# **AREA III MEETING**

# **AGENDA/ITINERARY 2023**

Topic: Area 3 Meeting -ATAT Conference, Dallas, TX

- CALL TO ORDER Marty Resendez
- INVOCATION \*Moment of Silence \*Seth Lucas
- Area Officer Visit- Email
- ATAT MEETING- Kevin Packman, Donald Guillory, Bonnie Beard\*, Marty Resendez\*, Amanda Kacal\*, Nicole Brown\* and Chad Reese\* (Elect 2 positions)
  - PAC fund and Scholarship Fund
  - Membership
  - Awards: Announcement of 5 years, 10 years, 15 years
  - Board Meeting Update:
  - Heather Rahm and Amanda Kacal nominated and elected for ATAT Board
  - Lauren White nominated elected Livestock Advisory Committee
  - Mackenzie Boulder, Chase Watson, Blake Godwin nominated; Blake Godwin elected for Ag Mechanics
  - ATAT Professional Planning Committee-Raylea Underwood & Jared Lynch nominated and elected

### \*\*AREA MEETING\*\*

- MINUTES- \*posted for review on Area Website accepted by general consent
- TREASURER'S REPORT/PROPOSED BUDGET 2023-2024 \*<u>will be/is available on Area Website</u>
  - Dues \$2.00; backdrop for Area Events; CLC Budget-moved and seconded to accept the proposed budget
- SENEVOLENT FUND form available online Area Website and can be mailed into Area Treasurer
- INTRODUCTION OF NEW TEACHERS/TEACHER CHANGES (Slideshow)
- STATE CDE REPORT Jacob Price\* and Jerry Dean Shimek
  - > Updates: Ask questions about wildcard and double check
  - Vet Science-students and teachers could not go back through the contest; limited space availability and did not communicate to Area until 2 days prior; moved and seconded to host our own Area Vet Contest
  - > Moved committee top 5 coaches of the area contest with President acting as chair; motion passes
  - Jacob Price nominated and elected
- STATE LDE REPORT David Laird\* and Jacob Price
  - Updates: Meeting tomorrow 7/26; Area 7 is the same day as our LDE contest moved and seconded to pay judges \$100; Heather Rahm and Erynne Jenschke nominated; Heather Rahm elected
- SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE REPORT–Megan Koehn and Theresa Farthing\*
  - Updates: Meeting tomorrow 7/26; scoring was efficient; Becky Brummond will be hosting a workshop; put an ag major on application; Theresa Farthing nominated and elected
- **ANIMAL INDUSTRY/LIVESTOCK ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT (MAJORS)** Hunter Morgan\* and Lauren White
  - TX Majors:
  - State Fair: Sep 29-Oct 22
  - National FFA: November 1-4
  - ✤ SALE: February 8-25
  - HLSR: Feb 27-March 17
  - Rodeo Austin: March 9-23
  - Updates: Meet on Wednesday; Friday morning for Livestock Updates; read rules and deadline; watch the website for Quality Counts for the revamp; Hunter Morgan nominated and elected
- ✤ AREA MID WINTER PLANNING COMMITTEE-Nicole Brown\* and Heather Davis\*
  - Updates: If you have recommendations on workshop please send them into the committee; Nicole Brown and Heather Rahm nominated and elected

#### STATE AG MECH COMM REPORT- Michael Watson and Danny Reaves\*

- > Updates: ATMS-Ford Production; round hay baler AC wiring, small engine;
- > AAE-shield metal arc welding; blueprint (read
- > Jan 15 deadline; list of tools and specifications on equipment
- HLSR-Trailer build off Oct 19; covered pavilion; build frame and then take it back to enter in its own class for 2024; 20 schools; opens Sept 7th; see flier with Danny
- Mackenzie Moulder and Danny Reaves nominated; Danny
- STATE TRACTOR TECH COMM REPORT-Kevin Packman and Danny Reaves\*
  - > Updates: Massey Ferguson 4710 55 horse, 2 wheel drive with a cab;
  - > State March
  - ➢ HLSR March 3
  - > Host our Tractor Tech to Gerald D Young; Chris Roucher to help superintendent-tentatively Jan 26
  - > Ross Sheffield nominated and elected
- STATE HORTICULTURE REPORT Mary Powell\* and Brooke Lowery
  - > Updates: State Floral issues are made award please give grace to those providers
  - > TSFA/TNLA study materials
  - Mary Powell nominated and elected
- STATE AWARDS & DEGREE CHECK Sara Burke\* and Sommer Thomas
  - Updates: We are becoming stronger with proficiency awards and results by the end of the week; videos on how to judge proficiencies
  - Sara Burke nominated and elected
- ✤ AREA DEGREE CHECK- Bre Warhol\* and Theresa Farthing
  - Updates: Lonestar flier; add state validations for major stock shows; toggle project off when finished; foundational and unpaid hours-journal must be consecutive
  - > Districts must have checks
  - > Bre Warhol nominated and elected
- ♦ OFFICER SELECTION COORDINATORS Brooke Lowery and Mary Powell\*
  - > Updates: Have students apply to be on NomCom
  - > Emily Dennison nominated and elected
- TEXAS FFA RODEO REPORT- Stephanie Jones\* and Larry Abke
  - > Updates: 350 entries; 23-24 suggestions for Houston Convention; workshop (61) tomorrow 7/26
  - > Blake Johnson, Stephanie Jones, Emma Shivers nominated; Stephanie Jones elected
- ♦ WILDLIFE COMMITTEE REPORT- Seth Lucas\* and Sommer Thomas
  - Updates: meeting tomorrow 7/26; state plant and habitat will be addressed; Blakenship has retired and will host one more year
  - Seth Lucas nominated and elected
- STATE AGRISCIENCE FAIR COMMITTEE Jacob Price\* and Bri Arriola
  - Updates: Over 200 entries keep promoting; ask for help from; setup is charged per table so there will no tables next year; could change for off site at state convention; if you are a no show please call and tell someone to avoid confusion; RECOMMENDATION: Manuscript submission due 14 days prior to State Degree Check-May 20 top 5 will compete at State Convention; still will be rated Gold, Silver, Bronze (checklist will be created) Agriscience will be Monday not Tuesday; Sweepstakes banner possibly; boards could not be judged in the future
  - Becky Brummond nominated and elected
- STATE SPEAKING DEVELOPMENT EVENT COMMITTEE Amanda Kacal\* and Stephanie Nite\*
  - > Updates: Verbiage in the rules to clarify; cost of the contest-wifi \$28k;
  - > 4 options moving forward-Leave it alone, degree check, TAMU Commerce or fall
  - Spanish categories;

