

## **General Membership Meeting – July 15, 2002**

President Linda Grant called the meeting of the Sierra-Tuolumne Kennel Club to order at 6:15 pm. This months meeting was held at the home of Bruce Bertholf in Twain Harte.

Members present were: Linda Grant, Cherie Gessford, Lindsay Stark, Ann Brown, Fred & Pat Helmbold, Bruce Bertholf, Mary & Al Kennedy, Patti Martlew, Mary Antinetti, Sharlene Craig.

### **PRESIDENT'S REPORT-Linda:**

**SECRETARY'S REPORT-Lindsay:** premiums were shared and Linda mailed the certificates to Humane Society for classes.

**TREASURER'S REPORT-Fred:** Profit and Loss statements thru 6/30/02.

## **COMMITTEE UPDATES**

**OBEDIENCE, BASIC-Linda:** Due to the date change, only 2 students were able to make graduation. The rest of the students will come to the next graduation. Classes start 8/7

**OBEDIENCE, PUPPY-Lindsay:** 12 puppies graduated, all 12 were microchipped by Molly

**AGILITY-Linda:** Small basic class, intermediate class, and fun runs all going well.

**SUNSHINE-Holly:** A condolence card was sent to Barbara Broad. Her daughter was killed in an auto accident.

**PUBLICITY:** Flyers for new classes have been sent and the class has been listed in the Democrat.

**Constitution/Bylaws-Lindsay:** The Constitution was accepted by a unanimous vote. They will now be sent to AKC for their approval

**TROPHY-Holly:** All ribbons have been ordered for the Sept. AKC agility trial.

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**AKC TRIAL Sept. – Lindsay:** We are about ½ full

**BIG SHOW November-Linda:** Things are moving along. We are working on judges travel arrangements and the premium/catalog printing. Sharlene Craig found an announcer for us: Tom Williams.

## **BRAGS**

Ann and Holly (Golden Retriever): Holly had 5 puppies and all are wonderful and healthy.

Bruce and Velvet (Doberman): She is doing very well with her new handler, but Bruce could not remember all the details, so we will just give a blanket congrats to Velvet.

Fred and Maverick (Bernese MT. Dog) Took 2 1<sup>st</sup> places in puppy class. Learned how to swim by accidentally falling in the pool, fortunately he found the steps and got out!

Patti and Holli (Aussie) – Finished her open standard title and got 1 ex. Jumpers leg.

Patti and Stryder (Aussie) – Got his AKC registration papers

Sydney Seiver – Took 82 ribbons out of 90 entries that she had at the Mother Lode Fair. She had entries in Fine Arts, Arts & Crafts, Plants, Flower Arrangements, Cut Flowers. She won 1<sup>st</sup> place in the sweepstakes for Floriculture. She also helped some children with a horse project that won 1<sup>st</sup> place and Best in Show. A BIG CONGRATULATIONS TO SYDNEY!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

It was M/S/P by Fred/Al to adjourn at 7:35 pm.

Next months meeting will be at the home of Sydney Seiver in Columbia

Respectfully submitted,

Lindsay Stark