



Business Meeting
Sunday, October 12, 2014
Deb Brunell's Home
141 Shea Ave
Belchertown, MA

President Gretchen Boss called the meeting to order at 6:10pm.

Members in Attendance:

Gretchen Boss, President	Tricia Ancelli
Annmarie Wilson, Vice President	Karin Bowler
Laura Lafreniere, Treasurer	Hazel Holman
Tina Stone, Recording Secretary	Nancy Zimmer
Deb Brunell, Board Member	

Treasurer's Report:

Treasurer, Laura Lafreniere presented the account balances as of September 30, 2014.

MOTION: to accept the Treasurer's Report
(Wilson/Bowler) Motion Carried

Minutes:

Recording Secretary, Tina Stone presented the minutes of the August 3, 2014 meeting. They were not read as they were distributed to all members by e-mail.

MOTION: to accept the minutes of the August meeting
(Ancelli/Wilson) Motion Carried

January 2015 Match:

Tina Stone gave an update regarding our 2015 January Match. A date needs to be selected. The first Sunday of the month will be out for 2015 as there is an All Breed show in West Springfield that day. Sunday, January 11th and Sunday, January 18th are free of any local shows. The club will look to have the Match on Sunday, January 11, 2015 at Tails-U-Win in Manchester, CT as long as the facility is available otherwise we will look at Sunday, January 18, 2015.

The Match will be AKC sanctioned Breed and Obedience . Tina will look at securing Tails-U-Win and judges for the Match.

Health Clinic:

Laura Lafreniere reported on the financial report from the Health Clinic held September 14, 2014 at Suffield Veterinary Hospital. The clinic this year made more than last year and members felt everything ran smoothly.

August Match:

Tina Stone reported on the financial report from the August Match. Although no one turned out for Breed, Obedience and Rally had a great turn out. The 2015 August Match will go back to the original format of a Rally and Obedience Show & Go.

Public Education:

Gretchen Boss reported about a meet the breed at the Pet Expo being held Sunday, October 26, 2014 at the Expo Center in Hartford, CT. If 5 people from the club attend we get credit from the AKC towards our public education. A few members at the meeting are interested in attending with their dogs. If you are interested in attending, please contact Annmarie Wilson.

Fun Day:

Annmarie Wilson presented information regarding the Fun Day to take place Sunday, October 19, 2014 at Linda Smith's house in Blanford, MA. Rally and Agility rings will be set up followed by some hunt practice. If you are interested in attending, please contact Annmarie Wilson.

Unfinished Business:

Laura Lafreniere reported that the trailer registration came and she will get that sent to Deb Brunell. Our insurance carrier on the trailer had to be changed this year and we will be using Travelers. Filing for the IRS went off on time.

Nominating Committee:

This will be taken care of at the November meeting. Anyone interested in being on the committee, please contact Annmarie Wilson.

Braggs:

Annmarie's DeeDee received 3 JH Legs, 1 RE Leg, and completed her Candian Championship.

Deb Brunell's Zoe and Doc both finished their Championships.

Adjournment:

MOTION was made to adjourn the meeting at 7:00pm.

(Wilson/Brunell)

Motion Carried

Recording Secretary, Tina Stone