

**Bluegrass Arabian Horse Association**  
General Membership Meeting Minutes  
October 4, 2014  
At the Henderson's - Firelight Arabians

**Board Members Present:** Rick Tosch, Neil Henderson, Barbara Johnson, Teri Rettura, Lorie Henderson, Jerry Johnson, Lisa Waits, and Roxy Reed

**Board Members Absent:** Judierle Hall

**All in attendance:** Rick Tosch, Neil Henderson, Barb Johnson, Teri Rettura, Lorie Henderson, Jerry Johnson, Lisa Waits, Roxy Reed, Joe Waits, Glenn Reed, Claudia Duncan, Carol Brown, Idalyn Brown, Holly Kratzenberg, Bill Elzy, Henrietta Elzy, David Tate, Samantha Taylor, Roger Taylor, Tabitha Taylor, Darlene Steven, Brinley Swears, MCCartney Swears, Jenese Briegel, Cat Land, Jay Land, Jaeden Land. Guests: Don Wells and Kate Wells

Call to Order by President-Rick Tosch

**Youth Committee Report** – Presented by Lorie Henderson with Brinley Swears

- Breyerfest was a great success. Denny, Martha and Maryann all brought horses for demonstrations.
  1. Arabian horses were represented all 3 days.
  2. Region 14 bought a booth. BAHA and SAHIBA provided members to work it.
- Kentucky Round Up will be February 14-15, 2015.
  1. We are trying to get Region 14 to sponsor a booth.
- B.A.H.A. shirts are in the works for all youth members.
- Several Region 14 members got together to discuss hosting a “youth day” and write books on the results of the attendees experiences. They will use it for an outreach to youth groups, girl scouts and boy scouts. Would also like to extend it to people over 40 who would like to learn about horses, receive discounts on lessons and to communicate with other people.

**Treasurer's Report and Membership Report** – presented by Barbara Johnson

Club Membership: Full members: 51 Adult & 9 Youth. Associate members: 9 Adult & 0 Youth

This number allows us 2 delegates to attend AHA meetings and have voting privileges.

We made about \$6,000.00 at Spring Blast. This was almost double our normal profit.

Motion to accept-Roxy Reed 2<sup>nd</sup>: Jennifer Henderson

**High Point Report**- Presented by Teri Rettura

October 31<sup>st</sup> ends the 2013-2014 high point program.

All completed log forms must be submitted to me by November 30, 2014 in order to be counted for points in 2013-2014.

November 9<sup>th</sup> will be the 1<sup>st</sup> San-N-Tone show that can be used towards the 2014-2015 program.

**President's Report** - Presented by Rick Tosch

- San-N-Tone Shows will be: 11/9, 12/14, 1/11, 2/8 and 3/8.
  1. Due to the lack of club's financial benefits, Café BAHA will not be at these shows.
- Morab will be in Lexington on October 18-19.
- The High Point Awards banquet and general meeting will be on January 31, 2015.
- Convention will be in November in Denver, CO. Neil and Lorie Henderson are our delegates.
- October 17-25 are the AHA Nationals in Tulsa, OK.
- April 26, 2015 will be our Annual B.A.H.A. spring Blast.
- Within the coming weeks, check out the B.A.H.A. webpage. Jen Kelly will be posting new pictures.

**Miscellaneous** – Presented by Lorie Henderson

- At Canadian Nationals, Henrietta Elzy won Reserve Champion. Firelight brought 7 horses and won multiple Champion ribbons.
- Janese Briegel's horse won it's 1<sup>st</sup> (+)

**Miscellaneous** – Presented by Neil Henderson

- Updates from Region 14 meeting-Duane Esser is the new Director and Jeff Caldwell is the 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Chairman.
- The Arabian Horse Celebration was cancelled but there was a large uproar so they are having a meeting at Nationals to discuss bringing it back.

Motion to adjourn: Jerry Johnson 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion: Neil Henderson

Respectfully Submitted by:

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Teri Rettura, Secretary  
Bluegrass Arabian Horse Association (B.A.H.A.)