



May 3,2026 Monthly Business Meeting

MINUTES

Suffield Veterinary Hospital and ZOOM

Meeting called to order at 6:05PM by AnnMarie Wilson, President

IN PERSON: AnnMarie Wilson, President Anne Crouse
Ann Huntington Laura Bauver, Corresponding Secretary
Mike Richards Sue Warner

ZOOM: Michele, Kowalski, Board Member Fran Lloyd, Board Member
Debi Baker Chris Misseri
Lyn Blanchard, Recording Secretary Tricia Kadlewicz
Gretchen Boss, Vice President Lori Eldridge
Trish Hills Sarah Boss
Laura Lafreniere, Treasurer Maria Nardi
Susan Brownell

Treasurer's Report

Laura L. provided us with the Treasurer's report.

Minutes

The minutes from the Annual Meeting 3/28/2026 were distributed via email on 3/29/26, there were no changes to those minutes. (Ann H motion to accept/Laura B 2nd)

Correspondence

Laura B. reported there was no new correspondence to present.

Website

Annmarie W. the website is current and she is able to make quick changes to the information on the site.

Field

Training Day at Nod Brook on April 26 went well the weather cooperated and we were able to land and water training. Our WC is scheduled for 6/7/26 at Nod Brook and there is information for entries on the website. Anyone who wants to put out informational flyers may do so, including sharing the information on FB and Social Media.

May Specialty

Our May specialty is quickly coming and Annmarie discussed the needs of getting everything set. **ANY ONE WHO IS AVAILABLE TO HELP STEWARD IN THE OBEDIENCE RINGS PLEASE REACH OUT TO ANNMARIE.**

Mike R will bring a flag to be hung on our Breed tent for the National Anthem.

Anne C will bring her portable speaker for the National Anthem, as we will be starting before the Cluster.

The Tents are expected to be on the grounds by Noon on Thursday.

Members who will be coming to set up should plan to arrive by Noon and the Club Trailer should be at the grounds by Noon Thursday by Chris and Gretchen Boss.

Mike, Ann, Laura L, Laura A, Annmarie, Gretchen, Chris B have said they will be at set up.

Anne C will be getting the ice and water for the coolers.

Coolers in the trailer are expected to be 2, several members will bring additional coolers if needed. (Anne, Maria and Gretchen)

Ann H will be freshening up the Steward boxes. For both the Breed and Obedience Rings.

Laura B will get the hospitality bags to the hotel by Thursday.

Laura L has coordinated with the Cluster for lunches to be supplied for the judges and Stewards, Laura L will pass out menus to the judges and stewards to choose their lunch and Laura L will put the orders into the food truck so that the lunches will get to them.

Photography will be done thru the CLUSTER, no hay bales or props for the photos needed.

Julie Jussaume will be picking up Shari Kirschner at the airport on Thursday and will be providing dinner for her.

Friday Maria N will be transporting Shari Kirschner to the Fairgrounds for her judging assignment from the local hotel.

Friday dinner for the judges will be hosted by Anne Crouse along with Lenore Severni, at a location to be determined.

Raffle is being handled by Laura A. Please get donations to her at the Fairgrounds.

The discussed Handling Class will be run by the Professional Handlers that were chosen to hold the class.

Saturday Clean up

Chris and Debi Misseri
Fran

Laura L
Trish Hills

Reilly Hills
Anne Crouse

Ann H
Annmarie

Saturday Judges Dinner, Location to be determined. Members are encouraged to attend this fun outing with the judges (Members are responsible for their meal costs) Held following clean up.

Ann H will transport Shari to her hotel out by TF Green following the judges dinner.

Brags:

Annmarie's Toffee was 1st in Open Chocolate at Potomac and earned her Rally Intermediate.

Annmarie's Zonker was 1st in AOH (Yellow) at Potomac

In addition, to our dog brags Annmarie welcomed her newest GRANDSON Myles who conveniently waited for her to return from Potomac before making his appearance.

Maria's Tallulah completed her UKC Championship over this weekend.

Litters:

Lyn and Keith have a litter of blacks and yellows with one yellow female currently available. (As of this typing all puppies are spoken for)

Gretchen has a litter of blacks, no availability and a litter of yellow with puppies available.

Tricia K has a litter of blacks with no availability.

MOTION to adjourn meeting at 6:59 (Ann H/Anne C) Motion carried

Next Meeting

Sunday June 7, 2026 At 6PM

Suffield Veterinary Hospital

Suffield, CT 06078

Zoom will be available

Respectfully submitted

Lyn Blanchard

LRCPV Recording Secretary