

**MISSISSIPPI AMATEUR QUARTER HORSE ASSOCIATION**  
**BOARD OF DIRECTORS**  
**MINUTES**  
**May 13, 2025**

	P – Present	CI – Call In	A – Absent	EX - Excused
CI	Barbara Chambers, Pres.	CI	Aprille Watts (NE)	
CI	Hanna Haynes, VP	EX	Rebecca Miller, Alt (NE)	
CI	Brooke Ware, Sec.	A	Emma Dale(SW)	
CI	Laura Miller, Rep.	A	Camryn Johnson Burton (SW)	
CI	Michele Johnston (NW)	A	Cathy Cook (SW)	
CI	Mary Bess Woodruff (NW)	CI	Kim Brake, Alt. (SW)	
A	Cody Newsome Alt, (NW)	CI	Debbie Cole (SE)	
A	Cynthia Schuetz-Smith (NE)	CI	Lazette Everett (SE)	
CI	Nick Culwell(NE)	A	Denise Hoffman (SE)	
				,Alt. (SE)

Barbara Chambers called the meeting to order.

Michelle Johnston made a motion to approve the minutes, with the correction of Camryn Johnson's new last name being "Burton". Debbie Cole seconded; motion passed.

**Finance – Barbara Chambers**

Gay McCann sent out the financial report via email to the executive committee. The current balances of the accounts are as follows: checking and scholarship

Mary Bess Woodruff made a motion to approve the financial report. Hanna Haynes seconded; motion passed.

**Fundraising – Laura Miller**

T-shirts are still available for order. Contact Laura to place your orders.

**Autumn Fest – Barbara Chambers and Laura Miller**

Judges have been confirmed, and contracts have been received and signed by Manita DeFoor, Rick Christy, and John Duffy. Laura Miller contacted Lanny Ferguson for gift certificates for the Ranch High Point awards, and the door mats with the MAQHA logo will be given for the All Around/High Point awards.

Michelle Johnston made a motion to add Small Fry Ranch High Point awards to both the Autumn Fest and Holiday Classic shows. Nick Culwell seconded; motion passed. Barbara will contact Becca to have one of the judges submit patterns. The showbill needs to be finalized, and sent to Pat Kress for the completion of the show application.

**Holiday Classic –**

No new report. Judges have been hired.

**New Business —State of Mississippi Open Horse Show Association Sponsorship:**

For the past several years, MQHA, MAQHA, and MQHYA have split a \$150 sponsorship for the annual show. An ad in the program and announcements made at the show are included. Laura Miller made a motion to pay \$50 of the \$150 sponsorship for State of Mississippi Open Horse Show Association with the open and youth associations. Mary Bess Woodruff seconded; motion passed.

There being no further business, Mary Bess Woodruff moved for adjournment. Nick Culwell seconded; motion passed.

Respectfully submitted,  
 Brooke Ware