

## **Monterey Bay Hunting Retriever Club**

Meeting Minutes, Saturday, September 13, 2014 @ Jones Lake

### NEXT MEETING: Sunday, October 12, 9:00 AM at Jones Lakes followed by training

**Present:** Lucy Bradford, Linda Christensen, Wendy Johnston, Brian and Denise Iwata, David Rant and Kateryna Shilova, Anne Pletcher, Pat Johnson, Pam and Phil Durkee, Gaylene Cranford

Linda called the meeting to order at 9:12 AM.

The July 20, 2014 meeting minutes were approved.

**President's Report:** Linda was pleased to see a fairly large turn out today. She appreciates the support as we *put our noses to the grindstone* to plan our Hunt Test. It is understood many members enter the Hunt Test as well as work to make the event successful. She hopes everyone will contribute.

**Secretary's Report:** Web photos were updated based on input from the July meeting. Please send your updates and photos to Denise. She will upload to our site!

**Treasurer's Report:** The bank balance is \$12,200. The Super Single Series earned \$917 in profit. A special thanks to Anne Pletcher who donated the birds (~\$400) for the event and secured an additional \$100 by raffling off the left-over ducks. Thanks Anne! The bird deposit for the Hunt Test was paid (about the same as our profit from the single series).

# **On-going Business**

Single Series Saturday, August 16 at Jones Lake: A round of applause for Anne Pletcher and Sharon Ventura for managing a "Super" Super Single Series. Positive comments by many and the club appreciated Anne's friend Carol and her barbequing skills serving up a great Brats lunch. Some tweaks will be made for next year's event including changing the "open" series and providing judges more direction as to the fun and spirit of our event.

**Club Patches:** Denise shared a mock up of a 2 ½" patch embroidered with the MBHRC logo in full color. The detail was spot on. It was agreed to place an order for 200. The club will sell patches to members for \$5.00 each. Delivery is free, digitizing the logo is free and production takes 14 business days. It was suggested we also produce 4" stickers for our cars. Denise will research.



#### **Hunt Test:**

### **Hunt Test Judging Panel:**

Master	Chuck and	Don Aker
	Sharon Hilton	Camille Druge (Will take new judge's test before we can open
		registration)
Junior/Senior	Linda Brown	Larry Saavedra

• Hunt Test Raffle: The club is still seeking a volunteer to manage the raffle. It was decided to place the order for the A5, raffle off a Winger Zinger (with electronics if possible) and ask Autumn Retrievers (the Quarels) for a training session donation. Three large ticket items, all tickets one price. Linda also offered a starter pistol that can be packaged with one of the other items. The goal is to pre-sell as many tickets as possible as well as sell tickets prior to the start of the BBQ. Lucy confirmed we still have the capability to swipe credit cards, although most tickets were purchased for cash (\$20.00 packages). Lucy also has the cash box. David offered to bring 3 long tables for the dinner and raffle. More are available – just let him know.

#### • Hunt Test Volunteers:

o Gun Captain: Brian Iwata

o Head Marshal: Debbie Tandoc

Master Marshal: Patty Polish

o BBQ Chair: Needed (Luane is contacting Hot City BBQ)

o Judge's Dinner: Luane made our reservation at H&M Italian in Los Baños

o Raffle Chair: TBD

**New Membership Applications:** None

**Member Comments/Suggestions:** Discussed above.

Training Theme: Marks

**Next Meeting Date:** Sunday, October 12th. Jones Lake at 9:00 AM (Booked with Pat J)

Meeting adjourned at 9:56 AM