

PACIFIC RIM BLOODHOUND CLUB "PAWPRINTS"



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Don't forget to check out your web page! www.pacificrimbloodhoundclub.org where you will find the PRBC By-laws, membership directory National information and much, much more!

Minutes of Meeting Held March 26, 2005

Meeting called to order by President SP. Guests introduce themselves; Kirsty Hinton and Ariel.

Secretary report: correspondence received was application for membership from Carol and Frank Searle of Eagle Idaho. They have a puppy with 5 points, have worked with Idaho Rescue, members of Lewis and Clark KC, they need sponsors.

Treasurer report: balance of \$3,062.00 in rescue account, \$1,376.06 in checking, \$1,664.81 in savings and Kay is rolling CD \$5,684.00 over in April into the savings for use on the National events. Moved by Katie, seconded by Tina that report be approved. National Income \$1,544 trophy donations; \$739 t-shirt sales. Expenses \$813.85 ts and sweats, about \$1000 trophies, catering and grounds deposits \$500 each, decorations \$300, auction items \$136. Have had a suggestion from a member to change parameters of Top 20; need to get input. It has been requested to open it up to dogs not actually in the Top 20, in particular dogs who have received BOB or BOS at any regional or national specialty during the 12 month counting period, and also dogs with BOB or BOS at Eukanuba and Westminster. What is the input of those present: Katie: Disagrees with changing the parameters – the Top 20 says Top 20, period.

Tina: Also disagrees with opening it up. Cindy: Could go either way, asks the reasoning for changing. Reason given was to give more bitches a chance to be invited. Cindy can see both pros and cons. Suzi: Disagrees with the change; what would it be then? It wouldn't be the Top 20. **Rescue:** Terri not at meeting because she

is delivering the second of the two bitches she took in recently to her new home. Both Sadie and Molly have fantastic new homes. The website has generated lots of inquiries from potential adopters; thank you to Stacey it is working exactly as designed. We have one more rescue, a 4 year old neutered male, Ralph, in Spokane, owners are getting desperate. He is good with people, etc. but not with other dogs. Cindy: 2005 Regional is approved, trophies \$735 in sponsorships so far. Want more! Still looking for the perfect raffle/ auction item to raise some funds for the regional. Katie: meeting with caterer Jen Loso on 4/4 at Argus to go over facilities for a firm quote. Cindy: volunteered to sell catalogs with her family. Cindy and her mom will do it on Thursday and Friday. Saturday and Sunday brother and niece will handle if there are any left at that point. She states that we should have a lot of catalogs there as she thinks there will be more spectators than normal at this show. Discussion of how many catalogs we will order ensues. Once entries close we will have to determine how many to purchase on top of the 1 per entry we get as part of our secretary's contract. Reminder that anything that is wanted in the premium must be to Robbie by June 1.

Website: how is it working for everyone? All agree that it is easy to navigate and Stacey has done a wonderful job on it. Shall we make another attempt to put the newsletter on the website instead of mailing? All agree that this would be great; would just have to mail it to the members (1 only at present) who do not have email.

Any more **old business?** Katie states she'd like to see more members participating at meetings. All agree that would be a good thing.

New business: Application for membership turned in by Kirsty Hinton. Suzi will send out a vote-by-email to the rest of the board to approve Kirsty's application.

Cindy discusses what she wants to get as a big raffle/auction item for the regional. We will talk with 3-C's today about what they might be willing to donate.

Cindy wants to know what we are going to do about food for Sunday; are Judy and Myron going to handle? Suzi will look at local food places and find some possibilities.

Katie moves and Tina seconds that we adjourn the meeting. All are in favor. Meeting adjourned at 11:10 a.m.

Minutes of meeting held May 1, 2005 Gilroy, California

Members Present: Terri Coffey, Suzi Paine, Kay Schmitt, Lyn Sherman, Lynne & Steve Aguirre, Judy & Myron Robb. Guests: Kathi Brown, Tim & Sherry Robertson, Karen & Troy Marrow. We are 5 months from the National, and Suzi requests Committee reports. **Terri Coffey**, reports that trophies are bought and we are still short approx. \$500 - \$600. Hope to get some donations from here! **Kay Schmitt** reports that with help from the Whippet Club who has put on many Top 20 events, the planning is going well.

