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President's Message

Hi Everyone,

I am very delighted with the attendance of our last meeting on January 28th. It was great seeing everyone. I am a person of few words, so my messages probably won't be that long.

First off, good luck to everyone in this years show season. Just remember, have a good time and good sportsmanship.

Second, we are planning a bloodhound campout on July 7th-July 9th at Salmon La Sac campground North of Cle Elum, Washington. You would take Salmon La Sac Highway; 20 miles north from I-90. I will need to know who all wants to attend by March 18th so i can make reservations. The fee is \$16 for single, \$32 for double and \$8 extra vehicle per night. The facility has tables, fire pits, day use community kitchen, potable water and flush toilets. There is also fishing near the campsites.

The rest of the meetings this year will be:

- May 27th at the spokane shows
- August 5th at the regional at Argus Ranch
- November 18th at the Monroe Show at Katie Coles house.

Have a great year.
Paula Ockerberg

In a Minute...

PRBC Meeting, January 28, 2006

Minutes of PRBC meeting held January 28, 2006 at the Marriot hotel in Seatac Washington. Members present: Paula Ockerberg, Suzi Paine, Terri Coffey, Stacey Poler, Cindy Partington, Katie Cole, Nancy Seanor, and Janis Hardy. Guests: Sonnya Crawford. Meeting was called to order by President Paula Ockerberg at 10:45a.m. **Secretary's Report:** Newsletter publication dates will follow meeting schedule February, May, August, and November. Terri notes that Bylaws state that there has to be sufficient notice for upcoming meetings so the subsequent meeting will be listed in the newsletter. Paula mentions upcoming meeting dates to be May 27th, August in conjunction with the regional and November 18th. Second, Stacey requests approval to reimburse Terry Coffey \$250 for the purchase of Adobe Page Maker 7.0 for newsletter. The previously requested software Adobe Illustrator is not appropriate for our needs. Stacey makes a motion to pay Terri \$250 for Page Maker 7.0. Discussion: Katie asks if there is a legal concern because the software is to be licensed to one person. Terri states she can put it on two computers and it will be licensed under Terri's name. Software can be used to open old versions of pawprints. Motion Approved. Applications for new members to PRBC: Sonnya and Timothy Crawford sponsored by Suzi Paine and Stacey Poler. Denise and David Dixon sponsored by Steve and Lynne Aguirre.

Treasurer's Report. Kay could not attend so Suzi relayed her report. Balance in Checking of \$1684.40, Balance in Savings of \$4000.72, 18 Month CD (12/06/2005) with 3.44% Interest Rate for \$8,000, in Rescue Balance of \$3837.68. Income of \$393 in post show sales of boutique items, dues \$420, Expenses of 59.32 for Pawprints, Web Site Annual Fee \$45, Software \$108.95, Article of Incorporation Fee \$10, new check printing fee \$15, Renewal notice for dues \$42.04, Membership cards \$12.16.

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Pacific Rim Bloodhound Rescue

We have many changes in the future of PRBR. Terri has spent considerable time in the trenches as rescue coordinator and finally is taking a break from the emotional anguish that is a large part of Rescue. Before saying farewell, Terri has another success story. She recently helped coordinate the placement of Maggie, with a wonderful family. Mike, Cherie and Molly (their current bloodhound) are excited about their new addition. Cherie reports that Maggie is just wonderful and Molly willingly lets Maggie chew on her and play with all of her toys. On that positive note, Terri is



passing the baton on to a number of enthusiastic and generous individuals. Suzi will continue to be a part of the rescue committee and will be accompanied by Janis Hardy who has offered to foster dogs at her home and Sonya and Timothy Crawford who are practicing vets in Grays Harbor, WA. Sonya and Timothy are excited to be a part of rescue and are willing to foster, will be donating veterinary care and whatever else possible. PRBR is working on purchasing and setting up kennel panels for the new foster homes. It is an exciting time to see so many people pulling together for the hounds that truly need us.

