June 5, 2025 Membership (IN-PERSON ONLY) Meeting Minutes
Meeting Called to Order 6:45 PM EST

Roll Call:
BOD : Richella Veatch, Cindi Chilbert, JeanneLove Ferguson, Courtney Kleiman, Susan Varrasso , Sandy Morris, Mary Sonner (7 Total)

IN PERSON: Kathy Ambrose, Jeff Atwell, Linda Bayless, Michael Beasley, Sophia Beery, Leora Berry, Shari Butters, Ruth Cardwell, Carmen Davis, Denise Davis, Suzanne Hall, Lesley Hardin, Christine Hardy-Atwell, Heather Haynes, Joe Haynes, Amy Hoelzer, Sandy Hunn, Carol Jeffery, Cheryl Kienast, Carol Kracht, David Leveque, Deanna Leveque, Erin Lonas, Gregg Lonas, Jacqueline Mascioli, Ashley Richardson, Diane Sacksteder, Jeanette Saproni, Gregory Sinatro, Angela Snow, Tim Snow, Sandy Sutton, Robert Veatch, Gina Wauford, Gwen Weaver, Tina Winkler, Linda Wolfenbarger (37 total)

GUEST: Jan Weaver, Charmaine Thompson, Marybeth Bryson, William Bryson, Cobi Genna (5 Total)
Total Meeting Attendance: 49 Total

Ballot Collection: Ballots Collected and Counted for Officer and Board Elections
44 Ballots Collected

Richella wanted to announce a new award, the President's Award, to be awarded to the club member who had done the most for the Club in the last year.
Winner of the President's Award 2025 Susan Varrasso

Additions to Agenda: None
Approval of Meeting Minutes: Minutes approved with corrections
Treasurer Report:
See attached Full report
Approval: Mary Sonner motion to approve, Jeanette Saproni 2nd APPROVED

COMMITEES:
Facilities:
Buildings:

- Because of new mats in the East Building, it is noted that please bring a towel to place under your dog's water bowl to catch excess water that might be dropped on the floor.
- Board approved the request by John Byrum to purchase gravel to fill holes in the drive and parking area
- Flower Beds along the east building (Iris) needs to be thinned and taken home

AGILTIY: Nothing new to report
CLEANING: Nothing new to report

CLUSTER & SHOW COMMITTEE:

- Cindi Chilbert: Finishing up details on the Premium
- JeanneLove Ferguson: Trophies/Sponsorships looks good
- Mary Sonner: Beginning on assignments and volunteering to work on the actual days of the Cluster; Miranda Ward is going to be working with Mary for ORKC
- Courtney Kleiman: showed the New Title Ribbons that will be given at the show

MEMBERSHIP:

Charmaine Thompson: 2nd reading of application APPROVED
Cobi Jenna Application read for first time
Susan Anderson: Not in Attendance

OBEDIENCE/RALLY:

Susan Varrasso: Reminder the next ORKC OBD/RLY trial is November 8 & 9th at Ultimutt Knoxville

SCENT WORK:

Susan Varrasso: Scentwork Pop-Up Sniff-n-go's Very successful; will plan for more as weather permits

TRACKING:

Nothing new to report, everything on track for the November Trial (Nov 15 &16)

TRAINING:

Bonnie Hornfisher: Classes are ongoing
Stewarding Workshop will be held on Wednesday August 27th, Wednesday 6:30-7:30PM, at ORKC (held by Bonnie Hornfisher)

OLD BUSINESS:

Mary Sonner Asked for suggestions for presentations to be offered at the beginning of meetings

NEW BUSINESS:

Ballots Counted: 44 voted yes to ballot
Board for Upcoming Year (July 2025-June 2026):

President: Richella Veatch
Vice President: Mary Sonner
Treasurer: Susan Varrasso
Secretary: JeanneLove Ferguson
Training Director: Bonnie Hornfisher
Board Members at Large: Cindi Chilbert, Sandy Morris, Courtney Kleiman

Next meetings:

Board Meeting: Thursday June 26, 2025 Zoom only 7PM EST
Membership Meeting: Thursday July 10, 2025 In person and Zoom 7PM EST

BRAGS:

Tina Wauford: Leonburger went the Leonburger Nationals, her dog earned his Bronze Grand Champion and also received his CE, CGCU, High Combined in Rally

Ashley Richardson: Jake, Flat-coat, received his Advanced Titles in Scentwork Buried and Containers at the ORKC trail; Roxy, Russel Terrier, received her Novice Titles in Scentwork Buried and Containers
Kathy Ambrose: Thanks for allowing me to serve on the Board for the last year; her new Golden Retriever (to her) 2 yr old earned her Novice Scentwork titles in Containers, Buried and Interior
Cheryl Kienast: Her Pembroke participated in the Eagleville (MOTC) trial, received a 50%Q rate and earned a Masters Interior Leg and a Masters Exterior Leg
Sandy Hunn: Her Flat-coat, earned Advanced Buried and an overall Advanced Title SWA
Richella Veatch: Ava Gardner earned 10 points and 3 majors in 2 weekends, Lindsay earned 5 points and 1 major in 2 weekends, Grant finished his Championship in 2 weekends
Gregg Lonas: Gus, his Pembroke, earned his Excellent Titles in Exterior and Buried at the MOTC trial AND 2 of Gus' puppies earned a BOB at recent shows
Charmaine Thompson: her dog earned a JR Earthdog Title
Jeanette Saproni: Her Siberians earned 3 BOB with 5 points, and 4 points Placewment in OH and a Rally Intermediate Title
_____:'s Cocker Spaniel earned an Advanced Buried Title

Richella called for adjournment

Meeting Adjourned at 7:10PM

CASH REPORT For End of May 2025

OAK RIDGE KENNEL CLUB CASH POSITION as of May 31, 2025				
Checking account at Truist Bank:				
	Beginning Balance		133,650.09	
	Deposits		442.50	Practice
			50.00	Membership dues
			138.00	Misc-T shirts, CGC rosettes, Trick Dog
			380.00	Drop in Agility
			150.00	Drop in Conformation
			447.00	Cluster trophy donations
			8,110.30	SW Trial
			1,640.00	Class Registration
		Total	11,357.80	
	Expenditures		713.97	Utilities

			170.34	Comcast cable
			468.00	Trial refunds
			273.41	Insurance
			2,769.56	SW trial expenses
			940.00	Mowing
			2,971.68	Truist Bank- Jotform,Adobe,Supersaas, AKC,GoDaddy
			463.59	Supplies
			5.00	Bank fees
		Total	8,775.55	
	Ending Balance		136,232.34	
Truist Savings			5,283.89	
Total Truist Cash			141,516.23	
Vanguard as of 5.31.2025			76,663.62	
Total			218,179.85	