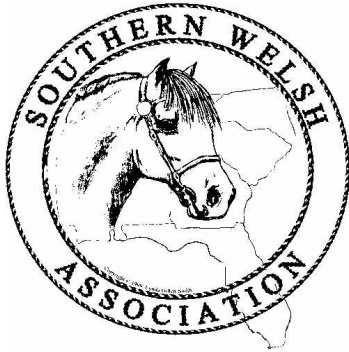


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Any SWA member who is interested in volunteering for the SWA Profile Interview, please contact Leah McFarlin at 352/529-0380 or email wowelsh@atlantic.net

Minutes:

May 11, 2002 Meeting

May 11, 2002 meeting was held at Lee and Helen Wagner's home. The meeting started at 12:25 pm and Barbara Lender read the minutes of the last meeting. The minutes were approved by Sherrie Southworth and 2nd by Mike Smith. Mike Smith discussed the balance of the clubs shares. With the regular shares holding a balance of \$71.79, and our share draft balance at \$805.52. This current balance does not include the cost of the ribbons from the March show or April newsletter expense.

Old Business: Old business included the 2003 show dates, Gold show in Tennessee, 2003 Judges, Judges clinic and a book audit.

2003 Show Dates: For our 2003 show dates we decided to do one day shows in the months of

January, February, March, April, October, November, and December. All shows will be the second Saturday of each month and all will be bronze sanctioned. Locations of the shows will be announced closer to show dates.

Gold Show: The Gold show in Tennessee will be a two-day show held the third weekend in July. The breeding classes will be double gold. Mike Smith wanted to have open classes for the Quarter horses or Gaited horses, or add driving classes to attract outsiders and introduce them to the Welsh ponies. Brenda Heberling will call exhibitors in the area to see if they will support the show. No payment for the grounds will not be due until after the show. The show was approved by Mike Smith and 2nd by Sherrie Southworth.

2003 Judges: Some of our 2003 Judges that were requested to Judge shows next year were as followed: Rose Hardwick, Cecille Dunn, Bill Freeman, Karen Berk, Karen Iverson, Phillip Hatfield, and Richard Washburn.

Judges' Clinic: On October 26 (or 27) we will have a Judges' Clinic. It will be held at the UF Equestrian Center unless their charges are too great. It will be \$75 for the exhibitors who are pursuing their Judge's card and \$25 for the people who are auditing. If you bring ponies to be judged this cost is waived. Our clinician will be Cecil Dunn or

Phillip Hatfield (or a judge we can acquire).

Audit: Finally, a committee was put together to do book audits on the Treasurer's and Secretary's books. Our committee consists of Helen Wagner, Barbara Lender, Clara Shepherd, and Thalia Gentzel as our Chairperson.

In new business, Thalia wants to send out renewal forms to people who do not get our prize lists.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:20pm.

Next Meeting:

Our next meeting will be held Saturday, July 13, 2002 at 7 pm at Lee and Helen Wagner's home. The meeting will be a post meeting for the Nationals and fall shows.

Please forward any additional agenda items to Brenda Heberling at Welshponies@Yahoo.com

After the meeting we had a surprise baby shower for Leah McFarlin and Lisa Stewart, but since they did not show up, the shower was presented to Lee, George, and Mike.

*Editor's note: Sorry guys! It turns out that the rumor is true...having a baby makes you completely lose your mind. I realized on Sunday that I had missed the meeting. So sorry! I hope Lee, George and Mike had a grand time.

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Calendar of Events:

One Day Bronze Shows:

October 19 & 20

December 14 & 15

Barn News:

Arabian Nights invites you to attend the First Annual Equestrian Matinee on Saturday August 24, 2002 at 12:00pm. Tickets are \$27.50/adult and \$19.50 for children, pony clubbers, and 4-Hers. Reservations are required, call 1-800-553-6116 or www.Arabian-Nights.com.

WPCSA National & Regional Winners:

National: In other news we have some WPCSA National and Regional winners. Our **National** winner is Teri Heberling who placed 3rd in the Western Pleasure Half-Welsh on her horse Silk Stockings.

Regional:

Breeding classes:

Section A Colts: Brenda Heberling placing 3rd with Loafers Lodge Pip.

Section C/D Stallions: Celia Evans placed 3rd with Blaengwen Dafydd-Y-Gwas and Lynda Gillen-Smith placed 4th with Minyffordd Megastar.

English division:

English Pleasure C/D: Champion is Celia Evans riding Madoc Rhiannon.

Adult English Pleasure C/D: Reserve was Celia Evans riding Blaengwen Dafydd-Y-Gwas and 3rd Lynda Gillen-Smith riding Minyffordd Megastar.

