



CHAMBERSBURG AREA KENNEL CLUB, INC.

Recording Secretary: Bunny Toddes

The monthly meeting of the Chambersburg Area Kennel Club was held **Thursday, March 20, 2019** at the Falling Spring Family Life Center and called to order by President Anne O'Reilly at 7:03 pm.

Attendees: Members: Anne O'Reilly, Suzanne Benchoff, LaNora Madden, Clarence Gelwicks, Charlene Stone, Judy Alexander, Marguerite Plank, Steve Toddes, Bunny Toddes

Minutes from February were reviewed. Steve motioned to accept minutes. LaNora seconded. Passed.

Treasurer's Report: Suzanne

Money Market account balance \$55,195. \$30,000 will be split equally into 3 CDs (one year, two year, three year). We will still have \$25,000 in account for quick access. We will gain 1 to 2%. Suzanne has exchanged paperwork with John Hester from Edward Jones. Sandy and Anne are on account, as well. The trade date for the move is 3-4-2019.

Checking account as of 2-28-19 is \$21,362.43. Reflects purchases of wickets, GARA rental fees, and \$148 to CERMAC for web page administration from April 1, 2019 to March 31, 2020. Also includes deposits of \$195 and \$152. We made a \$200 donation to the Presbyterian Church of the Falling Spring.

Secretary's Report: Bunny

A thank you note from Carolyn McGraw of Adams County 4-H Dog Club was shared.

Committee Reports:

- **Program :** Charlene shared information about the Active Shooter Training Program presented by the Pennsylvania State Police. It is a 1 ½ hour program that will be presented on April 23 or 30. Friends are welcome
- Suzanne shared information on upcoming nursing home visit to Gettysburg Transitions: scheduled for 3-26-19 at 2:30. She will send out email reminder.
- **Membership:** Bunny - Our guests tonight are Sara Rudolph and Donna Cooper. Sara has 40 years experience with Standard Poodles and Great Danes. She competes in Conformation, Lure Coursing and Therapy. Donna has a dog training business. She owns a Standard Poodle, an American Eskimo Dog and an All-American dog. Both have submitted applications for membership.
- Anne proposed that we have a Membership Packet that contains the Constitution, a membership list, and a laminated phone card. Discussion. 20 packets needed, Bunny will assemble.
- **Breeder Referral :** no calls

Old Business:

- **Handling Class-** wickets were purchased and are being used. Paid for through handling class funds. Bunny proposed that we do not have a pre-pay. A pay per session would be easier to keep track of payments. Bunny did email pictures of the handling class match and will post on FB. Next handling class will be June 3, 10, 17, and July 1, 8, 15. Already scheduled at GARA.
- **Fall Match** – Clarence reported that Sanctioned B Match will be held in September 21, 2019 outside at the Gettysburg Rec Park. We have a pavilion. Al Ferruggiaro will judge for us. Anne is contacting other AKC judges. Bunny received a Match Packet from AKC in March and delivered to Judy and Clarence, Match Co-Chairs.
- **AKC Badge Program-** Anne gave materials to Marguerite to use with 4-H.
- Anne appointed **Nomination Committee** members: Bunny, Marguerite, and Judy. Tom and LaNora are alternates. We will take nominations from the floor in May. Elections in July.
- **Show-Charlene**
 - Judge's change needed because of illness
 - Difficult to work with Rau. Char had everything in on time. The Premium was to be done by March 20, and we should receive by March 26. Charlene, Anne and Suzanne will study the pros and cons of switching to MB-F. Bunny motioned that we investigate switching to MB-F; Judy seconded. Passed. Report in September.
 - Golf carts- must be gassed before returning.
 - Port-a-Pots are all set.
 - Tents- Bunny will email Char
 - Dog Show signs – Clarence
 - March 29- catalog ad deadline; Show closes April 26
 - Tractor Supply is sponsoring BIS prize
 - Food – Suzanne- last year (2018) our Butcher Shoppe bill was \$475.63; divided by 40 people this is \$11.89 per person. Savoy Catering has a \$12.95 to 15.95 per person with \$50 delivery. Tim Cave from the American Legion would like to be considered. Discussion. Suzanne will contact both Savoy and Tim. Vegetarian and Diabetic meals need to be offered.

New Business: None

Brags:

- Suzanne - Honey Bee placed first at York. Nova was WD twice.
- Anne – Pumpkin Pie was BOS at York.
- Marguerite – Neely earned his Rally Master title.
- Bunny – Jimmy earned a Group 1 at the Mason Dixon Kennel Club match.

Adjournment: Motion to adjourn 8:59 pm.