



The May GCSCA meeting was called to order on June 16, 2008 by President Lisa Paquet at 7:39 pm via a Conference Call.

Roll call was as follows: Cannon Falls, Hay Creek , Pine Island & Rainbow clubs were present. Saddlelite absent.

The **Secretary's Report** was read and approved.

**Treasurer's Report** – no change.

**Old Business:**

- **REMINDER:** You must get your show cards to Carole A. ASAP after your shows. She can return them to you if you need them for your club's year end points; but she needs them right away to update the points spreadsheet and to post the current standings on the website. Your club will be assessed a fine if they are received after the due date (see details in the GCSCA Bylaws.)
- Just a reminder that HCVSC has camping & stalls available for their 2 day show. It's available for Friday and Saturday night. Jo Dee Macena tickets are available for Saturday night (\$20 and \$50 tickets).
- Annual show –idea of assigned responsibilities for each club. It was decided to discuss this later in the year and vote on it for a bylaw change for the 2009 show year.
- 2008 Annual banquet feedback was received. The tentative date is November 15, 2008. A lot of interest in doing plaques for 3+ placings per horse/rider combo. Response on doing certificates again was neutral. Belt Buckles were the popular choice for High Points. It was also mentioned that trophies for all class placings were liked. Cannon Falls was agreed on for the location again, and Lisa is looking in to options for the DJ ... possibly karaoke.

**New Business:**

- Please email or fax the list of updated GCSCA numbers sold by your club to Carole ASAP.
- Carole A. is posting a list of all the GCSCA Exhibitor numbers that she has received info on. ALL members who have purchased a GCSCA Exhibitor Number should do the following:
  - Go to the GCSCA website <http://www.geocities.com/gcscassoc/points08.html> and be sure the spelling of their name, horses name and their age group is correct.
  - If their number is not listed, that means that Carole either didn't receive the information from the delegate OR she received it and there was missing information.
- The information in the database will be used to track points AND to print awards at the end of the year so we want to be sure it is correct! If their number is not listed or they need to correct the information that is listed, they MUST click on the "email me corrections" button and send me the following information:
  - 1) The GCSCA Number
  - 2) The riders full name

- 3) The horses full name
  - 4) The riders age as of January 1, 2008
- Is camping Available at the Cannon Falls weekend show? Cheryl is checking into that and will let us know.
  - A concern was brought up about the jump cones used at Pine Island's horse show for Jumping Figure 8. Pine Island is looking into purchasing the Jump Blocks. The WSCA rulebook states: pg. 20 Approved Safety Equipment Mandatory for all WSCA Shows:
    - III. Jumping Props: A. Standard
      1. Rubber 16" Highway cones, painted white, notched on top to receive crossbar or
      2. Rubber pole brackets for crossbar
      3. Blok training system white plastic jump blocks
4. Time to start thinking about running for GCSCA Queen or Princess Royalty! The interview and riding portion will take place at the Annual Show in Pine Island. We need a volunteer from each club to help judge. Please let us know who that will be during the July GCSCA meeting.

The next meeting will be via a conference call at 7:30 pm on July 21. (Carole will send conference call instructions via email prior to the call.)

Respectfully Submitted,

Jennifer Valek