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Going by breed points alone, from July 1, 2004 to June 30, 2005, the special invitations will go out just before the premium list. This special event, sponsored by PRBC will be on Thursday night, September 29, 2005. We will have three judges; 1 AKC Hound judge, 1 Breeder judge, and one Handler judge. All dogs will receive a rosette and the winner will be announced at the Saturday night Banquet. This is a formal event and we ask everyone to come dressed for the occasion. Terri will take the Top 20 photos prior to any judging and the Winner will be added to the photo after the announcement is made.

Lyn Sherman reports that Caveman Kitchen and Jen's Catering will be doing meals for us, with the exception of Wednesday's Trailing Trial dinner which will be Fajitas and cooked by Tim Robertson. The dinner reservation forms are already up on the PRBC web page. Lynne Aguirre is in charge of getting the publicity into the Newsletter, but she can only put what we send her! Everyone please have your information to her by June 15th. Myron & Judy Robb will be doing hospitality at the Ranch. We will provide continental breakfasts, lunches and drinks every day except Sunday. We have a vendor on Sunday, Giddy-Up Express will be there to serve. Beer, wine, coffee and softdrinks will be available in the Hospitality room.

Sherry Robertson has raffle tickets for sale, and they can also be found on the web page. We need big ticket items for the auction! You can send auction items to Suzi Paine's home, or bring them with you. Please don't send them to Sherry's! Cindy Sims is working on the queen size quilt for a donation. If you are not an ABC member, or know someone who wishes to come who is not an ABC member, please email the mailing address to Suzi to add to the list. You can also go onto www.mrdogshows.com and request a premium list.

Nancy Filoso is in charge of the Boutique. Remember, you need not be present to sell things in the boutique! Please contact Nancy at bloodhound@comcast.net to have your items listed. All items will ship to Suzi Paines home, not Nancy Filosos! Suzi Paine has the National Anthem set up for two of the days, Lynn Hardy will play her Viola one day, Paula Giddings the flute, and Lyn Sherman will ask Mike & Cindy Andrews if they can play the guitar and banjo one day.

The PRBC website is up and running with lots of great information. Please go online to check it out! www.pacificrimbloodhoundclub.org.

Meeting adjourned: 11:41. Respectfully submitted, Terri Coffey, Secretary

Rainbow Bridge

Paula Giddings lost her beloved Margo, Ch The Honeytree's Margo She will be greatly missed by everyone whose heart she touched.

2005 National

Our National Specialty is just a short <u>4 months</u> away! We hope everyone is excited about this undertaking! Please plan to make the upcoming meetings to help with the organization of the National, and especially make plans to come. If you have not yet made your motel reservations, you can do so anytime. We will be using the Auburn Valu-Inn, 253-725-9600. If you have not yet made a trophy donation to either the National or Regional, a trophy donation form is included in this newsletter. Your donations will be what make this National a huge success! T-shirts and sweatshirts are available, and they are wonderful! The logo is printed on both sides and the colors are great.

Our website has reservation forms for the Top 20 Invitational, banquets, quilt raffle, 50/50 raffle, overnight parking reservations, trophies, t-shirts & sweatshirts, and how to order dog food to be delivered on site so you don't have to pack it! This event only comes to the Northwest every six years. Make sure you don't miss out! Make your plans now!

Bloodhound Rescue

Rescue tends to follow the school year when it comes to surrendering dogs. The busy season is beginning, and your help is going to be needed! School lets out in a couple of weeks, and many people will surrender their dogs so they can go on vacation, or those cute Christmas puppies will now be too big to handle. We need people willing to foster and transport. If you have someone wishing to adopt, please refer them to our webpage at: www.pacificrimbloodhoundclub.org and have them follow the links to Rescue. There they will find adoption applications which must be filled out and sent to me.

Rescue is still seriously in need of leashes and collars. Advantage Flea control is also a huge plus! It would be nice to have a work day here at Terri's house to put up more kennels. Remember, if you are able to foster a dog, even short term, it will be greatly appreciated!

Suzi Paine reports that Thunder and Shelby turned Eight years old on April 17th! They are both such wonderful veterans and we hope they have many more birthdays to come!

BRAGS



Happy Birthday Shelby & Thunder!

Brags (continued)

Stacey Poler reports that on Saturday, March 26, Cosby won BOW and got a 4 point Major and Sunday Brodie won WD for a 4 point major. Tater and Cosby each picked up a point in Lewiston.

