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REALTOR® Association of Acadiana

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**Wednesday, May 1, 2024**

Present: Blake Weaver, Tyler Rush, Dyllan Hawkins, Alyson Schexnayder, Rob Stewart, Casey Oliver, Matt Long, Edward Campbell, Maple Conston, and Erica Taylor

Present Non-Board Members: Susan Holliday and Jacob Romero

MINUTES

1. **Call to Order – Blake Weaver, President:** Called the meeting to order at 2:04pm.
2. **May 9th – Morning Buzz**
   1. **Topic:** How to Protect You and Your Clients was confirmed.
   2. **Sponsor:** Maria Pitre with Sure Title (paid) was confirmed.
   3. **Panelist:** Wesley Vanmieghem was confirmed.
3. **June 13th – CE Social**
   1. Attendees discussed aspects of the event. A decision was made to pursue the CE aspect of the event with the Legal Descriptions class. The class will be for 2 hours of CE credit.
   2. The class will run from 2pm – 4pm followed by the social from 4pm – 6pm.
   3. Andrus Boudreaux and Assurance Financial will co-sponsor the event.
4. **July 18th – Cornhole Tournament**
   1. Attendees discussed aspects of the event. Gold Sponsors will be required to provide a company banner that is no larger than 10x4 ft. The event will start with check-ins at 10am, followed by the DJ being set up by 10:30, and then games beginning, and food being served at 11am.
   2. The sponsorship and team forms will be live on Monday, May 6.
5. **August 15th – Morning Buzz**
   1. Attendees discussed aspects of the event. Attendees confirmed the topics related to the NAR Settlement Update and panelists from the RAA.
   2. **Sponsor:** Charlotte Dunbar with Reliant Title (paid) was confirmed.
6. **September 12th – Morning Buzz**
   1. **Topic:** Safety Month Related was confirmed.
   2. Attendees discussed choosing a sponsor at the next board meeting.
   3. Attendees discussed possible panelists that could provide real-life demonstrations. Details will be further discussed at the next board meeting.
7. **October 10th – Morning Buzz**
   1. **Topic:** Behind the Deals: Tactics from Top Producing Agents was confirmed
   2. Attendees discussed choosing a sponsor at the next board meeting.
   3. Attendees discussed possible panelists from different areas. Details will be further discussed at the next board meeting.
8. **YPN Event Outreach**
   1. Board members were reminded to continue to call new agents to come to YPN events with the new Q2 member list.
9. **New Business –** Due to a conflict in Jacob Romero’s fall semester schedule**, a motion was made and seconded to move the board meetings to the first Tuesday of each month for the months of September – December.** **MOTION CARRIED**. Tyler Rush, President-Elect, suggested ordering polos to give off a more premium feel and appearance for branding. Jacob Romero, RAA Staff, will design polos and allow board members to vote on their favorite design. To provide all affiliates knowledge of being able to sponsor YPN events, Jacob Romero, RAA Staff, will provide board members with an affiliate list. Board members will be responsible for reaching out to affiliates to request sponsorships.

**With there being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 2:45pm.**