Adult English Pleasure Half-Welsh: Sherrie Southworth placed reserve with Farnley Rosebee in

Western division:

Western Half-Welsh: Champion was Teri Heberling riding Silk Stockings.

Adult Western pleasure C/D: Ch. Lynda Gillen-Smith with Bell Road Barn's Chorus Line, Res. Ch. Celia Evans with Blaengwen Dafydd-Y-Gwas, 3rd was Brenda Heberling with Dragon's Lair C Sharp, and 4th was Lynda Gillen-Smith with Glenhaven Welsh Margarita.

Hunter division:

Hunter C/D: Ch. was Bell Road Barn's Show Tune owned by Barbara Lender and Brenda Heberling, shown by Jenn Lender

Driving division:

Carriage Driving: 3rd was B's Mark of Perfection with Brenda Heberling and 4th was Candlelight's Mountain Epic with Dwight Hester.

Pleasure Driving C/D: Ch. was Celia Evans with Madoc Erian, shown by Frieda Sessions and Res. Ch. was Celia Evans with Blaengwen Dafydd-Y-Gwas.

Equitation:

Hunt Seat Equitation: Adult Ch. is Lynda Gillen-Smith.

Stock Seat Equitation: Adult Ch. is Celia Evans.

Congratulations to all the winners on the National and Regional levels. Good Luck this coming show season!!

Classified Ads

Regretfully offered for sale: 1998 Sec. B Welsh Stallion - GORGEOUS Red Roan. 13.1H. Champion bloodlines. "10" mover, FUN to ride, EASY breeder; FANTASTIC on the trails; lightly shown (open shows). Great personality. Perfect gentleman as a stallion; or geld for "A" child's show pony. Priced to sell - \$3500 (904) 591-3355.

Wanted: Large pony for young lady who has outgrown current mount. Current mount is by *Smoke Tree Silver Dragon and they would like to find another pony by Dragon, if possible. Please contact: Lisa Levy, email: MyTinMan@aol.com phone: 727-726-0660.

For Sale: Summer Sky Casanova, Sport Pony Prospect: 7-month-old colt, registered half-Welsh by Blaengwen Dafydd Y Gwas and out of unregistered Sec. C mare Dragon's Lair Miss Maggie. Bay, 2 high white stockings behind and one white fore sock. Big white blaze. Very flashy. Will mature to 14 hands. Lots and lots of bone. Full brother, Summer Sky Traveler, on premises. Sacrifice at \$2000 or make offer. Call Robbi at 386-418-0674 or email at robbi309@aol.com

For Sale: Medium Pony Hunter. Welsh/TB dark bay mare. 4th overall Green Ponies in Canada 2000. Shown short stirrup through mediums. Easy automatic changes. Call Katie at 352-214-

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8080. Photos and lots more ponies for sale at: www.piccolofarm.com

For Sale: Stunning buckskin Half-Welsh 2001 colt. Lots of chrome and “look at me” attitude. Will mature to approximately 14 hands. By *Smoke Tree Silver Dragon and out of a TB cross mare. Price reduced to \$2800. New photos at www.wowelsh.com on Sales Page. Contact Leah McFarlin 352-529-0380 or email Leah@wowelsh.com

Dressage saddle: Pony or small horse sized. Wide tree, 16 1/2" seat, long billets, shorter flaps. Excellent quality custom saddle made in England of soft, durable buffalo leather. Only used a few times. Paid \$1900 new, will sell for \$1000. 352-338-7620

For Sale: New Foal: Piccolo's (no name yet!) by Smoke Tree Silver Dragon out of Thoroughbred mare. A spectacular chestnut filly with 3 socks and a blaze. Should mature to large pony. Photos soon at www.piccolofarm.com

Help the Georgia Equine Rescue League! Save your Zimectrin proof-of-purchases. Zimectrin will donate \$1.00 to the Georgia Equine Rescue league for every proof mailed in. We are in need of this refund money because we are getting in many horses. We also need any donated lead lines, halters etc. You can email GERL at: gerldruanne@mindspring.com Please send your proofs to: Carey Seigel (area coordinator) 512 Bridge Way Lawrenceville, GA 30045

Note From the President

Please note that memberships run from July 1 through June 30. ***It is time to renew your memberships!***

Please send Membership Applications to:

Southern Welsh Association
c/o Barbara Lender
1351 NW 160th St.
Trenton, FL 32693

SWA Membership Application

Fees: \$20 for Individual/Family. FREE for youth – but must fill out application!

Name: _____

Address: _____

Farm Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Ponies Owned (check all that apply):

Sec. A ___ Sec. B ___

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Would you like to be listed in the Member Directory?

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