

Regional Meeting 10/9/2010  
Great Lakes Region  
Parma, Ohio

Loretta Baugh held the meeting during the lunch break at the Cleveland Persian Society show.

Treasurer's Report. Rick Mastin was not present but provided Loretta information for the report. The region is in excellent financial shape. It is the regions policy not to publish details of our financial position on the web. You can contact Rick directly for the information.

Secretary's Report. Ballots for the Regional Award Show were sent to club secretaries. Contact your club secretary if you haven't already provided your input.

GLR/MWR GALA. Planning for the GALA is well underway. The GALA is a major fund raiser for both regions. In 2008, the GALA generated close to \$7,000 for each region. The show flyer is on the Regions web site. Peggy Gyimesi is the raffle chair for our Region. She will be contacting exhibitors and clubs about donating to the raffle. Beth Cassely from the Midwest Region is contacting Clubs about supporting the show. Norman Auspitz discussed the Breed Awareness Seminar and asked whether the projector that the region used for the award show was available. CFA would like to avoid the cost of renting the projector (approximately \$500 per day). If you have information contact Norman directly.

Photos. Jerry Kithcart requested exhibitors to send photo's for the "On The Road" show. He has not attended as many show and needs your involvement.

National Scheduling. CFA dissolved the National Scheduling Committee. If your club wishes to change the date or location of your show you must notify and receive permission from the Regional Director. Jerry Hamza has volunteered to provide a seminar on marketing shows.

2015 CFA Annual. The Great Lakes Region will host the 2015 Annual. The location is Toronto, Canada. Rosina McGlynn is the Chairperson for the Annual.

CFA Central Office. The CFA Board approved the move of the central office from New Jersey to Alliance, Ohio. CFA will acquire an existing bank building in downtown Alliance. The City of Alliance offered CFA tax breaks which will allow CFA to fully pay for the upgrade of our computer system. In addition, the CFA Museum will move to Alliance. The museum will be on the 1st floor of the building and CFA offices on the 2nd floor. Some CFA personnel have agreed to make the move. CFA has established a committee to manage the sale of the existing Central Office building.

CFA Judging Program. The judging program committee is making changes to the program to speed the process for new applicants. More information to follow.

Show Rules. The CFA Board sent the proposed show rule for opens/champions to committee to resolve the issues.

Exhibitors made suggestions that the CFA Board move the Clerking Program to the Central Office and develop Entry Clerk Software.

The CFA Board will hold monthly meetings by teleconference. Rachel Anger (CFA Secretary) will publish minutes of the meeting. The delay in publishing the recent Board Meeting minutes occurred because the Board needed to ratify the minutes before the minutes could be published.

Respectively Submitted

Joel Chaney