

## DQHA June 2010 Board Meeting Minutes

The June 21, 2010 meeting of the DQHA Board was called to order by our President, Buddy Mowbray, at 7:12 pm. Those in attendance were Holly Pepper, Carol Schlotzhauer, Betty Webster, Mark Maull, Tommy Spicer, Bill Messick, Buddy and Jeanie Mowbray, Debbie Anderson, and Amanda Powell. The reading of the May Board minutes was tabled. The Treasurer's Report was given and approved, subject to audit. It was voted on and passed that the Youth Association will receive their portion of the AIM money when they reach a decision regarding how to use that money for team building in a non horse function. Also, it was voted and passed to give the DQHYA all of the leadline nomination fees to cover the cost of leadline awards purchased by the youth association.

Notices and Communications: The Association offers get well wishes to Jim Hitchens who recently underwent surgery. \*\*Also, the Association received thank you notes from Delaware Breast Cancer Coalition, AQHA and the Delaware Equine Council for the donations made to them from the trail ride. \*\*Buddy shared that AQHA awarded our affiliate a certificate for the completion of our 2009 AIM plan. \*\*Board members should be aware that they cannot miss two consecutive board meetings without a recognized excuse.

Committees: Show: There was a quick show committee meeting to tie up loose ends- the awards have all come in, gate people have been hired, the board is still finalizing plans for a 2<sup>nd</sup> ring steward. Also members are being asked to assist with setting the trail and hunter hack courses and helping with the BBQ dinner on Friday. Please let a board member know if you would like to help. Trail Ride: There will be another ride on September 25 and Extreme Cowboy Race on the 26<sup>th</sup> at Callaway's if you are interested in attending, let Carol Schlotzhauer know. Also, thank you to the DEC and all those who assisted with the May trail ride.

Old Business: The youth hosted an Eastern Shore Western Horse Show Association show at Candy Willey's on June 20. Thank you to all who assisted with the entry booth, gate, ribbons, and ring stewards, and especially Danny and Candy Willey for the use of their facility. \*\*The Youth Scholarship recipients have been chosen, thank you to those who applied for the award. The selected youth will be notified shortly.

New Business: The DQHA has a booth in the Delaware Department of Agriculture Commodities building at the Delaware State Fair all week. It is part of our grant requirements for the association. Please let Debbie Anderson know if you would be available to work the booth. There will only be two out of state shows accepted this year due to the 2 new shows added to the Chick's shows. Please consider this when turning in out of state shows to Dee Ann Mason for your year end awards. Youth trying out for the youth team will only be allowed these 2 shows. The board is taking bids for the 2011 website. Anyone wanting to apply for this position and propose a bid and demo to the board should contact Buddy Mowbray.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:17 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Amanda Powell