

Minutes of the General Meeting of the Durham Kennel Club

November 15, 1976

The meeting was held at the DKC Clubhouse and was called to order by the President, Faith Gehweiler, after we saw a movie taken at the Durham Fall Show.

The minutes of the October meeting were read and approved.

A list was passed around for members to sign up to sponsor Spring Show trophies. Pete Kartye volunteered to be Trophy Chairman.

We made \$365 on the Crafts Fair Sale at South Square Mall.

Marge White and Linda Cook are selling Christmas Cards for the Building Fund.

It was announced that Paul Haynam, the judge from Raleigh, died over the weekend.

The Board has suggested that we send out a Newsletter each month including club activities, happenings, etc. Sharon Sawyer will be in charge of this.

Plans are also in the works to hold stewarding clinics in both breed and obedience stewarding.

The Board has voted to reactivate the Junior Committee for junior members in our club. An award will be established for juniors.

Treasurers Report: \$25,951.44 in all funds.

Medallion Committee Report by Carolyn Vaughn. The following was approved with regards to medallions: 1) We will change from sterling silver to silverplate; 2) Silverplate club medallions can only be offered for Best of Breed when sponsored as a trophy by an individual; 3) Club members will not be able to purchase a medallion for their own collection.

The Tracking Trial will be held on Sunday, November 21. New tracking classes will begin December 5.

Fred Sheppard reported he had received only 4 replies to the letter he sent out to get the general feeling of the club members regarding financing the building. Much discussion followed.

The idea of having a Firewood/Chainsaw Party to clear the land for the building was presented and received favorable response.

Judges Dinner for the Spring Show: All members will be invited but will pay for their own meal. The club will pay for dinner for the judges and their spouses, the AKC Representative, and the President and Show Chairman of the Raleigh Kennel Club. Members who will be exhibiting the next day will be asked not to come to the dinner.

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The following Associate Members were voted on for Regular Membership:

Arlene Harris
Hank Holland
Pete Kartye
Larry Sedell

John and Ann Savory have applied for membership. They were members previously so will come back into the club as Regular Members.

The following were announced as applying for Associate Membership:

Dietra Jolley (German Shepherd & Newfoundland)
Rita Shugart (West Highland White Terriers)

The following have applied for Junior Membership:

Tammy Martin (English Springer Spaniels)
Sabra Martin (English Springer Spaniels)

It was decided that we would hold our December Meeting/Christmas Party somewhere other than the clubhouse. Meeting will be held the second Monday in December.

Meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,



Mary Bell, Secretary