

DFA News Flash!

This is a report from the DFA annual meeting held on June 26th, 2004.

NEW OFFICERS AND BOARD MEMBERS ELECTED:

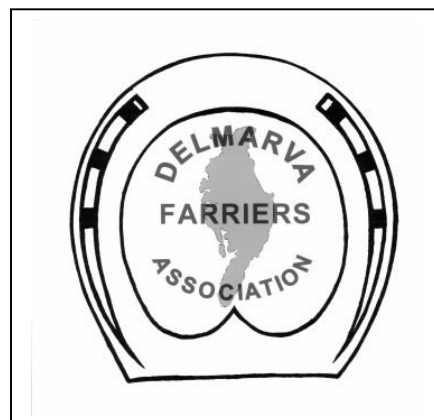
Mat Taimuty – President
Kevin Broll – Vice President
Keith Fearins – Board Member at Large

CURRENT OFFICERS:

David Crockett – Secretary
Tom Bloomer - Treasurer

WELCOME New Members who attended the meeting:

Mary Hudson
Keith Flemins



Mary Hudson is a retired Certified Journeyman Farrier who has donated a generous gift of horseshoes and farrier tools to the DFA. These items will be auctioned off at a future DFA event.

Keith Fearins and Pat Kearns provided us with lunch . . . for those of you who did not attend the meeting, lunch included GRILLED STEAKS and they were delicious!

Kevin Fearins has made some ornamental pieces that will be donated to the DFA to be raffled off at the Delaware State Fair. Our next meeting will be 9:00AM Sunday, July 11th at Keith's shop to work on additional ornamental pieces that can be raffled off at the Delaware State Fair. Anyone interested in doing ornamental forge work is invited to attend. This is a chance for you folks who are interested in learning about 'blacksmithing' to get some hands-on experience.

Call for Volunteers >>>>

The DFA needs volunteer farriers to staff our exhibit at the Delaware State Fair. We are required to have 2 farriers at the fair every day from 10:00am to 10:00pm. We have divided up morning and afternoon time slots. Anyone that would like to help out by staffing the booth during one of the days of the fair, please contact David Crockett and sign up. Dave's number: **(410) 643-2698**

Future Events

July 9th – PPFA is hosting a clinic with Shane Carter at Amsterdam Farrier Supply in New Holland PA.

July 10th – PPFA annual forging competition - Judge, Shane Carter ** INFO for clinic and competition, call Phil Bower at (717) 677-0024.

July 11th – DFA Meeting about Delaware State Fair Exhibit/Ornamental Forging Clinic, Keith Fearins' Shop, Federalsburg, MD, Call Keith (410) 754-9259.

July 22nd through 31st – DFA Exhibit at Delaware State Fair.

October 16th & 17th – Mint Vale Forge 2nd Annual Fall Clinic & Pig Roast Contact Dave Ferguson 410-221-0220

DFA MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

NAME _____ REGULAR ____ ASSOCIATE ____ SUSTAINING ____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ ST _____ ZIP _____

HOME PHONE _____ OFFICE _____ CELL _____ FAX _____

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REGULAR MEMBER FEE: \$50.00

ASSOCIATE MEMBER FEE: \$25.00

SUSTAINING MEMBER FEE: DONATIONS

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