

July 17, 2023, SWVADA BOD meeting minutes

BOD members present: Laura Nelson, Tamla Nichols, Judy Altizer, Candi Hylton, Rachel Roy, Denise Lennon, Muffin Smith, Lindsey Carr.

SWVADA members present:
Zoe Altizer, Katie Kelly, Riley Carr

Called to order at: 7:42 pm

President's report (Laura Nelson): defer to sections

Vice President's report (Tamla Nichols): 30 loads of dirt have been moved to GHPEC, cost \$8,900 to move it. Will be dirt for a while with temporary fence, sand has been added in rings 2 and 3. The ribbons are ready for fall show.

Secretary's Report (Judy Altizer): Laura's corrections added, the minutes are accepted with corrections

Treasurer's report (Annie Harris): not present to report

Membership (Candi Hylton): Current roster is 53 members, 35 amateurs, 6 professionals, 11 jr/YR, 1 supporting member, 39 renewals and 14 new. Several people have not received their USDF card, members are to be encouraged to renew early so they have card before needed to sign up for shows. Laura will bring it up at next VADA meeting to see if memberships can be sent in any faster, we need to post about delay on our website

Clinics and Shows: Fall show; Lindsey and Riley Carr will manage, Kelly will secretary. Need to buy prizes

Clinic is Aug 12 and 13. Lindsey is working on a flier, we should all share once it is posted, to encourage auditors, and for symposium Friday night. Rachel will email about cost for stables and biosecurity measures, and to secure lecture hall for Friday 7:00, bring a desert and a beverage. 20 slots, if we have space available, we will draw names for those who want to ride twice.

GHPEC: See VP report, discussion about adding a donation box to show online entry form

Social media: Lindsey encourages members to send DAL photos/results

Jr/yr grant, no submissions as of this date

VADA: as far as Laura knows, VADA has the checks we sent for sponsorship.

New bus, discussion skip August meeting, Laura will be out of town, none opposed

The meeting was adjourned at 8:10