

WSHSRA MEETING at Longview
9/14/2024

Called to order at 8:02am

***Business –**

Welcome from President Tygh Campbell. Introductions of the 24-25 Executive Board. Tygh handed the mic over to National Director Sue Hart to talk for a moment. Sue read the NHSRA mission statement and gave some incite on positivity and she is excited to get this year started.

Tygh also reported that we will be holding monthly meetings, and everyone is welcome to join on the Zoom call, but if you are wanting to bring anything up you will have to get on the agenda. So please let Tashia or Tygh know at least a week in advance so we can give you tie on the schedule.

Treasurer Report – Jules – She wanted to thank our previous treasurer for helping out during the transition period of changing treasurers. Jules is now on the bank account and she is working on an annual budget to be able to present to the membership. Jules pointed out that \$4 of every event entry fee goes to awards, and by the end of the season, that only covers about 25% of our annual awards fee that is spent at the end of the year. Just being transparent to show where our money is going. This is only a small portion of what she has been looking in to. Our CD doesn't make very much in interest, and she is looking in to other options for that.

Secretary Report – Tashia – Reminder to wear your back number, review your membership forms. If you get hurt at a rodeo, make sure you reach out to the secretaries and get an insurance claim form. NHSRA can help with any medical bills, but the forms have to be completed.

JH Board Report – Ryan – Ryan wishes everyone a great year. Reminder of the dress code, be respectful and have fun.

Longview Judges – Billy King and Joel Knapp – Joel spoke on behalf of the judges here. Dress code reminder and don't take any frustration out on your animal or others.

Raffle Report – Kate – Kate reports that if you sold enough tickets to get a sweatshirt and jacket last year, she will be in the stands with them this weekend. She is getting things going on this years raffle. More information to come.

Sponsorships – Becky – If anyone has ideas of sponsors please reach out and let Becky know. We are a non-profit, so any sponsorship is a write off.

Student Board Report – Reece/Gemma – Help out in the arena please. Ask for help. Event directors were announced. JH Secretary announced that we are still needing some JH event directors. This was taken care of during the meeting.

Queen Report – Elly – We need flag carriers for grand entry. Please see Elly if you are willing to carry a flag. Good Luck and have fun.

Michele Wood spoke on the Nationals jackets/patches. Small HS jackets are on back order until next week. She will be in the grand stands to hand them out this weekend.

Central Entry – Stephanie – Everyone did good entering the first 2 rodeos. JH/HS team roping, please find a partner as soon as possible. You cannot enter state finals without a partner. Call if you have problems with entering or any questions. Stephanie does the UNOFFICIAL results, but Kelsey Endicott does the final results.

Next monthly Zoom meeting will be Tuesday 10/1 @ 7pm

Adjourned @ 8:55am

Tashia Dean – WSHSRA Secretary