

GARDEN STATE PAINT HORSE CLUB
January 3, 2011

The meeting was called to order at 7:40 PM by the President, Marjorie Moser, at the home of Dorothy Quirk. In attendance was: Marjorie Moser, Barbara Mantini, Ashley Nolasco, Judy Moyer, Jane Munn, Debbie Kinney, Glenn Gieshen, Joseph Gyorffi, Christina Ferrell, Ken Ware, Sigrid Ware, Cyndy Hetzell, Mary Kensler, Patti Cerio, DeAnn James, John James, Dorothy Quirk.

MINUTES: Dorothy Quirk gave a synopsis of the December 13 GSPHC meeting.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Mary Kensler reported a balance on hand of \$31,850.00. Motion was made (K. Ware/Gieshen) and passed that the GSPHC Youth Club be reimbursed \$100.00 for the two APHA raffle tickets their club purchased in the name of GSPHC.

GSPHC YOUTH CLUB REPORT: Cyndy Hetzell reported:

- The Youth Club went ice skating for their Christmas Party.
- They are planning a March clinic.
- They are discussing again holding their July Paint show.
- The donated pillows have been delivered to the Battered Women's Shelter.
- The GSPHC Youth Club will be profiled in the next Paint Connection magazine.
- A bus trip to Medieval Times is planned for January 23.

GSPHC MEMBERSHIPS: Marjorie recommended that anyone who wants to vote on any issues at tonight's meeting must have their GSPHC 2011 membership dues paid. She also reminded everyone that all GSPHC dues must be paid by check.

EQUINE ADVISORY BOARD: Barbara Mantini reported that Maryland is also experiencing the same problem as New Jersey in regards to their racing industry. It seems that the State's casinos are not willing to designate any percentage of their profits to the horse industry.

GSPHC AWARDS BANQUET: Jane Munn reported that she is waiting to receive confirmation from Scotland Run that we will be able to have our previous December Sunday in the future.

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ROAST BEEF DINNER AND POKER TOURNAMENT: Debbie Kinney reported that she has received the contract from the Salem County Sportsman's Club for March 19. Lapp's Catering will provide the dinner, from 5:00 - 7:00, for the price of \$5.50. She made the following recommendations:

- We charge \$15/dinner for adults and \$20/dinner for an adult and child.
- The Poker Tournament will run from 7:00 - 10:00 PM.
- The initial buy-in for the Tournament will be \$50.00.
- Additional buy-ins will cost \$25.00.
- Tournament winners will receive gift cards.

Motion was made (Munn/Nolasco) and passed that a portion of the proceeds from the raffle table be donated to the APHA Youth Project of Muscular Dystrophy. Motion was made (Munn/Kensler) and passed that GSPHC purchase sheetcakes as dessert for the dinner.

COMMITTEE MEETING: A Dinner/Tournament meeting, followed by a Show Committee meeting, will be held at 7:00, January 10, at the home of Jane Munn.

APRIL HORSE SHOW: It was noted that our April Show is also Easter week-end this year. The possibility of holding an Easter egg hunt for the children and a Sunrise Service were discussed.

FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS: Mary Kensler will check into where we can purchase a CD, Bond, etc. for a short term investment.

FUTURITIES: Glen Gieshen volunteered to Chairperson a Futurity Committee for the September show.

APRIL HORSE SHOW: The membership was reminded that barrels, poles, western riding, and reining will be held on Saturday at the April Show.

CLINIC: Glen Gieshen offered his facilities and time if the Club decides to hold a clinic.

YOUTH SPONSORED APHA SHOW: Glen also offered the use of his farm if the Youth Club decides to hold an APHA show.

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GSPHC SWEATSHIRTS: Motion was made (Nolasco/Kinney) and passed that Barbara Mantini order 60 sweatshirts with the *GSPHC* logo to sell at the April show.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:30 PM. The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, February 7, at 7:30 PM at the home of Dorothy Quirk. Members are invited to arrive at 7:00 for dinner. Christina Ferrell will be providing the main dish.

Respectfully submitted,
Dorothy Quirk, Secretary