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Sonya Crawford

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Photos Clockwise from Top: Maggie and Molly on a walk, Lizzie nice and clean, and Molly where every Bloodhound truly belongs...on the couch!



Mark your Calendar!

March 18th.....Campout Registration Deadline
May 26-27th.....Trailing Trial, Valleyford, WA
May 27th.....PRBC Meeting, Valleyford, WA
July 7-9th....Bloodhound Campout, CleElum, WA
August 5th.....PRBC NW Regional, Auburn, WA
August 5th.....PRBC Meeting, Auburn, WA
August 6th.....WWHA Supported Entry
November 18th...PRBC Meeting, Snohomish, WA



NEW MEMBERS!

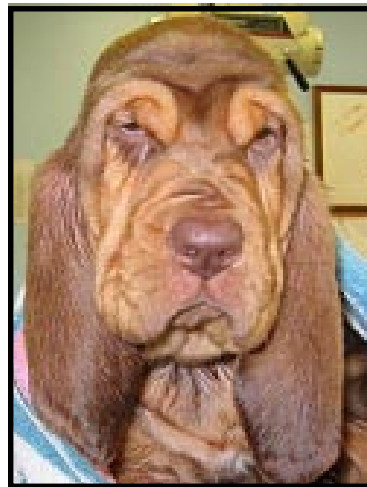
Sonya and Timothy Crawford of Montesano, WA were approved as new members in early

February. They have

wasted no time in becoming very involved with PRBR.

Sonya and Timothy are both DVM's and own a bloodhound puppy girl, Lizzie.

They are excited about becoming involved in PRBC and getting out and showing their new puppy. Sonya and Timothy were sponsored by Stacey



Poler and Suzi Paine. Address: 4 Old Beacon Road, Montesano, WA 98563. Email: drsonnya@earthlink.net

Denise and David Dixon of Colville, WA were also approved as new members in early February.

Denise and David are interested in helping out PRBR by being a foster home! They do not have a hound right now, but are interested in Search and Rescue, Trailing and Obedience. They are sponsored by Steve and Lynne Aguirre. They will be associate members until they can attend their first PRBC meeting. Address: 1381 Little Twin Lakes Road, Colville, WA 99114. Email:

simpledreamsranch@yahoo.com

Welcome new members!

Braggs

Steve and Lynne Aguirre are proud to announce their boy Moses, Brewdun's Old Deuteronomy RTZ, picked up another major (3 points) going BOW at Orange Empire Dog Club. Certainly not bad, three majors in as many shows! He picked



Moses

up another point last weekend and just needs one point to finish!!! **Jan Cook's** brag is a pat on the back for many of our hard working members! She just loved seeing all the Bloodhounds at the National in Washington, it was a wonderful show! Well done! **Suzi Paine** proudly announces that her newest addition, Spud, Nunya's MGH This



Timber

Spudz For U, got another point in Puyallup. Spud now has 5 points and one Major! **Stacey and Ryan Poler** have a non-bloodhound related brag. After 2 years of waiting they finally added a Newfoundland puppy to their crew. Timber, Spellbound's Falling for Nunya, is an exciting new addition to the

Poler family! We would also like to congratulate **Katie Cole and Noel Stockwell** on their newest champion, Ch Sapphire's Moment of TruLuv. Stella is co-owned and was co-bred by Katie and Noel!

