, we are welcome to resubmit the proposal next year. Motion was made (Munn/Kensler) and passed that this be done. Marjorie noted that independent Paint shows, as opposed to APHA Club Paint shows, do not have to send APHA any financial reports, accounting records, etc.

SHAVINGS: Jane reported that the banner to be displayed on the shaving's trailer at the shows has been purchased. There will be notification posted on the GSPHC website that shavings will be for sale by GSPHC on the grounds.

VENDORS: Barbara Mantini reported that she is expecting the following vendors at the April show: Billie's Hats, Wenger's Tack Trailer, Clendaniels Tack Trailer, Michelle Peverielle Embroidery. Marjorie noted that the Dream Park requires all

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vendors to submit a copy of their \$1,000,000.00 liability policy to them before the date of the show.

COURSE DESIGN: Lynn Fick will be designing the over fences courses.

CATERING: Dolson's Caterers is the new food concessionaire for the Dream Park. We will be recommending that they provide green salads, fruit salads, cold sandwiches, and less fried food items. They will be requested to be set up for coffee at 6:30 AM.

JULY PAINT SHOW: Barbara reported that she has received the APHA approvals for this show.

WEEK-END HIGH POINTS: Motion was made (Moyer/Munn) and passed (with one opposing vote) that the value of the (8) High Points will be \$50.00 and the (8) Reserve High Points will be \$25.00. The High Point will be a \$50.00 Visa card and the Reserve High Point will be a \$25.00 gift certificate for Clendanniels Tack Shop. Marjorie will call Mr. Clendaniel and see if he will agree to this. Mary Kensler or Barbara Mantini will be responsible for procuring the Visa cards.

JERSEY BRED ALL BREED SHOW: Barbara Mantini reported that the Equine Advisory Board has not made a decision on whether we will be able to hold our Jersey Bred classes at the September Paint Show.

GSPHC YOUTH PAINT SHOW: The date for this show is set for July 17.

GSPHC CLINIC DISCUSSION: Jane Munn suggested that GSPHC sponsor a clinic later this year or next spring. A poll will be included on the website inquiring if members/friends would be interested in attending and, if so, who they would like to see as a clinician.

BBQ BEEF/CASH RAFFLE: The members were reminded that the raffle winner will have their choice of receiving either the beef or a cash payout. Cyndy Hetzell will procure the tickets.

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GSPHC HOODIES: Jane will order 40 hoodies, in assorted colors, to be sold at the April horse show.

COMPLIMENTARY WATER/HORSE SHOW JUDGES: Ken Ware volunteered to provide this service again this year.

WEBSITE: Judy Moyer reported:

- She has updated the membership list.
- Both the April and July horse show programs are on the website.
- The next "Blast" will include:
 - Shavings will be available for sale at the shows.
 - GSPHC sweatshirts/hoodies will be for sale.
 - The BBQ Beef/Cash Award raffle tickets will be available.
 - Request suggestions for clinicians.
 - Our High Point awards have been increased in value.
 - Poll - who would be interested in attending a fall trail ride at the Dream Park.

VERSATILITY CLASS (September Show): The following items were discussed:

- Exhibitors do not have to be GSPHC members
- Since this class is a Non-Pro class, the entries must be APHA horse/rider combinations.
- Open only to APHA registered horses.
- 10% of the \$100.00 entry fee will be retained by GSPHC to help cover the cost of judges' overtime fees, etc. The remaining \$90.00 will go toward the Versatility Payouts.
- A minimum of six entries will be required to hold the class.
- Winners will be paid by check.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:45 PM with the next regularly scheduled General Membership meeting set for September 2010.

Respectfully submitted,
Dorothy Quirk, Secretary

