

Pacific Rim Bloodhound Club "PAWPRINTS"



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NEXT MEETING will be held Saturday,

August 5, 2000 at our Regional Specialty in Enumclaw, followed by an American Bloodhound Club North West Region meeting.

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MEETING MINUTES

Pacific Rim Bloodhound Club Minutes General Membership June 10, 2000

Members present:

Terri Coffey, Suzi Paine, Mike Tinkler, Adriana Pavlinovic, Katie Cole, Noel Stockwell, Nancy Seanor-Radabah and guest, Lisa Jackson.

Meeting was called to order by President Katie Cole at 11:03 a.m. Secretary's report: Edith Hanson has moved to Parker Arizona. No other correspondence was received.

Minutes of last meeting: Approved as written

Treasurers Report: After putting \$5000.00 into a 12-month CD, we have \$375.75 in Savings and \$948.22 in checking. The \$5000.00 for the CD was money received from the ABC for our half of National Specialty profit, \$1692.18 and \$3307.82 from our Savings account. The CD will reach maturity on 4/7/2001 and holds an interest rate of 6.23%.

Regional Specialty Report: Suzi & Katie have contacted the T-shirt people. They will be on site where they will make the t-shirts right there. They will be bringing 50, three color transfers and a wide assortment of shirts for people to purchase. The transfers will cost us \$75.00 for the set-up. Our cost for sweatshirts is \$18.00. We will need to add on 2 or 3 dollars to make any profit, and to pay the set up fees. If we run out of transfers, people can order them at the show. Katie will contact Lynne Aguirre about putting something in the ABC Newsletter.

Set-up/Tear Down: Mike Tinkler, Terri Coffey, Katie Cole &

PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

Dear Members, I hope that the season finds all of you well. This time of year is wonderful to get out with our hound buddies and enjoy the warm and dry weather. Long evening walks and early morning swims seem to make up my day lately. Looking further into the summer has to bring to mind our upcoming Regional. This has been a tremendous undertaking for our club and should prove to be wonderful event. I would ask each of you to come and support the club not only with your time and energy, but with the entry of your hounds. Whether it be a new puppy our you veteran that has been waiting for the opportunity to travel with you to the show, NOW is the time! Your show committee has been hard at work over the last several months to ensure that a great time will be had by all. From well respected judges to delicious meals, this will prove to be our best regional ever. Show your support by bringing your buddies and enjoying the fine hospitality that your regional club has to offer. Hope to see you there! Katie Cole

Suzi Paine will be available to help set up. It would be nice if we had a full work force show up to do set-up and tear down in order to show the WWHA that we are a good working group. We will have a very large ring for the Bloodhounds.

Ribbons & Rosettes: Katie has been looking at rosettes for the specialty. She wants to know if we want to go with a triple rosette with the large rosettes, BOB, BOW, BOS, BVISS, BISS, BOSS. Doubles for WD & WB & Reserves. Singles for class placements for the Regional. The Supported show will have BOB, BOS, WD, WB, Reserves & High Scoring for the WWHA. ALL placements at the Regional on Saturday will be rosettes. Katie just wants to get a price range to get her order going. Motion was made by Suzi Paine to give Katie a budget of a maximum of \$350.00 for ribbons at the Regional and Supported show Noel Stockwell seconded, motion carried.

Decorations: Tiki Torches, straws, table mats, leis, hanging fish & birds, tacky tiki music...We have two tents for our area for shade on Saturday.

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If we set the motor homes up right we can put them in a big circle with the awnings out and the tents in the middle so we have room for dogs and people under the covers.

Parking: Our parking will be in one area inside of the Fairgrounds in a secluded area. All parking inside of the gates at our set-up is reserved parking only. No overnight parking will be allowed outside of the gates. Our set up is next to the bathrooms and SHOWERS! If you don't want to pay for parking, plan to park outside the gate. It is still good parking for free. If you want to park INSIDE at the set-up, you must reserve. The day parking INSIDE is \$10.00 per day pre-paid. No day of show money will be taken, you will have to park outside the gate.

Hospitality Bags: Katie & Terri will get additional bags from the Iams Rep. at the show today. Mike will be getting homemade cookies from the manufacturer. We have left over scratch pads for the bags. Adriana will get the bags ready. Katie will check the things at her house to see what is left over from the National.

Additional New Business: Rhoda is pregnant!!!

