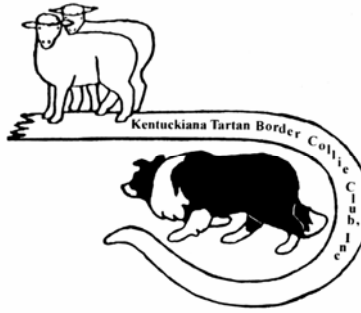


Tartan Tails



February 15, 2004 Meeting Minutes:

The meeting was called to order at 1:35 pm with the following members present: Nick Edmonds, Linda Mitchell, Robbie Phillips, Mary Moulton, Ronni DeLay, Mary Somerville, Pat Kerschner

Minutes from December Meeting: Motion made by Mary M. to accept the minutes, 2nd by Nick. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: Our balance is \$598.41.

Secretary's Report: Correspondences received –

Central Kentucky Herding Group Club responded to our letter about donating to their Spring 2004 Trial. By the time they received our letter the trophy list was already complete. They have an agreement w/ other clubs that instead of sending check donations to each others trials, they send a letter to each other recognizing their donation and inform them what it was used for. This eliminates the sending of checks. This is more of an "even Stevens" situation. If we are in agreement to follow this same format, they requested that we donate \$50.00 towards their Reserve High in Trial(s) at their next Trial Weekend (Fall 2004). Motion was made by Linda to accept this agreement that we will donate this in exchange of them donating to our Spring 2004 Trial, 2nd by Mary M. Motion carried. Linda will send a letter back in agreement and notify them that their donation will be same.

Notice from AKC regarding New Breed for Competition and new information required in Premium List. In regards to our club, we will need to add this new information to our premium lists for any shows held on and after May 1, 2004. We also received notices from AKC regarding our Spring 2004 Herding Trial. The last AKC correspondence was a 2004 Judges Directory for Dog Show, Obedience and Tracking Judges.

Combined Specialty Clubs of Louisville sent a letter regarding a refund of \$22.40 for reimbursement of the costs of rosettes from the 2003 show.

Membership Committee: Report from Robbie regarding the Red Cross First Aid Seminar; it was decided to hold off in having this until either June or July since we have the March Cluster and May Herding Trial commitments right now. Robbie will contact the Red Cross Rep and check to see when she is available. Linda will contact GLTC about using their facility once a date is established.

Old Business:

Obedience/Conformation Show (March 12 & 14, 2004) – The dinner will be held on Sat. March 13th at Dillon's Steakhouse, 2101 S Hurstbourne Pkwy, Phone: (502) 499-7106. The time will be 6:30p/7:00p. There will be a \$10 deposit required for the dinner since we had problems last year with people signing up but not showing up. If you do show up, you will be refunded your \$10. If you do not, the \$10 will be used to tip the waitresses. Please send your \$10 per person deposit to Ronni by March 5th if you would like to attend (Ronni Delay, 2514 Tregaron, Louisville, KY 40299).

Please contact Mary Moulton (Chief Ring Stewart) to volunteer to stewart at 502-228-0813 or saschamom@insightbb.com. IT IS VERY IMPORTANT THAT WE GET VOLUNTEERS FOR OUR TRIAL. WE NEED EVERYONE TO PITCH IN TO HELP SO THE BURDEN ISN'T PLACED ON JUST A FEW MEMBERS. EVERY LITTLE BIT HELPS, NO JOB IS TOO SMALL. VOLUNTEERING FOR OUR EVENTS IS WHAT MAKES OR BREAKS IT.

The raffle was discussed and since Marcia Terry was not at the meeting to give a report please contact Marcia if you have any donations at 502-426-7304 or Marcia.Terry@ipaper.com. Included is the John Silver Tapestry Throw that we have purchased.

Ronni announced that we will be able to reserve crate space. The form for this was published in the Premium List. If you would like to crate w/ the KTBC group please be sure to fill this form out and send to Onofrio. Make a note at the top (where your name is) that you would like to be with the KTBC group.

Everything else has been taken care of so we should be all set except for the outstanding items above. Look forward to seeing everyone!

Herding Trial (May 7-9, 2004) –

Ribbons have been ordered. Linda has not received a response from BCSA about the request for a donation. Committees were confirmed. Ronni will take care of Hospitality. Ronni will contact Maria Clem about providing food at the trial. We will not be having a raffle this year.

Please contact Kelly Whiteman to volunteer at our trial at (317) 475-1959 or BCs@BonniDune.com. We also need volunteers to help set up Sunday, May 2nd. AGAIN, IT IS VERY IMPORTANT THAT WE GET VOLUNTEERS FOR OUR TRIAL. WE NEED EVERYONE TO PITCH IN TO HELP SO THE BURDEN ISN'T PLACED ON JUST A FEW MEMBERS. EVERY LITTLE BIT HELPS, NO JOB IS TOO SMALL. VOLUNTEERING FOR OUR EVENTS IS WHAT MAKES OR BREAKS IT.

Notices were sent out about the Herding Clinic the Wed and Thur before the trial. If you need more information, please contact Kelly at (317) 475-1959 or BCs@BonniDune.com.

Calendars – There are a limited number of calendars still available. Please contact Ronni DeLay if you are interested in purchasing one. The cost is \$15, or \$18 if they have to be mailed. Her contact information is 502-267-6052 or rldelay@insightbb.com.

Screen Saver – We will have 2 versions of the screensaver. The first will be a general group screensaver. The cost will be \$5 per picture (includes copy of entire screensaver). The second will be a custom made screensaver of your dogs only. The cost will be \$15 with a minimum of 3 pictures, maximum of 15. If you would like to have a screensaver but not contribute a picture, the cost will be \$5. Please contact Ronni if you are interested at 502-267-6052 or rldelay@insightbb.com. Once we have enough pictures received we can work on getting the screensaver out.

New Business:

We are looking into doing a Herding Clinic by Lyle Boyer this Fall (first part of November). Ronni will contact Lyle about her availability.

Braggs:

Mary Moulton and Ch. Majestic Ewe Blue Me Away "Breeze" received BOS on Sat. at the Indy Show in Feb. to Ch. Borderfame Spellbound "Merlin".

Mary Moulton and My Blue Valentine Echo CD received a 198 in Novice B on Sat. at the Indy Show in Feb. They were in a 3 way run off for HIT. Even though they did not receive it (due to Echo deciding she needed to scratch during the heel pattern) Mary and Echo did a very nice job.

Mary Somerville will soon be welcoming her new female puppy Majestic Somerstar Ricochet "Shae" to her home (once she's grown up enough!) This was one of the Rowdy/Summer puppies born on Jan. 26th.

Our next meeting will be held on Sunday, April 17, 2004 at the Red Lobster on Breckinridge Lane at 1:00pm.

Motion to adjourn made by Ronni, 2nd by Mary S. Meeting adjourned at 3:10pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda Mitchell
KTBCC Secretary