

The National Redbone General Membership meeting was called to order on June 27, 2025 in Elnora, Indiana at noon. The meeting was called to order by Larry Streible. Memorials mentioned included George Dolittle and Jerry Bachelder. Tim Bolin provided a prayer. A motion to approve the secretary minutes was made by Andi Emory and seconded by Kerry Huss. Motion carried. A motion to accept the Treasurer's report was made by Tim Gilchrist and seconded by Kerry Huss. Motion approved.

The following business was discussed:

- Members were encouraged to sign up for a month to write the column article in the Bloodlines.
- National Redbone Days will be held in Elnora on June 25–27, 2026. Members were given the opportunity to share feedback on whether the Board of Directors should explore alternate dates for future events, beginning in 2027. At this time, no members expressed interest in changing the traditional late-June timeframe.
- 2025 Redbook Ads are due by December 1, 2025.
- 2024 Horizon award winner jacket was presented to Jacob Marcum. 2025 Horizon Award nominations included Peyton Emory, Grace Bolin, Colton Rorvik, Leona Tibbs and Landen Marcum.
- Nominations for Officers included the following:
 - President- Larry Streible
 - Vice President- Andi Emory
 - Secretary/Treasurer- TJ Bolin

A motion to close nominations and cast a white ballot was made by Kerry Huss and seconded by

Tim Applebee. Motion carried.

- Nominations for three year director term included the following:
 - Dean Daughtery
 - Kerry Huss
 - Brian Streible
 - Scott Trigg

A motion to close nominations and cast a white ballot was made by Darren Gehr and seconded

by Tim Bolin. Motion carried.

- Nominations for three year trustee term included Lee Housden. A motion to close nominations and cast a white ballot was made by Mike Wright and seconded by Josh Marcum. Motion carried.
- Dave McVay provided a Purina Update.
- Lifetime members receiving a plaque included Doug Moore, Tim Brewin and Tim Gilchrist.
- 25 year members receiving a plaque included Michael Wicks and Bobby Jenkins Family.

- \$100 gift card was presented to Ricky Pruitt as the individual who traveled the furthest to the event.
- Hack Marcum shared his concern that the board should explore the possibility of allowing all Thursday night casts (senior, youth, etc) to count towards the overall winner that is presented on Saturday. This topic was discussed. A motion was made by Jeff Murphy and seconded by Andi Emory to refer this topic to the board of directors at their winter meeting.
- It was requested the directors continue to receive, via email, the board of director's agenda prior to the meetings. The general membership meeting agenda should also be posted on facebook prior to the meeting.
- Charles Pudil made a motion to provide yearly recognition to the top male and female TOC winners. Motion was seconded by Tim Bolin. Motion carried.
- Harry Oumedian shared that he would like to see a Hall of Fame created to recognize TOC male/female. A motion was made by Andi Emory to add a page in the redbook for this recognition. Motion was seconded by Tim Bolin. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned by Kerry Huss. Motion was seconded by Doug Moore. Motion carried.