

German Shepherd Dog Club of Mpls- St. Paul

May Membership Minutes
Animal Inn, Lake Elmo, MN
May 11, 2018



Meeting started at 8:10.

Officer's Reports

President's Report:

- Sticking with the old Logo.
- Talked about the Parent club changes
 - We have no rep for regional club committee – need a club member from GSDMSP
 - Regional club is eliminating the Regional Club Contest.
- Laurie Schray is our Hospitality chair

Vice President's Report: No report

Secretary's Report: No report

Treasurer's Report:

- Funds: Checking - \$39,971.64, Savings - \$10,872.56, Total - \$50,844.42
- Filed Federal in April, not due until May

Committee Reports

Agility (Rhonda Meath):

- Premium list done. Trial will be summer fun party theme.
- Suggested by Mike to have \$100.00 per trial from Trophy fund.
- Rhonda was offered her first \$100.00 at the meeting but did not need it at that time

Specialty Show (Peggy Simerson):

- Temperament Test evaluator is Laura Gilbert
- Temperament test – Closes June 6, \$30. Members - \$35 Nonmembers \$40. After June 6th. Can pay on Pay Pal
- Specialty show sign up through Onofrio
- Ad in May review and will add to Facebook
- 4-6 month Baby puppy is separate event and requires a separate entry (through Onofrio)
- Ann and Laurie to take care of food – will need people to bring food donations
- Judges are complete, working on finalizing with Gloria
- Tent needs repairing
- Looking for donations for raffle table
- Need generator
- 50/50 raffle for juniors
- Raffle table for Saturday only

Scent Work

- Verbal approval for site received. Working out details.

Shep O Gram

- Sue is working on another one.
- Rhonda to get Sue pictures from Agility trial

Trophy Fund

- Trophy donations are up to \$2700.00, closing on May 15th
- Going to post trophy donations on Facebook

New Activities – Julie Swinland

- Julie talked about Geocaching at William O'Brien State Park
- Need a permit. *Club will pay entry fee to Park.*
- Only 20 member spots available, park does not want an overabundance of dogs.
- This is for our members only.
- Budget was approved for \$400.00

Fun Day Julie Swinland

- Julie talked about Trick dog and fun activities
- Temperament test will be the same fees as Specialty

New Business

- Voting in July for 2019 Specialty Judges
- Should we sell the mats? Tabled.

Meeting adjourned. Minutes submitted by Laura Meyer, Treasurer.

After close of the Meeting, Mike read names for Member Applicants provided by Cindy Muehlbauer, Membership Chair:

- Diane Clyne no GSDs: interested in Obedience, Rally, Ability and Scentwork - helping at fun day and fair
- Richard S Crofford 2 GSDs: interested in Obedience and Rally, conformation, tracking, agility
- Holly Fizenberger 1 GSD: interested in Obedience, Rally Conformation, Agility Nosework - interested in getting involved!

- Dan Frank, 1 GSD interested in obedience, conformation and breeding and helping at Training, Hospitality, Fun Day
- Kayla Hartinger, 1 GSD interested in Conformation - helping with EVERYTHING!
- Brad & Tina Hendrick, 1 GSD: interested in Obedience, Conformation, Herding, Agility, Scent work, Schutzhund
- Martin and Debra Judge 1 GSD
- Vince & Pam Maurelli 1 GSD: interested in therapy dog training - helping at shows and trails, hospitality, state fair
- Robert Nasby and Karin Craven - 1 GSD: interested in obedience - helping at training center and with newsletter

Attendees:

Mike Metz, Laura Meyer, Tina Hendricks (member applicant), Brad Hendricks (member applicant), David Miehke, Cathy McKeon, Laurie Schray, Michelle or Michael Kenyon, Ann Jeddelloh, Jen Johnson, Rhonda Meath, Anita Secord, Julie Swinland, Laura Heweyer, Peggy Simerson