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DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF MATERIAL FOR DECEMBER GROWLER: FRIDAY, DEC. 3, 2010

SECRETARY'S REPORT

OCTOBER GENERAL MEETING

Wednesday, October 20, 2010
Nebraska Humane Society, 90th & Fort Streets
Omaha, Nebraska
(Subject to approval)

The meeting was called to order by President Jenni Toebben.

Troy D Everson, DVM, CVA presented the program "Acupuncture and Traditional Chinese Veterinary Medicine"

The business meeting was called to order at 8:30 pm. The September General Membership Meeting minutes were published in the most recent issue of the Growler. Elly moved and Sue seconded the motion to approve the minutes as corrected. Secretary Barbara Hill advised that the club has received from AKC the announcement of the Breeder of Merit program and AKC Political Action Committee.

Treasurer, Debby Stokley read the August financial reports and they have been filed of record with the Secretary.

1st Vice President – the position is vacant.

2nd Vice President – Elly advised that she has possible 3 membership applications that plan on submitting their applications in January 2011.

Committee Reports:

Webmaster – the web site should be up dated soon.

Community Outreach – the position is vacant

Growler Editor: Deadline for submissions for the next issue is November 5, 2011

Herding Trial: Gerianne Darnell, Trial Chairman submitted the written financial report

Tracking Test: Shelly Rehmeier advised that the tracking test is almost full and she requested help laying tracks and hospitality.

Training: Elly advised that participation in training class has improved

Old business: None

New business: NKC still needs volunteers to fill the following positions: 1st Vice President, Community Outreach/Public Relations, Brick Program Liaison and Red Cross Liaison.

Elly moved and Barbara seconded the motion to adjourn the meeting at 9 PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara Hill, Secretary



NOVEMBER BOARD MEETING

Wednesday, November 3, 2010

Nebraska Humane Society
90th and Fort, Omaha, Nebraska
(Subject to approval)

Attending: Jenni Toebben, Pam Swisher, Pat Leyendecker, Tim Bourke, Steve Kattar, Sandy Orr, Elly Rensink, Barbara Hill

Absent: Debby Stokley, Jan Hague, Sue Volkmer, Cheryl Morris

President, Jenni Toebben called the meeting to order at 7 PM.

The October Board Minutes were e-mailed to the Board. There were 2 corrections. Elly moved and Sandy seconded the motion to approve the minutes as corrected. The motion was approved with 1 abstention.

The Treasurer, Debby had e-mailed the financial reports to the Board. Two questions were raised – has the generator invoice been paid and the reports do not reflect any income from the Herding Trial.

1st Vice President – vacant position – Jenni will contact Sue V and ask if she would fill the position.

AKC Delegate – Jenni is in the process of completing the paperwork and returning it to AKC.

2011 Show: Cheryl has hired a trial secretary, she has contacted judges and waiting to here back. Due to the trial running long, FAST has been eliminated but it is felt the trial will still fill. Cheryl is also putting together a committee to assist in running the trial.

Pam advised that she is working on acquiring judges for conformation. She is still negotiating the Quest contract. Debby has the Onofrio contract.

Pat L will be sending out the obedience/rally contracts this week.

Committee Reports:

Education – no report

Legislation – Sandy Orr has received recent information which she will send out this week.

Training – Class participation has improved.

Website – no report

Herding Trial – nothing new

Tracking Test – Volunteers are needed to lay tracks and to do Hospitality.

Old Business – none

New Business – None

Tim Bourke led the Future Planning portion of the meeting. Negative comments and positive comments about the club were solicited from the Board Members. Tim will compose a letter to be included in the next Growler alerting the general membership that they will be requested to complete a survey about NKC. Pam and Jenni will write the survey questions. The goal is to have this submitted to the general membership no later than December 31, 2010.

Steve Kattar submitted his letter of resignation from the Board and the club. Steve also submitted Carol Kattar's letter of resignation from the club.

The meeting adjourned at 9:30 PM

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara Hill, Secretary

NEWS & NOTES

CONFORMATION TRAINING CLASSES

WHEN: Every **Monday** evening except **major** holidays.

LOCATION: Companion Dog Club
10800 N. 72 Street
Omaha, NE

TIME: 7 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

COST: \$2.00 per Junior Handler
3.00 per puppy
5.00 per adult dog (over 12 months)

NOTE: Classes may be divided depending upon class size that evening.

The following Training Cards are offered for 1 year:

- 5 training sessions for adult dogs at a discount of \$22.50
- 10 training sessions for adult dogs at a discount of \$45.00
- 5 training sessions for puppies at a discount of \$13.50
- 10 training sessions for puppies at a discount of \$27.00

Each punch represents 1 dog per session. There will be no refunds for lost cards.

In case of bad weather, please check the NKC website for class cancellation information.



CONTACT THE GROWLER EDITOR

- ◆ If you have something to contribute for the betterment of the dog fancy that you would like published in the **Growler**, please contact the **Growler Editor**.
- ◆ If you have a show win that you would like to brag about, information regarding an upcoming dog event, or poem, etc. to share with others, please contact the **Growler Editor**.
- ◆ If you are the Chair of an NKC committee and would like to inform the membership of the committee's activities, please contact the **Growler Editor**.
- ◆ If you have a photo of your dog to put in the **Growler**, please contact the **Growler Editor**.
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DOGS DECODED

Check out <http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/nova/nature/dogs-decoded.html>

It is a fascinating hour long program that reveals the remarkable bond between humans and dogs.

Learn how smart dogs are and what makes them such ideal companions.

---Sharon Bourke, Editor

TROPHY ROOM



Felicity's Super Trouper – Cavalier King Charles Spaniel

Breeder, owner, handler: Barbara Hill

October 9, 2010 Wright County MN. KC

WD, BW, BOB OVER 4 SPECIALS AND A GROUP IV

5 points

NEW TITLE: Champion

---Submitted by Barb Hill

CONGRATULATIONS!!



---Reprinted from November 1976, Growlers Gazette

NKC Standing Committees

2011 Show Chair	Pam Swisher
Librarian/Historian	Mary Ann Jaworski
Education	Dona Rosales
Growler Editor	Sharon Bourke
Training Director	Elly Rensink
Community Outreach	Vacancy
NKC/AKC Legislative Liaison	Sandy Orr
Tracking	Shelly Rehmeier
Strategic Planning	Tim Bourke
Meeting Refreshments	Jan Hague
Herding Trial	Gerianne Darnell
Specialty Coordinator	Sandy Orr

NKC **2010 Calendar of Events**



November 14
December 1

Tracking Test
Board Meeting

Note: List subject to change

--Sharon Bourke, Editor



WOOF, WOOF,
Please bring dog/cat food,
pet food coupons, and
kitty litter for the
American Red Cross to the
January NKC Meeting!



Nebraska Kennel Club
Tracking Test
Sunday, November 14, 2010
Chalco Hills Recreation Area
8901 S. 154 Street
Omaha, NE

**Questions? Call Shelly Rehmeier
402-779-2080**

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FIRST CLASS DATED MATERIAL



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