

General Meeting June 16, 2020
Marion Alachua Dog Training Association

The meeting was called to order by President, Mary Riley, at 7:04 pm.

There were 24 members and 2 guests. A quorum was not present.

A motion was made and seconded to accept the General Meeting Minutes of February 18, 2020. Motion passed.

President's Report: Mary Riley reported that, since we did not receive notice from the Tax Assessor's office in May, that we would probably have exemption status.

Introduction of Guests and New Members: Three new members were voted into the club by the membership: Danetta Weaver, Kim Clarke, and Josh Hunt. Linda Robinson, an member applicant was in attendance for the first time.

Corresponding Secretary's Report: Sharon Stark reported that there had been no correspondence. However, an email was received with Connie Adam's resignation from the Membership and Show N' Go Chairs.

Treasurer's Report: Melanie Magamoll reported the club's account balances.

Training Director's Report: Carrie Solomon reported that the new session was off to a good start and that many of the students who's classes were disrupted in March have opted to return. Safe practices had been put in place. Many classes were full. Not all of our instructor's were teaching this first session since reopening.

Incident Reports: Sharon Stark reported that there had been no incidents reported.

Committee Reports:

Membership: Cheryl Donaldson will be taking over the Membership Committee Chair.

AKC Agility Trial: The Committee has meetings scheduled. Also, there will be an agility volunteer workshop given by Sue Marr and Becky Stewart. Date to be determined.

AKC FCAT Coursing Events: Melanie Magamoll reported that our new season will start in September. MADTA will have three trials. We will also run a trial for the Lakeland Club in February and Lake Eustis in January. We are sending sanctioning papers in.

Rally Trial: Beverly Capstick reported that our Rally Trial will be September 18-20. It may not be as large this year, due to AKC restrictions. We have a committee Chair and Co-Chair.

UKC Trial: Bob Saputo reported that there were changes coming regarding Rally titles. Jennifer

Edwards is the overall chair for the November 7-8 Trial. The budget for the Trial needs to be sent to the Board by September.

Training Committee Report: Carrie Solomon reported that the Training Committee had not met.

AD HOC Committees:

Programs Committee: No report.

Grounds Committee: No report.

Building Facility Manager: Lee Bass will be compiling a Vendor Book for reference.

By Laws Committee: Elaine Hager's committee is updating the By Laws. There is a form for sending in suggestions for changes. Suggestions not submitted on the form provided will not be considered.

Unfinished Business:

(There was no current unfinished business.)

New Business:

Flooring: President Mary Riley explained the options of rolled matting or foam tiles. No vote was made as there was no quorum.

Light Poles: There has been a request for another light pole. We have received an estimate from SECO Energy for a light pole with two lights. We will move forward to get it installed.

Bad Checks: Melanie Magamoll reported that the state cannot help us with bad checks as we do not require a driver's license number when we receive checks. A discussion of possible options was made.

Show N Go Chair: Danetta Weaver will be the new Chairperson. Connie Adams will assist her in getting started.

Web Site Section for Members Only: Mary Riley explained what information could be in the private section, which would require member login.

Virtual Trials: Kim Clark asked if it would be possible to hold a virtual video day to send in videos for AKC titles. The Training Director will meet with Kim to set this up.

DOCOF: Aline Brisendine reported that the DOCOF Captains had agreed that this years Trial would be cancelled. They wanted to know if there was any interest in a Virtual Trial. Aline will move ahead to coordinate a Virtual DOCOF team.

A motion to Adjourn was made, seconded, and passed at 8:20 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Charlotte Trentelman
Recording Secretary