

HER COMMITTEE REPORT 2010

Report is prepared for the January 20010 NPGA Board meeting.

Chair – Kay Orlando

Members –

Elaine Krieg – off 2012

Sarah Read – off 2012

Lynda Gredin – off 2012

Kim Shunney – off 2012

Accomplishments:

1. Health related questions are answered both by email and telephone for both NPGA members and non-members. Inquiries average 3 to 4 per week. Most are new NPGA members or non-members. Most owners with inquiries are urged to purchase the Basic Owner's Manual. Phone inquiries are usually of a medical nature. E-mail questions are split equally between medical problems and herd/health inquiries.
2. Articles relating to Pygmy Health are included in each issue of MEMO as well as a health tip. Topics are suggested by MEMO editor. Health related articles submitted to the Publications Committee for publication in MEMO are reviewed for medical accuracy.
3. Ray Hoyt is the current NAIS liaison and will directly report to the NPGA Board on NAIS updates and problems. I have attached his report.

Goals: Input is needed on topics that have not previously been addressed in MEMO articles. HER will continue to help both members and non-members with any health/medical problems.

Expenditures: None for the previous year

Kay Orlando, NPGA HER Chair