

QSLB MEETING MINUTES
April 28, 2009

Regrets: Judith Pineault, Alicia Finan, Victoria Barnes, Virginia Sheriff and Linda Squibb

Present: Garnet Clapp, Cathy Colwell, Roberta Zurrer, Sheri Doornekamp, Amy Doornekamp, Kathy Thomas and Jennifer Andersen.

Acceptance of the Agenda: Accepted by Sheri, seconded by Kathy T

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Business Arising: Show boxes have been delivered to Evergreen Farm by Amy. Garnet will take them to Misty Ayr for the May 10 show. Amy will also be making master copies of the tests for the show boxes, as well as copies of the tests required for the upcoming shows – May 9/10 only. All other organizers will be required to obtain their own copies. There are currently 33 competition numbers in the form of armbands, 13 cow tags are also in the boxes should they be required.

Treasurer's Report: Judith confirmed a current balance of \$4,350.23 Judith has provided and income statement as well as a balance sheet. This does not include the entry fees for the upcoming show as well as new memberships that have come. Costs incurred by the show will also need to be paid, including a full order of ribbons at \$752.14. The cost of the ribbons is much lower than originally anticipated.

There has been an overabundance of show entries received. At the time of the meeting, there was approximately 11.5 hours of judging for silver/gold show. Jennifer to follow up with Karen re: how long she would like the day to be. Entries will need to be limited for the shows this year.**

Membership Report: Roberta confirmed that there are 69 paid members to date.

Sponsorship: Virginia reported that further sponsorship has been received by the following people: McDougall Insurance \$250, Cathy Colwell has obtained \$75 to go towards sponsoring volunteer shirts, Garnet Clapp has given \$25 for same. Karen has requested shirts for her volunteers. As there are 15-20 shirts remaining from previous years, and Kathy had ordered 77 more, another vote was taken regarding the volunteer shirts. A motion was put for the Cathy Colwell to give the shirts to volunteers, this was seconded by Kathy Thomas.

CADORA – COAI Report: Kathy reported that she attended the meeting on April 22, 2009. The OADG has 102 members. There is a requirement for 10 members per Club in order for them to exist.

The Championships will be held at the following locations for the 2009 show season:

Eastern Division: Starlit Farms (Ottawa)
Western Division: Blue Star Farms

Judges at both locations will be Don Barnes and Elaine Potter.

Stephen Clarke will be holding a clinic at Holly Oak (the Ishoys) in Guelph. Contact Elizabeth Robinson if you wish to ride in this clinic.

It was also noted that CADORA will be celebrating 40 years this year. It was started by Christolet Hansen-Boylen. Each Club has been asked to do something to commemorate this anniversary.

Adjournment: A motion to adjourn was made by Roberta and all were in favour.

The next meeting may be held on May 26, 2009 at 7:00 pm at the home of Roberta and Scott Zurrer. The necessity to hold same will need to be confirmed. As show season begins, it is more difficult to arrange same.

**Addendum: Jennifer followed up with Karen Cullum re: entries for Evergreen Show. It was agreed that Mr. MacPherson would judge 9 hours and entries will be limited to reflect same. An email was sent to all future organizers. All shows will be limited to 8 hours of judging only.