

IWDRA MEETING AGENDA  
State Meeting, 2009  
TWIN FALLS COUNTY FAIR GROUNDS FILER, IDAHO

Welcome: Todd Wadsworth brought to order @ 6:50 p.m.

Board Members Attendance:

Debbie Maxwell  
Skeeter Duby  
Shad Hansen  
Jason Clemens  
Wes Harris  
Paige Ireland  
Steve Agenbroad

Board Members Absent

Chris Matson  
Kelli Taylor

Dates to Remember

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| a. High School State Finals; June 14-20         | Pocatello      |
| b. Junior High National Finals; June 28– July 4 | Gallup, NM     |
| c. High School Finals; July 19 – 25             | Farmington, NM |

Todd discussed dates for the 2009 finals.

After long discussion concerning conflicts, high school rodeo and facilities It was brought to the floor to move the state finals to the last weekend of May.

The rodeo schedule would be Saturday, Sunday and Monday of that week.

Voted on and passed.

After passing of the new date Todd mentioned he would contact John Pitz to see if facility was available.

Stefanie Duby brought up the subject of where the Wrangler Division is going concerning growth and proposed the thought of a possible fall rodeo.

Discussion was brought up about Todd's request to have those proposal in writing at the previous meeting in Filer. Steve Agenbroad proposed a 3-year growth plan at that meeting. No other proposals were brought to that meeting.

Todd opened the floor for discussion concerning the growth of the Wrangler Division.

There was a large discussion concerning 5<sup>th</sup> Graders coming into the Wrangler Division and how we would have them signed up in time to have a fall rodeo. Many individuals were concerned that we would not have adequate time to get the 5<sup>th</sup> Graders the information. Several individuals felt if we do have a rodeo in the fall we need to have a goal to have a rodeo by the year 2010.

Steve Agenbroad has offered to be the 'Idaho Wrangler Division Recruiter' in an effort to pass on the appropriate information throughout the State of Idaho and possibly aide the district/area representatives in their efforts with meetings. Brenda has finished a powerpoint presentation that can be used at all meetings. This presentation includes due dates, appropriate information and any other additional information members may need.

It was also discussed that district/area representatives will need to have meetings as early as August in order to have a fall rodeo and not exclude any new members. It was also brought up that with a fall rodeo we need to focus on financial funding, facilities, awards and possible dates. It was a concern of the Eastern Idaho contestants that the rodeo would be in the Treasure Valley and they would be the only individuals who would need to travel. Therefore, discussion was brought up about having an Eastern Idaho rodeo also. This rodeo would possibly take place in the spring. By having a greater amount of rodeos it would only be fair to have three rodeos throughout the state.

It was also discussed that this first year be a jackpot and then move into points or a qualifying rodeo the following year. Skeeter Duby said he would not produce a Fall rodeo if it was just a 'jackpot'. This was due to the fact that you couldn't guarantee how many individuals would participate. Jason Clemens pointed out that he probably would not be willing to travel to a Fall rodeo if it was just a jackpot and did not include points.

After long discussion concerning the pros and cons concerning future growth and the expansion of the Wrangler Division Todd asked if someone was willing to write up a proposal to present to the Idaho Wrangler Division members and directors in addition to Steve Agenbroad's..

Skeeter Duby offered to write a proposal.

Todd asked that the proposal be in writing and be sent to Brenda the following Wednesday after State Finals ended.

Jason Clemens moved to adjourn and Steve seconded.