

GARDEN STATE PAINT HORSE CLUB
November 5, 2012

The meeting was called to order at 7:40 by the President, Marjorie Moser, at the home of Dorothy and Milton Quirk. In attendance were: Jane Munn, Debbie Kinney, Judy Moyer, Patti Cerio, Ken Ware, Sigrid Ware, Ashley Nolasco, Margie Moser, Cyndy Hetzell, Mary Kensler, Barbara Mantini, Dorothy Quirk.

MINUTES: Dorothy Quirk, Secretary, gave a synopsis of the October meeting minutes. Motion was made (K. Ware/Kensler) and passed that the minutes be accepted as printed.

CERTIFIED LETTER - OCTOBER MEETING: Dorothy Quirk reported that she mailed the certified letter to the exhibitor's address and it was signed for. Mary Kensler reported that all bills incurred in regards to the letter had been paid in full. However, GSPHC show payments are to be made only in cash in the future.

JERSEY BRED MONIES: Dorothy reported that she had drafted a letter to Lynn Matthews, NJ Department of Agriculture, expressing GSPHC's concerns when we were informed that there would be no Jersey Bred monies available from the Department of Agriculture in 2012. She read the reply received from Lynn explaining that the Equine Advisory Board's budget had been decreased due to the reduced handle at the NJ racetracks. She explained that the Breeder Awards program has not been dissolved and, if monies again become available, the program will be reinstated.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Mary Kensler reported a balance on hand of \$32,659. None of the bills from the Awards Program in December have been paid at this time.

WEBSITE: Motion was made (K. Ware/Nolasco) and passed that Judy Moyer be given a check for \$350 as our 2013 webmaster.

YOUTH COMMITTEE REPORT: Cyndy Hetzell reported the following:

- The Youth Club has scheduled a work day at the Pitman Food Pantry.
- Their annual candle sale has commenced.
- The Club will again be holding their holiday dinner and bowling party.

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YEAR END AWARDS: Ashley Nolasco reported that all of the 2012 awards have been ordered.

YEAR END POINTS: Ashley Nolasco and Jane Munn explained how the Novice Youth Year End points are tabulated. (FYI - See rule #6 of the GSPHC Year End Point rules published on the website.) This rule will be brought up for discussion at a later meeting for any potential changes in 2013.

JULY GSPHC SHOW VARIANCE: Judy will again apply for our July show variance.

2013 HORSE SHOWS: Voting was held on the 2013 items discussed at the previous GSPHC meeting:

- **Green Horse Classes:** Motion was made (Munn/Nolasco) and passed that the following Green Horse Classes be held at the 2013 GSPHC shows: Western Pleasure, Hunter Under Saddle, Trail, Western Riding. These classes will not count toward the GSPHC High Points.
- **NSBA Classes:** Motion was made (Cerio/Nolasco) and passed that we hold the NSBA classes at the April and September shows, using two NSBA judges. Jane Munn, Judy Moyer, and Patti Cerio are all NSBA members. Jane will handle the preliminary paperwork.
- **Show start times:** Motion was made (Munn/Nolasco) and passed that the start time for all shows be 7:00 AM.
- **"Socks Drive Benefit":** GSPHC will be collecting pairs of new socks at the awards banquet to be donated to a shelter or other worthy organization.
- **Open Western Riding, Reining, Barrels. Pole Bending:** Motion was made (K., Ware/Mantini) and passed that these classes be offered as "Open" classes only in 2013 and not as Junior and Senior,
- **Scribes:** Motion was made (Cerio, Mantini) and passed that trail class scribe volunteers be paid \$30 to scribe the trail classes at each show. There will be a "Scribe Class" at the GSPHC Youth Club Clinic in the spring.
- **Dogs at the show:** There will be no dogs permitted in the indoor coliseum or the Cover All during the shows. Signs will be posted to that effect.

- Jersey Bred Classes: Motion was made (K. Ware/Munn) and passed that the Jersey Bred classes be deleted from the 2013 show programs.
- Amateur Trail In Hand: This class will be added to the 2013 show programs.
- One and two horse classes: These classes will be held but the winner will receive no GSPHC points.
- Electric timers: we will check with the Dream Park and see if it is, financially, a good idea to use their timers.
- Horse show ribbons: We are still asking for a volunteer to count, order, and store the ribbons for the 2013 show season. 6
- Casino Night: We will discuss holding this at our July horse show.
- Hotel Rooms: Mary Kensler reported the following:
Hampton Inn: 2012 - judges' rooms were \$84 - 2013 they will be \$94
Hampton Inn: 2012 - blocked rooms were \$89 - they will be \$99
Motion was made (K. Ware/Kinney) and passed that we continue to use the Hampton Inn. Having a complimentary breakfast at the hotel is a "plus'.

CHARITY HORSE/ RIDER CLASSES: Motion was made (Munn/K. Ware) and passed to donate \$800 to Carla Perri's chosen charity. GSPHC raised \$780 from these classes in 2012.

NOMINATIONS OF OFFICERS: The following persons were nominated.

- President: Marjorie Moser
- Vice President: Cyndy Hetzell
- Secretary: Dorothy Quirk
- Treasurer: Mary Kensler
- Board of Directors: (vote for 2) Ashley Nolasco, Ken Ware.

SUNSHINE CLUB 50/50: Won tonight by Sigrid Ware.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:40 PM with the next regular meeting scheduled for 8:00 PM, December 3, 2012. This will be preceded at 7:00 by our 27th Annual Christmas Covered Dish meeting at the Quirk's. Everyone is invited. Please bring a covered dish of your choosing.

Respectfully submitted,
Dorothy Quirk, Secretary

