

**Kansas City Dressage Society  
Board of Directors Meeting  
March 1, 2010  
Livestock Exchange Building, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Bank Space**

1. Call to Order
  - a. At 7:03 pm, Janet Blauvelt called the meeting to order. In attendance were Janet Blauvelt, Elise Mann, Deb Gregoire, Meghan Nichols, Julie McCrady, Aless Hall, Dawn Kindt, Roxanne Hitton, Wendy McGraw, Elizabeth Burgess, Teresa Ceballos, Carol Creska, Carol Davis
  - b. Janet Blauvelt asked for a motion to approve the minutes for February 1, 2010 meeting of the board. Julie McCrady moved for approval, Aless Hall seconded. Motion passed.
  
2. Treasurer's Report – Paying off airfares for judges. We will work towards moving our money to another bank. 2009 Tax Returns are being worked on.
  
3. Standing Committee Report
  - a. Education: The Volunteer and Scribing workshop was very successful. The Handbook for shows has been put together. All of our dates for the "L" Program have been submitted and we are waiting for confirmation.
  - b. Membership- Total 142, 19 joined in February. 5 honorary, 97 individual, 27 Jr/YR, 13 family
  - c. Communications- Carol Krska has agreed to be the Communications Chair Person.
  - d. By-Laws- Nothing to report at this time.
  - e. Finance- Nothing to report.
  
4. Committee Chair Reports
  - a. Awards- Ribbons should be here around 03/07. Deb Gregoire is helping out at the Awards Table.

- b. Web Site- Volunteer manual is up on the website in two places as PDF file. People that want to “opt out” of the hardcopy version of the extension can get a password so as to access it online.
- c. Sport Horse- MASA breed show is going to be in Manhattan, KS sometime in August.
- d. JR/YR- Lendon Grey will be re-scheduled March 13-14. \$10 per day to audit. There will be 7 riders.
- e. Horse Show- Conference Call 7:30pm March 3, 2010. Contact her at if you want to participate.  
[Deschepperk@gmail.com](mailto:Deschepperk@gmail.com). Does anyone want to volunteer to manage the October Schooling Show? We need sponsors for the classes/levels at our March Recognized Shows. March Show: Judges are confirmed. Vet and Farrier are in place. The Golden Ox is running the concession stands. Confirmed with the facilities. We will have the Royal Fresians and the Diamond Girls Jr. Drille Team performing Saturday night along with the musical freestyles and an instructive opening. Would like to get a nursery to provide greenery for the arena. Dennis Goodwin will be our Saturday night announcer. Need a set of letters for our warm-up arena. Arena is being delivered Friday morning.
- f. Longview Horse Park- Estimate for Judges Box - \$1700. Janet Blauvelt entertained a motion for us to spend the money on the judge’s box from the Longview footing fund. Elizabeth Burgess made a motion. Julie McCrady seconded. Motion passed.
- g. 2011 Symposium- Met at Maggie Stonecipher’s office. Propose holding July 2011. Want to hold at Hale Arena. 1<sup>st</sup> pick Linda Zang, 2<sup>nd</sup> choice Debbie McDonald, 3<sup>rd</sup> choice Ulla Salzgeber, 4<sup>th</sup> choice Edward Gal.
- h. Sponsorships- Already Covered

- i. Youth Camp/Adult Camp- Violet Hopkin's Grant will be applied for the Adult Camp. Maggie Stonecipher motioned, Julie McCrady seconded. Motion passed.

5. Unfinished Business- Nothing at this time

6. New Business

- a. Pony Club National Championships are going to be held at the American Royal/ Hale August 3-8. KCDS will be helping out.

7. Calender Reminders

- a. April Extension Dealine -March 15- Aless Hall- Bio, Julie McCrady- Article
- b. Next Board Meeting- April 5, 2010; 7:00pm Livestock Exchange Building
- c. April host- Katie Beth DeSchepper

Meeting adjourned at 8:06pm. Motioned by Janet Blauvelt. Julie McCrady seconded. Motion passed.