

**Unapproved
Durham Kennel Club Member Meeting
Saturday, September 10, 2016.
Picnic
Durham Kennel Club Building, Durham, NC**

Program:

No Program. Dog activities and picnic

Meeting: Called to order at 2:17 PM

Sally Ridge made a motion for approval of the August 15, 2016 member minutes as written. Seconded and approved.

President's Report (Ann Carter):

Announcements by Ann Carter. Next Board meeting is September 28, 2016 at 6:30. Next member meeting is October 17, 2016, 6:30 PM. The budget will be voted on at this meeting. Please plan to attend.

Ann reported our fall show in Raleigh was successful as were the clinics.

Ann reported we still need to make plans for the December holiday party. Whether we want to keep it on a Monday night or try to have on a weekend.

Treasurer's Report (Linda Wozniak): Not present

Recording Secretary's Report (Lisa Roberts): None

Corresponding Secretary's Report (Dale Wisniewski): Not present

AKC Delegate (Linda Wozniak): Not present

Committee Reports:

Agility committee: Cathy Wells reported classes begin this Monday, September 12.

Agility seminar is September 17 and 18. Our agility trials are September 30, October 1 & 2.

Membership (Terri Toohil):

Ann Carter read out the candidate members that had been presented to the Board by Terri Toohil. They are as follows:

Candidate Membership:

Sandra Danoff; Retired; Affenpinscher; Interested in Conformation, Obedience and Agility; Learned about the DKC from her Vet and by attending two classes.; Reasons for joining: She has always been an active dog owner and now that she is retired would like to have more experience – potentially in obedience and agility.

John McCune; Bernese Mountain Dogs; Interested in Obedience and Drafting; Learned about the DKC through participation in Rally tests at DKC; Reasons for joining: to participate in the dog

community and to take classes. Donna came in last month and she and John applied, but I somehow didn't put John down then.

Mickey Reed; Retired Occupational Therapist; Shih Tzu, Terrier; Interested in Agility and Therapy; Reasons for joining: connection with dog lovers and resources.

Zara Schepis; Weimaraner, Chinese Crested and All American; Interested in Conformation, Obedience, Agility, Hunt/Field Trails, Tracking and Barn Hunt; Learned about the DKC through showing at DKC shows; Reasons for joining: Jack Sappenfield, Vicky Brown and Edith Braginton.

Thomas Wrath; Dalmatians; Interested in Conformation; Learned about the DKC participation Conformation Classes; Reasons for joining: opportunity to meet more people and to give back to the sport of dogs.

Other Committee reports:

Carolyn Wolfe announced she had the key to the library case if any member was interested in checking out any materials.

Old Business:

Sally Ridge reported the most recent order of bricks for the memory walk had been installed.

Sally Ridge explained the Member Mention board in the lobby. The plan is to feature a different member each month. The previous member's articles will be archived on the DKC website.

Nancy Akers reminded us that the Club had 2 successful Obedience Trials this past summer.

New Business: Ann Carter announced that the Board had asked for input from the membership of how they would like to see the Club in 5 to 10 years. The Board had asked members to either send information to Nancy Akers via email or to bring their written ideas to this meeting. Ann asked if anyone had any ideas they wanted to discuss at this time? No discussion.

Brag: None reported

Adjourned: 2:28 PM