

Greater Kansas City Dog Training Club
General Meeting Minutes
June 1, 2023

The General Monthly Meeting of the GKCDTC was held on Thursday June 1.
The meeting was called to order at 7:01 PM by President Dory Hall.

MAY MINUTES: The Minutes of the May meeting were approved. .

PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

- Elections:
 - President - Mary Vick
 - Vice President - Theresa Tuttle
 - Treasurer- Jayne Frye
 - Secretary- Christy Darter
 - Board Members: David Parker, Dory Hall, Sharon Parker, Rosi Von Fintel, Linda Bradley
- 4 guests were welcomed to the meeting.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

- Income and expense amounts were given.
 - The primary sources of income were the Agility Trials, Scent Work Trial and the Scent Work Seminar
- Jayne would like to be present at committee meetings so she can provide guidance on finances. Please let Jayne know when you use the credit cards. AKC is not providing receipts. Hotels have been problematic.

BOARD REPORT:

- Training cabinet. Money was found to be missing from the training cabinet. There will only be \$20.00 in the cabinet from now on.
- Board approved purchase of new vacuum cleaner.
- Doors downstairs will be replaced. Obtaining bids. Installing touch key locks.
- Exploring an opportunity to obtain grant money to refurbish downstairs. Money could be used to improve office and meeting area spaces.

TRACKING:

- Next VST test will be October 8, 2023.

OBEDIENCE/RALLY:

- No meeting recently

RALLY:

- Rally only trial September 23-24, 2023.

OBEDIENCE:

- Obedience only trial November 18-19, 2023.

AGILITY:

- Kim reported that Theresa has joined the committee.
- January trial will be held January 26-28, 2024. The trial will be at All Star Dog Sports. Judge Jill Chapman.
- April trial will be held 19-21, 2024 at ASDS.

SCENT WORK:

- Thank you to everyone who helped at the May Scent Work Trial at ASDS. There were many wonderful volunteers. Extra thanks to Chris who handled hospitality.
- The next scent work trial will be held at ASDS September 29 - October 1, 2023.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- Training Committee:
 - Rosi thanks everyone who has signed up to instruct classes. Session 4 starts on June 12, 2023. Still looking for instructors for two classes. If anyone is interested in helping, reach out to anyone on the training committee or contact an instructor directly.
 - Membership is requesting access to the course evaluations so that they can contact people interested in becoming members.

- Printed Materials
 - This position is currently vacant. The account is at Raytown UPS store. Booklets for classes, sign-in sheets, show prep sheets, etc. need to be printed.
- Show Prep
 - Rally is Saturday June 10. Email or text Mary if interested.
 - Obedience is Sunday June 11. Registration closes Wednesday at noon. There is a Google form available online. Need volunteers. 44 currently signed up. Next opportunity is July 8- 9.
- Cheer and Sympathy
 - Sharon passed around a card for Joyce. Two cards were sent.
- Building Supplies:
 - Dory says all is up to date.
- Training Supplies:
 - Contact Lesley if you know of something that should be replenished.
- Social:
 - Picnic is next month. Still need volunteers to bring snacks to meetings: Aug, Sept, Oct.
- Voicemail:
 - 32 voicemails received.
- CGC:
 - Next CGC evaluation is a week from tonight, Thursday June 8. Volunteers needed.
- Newsletter:
 - The May newsletter has been published.
- Public Education
 - No report.
- Legislation
 - More than enough signatures were collected to end the "pit bull ban ordinance" in Independence. The city council voted and is planning to repeal the ordinance on Monday June 5.
- Social Media:
 - No report.
- Library
 - No report.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

- July picnic. Dory and Laura volunteered to organize the picnic. The picnic will be Sunday July 30 from 12:00-2:00. More information to follow.

NEW BUSINESS:

MEMBERSHIP:

- Four guests were welcomed to the meeting.
- Hannah was welcomed as the new membership chair. Thank you to Diana for all of her hard work as membership chair.
- There were 3 first readings for new members. No second readings.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- The German Shepherd Club is having their 100th Anniversary Show at Smithville Lake next weekend.
- The German Shepherd Club has an obedience trial soon that is filling up fast.
- Cleaning crew will come on the Thursday before the German Shepherd Club Obedience Show.
- Crate area will be cleaned the week of June 12. Help is needed.
- Conformation show in Topeka this weekend. They are still looking for stewards.
- Golden Retriever Club has a Rally/Obedience Show at the club June 23- 25. They are still looking for stewards.

Next Meeting: Thursday August 3, 2023

The meeting was adjourned at 8:08.

s/s Christy Darter, Secretary