

The semiannual meeting of the Kansas Junior Angus Association was called to order on Saturday, January 21st at the Kansas State Fairgrounds by president, Eva Hinrichsen.

Roll call was taken by sign in sheet passed around. There were 48 members present.

New members and first time KJAA show exhibitors were asked to come forward and introduce themselves. There were 6 new members.

Officer reports:

Minutes from the meeting in June were posted and approved with a motion from Austin Woodrow and a second from Lauren Frederick.

The treasurer report was given by Anne:

Beginning balance of \$28,669.72 as of 06/04/2022, income \$11,995.97, expenses \$13,602.40, and an ending balance of \$27,023.29 as of 01/16/2023 (\$28,523.29 after \$1,500.00 reimbursement from NJAS 2022 for logo).

Eva Hinrichsen reminded everyone about the T-Shirt Auction that would take place in conjunction with the Kansas Angus Association Banquet.

Jayce Dickerson gave a report about the NJAS booth for 2023. The theme of junior nationals will be "Guardians of the Plains," but the booth display will be similar to last year in honor of the 150th anniversary. Stall display cards would be \$10.

Eva Hinrichsen announced that there were 122 head entered for the Futurity with exhibitors traveling from Iowa, South Dakota, and across the state of Kansas.

In his NJAA board member report, Jayce Dickerson reminded juniors that Raising the Bar would be at Clemson University in South Carolina and that the registration deadline was March 1st and that the deadline for the LEAD conference in Modesto, California was June 15th. He also announced the \$150 for 150 years fundraiser for the Angus Foundation and asked if the KJAA would be interested in participating.

Advisor reports:

The advisors reminded members and parents that they should have received a letter about NJAS rule changes relating to ownership dates, having cattle registered before entering, and the process being solely online.

They also invited members to come play games and do icebreakers after the meeting.

Old/Unfinished Business:

There was no old business.

New Business:

Elections for the NJAS voting delegates and alternates were held with the members voting on paper ballots.

Voting Delegates: Jackson McCurry and Kelsey Theis

Alternate: Austin Woodrow

A motion was presented by Lauren Frederick for the KJAA to donate \$150 to the 150-year fundraiser and Claire Norris seconded.

Announcements:

Breakfast 7-8 am with show starting at 9 am

Preview Show June 3rd – 4th

Austin Woodrow moved to adjourn the meeting. Lauren Frederick seconded. Motion passed and meeting adjourned.

Baylee Wulfkuhle, Acting Secretary