Edith Hanson has moved to Arizona. Should the club offer to pay her motel if she needs one, and meals. She has not asked this, but it is the polite thing to offer. Suzi Paine motioned that Adriana Pavlinovic, as judges hospitality, contact Edith to see if she would like us to pay her motel and meals. Terri Coffey seconded. Discussion: Adriana points out that she will be showing to Edith and wants everyone to understand that she will not be paying her, or schmoozing her. She just wants this up front. Everyone knows Edith and everyone present was comfortable that Adriana having some contact with her is not a problem. Motion passed.

Nominating Committee: Kim Bialkowski & Judi Robb have agreed to sit on the Nominating Committee. Katie is attempting to reach Jill Dingle. She will leave the Chair position up to them to decide. According to the by-laws, we need a few alternates. Suzi Paine offered to be an alternate, and so did Nancy Seanor. If anyone has people they would like to see nominated, or a desire to run for a position, please contact Judi Robb or Kim Bialkowski. The positions open for nomination are: President, Vice President, Treasurer and all Board positions. These people will have completed their offices as of January 1, 2001.

Judges for the 2001 Regional Specialty: Next years Specialty will be held again in conjunction with the Western Washington Hound Association. We need nominations for judges preferably from Canada, Washington, Oregon or Northern Washington. We will come up with several names to be included with the newsletter and have the membership narrow down the possibilities. The names discussed at the meeting are:

Breed: Honey Glendining, Leslie Rodgers, Margaret Robertson, Walter Pinsker, Nancy Byrd, and Dale Simmons. Sweepstakes: Kathy Corbett, Sandi Frei, Carol Chittam, Elaine Young and Jane Anderson. The newsletter will need to come out early, June 15th with the first round of voting back to the Secretary by July 1st. E-mail votes will be accepted for the first round, or telephone nominations can be taken. If you wish to nominate someone for Sweepstakes, please be sure they will are willing to accept the assignment. The second round will go out before July 10th and must be back by August 5th. They can be mailed to the Secretary by August 3rd, or may be handed in at the PRBC meeting on August 5th. Terri will be leaving town on the 4th of August to help set up for the Regional and will not be home to accept nominations on the 4th. There will also be a Northwest Region American Bloodhound Club meeting held on August 6, 2000 after judging at the Western Washington Hound Association.

Auction & Raffle: Lots of things have been donated. People are already beginning to send money for the 50/50 raffle. Edith Hanson has donated a piece she picked up in Australia. It is the ABC head, backed with felt. Bill Ledford also has donated a set of cookie molds.

Premium List is now out. It is also available on-line at www.geocities.com/dogclubs

You can enter on-line or by fax.

ABC Board of Directors: The ABC logo will be used by one of the regions as trophies. The ABC Board of Directors has decided they will do something else in the future with ABC medallions. Much discussion has been brought up about the use of club money to help members that are in very dire times. All of the Board members empathize with those situations, however the ABC Articles of Incorporation are very clear. Article One, Section Three, states we cannot donate or give to any one individual. No non-profit organization is able to give or donate to any cause, unless it is also a non-profit organization. The ABC encourages people on a private level to donate to those in need. Breed Rescue funds will now be distributed in a different time period. Instead of a fiscal year of April 31 to May 1st, they have moved it to December 31 to January 1. In this way there will be more funds to distribute evenly throughout the organized rescues.

Canadian News: There is a hound specialty in Canada that is held the first weekend in August. Mike spoke to Jan Cook and that show clashes with ours in the US. They are thinking of holding their Canadian National Specialty next year in Camloops. This is not too far from the US, and may attract people from Alberta and Northern BC. This show is on the Labor Day weekend. It is a three day show, Friday, Saturday & Sunday. This leaves Monday for travel. If the CBC misses a year, it won't come back for four or five years. They don't want to miss out on that opportunity. Mike will speak to Heather Whitcomb and Jan Cook about this next week.

Katie Cole thanked Terri Coffey for all her work on the premium list to get it out on time.

This is our first specialty, we would like to see 30 or 35 dogs entered. Since Edith is coming from Arizona, it would really be nice for her to get a very good entry.

Meeting adjourned at 12:25 Respectfully Submitted, Terri Coffey, Secretary



Regional Specialty T-Shirts and Sweatshirts

Three color t-shirts and sweatshirts will be available for purchase at the Regional. This wonderful design was created for us by Tonna Carlo.

You can see our premium list on the internet.

www.geocities.com/dogclubs

You can also request a premium list for the Western Washington Hound

Association at the same site. WWHA will be holding their annual show in the same location, the day after our regional.

Please plan to attend!

