

KGPA Board of Directors Meeting

September 14, 2022, 8:00 PM

Via Zoom Call

Attendance: 9 members present: Olivia Rush, Kelly Hetrick, Nicole Ditzler, Debra Hunt, Jody Weist, Garrett Jenkins, Brock Hohman, and Tori Meyer.

Treasurer's Report: Treasurer's report was approved- all signatures have been confirmed by the bank.

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

2022 Shows & Banquet

Show Wrap Up:

The show ran very well and made a slight profit due to the silent auction.

Health Certificate discussion identified two options: for in state competitors 1 health check after May 1 and out of state a health certificate within 30 days of show OR continue requiring everyone to have health checks within 30 days of the show. Discussion will continue at October meeting.

Show Series:

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Sponsorship: Need to focus on gaining more sponsorship for 2023.

Banquet: November 5, 2022

5-9 PM with doors opening at 5PM and dinner at 6PM

RSVP form to be sent out with return date prior to 10/22.

Olivia to do RSVP form

Awards: all showmanship categories will have the same prizes as ones donated by Sullivan Supply.

Jackets for high in level winners being ordered- awaiting price & artwork

Decision made not to hold a silent auction at the banquet

Centerpieces for banquet being donated

Blythe & Olivia to coordinate banquet program and ballot for board seat.

Adopt-A-Kid & Equipment Scholarship: forms on Facebook. Doeling is registered. Olivia to send out email with information. Participants must be KGPA Junior member.

2022 Election: 1 seat up for re-election (Garrett's). Garrett to run.

Production Sale: Penn State Evaluation Center

- No concrete plans
- \$400 rental fee for facilities includes 40 pens- additional pens can be rented from Huntington County Fair (Brock to confirm)
- Targeting April 2023
- Open and Commercial shows to be held- Open Commercial Classes discussed as well as Commercial Buck class.
- Kelly & Garrett to work on Zoom Meeting/educational program to include out of town experts. Live stream?

KILE & Farm Show: Kelly, Deb, & Brock to discuss KGPA taking over shows with Ron and Lois Zeigler

- Morgan Firestine new coordinator.

JABGA Regional Show:

- Determined that this fall was a no-go
- ABGA wants 2 JABGA Regionals shows in each region- for our region 1 in Indiana and one in Pennsylvania.
- ABGA pays for venue & expenses also sets budget
- Has to be done prior to Nationals in June.
- Discussion was for 2023 to potentially link this with the fall show or KILE
- Kelly to get budget & average attendance from ABGA

Committees: No updates

Next Meeting Date: Wednesday, October 12th at 8:00 PM - changed to Wednesday, October 19th at 8:00 PM.