

The next MBHRC Meeting is set for **September 10, 2011**. Reminders will be sent.

MONTEREY BAY HUNTING RETRIEVER CLUB

Minutes of Sunday, Jul 23, 2011 Meeting
Jones Lake, Pescadero

Present: Trig and Angie Birkeland, Lucy Bradford, Gaylene Cranford, Marianne Foote, Debbie Fulgoni, Brian and Denise Iwata, Pat and Rogers Johnson, Wendy Johnston, Jim Kahlert, Ray Kaufman, Bruce Kennedy, Steve Kessselring, Jim Reynolds, Debbie Tandoc, Luann Videk, Jamie Warren and prospective member John Schulte

Trig Birkeland opened the meeting at 9:10.am..

Minutes of the June 9, 2011 meeting were approved.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT: Trig introduced John Schulte, a prospective member of the club. John, a "semi-retired" veterinarian, has two Labradors and has been active in hunt tests and field trials for many years.

SECRETARY'S REPORT: No report.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Lucy reported our bank balance of \$4,155. The \$750 deposit for hunt test birds has been paid. There are no other outstanding expenses. Liability insurance in the amount of \$1,957 will be due in the fall.

OLD BUSINESS

Super Singles (Culin's Memorial): The Culin's Brats, Birds and Bumper Memorial Super Singles will be held on **Saturday, August 20th beginning at 9:00 a.m.** Debbie Tandoc reported that 18 entries have been received to date. Wendy has sent the flyer to the San Jose Retriever Club and Norcal. Pat will send the flyer to Central Coast. Following a discussion it was agreed that dogs could wear an e-collar and not run in contention. Scores would be posted on our large white board following each series (land, water). Popper guns will be used. At least one case of shells will be needed. Gaylene will check the popper shell inventory. Lucy will order shells if needed. Wingers will be needed therefore we will need the club trailer

Wendy sent John Culin, Jr., the "Culin Brats, Birds and Bumper Memorial Super Singles" flyer. John was touched by the remembrance of his father and is making a contribution by paying for the BBQ.

Jim Reynolds said that Pescadero would be busy with their annual Arts and Crafts fair the day of our SS therefore traveling through Pescadero might be slow.

Lucy reported that we made \$500 in the 2009 Super Singles.

Lucy and Jamie are working on the awards for this year's event. Awards will be given for first through 4th place in all the categories. The cost will be approximately \$280. Judges gifts are still to be decided.

Debbie Tandoc will be working on job assignments and coordinate and update progress via e-mail.

Training Seminar: Trig will contact Luann Pleasant for a possible seminar in November.

Don Campbell Award: Lucy received very few nominations for the award, therefore it was agreed to wait a year.

Hunt Test: Wendy reported that the bird order is in. It was agreed to invite out of state judges for our upcoming February hunt test. Wendy will contact Brian and Cindy Meyer to judge. (Brian judges Master and Cindy judges junior and senior.)

Denise Iwata is working with Wendy organizing a Hunt Test Chair manual.

Raffle: Trig and Angie will be working on the raffle after August. Trig asks all members to make contacts for donations of wine, restaurants, dog/hunting merchandise. These donations are the heart of our raffle and make the club money.

BBQ: Rogers reported that the only ten lunches were purchased and suggested that we cancel the lunch and just have BBQ dinners starting in the late afternoon.

ATV: Rogers will talk to Bill Cook, manager of the Los Banos Wildlife area regarding the use of an ATV to deliver equipment to the stakes.

Judges Dinner: Trig and Angie will research having the judges dinner catered by the BBQ restaurant in Los Banos.

Discussed purchasing/renting a large tent for the Raffle and BBQ instead of several pop-up tents. Purchase/rent cost makes it difficult, however Trig and Angie will research costs, etc.

Retriever News has asked for a history of MBHRC.

Wendy received a call from Butch Green regarding the repair of wingers that have a bad weld. Butch would like to make the repairs and arrangements of getting the wingers to be need to be made. Debbie Fulgoni will have the wingers and help with the arrangements.

Master National: Wendy wrote a letter to the President of Master National and copied all the committee members for reimbursement of workers at the 2010 master national: the response was negative

John Schulte was voted in for membership.

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Meeting adjourned at 10:35.

Pat Johnson
Secretary