

CACDC Meeting Minutes

1/20/2010

Meeting Chair: Shirley Oberg
Meeting held at Portland Expo Center

I. Call to Order

II. Roll Call

Jane Ward, Kari Kramer, Michelle Rogers, Patti Salladay, Christine Hengesteg, Brandy Savage, Lynn Carter, Alison Deilke, Deb Quain, Julie Pulliam, Michelle Pardee, Kathryn Hamilton, Laura Steward, Connie Skinner (guest), Katrina Kandoll (guest)

III. Approval of Minutes from last meeting

IV. President's Report: None

V. Secretary's Report: None

VI. Membership Secretary's Report: None

VII. Treasurer's Report: None

VIII. Unfinished Business

- **May Herding Trial**

- Update: At the last meeting it was voted and approved that the Club shall hold a Herding Trial to take place over the weekend of May 15/16. This Trial will be held at Sara Jo Gahm's farm in Arlington, and shall have a focus on Cattle.
- Judges are to be Dave Viklund and Larry Painter. Cattle PT runs are planned. Additionally, there will also be enough sheep runs offered to help the Trial to cover its expenses. PT Runs on sheep will also be offered, and Barb Davenport's sheep have been rented for this purpose.
- Awards at May Trial: Liz Stenning, Linda Jaquish and Shirley Oberg are working on Awards for the May Trial. Through donation of their own funds, they, along with Sara Jo Gahm, have ordered a Montana Silver belt buckle which will be awarded to High Combined ACD/Cattle at the May Trial.
- Other Awards for RHIT and HIT are being decided upon. Shirley Oberg has brought an example of a custom dog collar to be shown to the members; Prize buckets to top placements are also being discussed.

We seek to solicit donations from Club members to help with Awards at the May Trial and to help it be a success. If this Trial proves to be a success, the club will have the option to continue with a May Trial, as was the tradition in years past.

- **Herding Committee**
 - At our last meeting, an interest in creation of a Herding Committee was discussed and an interest in this committee was voiced by Sara-Jo Gahm, Liz Stenning, Patty Carey, Michelle Pardee, Linda and Jeff Jaquish, Alison Dielke and Shirley Oberg.
 - Any members wishing to join their ranks will be welcomed.

- **Seattle Kennel Club Booth**
 - At our last meeting it was decided that CACDC will again have an informational Breed Booth at Seattle Kennel Club Shows on March 13 and 14 at Quest Field. Any members who are showing at Seattle are strongly encouraged to contact Michelle Rogers to volunteer their help with staffing the booth with their ACDs to meet the Public and discuss our breed. This Breed Booth meets one of our AKC Eligibility To Hold Future Dog Shows Requirements, and in the interest of continuing to be able to put on Specialties such as the one we attend today, your help and volunteerism of your time is most needed and appreciated.

- **Stumptown Specialty 2010**
 - The application to AKC has been submitted. Research on judges is occurring and we'll update you when judges are committed. We soon will need to have our list of trophies ready for the premium. We would like to encourage members to step forward to volunteer for the trophy committee. This will share the workload of these trials and shows we so enjoy.

- **Club Awards Banquet/Awards Committee**
 - Linda Jaquish and Michelle Rogers will be handling our Club Awards Plaques and Plates again this year. Many of you will already have seen postings on the CACDC Yahoo List to this effect.
 - Due to the recent Merger of Evergreen Pet Supply, where our Banquet was held last year, that option is out for this year. Does the Club have any interest/ideas in an Awards Banquet for this year?
 - We are still looking for volunteers to develop the Trophy/Awards committee. The Trophy/Awards committee would coordinate the

trophies for the various shows and trials as well as coordinate the annual awards and award banquet.

- **Membership Renewals**

Membership Renewals are past due. Please contact our Membership Secretary, Michelle Rogers, for a renewal application or download a copy from our club website.

IX. NEW BUSINESS

- **Club Newsletter**

- In the interest of producing a timelier Club Newsletter, Shirley has spoken with former Newsletter Editor Linda Jaquish in hopes that she will be able to take on this task.
- Apologies to the Club are in order, and the Membership shall be able to expect results on this issue very soon.

- **Rose City 2010 specialty**

- Kathy Hamilton and Patty Salladay have volunteered to Co-Chair the 2010 Rose City Regional Specialty for the clubs 20th Anniversary.

X. NEW MEMBERSHIPS

Second Reading:

Nancy Shager, of Lake Forest Park WA applies for Individual Membership. She is the owner of one registered ACD, SpursNSpokes Star Spangled Banner, and lists her Areas of Interest as: Conformation, Companion, Obedience, and Flyball. Voted in unanimously.

Nancy Hansen of Seattle, WA also applies for Individual Membership. Nancy owns one registered ACD, Austlyn's Wiz Kid. She lists her Areas of Interest as Agility, Conformation, Herding, Obedience, Tracking, and Flyball. Voted in unanimously.