

Durham Kennel Club
Member Meeting
March 9, 1987

I. Roll Call

The attendance list is attached to these minutes.

II. Reports

- Secretary: The minutes of the Member Meetings held 11/17/86 and 12/15/86 were approved as read. The member meeting scheduled for February 16, 1987 was cancelled due to snow.

- Treasurer: No Treasurer's report was given.

Committee Chairmen:

Spring Show - Connie Howard stated that the entry is down by 29 dogs. Additional volunteers are needed to sell catalogs, help with hospitality, and staff the trophy table. Obedience stewards are also needed.

Marge White announced that the judge's dinner will be Thursday March 19 at the Sheraton Crabtree. The price is \$12.00 per person. Please let Marge know.

Library - Pat Lawrence announced the addition of a new book from the Morris Animal Foundation "Of Their Own Free Will".

Obedience - Marcia Majors explained the "members first" policy for the distribution of obedience class applications. DKC members receive applications for obedience training classes before the general public.

III. Old Business

There was no old business

IV. New Business

New Associate members read:

Donna Brown
Nancy Mili~~er~~^{er}
Shiela Kindrick
Kit and Joe Caughlin
Evelyn and James Bome(?)
Sharon Bowling
Gene Lutz
Elizabeth and Richard Hershall

Regular members voted in:

James and Angeline Bullock
Melissa Corcoran
Gail Johnson
Barry and Adrienne Stakeley
Karen L. Duncan
Cindy F. Cupolo
Elise Geary
Leah C. Lapierre
Cheryl Ann Ward
Cynthia Speed

George Hand, AKC Delegate, posed a question to the membership concerning the holding of group shows i.e. Terrier/Toys, etc. After some discussion, the consensus of the membership was that group shows are good, and should be encouraged.

George Hand petitioned the AKC to seek permission for DKC to purchase land for a show site outside Durham County due to the high cost of suitable land within Durham County. In a letter dated 2/9/87, the AKC granted permission for DKC to purchase land in a county bordering Durham County.

Jackie Harris sent an "Open Letter to the Board of Directors" concerning service credits for half price training classes. The letter requested clarification of the specific requirements for these service credits. Dr Harris' letter, and the general subject of service credits, are agenda items for the Special Board Meeting scheduled for 3/30/87.

Marcia Majors, Obedience Co-Chairman announced that Cindy Luster, Obedience Chairman, will attempt to contact all instructors before the start of the next class session. If Cindy is not able to contact everyone, Marcia will contact the remaining instructors.

There is a meeting of the Confederacy of Tailwaggers at the Monterey Restaurant on April 11, 1987. Contact Sue Geesler for details.

Nominations from the floor for DKC Board and Officer candidates will be taken during the April member meeting.

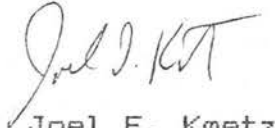
tschims? → Harry Smith, Fall show chairman, stated that the Durham County Fairgrounds site is not available. The semi-pro ball club is playing that day. Durham County offered the parking lot on the opposite side as an alternative. The parking lot is very rough, and not a desirable site for a dog show. As of yet, DKC does not have a suitable Fall show site. Dr Smith also stated that he had great difficulty locating an obedience judge, and needed to call 52 judges before finding one to accept the assignment. To avoid this problem, Dr Smith moved that the show chairmen be granted the authority to hire obedience judges 1+ years in advance of a show. The motion was seconded and carried, and permission was granted. Any DKC member knowing of a suitable show site (15+ flat acres),

please call Dr Smith.

V. Closing

Meeting adjourned

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Joel F. Kmetz".

Joel F. Kmetz
Secretary