# MINUTES - JANUARY 11, 2023 - MOORE COUNTY KC MEMBERSHIP

PRESIDENT JANE CALLED MEETING TO ORDER 6:15 PM

## **PRESENT**

Jane Hammett Bright, Ellen Pfann, Karolynne McAteer, Marjorie Riddle Watson, Ursula Walsh, Patricia Jugeat, Lynette McMoran, DJ McMoran, Alicia Alviani, Lynn Cox, Andrea Gumrich, Brenda Lewis, Lisa Schrank, Carol Dowd, Betty Chapman, Beth Verner, Naomi Johnson, Bob Stolting, Ruth Stolting

**GUESTS:** Cara Achterberg (Speaker), Nancy Slattery, Lynda Green, Chris Green, Terry Cameron Marquez, Jeff Yates, Kathy Pellerino, Melissa DeWitt.

## **NOVEMBER MINUTES**

(December was social). Accepted as presented in Barker by Acclamation.

## PRESIDENT'S REPORT.

Welcome all. Remarked that she'd like to have Name Badges at the next meeting. ACTION ITEM

## CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

The Barker will now have featured videos which will focus on the "how to" of dog handling or dog sports. January featured an **OBEDIENCE CORNER** which featured Ellen demonstrating how to teach focus with a positive marker. For those that haven't seen it, it can be viewed by clicking **HERE**.

ACTION ITEM: ELLEN - it will need be tagged better in the Barker, as it really isn't getting clicks.

#### TREASURER.

Betty reported our December 2022 net balance is \$75,961.12 (compared to \$82,649.65 in December 2021). Overall, our charitable expenditures accounted for approximately \$4,200 of that difference – in 2021 we donated \$16,200 to charity, versus \$20,498 in 2022. Betty's recommendations for 2023 donation can be found on the MCKC Charitable Contributions Report (1/1/10-2022).

#### AGILITY.

The next Agility Trials will be January 20-22, 2023 at our new location – Rising Star Canine Ranch in Oak Ridge, NC. We will be running two rings with two judges

# FUN COMMITTEE.

The Committee will be meeting to discuss the plan for 2023. ACTION ITEM: Present 2023 Plan at February Meeting.

## ALL BREED SHOW.

Jane Hammett Bright is the show chair. Jane talked about the different jobs that need be done at the dog show. EVERYONE – please contact Jane, Ellen, Carol, Brenda or Marjorie to volunteer.

**Stringers.** We will need a group, stationed under tent by trophies and catalogs, to alternate selling catalogs, cleaning / organizing hospitality tent, checking the grooming tent to make sure aisles are clear and grooming is cleaned up, picking up garbage on site, checking porta johns and other odd jobs to be named later.

**Hospitality.** Carol Dowd in charge, which will include Judge's entertainment.

**Set Up.** Chaired by Bill Pace. Need 3 people to set up each day Monday – Friday.

**Parking.** Need 2 people per shift to take money bottom of the hill. Need one person to direct to park at top of hill.

**Ring.** Brenda Lewis will be Head Steward and will make sure the Judges' Tables have necessary supplies.

**Vendor Chair** is Ellen Pfann. **Sponsorship Chair** is Betty Chapman. They are coordinating efforts to encourage businesses will set up booths to sell items / crafts and/or sponsor the event by donating money.

#### **MEMBERSHIP**

**New Member First Readings.** Nanette & Charles Zeller, Shelley Hohm, Kathy Pellerino, Lynda Green, Chris Green, Melissa DeWitt, Christina Tracey, Debra Hamilton.

# **Second Reading and Vote**

Congratulations – Katherine and Ken Rice, who were voted in as new Members.

**Membership Application** – Marjorie asked BOD to approve a Membership Application that better suits our constitution and by-laws. Approved by Acclamation.

**Donnalee Buzas has been awarded an Honorary Membership** for her untiring work for the Moore County
Kennel Club approved unanimously.

# UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Karolynne reports the K9 Cop Funding has been approved by AKC, and because of this grant and MCKC's donation, the Moore County Sheriff's Office will be purchasing a new K9.

\*\*\*A STORY ABOUT IT APPEARED IN THE PILOT (AFTER OUR MEETING) MENTIONS BOTH OUR CLUB'S DONATION AND THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB — READ HERE -- REPLACING ROKI: SHERIFF'S OFFICE SEEKS SUCCESSOR FOR BELOVED K-9

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