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Terri questions \$295 penalty fee charged by Nova Systems. Suzi reports that this was an issue with credit card reader for boutique and it is being addressed by Kay and Nancy. Terri motions approval of the treasurer's report, motion seconded by Katie, motion passed. **Committee Reports:** 2005 National as reported by Suzi Paine. Final financial statements have gone into ABC for approval. Bottom line was a profit of \$5388.59, Regional \$1939.06 and Trailing Trial \$209.15. Terri commends Trailing Trial profits. Suzi notes that 10% of profits go to ABC Rescue Fund, which was \$730+ and 50% of profit to ABC of approximately \$2400, with the remaining we purchased the \$8000 CD. Katie makes a motion to pause meeting for breakfast. Meeting Paused. Reports Continue: 2005 Regional as reported by Cindy Partington, made a profit as reported in the National report. Only loss was with catalogs. 2006 Regional Committee as reported by Cindy Partington. Paperwork is in with ABC for approval, but it is not in ABC newsletter. Judges have agreed: Breed Valerie Preston Hamilton. Her costs are being split with Whippet club and Hound association. Our expenses include \$50 judging fee, 1/3 of airfare, room and board. Our previously voted Sweeps judge did not respond so Ellen Kroll was chosen and membership was notified via email. Not renting the barn this year. Ring, Chairs, Picnic tables have been arranged. Setup is Thursday and need two people to help, Janis volunteers. Elaine Russell has agreed to be the photographer. There will be obedience and rally at the hound specialty. Discussion about sweepstakes award and the conclusion was to let the decision be made by show chair. Minutes continued on Page 4.



Spud

May Trailing Trial in Valleyford, WA!!!!

PRBC hosts its first independent trailing trial in Valleyford, WA. Please plan to attend and train, train, train!!!

Date: May 26th and 27th

Location: Valleyford, WA (near Spokane)

Judges: Sid Harty, Larry Allen, and Suzi Paine

Trails Offered: 2MTs and 2MTIs each day

Premium List Mailed: March 23rd

Entries Close: April 26th

Contact: Lynn Harty, Trial Chair

Inland Empire Bloodhound SAR is a proud sponsor for the Trailing Trial.

Trailing Trial Pending ABC Approval.



It's YOUR Newsletter! Contriubute!

Now that our newsletter is online, there is no limit to what we can do! Submit your **photos**, stories and brags at any time before the submission deadline. Lets hear about your wonderful hounds and a great SAR find, big adventure, training day or show weekend! All stories are welcome!

Publication Dates Submission Deadline

February 28th	February 15th
June 20th	June 5th
August 30th	August 15th
December 5th	November 20th

Send Submissions to spoler@uidaho.edu

Minutes Continued...

Regional Trophy Chair, Katie Cole, presented trophy donations forms and they are also posted on web site. She also proposed going to the storage shed to review trophies and then fill in for "bigger" wins. Regional Premiums mailed June 7, closing July 19th, entry fees will be \$23 for classes, and \$16 for sweeps. Cindy also read thank you card from Richard Byrd, judge for 2005 regional. Ring Stewards needed. **Old Business:** None. **New Business:** Suzi reports that we have applied for a Trailing Trial for Memorial weekend, May 26 and 27th at the home of Sid and Lynn Harty in Valleyford. 2 MTs and 2MTIs each day, judges are Sid Harty, Larry Allen, and Suzi Paine (Friday only). Trailing will coordinate around Spokane show schedule. Inland Empire BH SAR will help with finances of Larry Allen's airfare and transport. Premiums will go out March 23rd and entries will close April 26th. Paula proposes a Bloodhound campout weekend for July 8th near Cle Elum, WA. Bring dogs for possible trailing, horse trails, and a good time. Rescue: Terri steps down as rescue coordinator due to mental and physical exhaustion related to the stresses of rescue. A success, Maggie, recently placed with Mike and Cherie Paul is doing well. Sonnya volunteers to help and donate vet services. Janis also volunteers as foster and be involved. Suzi mentions that Rescue does have finances to purchase kennels and other tools necessary for fostering. Sonnya, Janis, Terri and Suzi will discuss details at a later date. A motion was made to adjourn, motion passed. Meeting adjourned at 11:50.

Other Announcements

Plan to Attend your 2006 Bloodhound National at the Crown Plaza in Warwick, RI, October 2-6!

CONTRIBUTE YOUR BLOODHOUND!

The colonial Bloodhound club is compiling a bloodhound pedigree database. Submit pedigree, photo, health clearances and brag. They want all submissions; show, trailing, performance or rescue hounds! Contact Paula VanBeveren houndhero@accucom.net for more information or visit their website at www.colonialbhc.org/2006.html