

**APPROVED 8/14/23**  
**Mid-Ohio Dressage Association**  
**Minutes of Meeting**  
**05/08/2023**  
**Via Zoom**

Officers/ Board Members present:

Jessica Miltimore, Christine Talbert-Bash, Angela Tewksbury, Anna Cluxton, Vicki Milliron, Kara Corpman, LuAnn Grover, Phyllis Stevens, Nancy Wentz

Also Present:

Joe Hull, Sherry Hull

Jessica Miltimore-Kuhnash opened meeting at 7:02 and declared this meeting to be a Board meeting at which only board members may call for motions or vote.

1. Previous meeting minutes were reviewed. **Kara Corpman motioned to approve the minutes. Phyllis seconded. Motion passed.**
2. Treasurers Report from Angela Tewksbury – \$44058.43
  - a. PayPal has been transferred out of Beth Baryon's name and into MODA
  - b. [Treasurer@midohiodressage.com](mailto:Treasurer@midohiodressage.com) for PayPal payments, and there is a website URL where can people can come and pay directly

**New Business:**

1. Clinic Update – Vicki Milliron: upcoming sue Hughes is both days at South Wind
2. Show Updates - Show Committee:
  - c. Strawberry Moon is up on Show Secretary
  - d. Classic – Vicki Milliron:
    - i. Prize List is waiting to be posted
    - ii. Brave Horse had first show there; things are being worked on and many improvements.
    - iii. Vendor area looked good and didn't flood!
    - iv. Horse statue out by road is gone and may not put back up
    - v. Sponsorship report- Anna Cluxton: 3 rings of 4 sponsored; lots of interest in sponsoring other aspects (donations for fundraiser; breakfasts). Anna requests to please keep her in loop on logistics and decisions so sponsorship can adjust.
    - vi. Signs will be ordered from Vistaprint to replace previous previous laminated signs, along with ring sponsors.
    - vii. (later) Kara Corpman has breed awards items; Vicki Milliron will take them.
3. Hospitality Role from LuAnn Grover: a couple people interested in it; was holding them off until after the Volunteer Workshop
4. Website/Social update – Anna Cluxton: General discussion about logistics of social media (it's more than just posting due to algorithms and stats on FB and Insta). Anna happy to share responsibilities, and Karen Sanchez is helping with some on website but is not interested in taking over completely. More importantly – please give as much notice as possible for marketing needs (clinics, shows, volunteer needs) because it sometimes can't happen "right now" and takes time to prepare a post or a news blast.

## Old Business:

5. Volunteer Workshop – LuAnn Grover
  - a. 13 volunteers for training as well as the MODA team
  - b. Lots interested in scribing!
  - c. First hour was lecture style; then simulated a show with a horse with bridle number and went thru the process (including ring steward; scribe)
  - d. Would like to make this an annual event
  - e. Huge thank you to Julie Franzen for hosting, simulated show riders, and the MODA team
6. Education – Jessica Miltimore reviewed bylaws.
7. Other Items: none
8. **Next Meeting – 8/14/23 @ 7PM via Zoom**
  - a. **Anna Cluxton motioned that we do not meet in June and July, we will meet august 14<sup>th</sup>, and Vicki Milliron will loop in the Board on show committee communications. Christine Talbert-Bash second. Motion passed.**
9. **Christine Talbert-Bash motioned to adjourn meeting at 8:22. Phyliss Stevens seconded. Motion passed. Meeting adjourned.**

Respectfully submitted by Anna Cluxton

## Upcoming 2023 Meetings

**Please check MODA Website and Facebook page to confirm details**

(2<sup>nd</sup> Mondays of every month, 7pm via Zoom)

June and July skipped for Classic

August 14<sup>th</sup>

September 11<sup>th</sup>

October 9<sup>th</sup>

November 13<sup>th</sup> (Annual Membership Meeting)

December (usually skipped for Year End Celebration and Awards)