

General Membership Meeting  
Field's Memorial School  
April 27, 2010

The meeting was called to order by President Robin Schaedler at 8:45 PM. Robin started by introducing the newly appointed board of director's member, Arline Card and recording secretary, Sadie Beatrice. There are still two vacancies on the board, one for a one year term; the other is for a two year term. We would like to have those appointed by the next meeting, so if anyone is interested please contact Robin by the next board meeting.

If anyone has membership questions see Christin and if anyone is interested in helping at the shows, please see Chairwoman Sue Wyatt.

The rule book has been updated and is available on the website. It will be available to view at all the shows and meetings. They will be available for purchase at all the shows and meetings for \$5 each to help defray the printing costs.

Sue Henderson will be our show photographer at all of our shows again this year.

#### Show Information – Woodstock Grounds

Arrival Saturday is 5 PM. Stalls and camper hookups are available. You must clean your stalls and be checked out at the end of the day. Please try to have someone check you out within the last hour of the show. Woodstock imposes a \$30 cleaning fee for dirty stalls.

#### Miniature Division

Miniatures must be measured before the first show they show in. We have the measuring stick and the forms and cards. An announcement will be made at each show where the measuring will take place. They do not have to be registered, but are considered miniature if they are 38" and down. The classes will be halter, hunter in hand and trail. Patterns will be posted at the secretary's booth. Please have your minis measured before you get in line for your class. The people available to do the measuring will be Donald Beatrice, Sadie Beatrice, Amanda Boaz, or Teri Smith.

In order to keep down costs, we will gladly recycle "like new" SNEHA ribbons and trophies, as long as they are not dirty or written on.

#### Nutrena Program

Karen Downey will be accepting Nutrena labels. We can get \$.10 to \$.50 back on each approved product label. There will be a box available at the shows and meetings. More information will be available on the website.

The first show is this Sunday. In the main ring, the judge will be Melanie Morrison and the trail judge will be Karol Bennett.

The second show is May 16. Those judges will be Natalie McGowan in the main ring and Charlie Muscarella in trail and driving. That show we will be sharing the grounds with a dog show. There will be a tent set up on the soccer field. There will be a fence dividing the grounds. We will be sharing the restrooms. They will be entering through the regular gate on Stone Bridge Rd. The horses are to enter through the north gate. When exiting, take a left out of the show grounds and go down to Little Pond Rd. As a benefit to sharing the grounds that day, we will have no responsibility for the restrooms and they are discounting the ground rental \$150. Parking will be by ring 3 and behind the barns.

The board reviewed the surveys that were returned and the results are posted on the website.

There are no minutes to be read tonight. Heather had written the last newsletter.

Treasurer Donald Beatrice read the treasurer's reports from February, March, and April. February and March's reports are already published in prior newsletters.

#### Treasurers Report April 2010

Beginning balance	\$2621.76
Income	50.00
Expenses	2135.38
Ending balance	\$536.38

A motion to accept the report was made by Christin Politowicz, and seconded. Motion carried.

Sadie read two pieces of correspondence. They were thank you cards from Franciscan Home Care and Hospice Care and from the family of Clifford Schaedler thanking SNEHA for the donation that was made in Marc's father's memory.

Thank you for the great turnout for the meeting and pot luck.

Debbie has stall forms available or you can call her to reserve a stall.

Christin did role call.

A motion to adjourn was made and seconded. Meeting adjourned 9:05 PM.

Respectfully submitted  
Sadie Beatrice  
Recording Secretary