

Oct 3, 2024, Membership & Zoom Meeting Minutes
Meeting Called to Order 7:07 PM EST

Roll Call:

BOD: Richella Veatch, Cindi Chilbert, JeanneLove Ferguson, Susan Varrasso, Barbara Byrum, Mary Sonner, Courtney Kleiman(V) (8 Total)

IN PERSON: Michael Beasley, Julie Burns, John Byrum, Rachel Hawkins, Jacque Mascioli, David Miller, Robert Veatch, Miranda Ward (8 Total)

VIRTUAL: Jeffery Atwell, Sarah Brock, Maggie Buzzard, Becky Chittenden, Denise Davis, Pat Doan, Suzanne Hall, Christine Hardy- Atwell, Sandy Hunn, Carol Malec, Rebecca Malivuk, Rachel McKinney, Karen Orr, Shannon Parker, Jim Pearce, Donna Post, Jim Post, Jeanette Saprioni, Beth Small DVM, Catherine Talbert, Scott Washington, Stormy Washington, Brianna Williamson, Curt Zeiger (24 Total)

GUEST: Maria Rajput, Lindsay McCall, Madeline Davis, Beth Boring, Janet Wolf (5 Total)
Total Meeting Attendance: 45

Additions to Agenda: Donations for Victims of Hurricane Helene should be made to AKC Humane Fund

Approval of Sept Meeting Minutes: Approval of Minutes Recommended by Mary Sonner
Seconded by David Miller

Corrections: The club is a 501c4 organization NOT a 501c3

Treasurer Report:

See attached from Susan (Treasurer)

Most new monies are from Class Registrations, Drop in Agility fees, and Scent Work Trial
Much of this will be transferred into Savings Account

\$3800 Profit from Scent Work Trial and 48 Titles Awarded during the Scent Work Trial

Approval of Sept Treasurer Report: Motion Cindi Chilbert, 2nd by Rachel Hawkins

UPDATE on AKC MEMBER STATUS: Everything on Track to be presented at the December AKC Delegate Meeting (by Richella)

COMMITTEES:

AGILITY:

David Miller: Everything is on track for January Trial (Jan 3, 4, 5)

Working on April Trial (April 11, 12, 13) working on getting Judges lined up

Working on adding a real fence in the smaller area; will be 100' x 75' area

Will help with classes and be used by classes

First Bid Is \$3506 and will get a 2nd bid

Cleaning:

Cindi Chilbert: Need more volunteers for Cleaning and remember will count towards your volunteer hours. Usually only a few hours a month

Also please place dog waste in metal cans and not into the plastic cans in front of the buildings

Facilities:

Buildings: Cooks Pest Control was voted on by the Board and will begin treatment within the next few weeks.

Fire Ants in the Agility Field will get quotes

Utility Sink was voted on by Board; need to schedule to get done

Floor Mats for East Building: Courtney Kleiman and Kyle Scripko will begin investigating and report back at October Board Meeting

Cluster:

We had over 126 Volunteers and over 4000 entries for the Cluster

Will start working on next year soon, need volunteers to be on Show Committees

You do NOT have to be Conformation person to be on Committee.

Mary Sonner stated "Great job by our Volunteers"

Constitution/Bylaws:

Cindi Chilbert Committee Chair- committee has not met but will be meeting soon

MEMBERSHIP:

New Members voted on:

Madeline.Davis; 2011 Retired from Grooming is involved in Agility, Disc Dog, Obed/Rally, Bjorking with her dogs (Long haired Chihuahua & Labrador – current service dog)

Beth.Boring; 2 Newfies & an Aussie, she is a previous member but rejoining because she has a 5-month-old puppy and wants to get back into classes with it. She is involved in Therapy Dog Work, Draft pull, water rescue, and is currently enrolled in Obed/Rally Classes

Lindsay.McCall; has Labradors. Mom has been a breeder of Labs for years in Ohio, she was a previous junior handler, her two kids are interested in showing (entered the PeeWee Class at the Cluster); her daughter wants to participate in Agility with their current Lab

Miranda.Ward; Has a ACD and has taken classes at the club. Trying to socialize her ACD and get better at training

All voted into Membership

OBEDIENCE/RALLY:

