

**Annual Meeting of the NWLA  
September 11, 2011  
Spokane, WA**

Board Members in Attendance:

Alan Bradshaw

Alice Bradshaw

Shelley Dodd

Beverly Shirts

Jacqui Duran

**Treasurer's Report**

There is a balance of \$5748.43 in the account. There were a couple of additional checks written at the show including the judge for \$350 and reimbursing Shelley for copies of the show program for \$48.73 that are not included in the balance.

Alice gave everyone a list of current members.

**Show**

Alan asked how everyone liked the show. All show participants seemed to be happy with the show. He asked if we should keep the NW Classic in Spokane. All participants said yes.

**Entry Fee Refunds/Premiums**

The board voted to give all participants \$10 back per entry fee as well as an additional \$10 raise in premiums. The fair gives NWLA \$2200 to run our show. When premiums were determined a couple of months ago, they were based on last year's number of 72 head of cattle in the show. To make sure the show premiums and expenses were going to be covered, the board raised the entry fee from \$20 to \$30. Since there were only 42 head of cattle entered in the show this year, less funds need to go to the show for premiums. Final numbers for the show will be determined and reported on at the next meeting.

Alice gave out checks at the show so participants were able to leave with their checks.

**New Associate Members**

High Point Lowlines, Victoria, B.C.; Lilleflore Farms, Hayden, ID and Cross My Heart, Hayden, ID

**Upcoming Elections**

Alan noted that in December we will have elections for the Chair positions as well as the Treasurer. He encouraged everyone to think about getting involved in the association.

**Promotion**

There was discussion on how everyone can help promote Lowlines. Ideas included using the flyer that is on the ALR website (home page), local papers, extension office and info in regional news.

**Next Board Meeting**

October 11, 2011 at 7pm.