

**MHAHA Monthly Meeting  
August 9, 2017**

1. Pledge of Allegiance--called to order at 7:00 pm. Members present: Cathy Johnson, Michelle Wiberg, Tami Bagley, Juanita Peuse, Leann Peuse, Cindy Anderson, Mary Munger, Jeff Rutz.
2. Introductions--none
3. Approve July online minutes --submitted by Tami Bagley--motion made to approve, seconded, motion passed.
4. Treasure Report--Chris Rickart--absent, no report. Jeff said we made a profit from the Spring Schooling Show. Our club will be receiving money from Region 10--more details in September.
5. Membership Report--Michelle Wiberg--Michelle said we have one new member, 11 associate members, 98 full members: 47-1 yr, 14-3 yr, 36-youth, 1 lifetime.
6. Presidents Report--Jeff Rutz--AHA convention is coming up--November 15-18 in Denver. There is an official list of delegates listed on website.
7. Vice Presidents Report--Juanita Peuse--By-laws--no report.
8. Committee Reports:
  - A. Newsletter and Website--All--deadline for the newsletter is Wednesday, August 16th. Please send your submissions, articles, pictures for the newsletter to Michelle. Jeff said that the website page for club officials has been updated.
  - B. Dressage--Cindy Anderson--Cindy is contacting recognized dressage shows in the area to crosscheck and invite people to join our club. Suzette Sontag has offered her barn with a heated indoor arena, located in Somerset, WI, so we could hold a dressage clinic. Cindy suggested getting a S judge to help people see how their horse stacks up as a dressage horse. This clinic would not be limited to just Arabs and Half Arabs. Other breeds are encouraged. More to be discussed.
  - C. Arabians Unplugged--Tami Bagley--there are 3 shows remaining--MHAHA Dog Days and Fall Schooling Show and the MAHA Fall Schooling Show. All 3 are in September. The banquet is in November.
  - D. Royalty--Tami Bagley--nothing to report.
  - E. Hi Point--Leann Peuse--we will book the new banquet venue by September.
9. Shows and Rides:
  - A. 2018 GAGT--Jeff will manage the 2018 show. He will confirm the venue with Simon's Arena. The TD/Steward for Dressage will be Rusty Cook. The 2018 GAGT will not coincide with Region 11.
  - B. Dog Days--Mary Munger--the show details are pretty well set. Contact Mary if you can volunteer.
  - C. Fall Schooling Show--Tami Bagley--volunteers are still needed--contact Tami.
10. Promotions--Karron Denk is trying to recruit members. Need hand outs and membership forms to give out at shows. Several ideas were discussed as incentives for new members.
11. New Business--Youth--Debby is trying to get a judging team together for Nationals--deadlines are coming up.
12. Next Meeting--September 20th, 2017. Motion to adjourn, seconded, motion passed. Meeting adjourned.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Cathy Johnson, Secretary