



Business Meeting  
Sunday May 5, 2024, at 6 PM  
Suffield Veterinary Hospital  
Suffield, CT 06078

President Michele Kowalski called the meeting to order at 6:05 PM

Members in Attendance:

Hazel Holman	Pam Burek
Tricia Kadlewicz	Trish Hills
Laura Bauver	Mike Richards
Lyn Blanchard	Keith Blanchard
Christopher Misseri	Anne Crouss
Laura Lafreniere	
Ann Huntington	

Members via Zoom:

Michele Kowalski	Fran Lloyd
Abby Crosby	Jessica Bruen
Deb Brunell	Susan Kennedy
Dave Warner	Tina Warner
Susan Brownell	Danette Chorney
Tami Wilson	Gretchen Boss

Treasurer's Report-

Treasurer Laura LaFreniere presented the Treasurer's report as of 5/5/24.

Minutes-

Recording secretary, Tricia Kadlewicz presented the minutes of the March 30, 2024 meeting. They were not read as they were distributed to all members by e-mail or direct mail.

MOTION: to accept the notes of the meeting  
(A. Huntington/ D. Brunell) Motion Carried

Correspondence-

Application for new membership (Raphael and Susanne Werner) was received. Raphael and Susanne were introduced to those in attendance at the meeting and the application was reviewed. Members will vote at the next meeting.

### May Specialty-

Tents will be set up on Wednesday May 8<sup>th</sup>

Set up will be at 12pm on Thursday May 9<sup>th</sup>

2 E-Z ups available if needed. D. Chorney will bring her own for fetch

Food truck is all set. Salad and soup option will be available

Stewards please arrive at 8AM both days for obedience and breed (email sent out after meeting on 5/5/24)

Breed stewards are all set for Saturday for both rings. Ann Cross will help in breed all day (originally assigned to obedience)

L. Severni has ordered the cake for both days

G. Boss will pick up paper goods/supplies

T. Kadlewicz will order and bring the donuts both days

D. Brunell reported that we'll have one vendor- bright spot therapy dogs. Deb will also organize the steward boxes

Laura B.- raffle donations please bring day of

Raffle tickets:

Regular- 40 tickets for \$20.00

Higher end- \$5.00 each or 5 tickets for \$20.00

The Blanchard's had a sign made for K9 Vested interest donations

Logo- G. Boss will get an item price list and forward to Jessica Bruen. Jessica will laminate a price list sign

Fetch- limited to 25 dogs with day of entry. Requested club members to not sign up until closer to the event due to limited entry. This would give an opportunity to non-members to enter.

\*Discussed holding another fetch event at the clubs upcoming WC in June. T. Wilson is now a fetch judge and will be a judge at the WC.

Saturday judges' dinner will be held at Tuckers Restaurant in Southwick, MA

P. Burek will take the judges out to dinner on Thursday and Friday. A. Cross plans to join Pam on Friday. This is open to all judges (obedience and breed)

A. Wilson will have copies of the club flyer available for the upcoming WC at the club table

### Hunt and WC-

June 9<sup>th</sup> – WC. Need to confirm the closing date

Judges will be Tami Wilson and Susan Brownell

Judges gifts will be donated by A. Crosby (4 judges)

Porta potty ordered

Permits are done

Secretary:

WC and Fetch- L. Blanchard

Conformation Certificate- A. Burns

Catalogs- A. Huntington

November Specialty-

L. Severni agreed to be the show chair and complete the AKC paperwork for the Specialty

Braggs-

Pam Burek- Casey earned her Novice FAST agility title

Abby Crosby- Louder received a JAM at Potomac

Laura Bauver- Lexi earned her Open Jumpers agility title

Deb Brunell- Izzy RWB, and Best Puppy at the PRLRC specialty 4/26 and 4/27

Litters-

D. Brunell is expecting 2 litters May/June

A. Crosby- sired litter due in May; chocolates

A. Burns- 1 black female available

MOTION: to adjourn the meeting at 7 PM

(A.Huntington/ L. Blanchard) Motion Carried

Next Meeting:

Sunday June 2, 2024, at 6 PM

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Zoom option available, check website and email for update

Tricia Kadlewicz, Recording Secretary