

GAHA Conference Call Minutes 3/8/17 – Called to order at 12:03

On the call where: Pagan Gilman, Dianne Ginn, Connie Green, Kathy Hedgepeth, Laura Gordon, Robin Chisholm, Jessica and Kathy Gilker, Shelley Mac Millan and Dale Brown. Quorum confirmed.

Connie is 2017 Parliamentarian: Connie made motion and Robin 2nd to accept minutes of last meeting

Treasurer's report: \$3,210.43, \$440.53 was expensed for high point awards leaving \$2,760.90 in GAHA General fund

Shelley: Membership report; 8 memberships to expire in March. Roster is currently 66 adults, 29 three-year memberships, 21 youth and 11 lifetime

Kathy Hedgepeth received notification from AHA of 23 renewals, 127 members through March 3, total per AHA

Old business:

Last website update is underway.

Kathy H said to add the birthdate for the youth section and correct membership form

Denni Mack updated history section

Google calendar launched for show information with GAHA calendar as sub-form "participating shows", which will increase participation

Jessica Gilker is doing email blasts to keep GAHA activities active on social media

June Brewer did the show manager changes

Advertising costs will be \$10/month, 3 month minimum, \$100/year Google listed in google doc

Sponsorship form: Has been created and is ready to post on our website.

2 platinum – Nancy Klembus and Kathy Hedgepeth and Dale Brown
Allison Meththa will also be a sponsor

Jessica reviewed Gold and Platinum sponsors levels

\$500, \$400, \$300, \$200 and \$100

Kathy Gilker – non-profit status? Norma is helping, Pagan stated differing opinions, but has several attorneys to consult.

The joint horse show with Saddle bred club is not scheduled, due to big saddle bred show the last weekend in August.

The sport horse show opened to all breeds is September 24th at Foxberry Farm. Connie Green is the show manager.

Jessica Gilker update on Region 12 and Youth Jamboree activities

For Region 12: A coloring event is planned to decorate cards to mail to soldiers. She will contact both local military bases to see how best to get the cards to our service men and women. We need to determine how many to plan for at Regionals? Supplies needed?

Youth Jamboree: 3,000 viewed our ad. Laura Gordon acknowledged this success. Jessica questioned if Eliza Ginn is doing a Group Youth Page and will be in touch with her.

Discussion on holding a clinic or symposium on western horses at Nan Harley's, western dressage and Dale Brown, western pleasure. Date and Time TBD but all agree this is a fun activity for us to pursue

Mickey Womble passed away. Donation of \$100 will be made to Horseman Distress Fund voted on by Connie Green, Dale Brown, Laura Gordon and Kathy Gilker.

Pagan will have GAHA information available at her LSI/Markel booths in both arenas at Region 12

GAHA Year End Awards update: A lead line class has been added. Pagan requested photos from members to use to promote this new division

Next annual meeting at Talaria Farms thanks to Allison Mehta's generosity.

Dale asked about sponsorship and has billing been sent out; platinum sponsors are Dale and Kathy Hedgepeth

Other announcements: website is becoming more current.
Meeting adjourned