

THE BRANDING IRON

FROM THE DESK OF THE PRESIDENT



**ARIZONA GAY
RODEO ASSOCIATION**

Hello Cowboys and Cowgirls,

I hope everyone had a wonderful and relaxing Independence Day Weekend!! We are gearing up for a hot summer!

That's all for now folks

Respectfully,
Michael Weidmann
AGRA President

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Next Newsletter Deadline:
July 25th 2013

Send submissions to:
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THANKS PATRICK!

Secretary's Report

Dear All,

I hope you all are enjoying the fantastic Phoenix weather as much as I am! I'm excited to report AGRA currently stands at 84 members. I'd like to wish a happy birthday to our members with birthdays in July:

Greg Gillum	July 3rd
Matthew Laird	July 8th
Jaimes	July 9th
Norris Runfield	July 9th
Jim Maher	July 13th
Timothy Schwer	July 22nd
Jacob Tenney	July 22nd
JoJo Sin Clair	July 30th
Chris	July 31st

Sincerely,

Patrick Roe
AGRA Secretary





TRUSTEE

In the June 9 Membership Meeting, additional nominations were accepted for delegates to the 2013 IGRA Annual Convention. Individuals nominated are:
Michael Chavez, Bob Pimentel, Doug Holmes, Carlos Garcia & Don George

Individuals nominated in the May 5 Membership Meeting are:
Jared Crystal, Dan Iversen, John King, Kevin McSweeney, Patrick Roe, Todd Wyckoff,
and Marcos Sandoval

I want to remind everyone that voting will take place in the July 21 Membership Meeting. Per AGRA Bylaws, the Trustee and President are automatically delegates. So we will elect 4 additional delegates and 5 alternate delegates. The 4 individuals who receive the highest number of votes will be delegates, and the 5 individuals with the next highest number of votes will be alternate delegates. Convention will be November 15-17 at the Hilton San Diego Mission Valley Hotel. I will let you know as soon as more information is available.

Due to two (2) back-to-back trips to Oklahoma in June, I was unable to attend the Canadian Rockies International Rodeo in Calgary, AB, Canada June 28-30. But, I am planning to attend the Rocky Mountain Regional Rodeo in Denver July 12-14. The IGRA Board and Trustees' Meetings will also be on July 12.

It is likely we will need judges for one or more segments of the IGRA Royalty Competition at the Finals Rodeo this October in Fort Worth, Texas. If you plan to attend and might be interested in being a judge, please let me know. This is not a guarantee that AGRA will need judges, and/or that you will be selected as a judge. I just want to be prepared!

As usual, please contact me if you have questions, or if you need information.

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TREASURER'S REPORT

May: Balance Sheet	
Total Assets	\$13,875.11
Checking	\$13,875.11
CD	\$0
Non Rodeo	\$161.84
Rodeo	\$3,700.00
Year to Date 2013 Rodeo Net Income	\$8,655.98
Rodeo	
Income:	Expenses:
Liquor Sales \$3500	
Sponsor \$200	
Non-Rodeo	
Income:	Expenses:
Membership Dues \$475	Bank & Credit Card Exp \$132.01
Fundraisers Chili Verde \$541	General Expenses \$187.25
Patio Show \$441	Royalty \$875.25
	Chili Verde Expenses \$100
May: Balance Sheet	
Total Assets	\$8,000.05
Checking	\$8,000.05
CD	\$0
Non Rodeo	(\$275.06)
Rodeo	(\$3,000.00)
Year to Date 2013 Rodeo Net Income	\$5,655.98
Rodeo	
Income:	Expenses:
	Transfer to 2014 \$3000
Non-Rodeo	
Income:	Expenses:
Membership Dues \$35	Bank & Credit Card Exp \$134.95
Fundraisers Chili Verde \$7.14	General Expenses \$187.25
Misc Income \$21.08	Fundraising \$16.08
*2014 Rodeo	
From 2013 Rodeo \$3000	Arena Deposit \$5000
	Rodeo Application \$600



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