



Date: March 5, 2017 Farm Bureau Building

Officers and Directors		Present
President	Bonnie Robbins	✓
Vice-President	Steve Hubbard	✓
Treasurer	Marianne Ingle	✓
Secretary	Sarah Lanam	✓
Directors	Becky Brummage, Diana Hubbard, Crystal Servies,, David Ingle	✓
	Jerry Lubbehusen, Patty Baker	X

Agenda

Old Business

- February budget reviewed and accepted.
- Hoosier Classic awards..

New Business

- 2017 Indiana State Fair Updates
- 2017 Hoosier Classic Show
- Fall Conference Plans
- New location for IDGA meetings

Old Business

- February budget reviewed and accepted.
- Hoosier Classic showmanship awards and embroidered Best in Show blankets acquired from Becky Brummage.

New Business

- 2017 State Fair updates
 - Spencer Morris has been hired as the new livestock manager at the State Fair.
 - Judges will be confirmed May 15
 - Submit an application for the [Animal Assistance Grooming Program](#) if you want to help any 4H member prepare their animal for show.
- 2017 Hoosier Classic
 - Show bill soon to be revised and will include the following:



- Saanen and Sable buck breeds will also be sanctioned in addition to Nigerian and Nubian. All other buck breeds can be sanctioned based on show numbers.
 - Checking with Patty Baker on the availability of an additional building to host show dinner and auction.
 - Turkey donation is being reviewed by Mike Summerlot.
 - FarmWorld and ADGA quarterly will be used to advertise show.
 - Tracy Morgan will be the 2017 show photographer.
 - Auction committee is still looking for silent auction items and kid donations.
 - 2018 Hoosier Classic Plan
 - Committee discussed options for 2018 Hoosier Classic Show knowing ADGA National show will be held two weeks after Hoosier.
 - Decision was made to keep Hoosier Classic the same.
 - Exhibitors can make decisions whether or not to attend due to Nationals commitment.
 - [Survey](#) to be sent to IDGA members to gauge interest and availability in 2018 Hoosier.
 - 2017 Fall Conference
 - Location confirmed at Cayuga Fairgrounds on Oct. 1, 2017.
 - Breakout Sessions include
 - Judging and appraisal clinic hosted by Lee Bergfield
 - Advance AI (Still need instructor)
 - Herd Management and VFD changes (request going to local vet)
 - Dearborn County 4H Livestock Workshop on Saturday March 18. Contact the Dearborn Co. Extension Office by March 7 at 812-926-1189 or email braddawson487@gmail.com. Designate name and what species you are interested in.
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Next Meeting:

- The Farm Bureau Building will no longer host our meetings after hours without a Farm Bureau employee present. If you know someone who is an IDGA member and Farm Bureau employee, please contact Teena Speer.
- Next meeting is April 2 at the Indiana State Fairgrounds Conference Center.
 - Enter at Gate 6 off Fall Creek.

Next Meeting Agenda Items

- Consolidate show packet (Bring 10 paper copies and \$15 shipping to promote event)
- Finalize plans for 2017 Hoosier show including dinner and auction.
- Discuss 2018 Hoosier Classic Survey results

Adjournment: 3:41