## Missouri Red Angus Association

## **2022** Annual Meeting Minutes

Friday, April 22, 2022 6:00 p.m.

Location: Sac River Cowboy Church, Springfield, MO

There were 94 members & guests present with 43 voting members.

President, Dan Lacy welcomed everyone to the MORAA Annual Business Meeting & Dinner. Kelly Lacy gave the invocation. Dinner was a country fried steak, mashed potatoes & gravy, green beans, roll & cookies, catered by the Ozark Empire Fairgrounds.

President, Dan Lacy called the business meeting to order at 6:45 p.m.

- Vice-President, Steven Rogers highlighted the 2021 year for the MORAA membership.
- Introduction of MORAA Board Members:
  - Secretary: Callie Curtis
  - o Treasurer: Linda Campbell
  - At Large Director: Connie VanWye
  - o NW Director: Brian Hart
  - NE Director: Nathan Koelling
  - SW Director: Bud Thomas
  - o SE Director: Cody Enderle
  - o Ex-Officio: Jeff Jenkins, DVM
  - o Ex-Officio: Jordan Thomas, PhD
- Introduction of Committee Chairpersons:
  - Sale: Linda Campbell
  - Marketing: Steven Rogers
  - Membership: Callie Curtis
  - Newsletter: Veronica Sartin
  - Show Committee: Jerry Ellis
  - Juniors: Coby & Rachel Jones
- MO Junior Red Angus Year in Review:
  - o 2021 Online Fundraiser Sale revenue: \$5,056.00 to go toward educational funds
  - o April 26<sup>th</sup> is the 2022 Online Fundraiser on Breeders World
  - o April 23<sup>rd</sup> before the Show-Me Reds, they will be auctioning off corn hole boards, jerky & cooler, semen tank, 500# of MFA choice mineral.
  - O NAJRAE:
    - 2021-14 Attendees in Lebanon, TN
    - 2022-Chickasaw, OK June 19-26<sup>th</sup>
    - Junior Area Coordinators (JAC): Gracie Rogers, Colton Jones, Brett Sartin
  - June 4<sup>th</sup>: Bradley Cattle is hosting a field day, and this will be an educational event for the juniors.
  - Young Stockman's was held in Columbia, MO in December 2021 and we had several attendees.
  - Shannon Jenkins, a former MOJRAA member will now serve on the adult advisory board.

- MORAA Moving Forward (Dan Lacy):
  - The MORAA board of directors works to the best of our ability to help all members.
  - o Continue to build the Fescue Belt Certification Program
    - In 27 months, we have certified 1,856 head
  - o Promotion of our members operations
  - Display & distribute educational materials

At 7:15 pm, Jordan Thomas, PhD with the University of Missouri gave a presentation on the new Red Choice program, which is a defined heifer development program based off the Show-Me Select Heifer program.

- Their goal is to promote improved heifer development and increase marketing opportunities. Not only is it a marketing tool, but buyers have confidence that these females have been managed to a high standard.
- Wean: Vaccination program, Brucellosis OCV, parasite control
- Pre-Breeding: Vaccination program, trac score, pelvic measure, parasite control
  - o Service Sires must meet a CED requirement.
  - Pelvic measurements must be greater than 150 cm, if a measurement is less than 150 cm, she can be rechecked at preg check, but must be at 180 at that time.
  - o Breeding records: Preg check within 90 days of start of breeding season
- For enrollment, contact Chessie Mitchell at RAAA.

At 7:45 pm, Dan Lacy calls the business meeting to commence.

- Secretary Report (Callie Curtis): Callie moves to accept the secretary report as read, Brian Hart seconds, motion passes.
- Treasurer Report (Linda Campbell):
  - o MORAA: \$42,738.03 on 4/15
  - MOJRAA: \$23,019.37 on 4/15
  - o Bud moves to accept the treasurer report, Callie seconds. Treasurer report approved.
- Officer Election:
  - President: Steven Rogers
  - o Treasurer: Linda Campbell
  - SW Director: Bruce Bradley & Kyle Roder (nominated from the floor, by Dwight Harper)
  - SE Director: Cody Enderle
  - o Director At Large: Connie VanWye & Cody Holt
  - Voting members were asked to place an X by the candidate of their choice on the ballots.
- Industry Update (Harold Bertz):
  - o Highest cow slaughter so far this year
  - Highest Red Angus Cow Inventory
  - o Red Choice
  - o FCCP Sales
- Election Results:
  - o President: Steven Rogers
  - o Treasurer: Linda Campbell
  - o SW Director: Kyle Roder
  - o SE Director: Cody Enderle
  - Director At Large: Cody Holt
- Dan moves for the business meeting to be adjourned, Bud Thomas seconds. Meeting adjourned at 8:37 p.m.