

## General Meeting Minutes

Livermore, CA, March 9, 2008

March 9, 2008, Started at 2 pm at Joan Luna's house.

Attending: No members attended. No meeting was held. I have listed club information from the previous meeting & added updated info. (jl)

### **Old Business:**

- Claire Pursley doing hospitality. We will be having coffee & snacks for morning hospitality, cake & sparkling cider following the specialty...
- Mark King and Sandra will be away the week of the specialty.
- Show Chairman is undecided. George did not want to do it, so Natalie volunteered instead. Thank you Natalie!
- Trophies—Mary Jo has the trophies. They are mostly from the estate of LaVera Morgan. Joan, Clu & Virginia have been soliciting trophy donations. Please contact any one of them if you wish to donate. Susan will be preparing labels for the trophies.
- Susan is doing Silent auction. Joan will be storing all donations to the silent auction.
- The Woofstock Cluster will be making for judges transportation, accommodations & meals.

Betty Cline will be judging our Specialty & Carrie Parma-Collier will be doing our sweepstakes. Other judges include: Carlos Navarro (Mexico), Betty Leininger and Patricia Putman.

### **Braggs:**

- Susan Fewlass: Turbo at 81/2yrs went reserve to a major on the Turkey circuit.
- Susan Fewlass: JJ won back-to-back majors also on the Turkey circuit...
- Sasha Vega was WD at Chief Solano on 04-19-2008.
- Mischa Majda was BOB/Group IV at Chief Solano on 04-19-2008
- Gracie Lu Mixon was WB/BOS at Sierra-Tuolumne on 04-05-2008
- Zak Luna was BOB at Kings County KC on 03-01-2008
- The Fewlass have moved to Las Vegas!

### **Treasurers Report:**

Financial statements will be mailed to officers.

**Specialty 2008 : June 6, 2008 Vallejo, California. NCSF meeting to follow BOB judging.**

Woofstock... 4 Days of Peace, Music & Dogs..

We are now part of a 4 Day Cluster... affectionately known as Woofstock.

Contra Costa County KC & Skyline KC have joined forces to become a 4 day cluster of shows to be held at the Solano County Fairgrounds.

We will be holding our specialty on Friday, June 6, 2008. We look forward to 4 days of majors. Our ring will be in the same location all 4 days. The club Hospitality Trailer will across from the Sammy ring all four days..

### **Conducting Club Business by mail/Internet:**

Due the geographical expanse of our membership, (Southern California to Oregon & Nevada), our club is now exploring the necessity of doing business faster, quicker and more economically.

NCSF will be incorporating these tools as approved by AKC. This will allow our members from afar to participate. Absentee ballots will have to be requested in advance.

In addition, club minutes will now be posted on the NCSF website.

Greg & Denise Newell own the server that our website is posted to.

About 75% of our membership has Internet access. Denise Newell will mail hard copies to our membership that does not have Internet access.

This will reduce our postage costs by 75% and, of course, time!

Thank you Greg and Denise.

And thank You Mark King for all your help!!! We hope that you will continue on as our hiking guru!!

Treasurer reports will now be on either Quicken or Excel (Treasurer's choice) & will be sent out via the same methodology.