

National Jr Braford Association Committee Meeting

September 10, 2019

Members in Attendance: Christi Natali, Jennifer Vest, Michelle Johnson, Leslie Hargrove

- Facebook

Christi brought up the idea of starting a facebook page specifically for the NJBA to highlight activities and get information out to members. The committee discussed the idea and all considered it a good idea. Christi will speak with Hannah Wine who is currently managing the UBB website for assistance.

- All American Host

A document has been created to outline the responsibilities for hosting All American. The spreadsheet includes information regarding the types of activities, the facility needs and volunteer needs. It further delineates the NJBA and the host family responsibilities. Input was requested from the committee. The only suggested change was to remove the budget lines from the grid. The committee will work closely with the host family to determine budget needs.

- Directors Retreat

The NJBA directors will meet September 20-22 at the Rockefeller Wildlife Refuge. With the help of an individual sponsor, Hannah Wine will be able to participate in the retreat. She will be providing activities for the youth to participate in during the retreat. It will follow a similar schedule to last year. Michelle will look into the possibility of Representative Ryann Bourriaque coming to speak with the kids. He has a cattle background and was recommended by 4-H as a speaker. The group will be going on an outing Saturday morning with Mr. Robbie. He believes we can do the activity without going onto airboats but will confirm at a later date. Items to discuss with the directors at the retreat include:

- Possible service project ideas
- Fundraising
 - Calendar – letter sent out with prizes to assist, can blast on Facebook
 - Split the pot – Give out tickets at retreat and draw in Shreveport
 - Houston Sale/Silent Auction
- All American Planning
 - Decide Theme/ Logo
 - Prize ideas
 - Hope to have All American planned by end of retreat
- NJBA Account
 - Should receive an updated balance soon
 - How to allocate funds

Directors have been asked to bring their navy dress shirt and maroon t-shirt to the retreat to get updates pictures for NJBA use. The Committee will arrange for food with a google doc menu. The committee agreed to speak as need when we get closer to the retreat.

Meeting Adjourned