

Official February Abu meeting minutes at Brian's Bar & Grill 2-9-16

People present:

Ron, Gail, Kathy, Karen, Sue and Richard Munch, Sue, Gerry and

Denise

We extended a welcome to Susan & Richard Munch for attending our meeting and having dinner with us.

Members attending our meetings is always welcomed.

Minutes:

January minutes were read and approved, accepted by Karen and 2nd by

Denise. We decided that the minutes will be published on our website but not on Facebook.

Open Show:

Due to cost, having the open show at Valparaiso Indiana was not going to work this year. It was decided that the show will be at Francis Field in New Lenox Illinois. This year we both added and removed a few classes from the show bill.

For trophies, we decided to use the wine glasses for the Arabian classes.

The ASSAD club will put our show bill in their newsletter and we agreed to put their show bills in our newsletter also.

Membership drive:

Karen called AHA, & Dave Waggoner from Region 11 to get a list of people in our area that where AHA members but not affiliated with a club. She sent out

around 150 letters via email describing our club and the activities we do looking for new members.

Susan Munch voiced an option of searching for people that did not have Arabians as well. The club thought of putting a poll on Facebook to find out if people without Arabians would be interested in join our club.

Website:

Sue put the open show information on the website.

Regional Meeting:

Gal will get the minutes from the last meeting and will put it in the newsletter so other members can be informed on what was discussed.

Meeting adjourned at 9:15 PM, Accepted by Ron 2nd by Gail