



GENERAL MEETING Minutes

November 28, 201

Call to Order – Carolyn Hoppe 7:05 PM

Roll Call/Sign-in: Judy Leitzsch: Recording Secretary and Sharon Everson: Corresponding Secretary

Members Present: Judy Leitzsch, Susan Prickett, Carolyn Hoppe, Sally Hensen, Teri Stuber,, Jackie Baudo , Sharon Everson, Kathy Pearce, Gene Everson, Ellen Beris, Marie Zaman, Sharie Davis, Ann Kupferberg , Ben Bond, Pat Heller, Marlene Smith, Sandy Shaw, Holly Ballester and Zelda Andrews.

I. Minutes of November 28, 2018 meeting : motion to accept was passed.

II. Report of the President – Carolyn Hoppe

A. Christmas party on Dec 4th , 6PM : 26 people are signed up so far. The building opens at 5:30 for set up and the caterers will be there at 5:30 also. We have the library community building from 5:30-8:30 at \$25/hr. Please don't enter the room until 6:00 PM as Sharon and Teri are setting up the space and decorating.

B. A mistake was made on the volunteer email blast that was sent out. We do not need stewards for the January show. We only need some helper volunteers who do not get paid but will receive free lunch. We have paid professional stewards for that show,

III. Report of the Corresponding Secretary – Sharon Everson :

A. Thank you note sent to Ben Bond for speaking at our last meeting on puppy raising guide dogs.

B. Shari Coleman, our webmaster, is in need of brags and new pictures for our web page. Please send your things to her at scoleman85@gmail.com

Recording Secretary: Judy Leitzsch: Nothing to report.

IV. Report of the Treasurer – Susan Prickett

A. Accounts' Status: \$67,710.09 as of October 32 , 2018.

1. This reflects payments: \$500 for quarterly rent on Baudo property, \$35 for City of Eustis trial, \$100 for Christmas party decorations, \$156.80 for Ribbons to Hodges Badges, and \$50 for Golf Cart reservation for Jan show. Deposits \$0.

V. Committee Reports:

A. Nov 3&4 2018 Rally show: Marie Zaman : We lost 51.22. Ellen Berris questioned the \$993.99 rental bill as she said that it should not have been that much. She thought it was only \$250 a day. Susan will check on it. The show was well received and ran smoothly.

B. Membership: Teri Stuber , has resigned her position as of 12-31-18. She will be in charge of public relations instead. We will need a new chair.

C. Jan. 2019 show: Susan Prickett: All is on schedule.

D. Scent Work Trial March 2019: Sharon Everson and Judy Leitzsch: March Scent work trial ready . Just need proof of insurance to finalize with the County. Carolyn said she will call insurance tomorrow.

VI. Unfinished Business

A. Baudo contract: Contract was reviewed and wording changed in regard to training collars will be allowed at instructo'rs discretion.

B. Teri Stuber checked on award plaques with Choice Awards and was told to look on webpage for pricing. Judy Leitzsch will take over this job as Teri did not want to do it. This is for end of year title awards for members in good standing, which will be determined at a later date what constitutes a member in good standing.

VII. New Business:

A.. Voted to hold Nov 2019 Rally/ Obedience Trial with Central Florida.

VIII. Additions and Announcements/Braggs

Braggs

A. Patricia Heller: dog: TAG Your It, Irish Setter, Won WB a 5 point major Nov 16, 2018 in Jacksonville, FL.

B. Ann Kupferberg: dog: Daisy: Won her Master Rally title in Ocala, Nov. 15, 2018.

C. Shari Davis: dog: Rowdy: AKC Rally Novice, UKC RO1, AKC Rally Intermediate, AKC Scentwork Container Novice

D. Judy Leitzsch: dog: Dixie : Won 5 out of 6 first places and one 2nd place large dog Masters class and 5 High in Classes at G2 Barn Hunt Trial in Nov. She won her Crazy 8's Platinum Silver title (5,000 points).

At AKC Scent Work Trial she got her Advanced Containers and Advanced Buried titles with placements.

Her brother, Bodie, got 2 first places and 2 High in Classes in Senior division Barn Hunt also.

E. Ben Bond: dog: Magic: Rally Intermediate at Lake Eustis trial.

F. Sandy Shaw: dog: Jury: AKC/WSL CH at 8mos. 2 Group 2's from regular group. UNC, UNI, UJJ (junior) got select for 5 pts. And 1 pt. at Ocala specialty. BOS is Sweeps.

IX. Adjournment 7:30 PM

7:30: We had a guest speaker, Holly Ballester, give us a presentation on Anatolian Shepherds. She has bred and raised them on her 50 acre ranch here in Florida. It is a rare breed that we do not encounter often. They are Guardian Dogs. They protect livestock and are in the AKC working

breed division. Originated in Turkey to guard the nomadic tribesman's flocks. She brought one of her girls, MIMI, in for us to see. She was 130 pounds and very well behaved. This is not a breed for everyone. These dogs need a job and are a lot to handle. Thank you Holly for a fascinating talk.