Jan, Sheila, Mary & Kyra's Excellent Adventure (Crufts or Bust) Part 2 (Continued from May Newsletter)

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Although the Board empathized greatly with the individuals difficult situation, the limitations of being a non profit organization, the Articles of Incorporation, and logistics excluded any such action. The ABC Board strongly encourages members to support each times of need. Luckily, the bloodhound family does that in many ways already. The ABC Board is looking at having an ABC logo medallion created, so that regions may offer the medallion as a commemorative or trophy. This way the ABC logo membership pin would remain special, and strictly a sign of ABC membership. The board is looking at what changes to the SBR (Standing Book of Rules) that would entail. The ABC Board approved a proposal from PRBC to sponsor "The Ken Wheeler Memorial Trophy" at NW Regional Specialties for the next 10 years, starting with the year 2001. A plaque with the winners name would be added to the trophy base commemorating the win.

Adriana

The bloodhounds (47 entered) were fun to watch and I chanced to sit with Bill Ledford (USA) so we critiqued them together. Alas, the bloodhound clubs didn't have a booth set up ringside (most breed clubs did) so I didn't come away with much bloodhound bumph. In other rings, if an elderly/infirm owner/handler/breeder couldn't manage the run around, she simply told the judge on entering, and the owner had someone ready to step in to the ring, run the dog, and hand it right back...... a great idea, I thought. In another ring (mini wires) a lady brought a three legged stool into the ring, and sat on it until she got close to the judge! All very civilized and logical. Too soon Crufts was over, and we were rocketing down the road to Wales to find a certain Corgi breeder. On the way we stopped at a wonderful town, called Hay on Wye, with nothing but shops of old books and prints. Yep! Two more prints were added to my bloodhound collection! Into Wales, with signs full of "ww's" and "yr's" and "wm's" but we found the kennel in spite of ourselves. We spent a few hours cuddling puppies (I did) while Mary stacked them, feeling for "bone" and chests" and whatever is important in Corgis. Our trip was nearing its end, so we decided to spend one night by the sea, in Swansea. The little souvenir shop, whose owner was just locking up, was chock full of items that we thought our families would appreciate, so he was delighted we wanted to spend money. Of course, we didn't have any rain, and the daffodils were in full bloom, pushing up through the green, green grass. (Understand here in Calgary, our daffodils bloom in May, and we left our city with 4" of snow!) It was beautiful!



THE WHELPING BOX



Am/Can/Int Champion

Heather's Tru-Luv of the Hunt, ICT, CGC

Ch Button Bay's Chips n' Salsa
Both parents are OFA, Elbows Clear, CERF
Puppies expected July 10, 2000
Black & Tan, Red, possible Liver & Tan
Tru-Luv Bloodhounds
Katie Cole
360-568-8386 or truluv@earthlink.net

So we arrived home with a few more gray hairs, courtesy of Sheila's driving, and I learned about breeds I knew nothing about, and we parted with a lot of money (1 pound = \$2.40 Can.) And we had a blast!

It WAS a trip of a lifetime! Terrific!

Jan Cook

THE RAINBOW BRIDGE

Pete and Nancy Temple tell us that their beloved Ch Shiloh's The Celts Good Luck had an inoperable cancer in his mouth and had to be put to sleep at 9 1/2 years old. The same day, Pete found Ch The Celts Rhapsody in Blue in full torsion. Because of her age, also 9 1/2 years old, they had to put her to sleep rather than putting her through surgery. To loose one friend is hard enough, two in one day is a tragedy. Pete and Nancy, our deepest sympathies go out to you.

Shelby also took BOB two days in Vancouver, and was pulled in the group by judge Kent Delaney. The following week she repeated her performance by taking back to back BOB in Tacoma, and being pulled in the group by judge Dana Cline. Shelby also made her first trip to Canada to attend the Canadian Bloodhound Club Booster in Saanichton where she was BOW on May 26 and 28, coming home with 4 Canadian points.

Katie Cole is very pleased to announce that her Rhoda, Am/Can/Int. Ch. Heather's Tru-luv Of The Hunt ICT, CGC is now PREGNANT!!! She was bred to Judy & Myron Robb's "Nacho" Ch. Button Bay's Chips n' Salsa. She is expecting puppies the first part of July.

Reds and Black/Tan's expected (possibly liver too!) Ray & Kay Schmitt report that Ch. Maple Hill's Luck at Midnight (Lucky) got his first Best of Breed and a Group 3 from Mrs. Nancy Byrd at the Mensona KC show on May 6 in Santa Rosa.

Kim Bialkowski and her Marley, Heather's Old Jamaica Gumshoe was Winners Dog all four days in Saanichton over the Canadian Booster weekend. He picked up 2 of his Canadian Championship points.