- Amanda Kacal nominated and elected 2 yr term; Erynne Jenschke, Hannah Wunderlich, Sarah Olmstead nominated for the 1 yr term-Erynne Jenschke elected
- COURTESY CORP REPRESENTATIVE REPORT Adrianna Baird\* and Katie Lewandowski\*
  - Updates: Application will be at the area
  - Becky Brummond and Theresa Farthing nominated; Becky Brummond 2 yr term; Theresa Farthing 1 year term
  - Student Responsibilities:
    - Area LDE-meals; water distribution, door monitors
    - Speaking-water distribution and meals to judges; door monitors
    - Convention-student meals;

### **NEW BUSINESS**

- National FFA Update –Grants are available please apply
- Texas FFA -State Officer Process Selection; 1 teacher and 1 student; Heather Rahm will serve on the committee; please stay professional at ALL times
- REPEAT STAY PROFESSIONAL AT ALL TIMES!!
- Texas FFA Foundation –
- CLC 2023-June 22 at Gerald D Young
- Redistricting; Meeting Thursday, July 27 at 12pm; Location TBD Area Exec Committee and 2 representatives from each District
- Committee Reports- <u>mailto:</u> Valerie Hirsch (vhirsch1@kleinisd.net) <u>Committee Reports- Area Website</u>
- Executive Board Elections:
  - o Area Leadership Development Coordinator: Ryan Frank nominated and elected
  - o Treasurer: Amanda Kacal nominated and elected
  - Coordinator: Bonnie Beard nominated and elected

## 2023-2024 Area III Dates & Locations

- 2023 Area GH Camp-September 16 at Gerald D. Young Ag Facility
- 2023 LDE-November 15 at Berry Center & CFISD Ag Barn (Skills)
- 2024 MidWinter/Elite-January 5 at ESC(Merrell Center) center in Katy ISD
- 2024 Area Speaking/Science Fair/Elections/Convention at Merrell/Gerald D Young Ag Facility (TENTATIVE)
- 2024 Area Camp- June 9th-13th; Gerald D. Young Ag Facility

# 2023-2024 Area III District Dates and Locations

North District: Directories need to be completed by September 16, 2022. District Fall Meeting-September 19 @ Klein Multipurpose Center @ 4pm Greenhand Camp-September 19 @ Klein Multipurpose Center @ 4pm LDEs-November 10 @ Lonestar College-Tomball @8-3pm District Convention-April 29 @ Klein Multipurpose Center

### NW District:Directories need to be completed by September 16, 2022.

District Fall Meeting-Greenhand Camp-LDEs- November 9 @ Berry Center District Convention- April 17 @ Merrill Center

### SW District: Directories need to be completed by September 16, 2022.

Greenhand Camp- September 9 LDEs-November 4 Randall District Convention-April 22

### Lake Houston: Directories need to be completed by September 16, 2022.

District Fall Meeting-September 21 @ Kingwood Greenhand Camp- September 30 @ Spring Branch Ag Facility LDEs-November 6 @ North Shore 9th Grade Campus @ 8:30am District Convention-

### Gulf Coast: Directories need to be completed by September 16, 2022.

District Fall Meeting-September 19 at Deer Park Greenhand Camp- August 7 @ Clear Brook LDEs-November 8 at LaPorte District Convention- April 3 at Goose Creek Memorial

#### **Competitive Event Dates:**

A&M: Career Day 9/21 AggieFest (Livestock/Horse/Wool) 10/21 Judging Clinics 3/23 Area CDE 4/6 (Land/Homesite/Meats/Ento/Horse/Floral/Nursery/Milk/Livestock/Poultry/Vet; Wool Friday %) State CDE 4/27

 Tech:
 Inv 4/6

 Tarleton:
 Inv LDE 10/26

 Inv CDE 3/21
 Area 4/10

 State 4/25
 State 4/25

SHSU: State LDE 12/1-2 Area Tractor Tech ATMS Invitational State AAE Area/Invitational-April 2 State ATMS State CDE-April 26