Minutes DKC Membership Meeting:

October 19, 1998

Following a program given by DKC member Mary Oppermann on Earthdog Trials, the meeting was called to order by Vice President, Diane Kessler, in the absence of President, Sharon Pitz.

The minutes from the September 21st meeting were approved as printed in the club newsletter.

Treas. Report: CCB Che

CCB Checking: \$22,477.35 FTF 1,825.05

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Marge White advised the membership of Stella's accident and mentioned a card being sent for all to sign.

Betty Perschel thanked the members for their efforts in helping to make the very recent fall show such a success. The new show site served us well and most of the comments Betty received were of a favorable nature.

In Stella's absence, Marge White read the name of Phyllis Campbell who is applying for member-candidacy.

Cecillia Reeder reminded the membership about the need for trophies for the Dec. obedience trial. A box has been placed in the storeroom to receive trophies already committed to.

Jack Sappenfield reminded the members about the tracking test to be held on November 22nd. Track layers are still needed as are food items for the luncheon following the test. Jack mentioned that several interested AKC employees will be joining the gallery as spectators and Jack Bernard, from AKC, will be among them.

Lisa Connelly, AKC Delegate, informed the members that the delegate's meeting in June of 1999 will be held in Raleigh.

George Beglane advised that a CGC test will be held on November 14th, following the present session of obedience classes. Volunteers are needed to help.

Joanna Burley told the members that applications for year-end awards are available now. They can be picked up in the club bldg. entry area and will also be included in the next news-letter. The deadline for applying for awards will follow our Dec. obedience trial.

Terri Toohil informed the members that no show wins were in the last newsletter because someone had apparently removed the sign up sheet and did not put it back. The members were asked to put the sign up sheet back on the bulletin board if they should take it down. Terri also asked the members to be sure and print names clearly or send the information to her
on line."

On October 31st we will host a mortgage burning party for all club members and their family members. Reservations will have to be made in advance and a sign up sheet was passed.

Members were reminded about the annual yard sale to be held on January 21st.

Diane Kessler read a letter from AKC requesting names of DKC members who are deserving of national recognition in the areas of conformation, obedience and performance. Club members received ballots and were invited to vote in the categories where they were knowledgeable.

Following several impressive brags the meeting was adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

Submitted by Marjorie J. White, Recording Secretary.