

WDAFL Board Meeting  
Sunday, October 19, 2025  
7:00 pm Zoom Conference Call

President Melanie Werst called the meeting to order at 7:06 p.m. Melanie, Amanda, Brenda, Diane, Allie, Carmen, Kristin, and Robin were present.

Secretary's Report: The minutes from September 2025, previously emailed to the board, were reviewed. Amanda made the motion to approve the minutes; Carmen seconded it, and the motion was passed.

Treasurer's Report: The July report, previously emailed to the Board, has been approved. Carmen made a motion to approve the report, and Allie seconded it; the motion was then passed.

The following was discussed.

WDAFL Show: Belt buckles and medals have been ordered. The preliminary numbers for Grand and Reserve have been received. Discussion about other awards being ordered, including stall fronts, saddle covers, garment bags, and arena bags. Brenda will see how long it takes for the ribbons to arrive.

Big City Pizza will be \$1200 for catering the banquet in January. Mandy will RSVP. A check will be sent to Big City Pizza.

We decided to set breed award deadline for December 1, 2025.

We still need auction items, more sponsorship,

Board Member Discussion:

The board was made aware that Robin has changed her USEF status to Professional. The board voted to have her continue as a board member until December 31, 2025. She will then step down as of January 1, 2026.

There was continued discussion about the upcoming board nominations.

Further discussion about the Advisory Board, including the potential for other professionals in Florida to join and collaborate.

The next board meeting will be on Sunday, November 23, 2025, at 7:00 pm

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