

PRBC Meeting Minutes, March 10, 2001 in Centralia, Washington

The meeting was called to order at 11:05 AM.

Members Present: Suzi Paine, Katie Cole, Terri Coflfey, Cathy Plummer, Pete Temple (at 11:30) and **Guest** Trish Ballard.

Secretary's Report:

A card was sent to Steve & Teri Lukefahr New PRBC member is Cathy Plummer. New associate member applicant, pending approval, is Douglas Lare He is approved pending dues payment.

Treasurer's Report:

Income: \$383.00 - \$100.00 is dues, \$283 fund-raiser income from TVA^CR raffle at Seattle Kennel Club. Expenses: total \$538.65 \$100.00 to CBC for their National \$ 50.00 grounds fees for Fun Day in June \$237.78 purchase of a TV/VCR raffle item \$ 150.87 for a Garden Hound raffle item Ending balance in checking \$601.65, savings \$958.70 and CD for \$5000.00, which matures on April 7th. Suzi received a bank statement showing \$171.04 in interest on the CD at 6.23% interest. We will let the amount roll over for another year. Terri will be asking for the \$300 seed money from the ABC for our Regional.

Old Business:

- **Fun Day:** June 16th at Spanaway Lake Park has been secured. This weekend is a NON-show weekend so we will be able to just have fun! We have the picnic area from 7:30 a.m. to dusk. Plans will be completed between now and the May meeting. To make this fun day a success, we will need everyone to participate. Suzi has not yet gotten a mailing list from Adriana for invitations to the rescue people, Noel will get us addresses for the NWBSAR people. Some discussion was held on activities and costs/prices and food. We need to have people stepping forward to take on the committees. This will not be a success without fall participation. Having 2 or 3 people working the entire fun day is too much work for a few. Also, if we are unable to get the word out to rescue dog owners, our participation level will drop considerably. Suzi & Katie will make up the flyer made up with a map on the back. Sid Harty will be putting on a symposium on trailing, and give people the opportunity to run instinct trails. Suzi will also bring the pool and weenies for "Bobbing for Weenies". Katie will make ribbons for our activities and be in charge of the silly dog contest. We need members to volunteer to bring different food items. We also need members to help put on other activities. It would be fun to come up with some sort of obstacle course that we could charge \$1.00 to run through. We need the equipment, a ramp, hula hoops with balloons on them, through the swimming pool, things like that. Please contact Katie Cole to take on a responsibility. **YOU ARE NEEDED!** Remember this is not only a fun day, it's a **FUND-RAISER** for PRBC. The next PRBC meeting will be held the last Sunday of May 27th in Victoria at the Canadian National Specialty. This gives us more time before the Fun Day, and accommodates the Canadian members.
- **Canadian National Specialty:** The Canadian National has 4 days of showing: Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The Island is beautiful and the company will be great. Please plan to attend. If you have not gotten a premium list for the Canadian National, please contact Western Dog Shows at 250-573-3944, or enter on line at

<http://www.compupets.com/westemdogshows/> You may also contact them by email at WestemDogShows@compupets.com. Entry fees are \$22.00 Canadian, \$14.00 additional. Altered Classes are offered at the Specialty. The show closes at noon on Wednesday, May 9, 2001.

- **Regional Specialty:** 10 rooms have been reserved at the Best Western in. Enumclaw, 7 non-smoking, 3 smoking. All papers have been filed with the AKC and ABC. WWHA will be hiring a setup and tear-down crew this year. We will have a \$75.00 fee for use of the grounds, plus a fee for ringside tables and chairs. Last year our total bill was \$81.00. Katie Cole is doing hospitality, we will be doing a Southwest Theme. Remember we also have the supported entry on Sunday at WWHA. Trophies will be offered for both days. After much discussion, we find we only have enough people to serve lunches at the Regional. People will be on their own for dinners.
- **Braggs:** Cathy Plummer finished her first homebred French Bulldog! She finished her with a 5 point major! Pete Temple took BOB today with his 8 month old boy The Cells Clan Tartan. Suzi Paine has a brand new 5 mo. old puppy, Dylan, from Steve and Lynne Aguirre. She got him on Friday the 2nd, and on Sunday the 4th he took a Group 2 at his first fun match! All braggers pitched in \$1.00 each!

Remember the next meeting will be May 27th on Vancouver Island, Canada at the Canadian Bloodhound Club!

The meeting was adjourned at 11:50 AM.