Mike Tinkler's Am/Can Ch Hastings Crk St. Valentines Roxy was BOB and Group 4 at the Canadian Booster in Saanichton on May 27, and BOB again on May 28. Dacre was also BOS at Puyallup and Tacoma June 10 & 11.

CANADIAN NEWS

News from East of the Rockies Wallace was dragged out of retirement (again) to enter in the Edmonton booster at Easter. There is life in the old dog yet, as he won! I lent out my catalogue so I don't have proper names, but Pam Marchenski (B.C.) had two young dogs entered, (Heather Whitcomb's breeding), and they got BOS and BW. I feel that may be Alberta's last booster until we get an infusion of bloodhounds in the area.

I attended the BC booster dogless in Victoria BC. It was lots of fun, and nice to meet everyone again. Dave Lockeridge let me handle Sere.....two old girls together! We got BOS on the day after the booster! I'm fostering a young bitch right now. A real challenge. She was very underweight, and had no social skills whatsoever. She is coming along nicely now, as long as I survive the experience!

Have a great summer.

Jan Cook

BREED RESCUE

Beauregard-4 year old B/T male. Loves the couch, chest rubs, and very good in the house. Adult only home. 3 legged. Good with other animals.

Isabella- 4 year old Red female. Lots of energy, and lots of love. Loves the couch, prefers to be a queen, but will accept other animals. Good working nose for trailing. Many thanks to Nancy Seanor-Radabah who answered last newsletters plea for sheets and blankets. The guys are enjoying their new sheets and new donut beds. Snoring abounds in the dog room. Also many thanks to Fran DelRossi, Larry and Sharon Allen, Chris Toepel and Steve Passe' for their donations of dog food, and to general Fund. Thanks for the referrals, and Suzi Paine for doing a home check. Bev Fleetham has again offered to donate some of her hand painted items as fundraisers for breed rescue. Breed rescue was approved to have a booth at the Regional show in Enumclaw. Bev did the hand-painted bloodhound stools, buttons, coat racks, etc., at the ABC and CBC National Specialties. MERICA

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Adriana Pavlinovic

ABC Directors Report Submitted by Adriana Pavlinovic ABC Board of Directors

Lots of excitement is building up for the 2000 ABC National Specialty in Carlisle, PA, September 18-24. A week of

fun, good food, neat seminars, lots of bloodhound activities, and visiting with other bloodhound owners are on the agenda. The last Bulletin had a lot of information and details about all of the events, so have a peak and we'll see you there!

An ABC meeting will be held on Saturday, August 5, 2000, in conjunction with the ABC NW Independent Regional, Contact ABC President dinner. Robb to be placed on the agenda if you would like to speak at the meeting. The ABC Board has approved a change to Standing Book of Rules Item 702, 1.0 and Attachment 702-1. Dates would be changed as follows: May 1 to February 1, June 1 to April 1, April 1-March 31 to December 31-January 1. The date changes affecting breed rescue groups would guarantee that income from the National would be available to disperse. The National is the largest source of income for the 10% rescue donation, and the date changes would reflect what has happened with fund dispersal over the last few years. The ABC Board was asked to consider financially assisting an ABC member, by perhaps donating to a vet bill. (Continued on page 4)



2001 Northwest Regional Specialty and Supported Entry

Saturday, August 4, 2001 (Specialty) Sunday, August 5, 2001 (Supported) King County Fairgrounds, Enumclaw, Washington

Hotel:

Best Western Park Center - 360-825-4490

Motel is located 1/2 mile from the fairgrounds. There are 8 non-smoking and 2 smoking rooms reserved for Pacific Rim Bloodhound Club. Be sure to mention our name. Rooms are \$80.33 per night, including the dog charge of \$10.00. Reservations

must be made by July 5, 2001.

Trophies:

Please send trophy donations to Lynn Harty, S. 13711 Sands Rd., Valleyford,

Washington 99036. Or email - lharty@ewu.edu

Show

Chairman: Terri Coffey 503-556-3810 or riverbank@ados.com or fax 503-556-3810

Show Superintendent: MR Dog Shows - 253-853-3553 or fax 253-853-5445

Judges: *(pending AKC approval)*Sweepstakes: Mrs. Elaine Young
Regular & non-regular classes & BOB: Mrs. Nancy Byrd

Supported entry on Sunday, August 5, 2001 in conjunction with Western Washington Hound Association at the same location.

Judges: (pending AKC approval)
Sweepstakes: Mrs. Lynne Aguirre
Regular classes and BOB: Mr. Carlos Navarro

We will be serving continental breakfasts and great lunches at our Bloodhound headquarters on the show grounds both Saturday and Sunday.