Susan Varrasso: Rent a Ring at Ultimutt Sept 7th had 21 dogs participate and earned \$210 half of which will go to Ultimutt

Will be another Rent-A-Ring on Oct 19th in preparation for the November Trial

Reminder about OBD/RLY Trial on November 9 & 10 at Ultimutt

Entries Close October 23, 2024

SCENT WORK: Trial went really well
Judges very complimentary of the trail
Will be repeating a Scent Work Trial in the Spring (April/May)
Looking for a full-sized Venue in Fall of 2025

TRACKING:

October Trial Canceled because of Roane State Construction that they neglected to mention
Looking for other places to hold
Becky Malivuk spoke with Tracy Jones and they need upwards of 100 acres to conduct a trial
JeanneLove Ferguson mentioned she might have a location and would get together with Tracking Committee to discuss

TRAINING:

Reminder that new Fall Session starts October 14th

TVKC Puppy Match

Reminder that there will be a puppy match Sunday Sept 8th with day of entries for puppies 4-6 month

OLD BUSINESS:

AM VETS Event:
Need Participants for Meet the Breeds from 10-12
Janet Hopson will be holding an Agility Demo and also have a “try-Agility” on the field
Need a Few More Volunteers for Agility Demo

NEW BUSINESS:

None

BRAGS:

Cindi Chilbert: One of her dogs finished their DCat at the Cluster and received BIS at her National Specialty
Barbara Byrum- Cooper won Best Puppy at the Cluster on days he entered
Jacque Mascioli- One of her puppies on Friday won Best Puppy in the Herding Group on Friday of the Cluster
Courtney Kleiman- One of her Dogs is ranked as 2nd fastest Sheltie and completed its FCat at the Cluster
Christine Hardy- Atwell- one of her dogs earned a CGC at the Raleigh Shows
Catherine Talbert- Her MAS was High Combined and earned 2 Triples at the Cluster
Richella Veatch- One of her Shelties earned 2 legs of Novice Containers an Novice Buried at the Scent Work Trial and Ellie (her Collie)got her 1st Major and was Reserve on Sunday at the Cluster & her Smooth Collie Finished her Championship at the Cluster
Scott WASHINGTON- Malina (puppy) earned Best of Breed in the Group in the 4-6 month Puppy; one of his dogs earned a DCat at the Cluster

Deanne LeVeque asked for everyone to send her the information to include in the Woofers

Michael Beasley Motioned to Adjourn the meeting, Rachel 2nd

Meeting Adjourned at 7:53PM

September 2024 Scent Work Trials

Income	9,775.00	391 entries from showentries
	570.00	May Sniff & Go
	617.00	July Sniff & Go
	10,962.00	
Expenses	-500.00	Base fee
	-1,239.00	showentries
	-200.00	3.00 per entry showentries
	-1,312.50	Online entry form showentries
	-1,306.46	AKC recording fee
	-508.40	Judges expenses
	-400.00	Ribbons
	-901.82	Refunds for bitches in season
	-389.85	Start up supplies
	-190.97	Supplies
	-212.61	Portajohn
	-7,161.61	Food
Profit	3,800.39	

179 Q's

48 Titles awarded

OAK RIDGE KENNEL CLUB CASH POSITION as of September 30, 2024

Checking account at Truist

Bank:

Beginning Balance	106,762.43	
Deposits		
	295.00	Practice
	11.00	Sniff & Go
	615.00	T shirts/hats
	210.00	Ultimutt Rent A Ring
		ShowEntries SW
	7,531.12	trials
	1,260.00	Drop in Agility
		Drop in
	350.00	Conformation
	150.00	Membership
	6,331.46	Paypal class registration
	635.00	Class Registration
Total	17,388.58	

Expenditures		
	768.76	Utilities
	114.19	Comcast cable
	400.00	SW refunds
	273.41	Insurance
	850.24	SW Judge
	1,312.50	SW AKC Recording Fees
	2,267.60	Fowler's Clay Works-Cluster trophies
		Truist Bank-
	468.63	Hodges,Jotform,Adobe,Supersaas
	190.73	Supplies
	0.00	Mowing
Total	6,646.06	

Ending Balance 117,504.95

Truist Savings 5,283.57
Total Truist Cash 122,788.52

Vanguard as of 10.01.2024 78,021.49
Total 200,810.01