New members **Sherry & Tim Robertson** send news their boy "**Wylie**", **Sherick's Flash FWD Andorra** is now a NEW CHAMPION! They even have a better brag though, **Ch. Ridgerunner Truth**, "**Faye**" turned 9 years old on May 21st. Thanks Tim & Sherry for sharing with us!

Lynne & Steve Aguirre are very proud of The Ritz' Keep'n The One, "Neo", who went WD both days in Gilroy at the ABC SW Regional and Supported shows. Neo is owned by Steve & Lynne Aguirre and bred by the Aguirres and Debbie

Cool.



Lyn Sherman's "Knotty" won BOB and Best in Show at the SW Regional Specialty held in conjunction with the Gavilan Kennel Club on April 30, 2005, and again on May 1. He won another BIS at Coyete Hill in Vallejo, CA giving him a total of 43 Best In Shows! Good Job Lyn, Ken & Knotty!



SW Regional Specialty DVD

Terri Coffey put together a DVD of the photos she took at the SW Regional in California. The DVD is approx. 25 minutes long with photos of the winners, movement shots of many of the dogs, casual photos taken at the BBQ held at Tim & Sherry's home, candids of dogs and people; all placed in a slideshow to music! 100% of the proceeds of sales will be donated to the 2005 National Specialty. Price: \$33.95 includes shipping. Send your orders to Kay Schmitt, 42 Maple Hill Dr., San Raphael, CA 94903-1720. Videos will ship within 24 hours of payment received.

Welcome New Members!

This year has brought us some new members!

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Our membership is growing every month! Welcome to all of our new members!

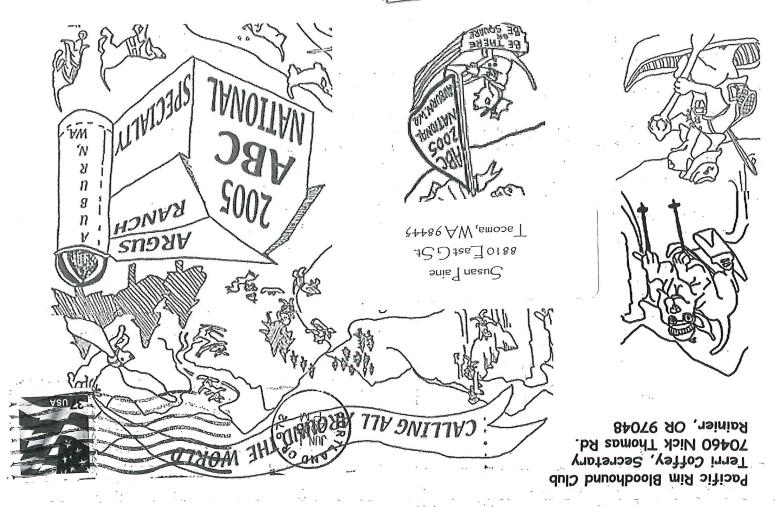


A LITTLE HUMOR





The editor left no room for the President's message, so Suzi says THANKS to all the hard workers on the National. Please join us for our next meeting on June 11th at Suzi's house. Meeting time will be announced when judging schedule for Bloodhounds is out.



AMERICAN BLOODHOUND CLUB 2005 NATIONAL SPECIALTY

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Schedule of Events

Tuesday 9/27 and Wednesday 9/28 - Mantrailing Trials Wednesday - trailing seminar by Dennis Slavin and Bill Kift Trailing awards dinner

Thursday 9/29Futurity - judged by Kristi Trivilino

Exhibitor education, ABC Board meeting, Top 20 Judging
Friday 9/30 Obedience judged by CT Fulkerson
Veteran and Puppy Sweepstakes judged by Pier Rolandi, Italy BBQ dinner, Auction and Raffle, entertainment

Saturday, 10/1 Regular, non regular and BOB judged by Elaine Rigden, Banquet ABC annual meeting, Awards presentations

Sunday, 10/2 NW Regional Specialty Show Obedience judged by Sharon Fulkerson Veteran and Puppy Sweepstakes judged by Becky Cozart Regular, non regular and BOB judged by Rick Byrd

Our base motel will be the Auburn Valu-Inn, Auburn, WA approx. 15 minutes from the Ranch where the show will be held.

T-Shirts and Sweatshirts are available You will find order forms in this issue of Pawprints and your next ABC Newsletter, or you can contact Suzi or Terri for a copy. Order forms are up on the Pacific Rim Bloodhound Club web site too!

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