



STKC MEETING MINUTES - 4/17/95

The Meeting of the Sierra-Tuolumne Kennel Club was called to order by Club President Stu Galka at 6:15 pm on April 17, 1995. The meeting was held at the home of Terry Baker. Members present were: Stu and Sherry Galka, Linda Grant, Augie Panelli, Ann Casto, Kathy DeMattei, Don Leonard, Sharlene Reed, Gloria Farmer, Cherie Gessford and Terry Baker. Guest and others present were Julia Hollister and Ben Baker.

The club unanimously voted in new member Celene McDonald who has a Bernese Mountain Dog.

The next item on the agenda was the voting of the '95-'96 Board of Directors. By a unanimous vote the following are Board of Directors: Gloria Farmer, Augie Panelli, Janet Clark, Molly Mathiesen, Jo Mitchell and Sharlene Reed.

Treasurer's Report - filed for audit. Sherry also read the following letters:

- 1) Letter from Tommy Manson thanking us for the flowers and vase the club had sent while she was recuperating from surgery;
- 2) a letter of resignation from the Manson's due to health problems
- 3) an update from AKC on the microchip situation. They plan to use AVID.
- 4) information received over the Internet regarding PetSmart and the Humane Society of the US buying out RC Steele. HSUS has been considered an activist agency.

Secretary's Report - approved as published last month.

Committee Reports

Obedience (Sherry): 23 beginning and 7 puppies. We have 3 signed

up for novice. There is a possibility that we may have two more in the beginning class.

Agility (Cherie) - Contacted the mine supply business in Colorado who has the tunnels for agility. It was M/S/P by Augie/Linda that the Club purchase one 15' yellow agility tunnel.

Legislative (Sherry/Linda) - each month's news is available from the Internet and Sherry captures only the California information and puts it in the "Howler".

Sunshine (Sharlene) - we received news the Dee Sams is not well due to heart problems. Sharlene will send a card from the Club.



OLD BUSINESS (AKC Show Committee Reports)

Judges Lunch (Gloria) - She will be buying all the food and will contact the Elks in regards to what they will provide.

Grounds (Don/Stu/Donna) - Club members will need to be at the fairgrounds at 5:00 a.m. to help set up. We will have everything ready for each ring.

Ring Stewards (Linda) - All conformation stewards and alternates confirmed. Need one more obedience and I'm working on that.

Show Co-Chairperson (Sherry) - The Dress Code was explained to new members and those who will be presenting Group Awards.

Trophy Chairperson (Terry/Nancy) - everyone is paid.

Parking Chairs (Ray/Laurie) - We have 8 motorhomes signed up for \$160.00 and 60 dogs!!

Publicity/Catalogs (Linda/Gena) - deadlines for all ads is April 24th (prior, please, if you want me to set anything up!)

Vendors (Augie) - 20, possibly 30, vendors coming. If you have any vendors that may be interested, contact Augie before committing them so that we don't have duplications/competition.

Graphics (Cherie/Sharlene) - everything is done. If you need any additional signs, contact either one of them.

NEW BUSINESS

Board of Directors meeting 5/4/95 at the Galka's to view the Misconduct Video followed by a potluck.

Next month's meeting will be a Working Meeting at the Galka's, May 22, 1995 at 6:00 pm. Members will go through all the equipment and organize according to Ring Numbers.

The meeting adjourned at 7:30 pm.

DUES WERE DUE TO SHERRY BY 5/1/95!! \$20 family, \$15 single. Last month's Howler has a form you can fill out.

