

KGPA Board of Directors Meeting

August 16, 2023 8:00 PM

Via Zoom Call

Attendance: 9 members present: Olivia Rush, Kelly Hetrick, Nicole Ditzler, Debra Hunt, Cam Reigle, Blythe Heisey, Joyce Walters, Brock Hohman, and Tori Meyer.

Treasurer's Report: Treasurer's report was approved

Meeting Minutes: Meeting minutes from the July meeting were approved.

Membership: Still a few new memberships coming in

2023 Shows: 2 weeks out from Summer Finale Show- September 1-3 at Elizabethtown Fairgrounds

Action Items:

- Judges finalized
- Dauphin County 4-H doing food booth Friday
- Arnold Family doing food booth both Saturday and Sunday
- Items for Silent Auction needed
- Port-A-Potties – Kelly to check with Sharon
- Ring Footing & Shavings- Cam to check with Garrett
- Joyce to bring flowers for backdrop
- Cam to bring straw bales
- Backdrop needs to be updated- Cam to see if current one can be updated; Nicole to speak with Janine about a new backdrop as well
- Payouts for market classes- Blythe has envelopes ready
- Banners- Nicole coordinating
- Awards- some have already been received
- Last day for pens & shavings 8/30/23

PA Dept of Agriculture Goat Sale: No report

KILE-

- Entries due 8/31
- Kelly & Garrett chairing Friday night market show
- Meeting with Morgan being held to finalize plans

Montgomery County Fair- Olivia to coordinate with Josh Mayne re: results

Susquehanna Valley Showdown 2024: Show dates to move to last weekend in June (29th & 30th)

Banquet: November 4, 2023 (Penn Township Fire Hall)

- Awards budget needs to be finalized
- Buckles already ordered
- Adopt-A-Kid- Joyce to work with Rhoads family to get the doe ready & photographed

- Equipment Scholarship- Discussion around possible equipment
 - Kelly to speak with Fritz Fry to see if he can offer a discount

BOD Elections:

- Discussion on how to “level” out the number of openings
- Board to ask people at show to see if anyone is interested in running for positions.

Committee Updates: None

Next meeting: Wednesday, September 13th @ 8:00 PM