

# AHAM BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

April 10, 2008

**Attendance:** President – Tom Connelly; Vice President - Ann Knoop; Secretary - Judy Zumbach; Linda Corich; Mary Imielowski; Betty Horst; Cheryl Dulac; Susan Tuck; Laura Brodzik

**Absent:** Hank Ely; Ron Gekiere; Chad Roberts **Guests:** Elizabeth Corich; David Spevelda

**Introduction of Guests:** Introduced Linda Corich's daughter

**Additions to Agenda:** None

**Minutes of March Meeting:** Motion by Betty horst to accept minutes; 2nd by Mary Imielowski. Motion passed.

**Correspondence:** Email from competitor to Pam Kittredge regarding no longer showing Class A shows due to price of showing. Tom distributed new price list from Ingham County Fairgrounds.

Clara received a letter from MSU regarding the MI.4H Horse Show. This will be held at MSU Aug.22 through 24 and they are looking for support of this show. If we wanted to be a vendor, the space would be \$100, but was due by April 1st. If we would like to sponsor a class the championship is \$60 and reserve is \$40. Either one will include recognition program, poster/banner & announced during the show. This is due by June 30.

### **Membership Report – Clara Burns:**

Clara reported we currently have 269 seniors; 56 – 3 year; 6 life members; total 331. We have an additional 64 juniors

### **Treasurers Report - Ron Gekiere**

Ron was absent from the meeting so Ann Knoop delivered the Treasurer's report. We currently have \$16,418.89 in checking. Our CD is at \$10,089.01. The CD is up for renewal next week.

### **Dressage/Sport Horse Report: - Judy Zumbach**

Judy reported on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Spring Clinic. Sport Horse lecture was well attended and very helpful. We will be having a "Mystery Basket Raffle" at the May show. Everything in the basket will be wrapped. We would also like some AHAM apparel to sell down in the infield.

### **Show Committee Report:**

There is a very good chance Hank will not be at the show. If he does make it, he said he would want to help. However, he would need to keep it at a minimum. We will need volunteers from the board to help at the show. This is what we will need:

- Coffee Pots set up Thurs., Fri. and Sat. nights. This includes cleaning and filling the pots and getting table ready for the morning. We use timers, so you will not have to get up early to plug pots in.
- Pick up donuts Fri., Sat. and Sunday mornings. They should be picked up by 6:30 am.
- Center ring set-up. Will need help to put the lattice work on the center ring and to decorate around it. Also to clean it during the show and to take it apart when show is done.
- Campers. Campers have to be checked for permits and people tracked down who haven't paid.
- Ribbons. We need to have the ribbons counted and reboxed this time so ribbons can be ordered ones for the August show.
- Ann may still need help at the out gate and passing out the ribbons.
- Help in selling AHAM shirts

We've have received a lot of request for stalls. And as usual people call now and can't figure out why they can't be by the arena. So far, there are over two barns on the south end filled, but that could change

### **New Business Announcements**

### **Board Comments:**

### **Adjourn:**

Motion to adjourn was made by Linda Corich; 2<sup>nd</sup> by Cheryl Dulac. Motion passed and meeting adjourned