

VADA BOARD MEETING MINUTES 5/12/22 VIA ZOOM

Participating: Sheli King (VN); Bettina Longaker (Charlottesville); Anne Draine (North East); Laura Nelson (Southwest); Jessie Ginsburg (NOVA), Alison Douglas (Central); Robyn Nunnally (SVDA); Lisa Beckwith (NEVADA); Nancy Lowey (C'ville), Jane Palmer (ShenVADA), Angie Stanaway (NEVADA), Karen Rice (Fred'burg), Muffin Smith (SWVADA), Sherri Booye (C'ville) and member Dianne Boyd.

Minutes: Nancy Lowey made the motion and Anne Draine seconded that we approve the April minutes, and everyone concurred.

Treasurer's Report: Jessie reported that we had \$165+ in our treasury. This is a fairly slow period for us in terms of banking activity.

Licensed Shows: Dianne reported that are moving along for DAL. We do have to procure a new vet. Any rumors that we are not having a breed show are false. The prize list will be posted in the next few weeks.

Chapter Challenge Exploratory Committee: We are waiting on ShenVADA to name a representative and are planning to hold a committee meeting before the next board meeting.

2023/2024 VADA EVENT: The most logical location is VHC East Complex. We will find out open dates for 2023 and 2024 and then go after a clinician. Possible clinicians- Adrienne Lyle, Sabine Schut-Kery, and Ali Brock. Anyone with other suggestions, please email Tina.

Purple Book: Final edition will be 2023. We need to brainstorm ideas on how we can make it special. We also still need to decide how the membership directory will be distributed- the method and how often.

Chapter Updates:

Charlottesville- June 18-19 licensed show in Culpepper. Breed show on Saturday.

Fredericksburg has a clinic on May 29th with a sports psychologist. Their LS will be at Rosemount in September and the following weekend a riding clinic with Michael Bragdoll.

NEVADA – Starting June 16th, they will be having their Thursday night schooling show series under the lights at Edgehill Farm. On June 5th there will be a beats per minute clinic also at Edgehill.

NOVA -Has licensed shows in June and August (two 1-day shows) as well as schooling shows in August and November, all at Morven. Summer Camp will be held at Frying Pan Park July 27-30. Applications will be open to NOVA members only for a week and then open to any USDF member. Applications will be online and there is a small discount for VADA members. Jim Koford and Debbie Rodriguez are the clinicians.

ShenVADA -They are having a schooling show on 9/17 and their holiday pageant on 12/3.

SVDA- Will be having schooling shows one a month all summer.

Southwest- Has a schooling show (held jointly with a combined test) on 6-5 at Greenhill Park as well as an upcoming clinic focusing on biomechanics with Jessica B. Harris in August

New Business: Lisa Beckwith recognized the eleven juniors who competed at the IEA. We had several championship wins and the kids had a lot of fun.

NEXT MEETING June 9TH AT 8pm

Meeting adjourned at 8:27 pm.

Respectfully submitted by Alison Douglas