Monterey Bay Hunting Retriever club

3439 Cloverdale Road, Pescadero, California

Minutes of the Sunday, July 22, 2018 Meeting

**Present:** Lucy Bradford, Linda Christensen, Sue Cohen, Pam Durkee, Hamilton, Brian Iwata, Denise Iwata, Pat Johnson, Wendy Johnston, John Kaitschuck, Nancy Kelly, Steve Kesselring, Anne Pletcher, Kristen Salcedo, Steve Sloop

President Brian Iwata opened the meeting at 9:05 a.m.

Minutes of the June 2, 2018 meeting were approved.

**President's Report:** Neckers have been purchased and will be at each stake. The neckers will hang on the bird rack so as not to be lost.

Secretary's Report: None

**Treasurer's Report:** The balance in the checking account is \$11,439 and we have \$2,800 in our savings account. Our liability insurance premium is due in January.

**Membership:** Denise has updated our membership list on the MBHRC members' website.

## **Old Business:**

John Cullin Super Singles, Sunday, August 19: John Kaitschuck reported 18 birds have been ordered from Metzer and will be picked up the day before our event. Judges are Freddie Jackson and Kit MClurg for the Advanced and Wendy Johnston and Denise Iwata for Junior, puppies and veterans. Medals have been ordered for first and second place plus dokkins and towels for other prizes. Steve Sloop might be able to pick up the trailer at Sundowners Kennel. The trailer has been cleaned out and re-organized. Special thanks to Sharon Hanzelka and her husband for taking on this task. An announcement of the single series has been sent to other clubs.

**MBHRC February 16-17, 2019 Hunt Test:** Wendy reported that entry fees will be \$90 for Master and \$85 for Junior and Senior. Our previous bird supplier is no longer supplying ducks for hunt tests. Metzer is the closest bird supplier and their prices are higher, therefore the entry increase.

**Start time for Junior will be at 8:00 on Saturday.** Start time for Seniors will be at 8:00 on Sunday. Pros will be asked to run their **Junior** dogs first before going to the Master stake.

Judging Panel will be the Hiltons for Master A and Patty Polish and John Schulte for Master B; Ed and Candy Ferner for junior and senior.

<u>Help is really needed:</u> Bird boys/girls 16 and older who have a hunter safety certificate are needed to work the Master Stakes. At our last hunt test the bird boys/girls didn't have a hunter safety certificate and/or were not 16 years old and therefore we had to recruit volunteers from the participants

The Busby family will be working at the Junior and Senior stakes.

Saturday night Raffle and dinner/BBQ: Steve Kesselring is handling the gun raffle and will order the gun tickets.

Discussed having a Food Truck in lieu of a BBQ. Steve Sloop will look into the possibility.

Judges Gifts: Judges will receive a \$100 Amazon gift card and travel mug.

Denise will be contacting members for help during the hunt test. Contact Denise is you have a preference in helping with the hunt test.

Next meeting is Saturday, September 8th at Jones lake.

Meeting adjourned at 9:45 a.m.

Pat Johnson

Secretary

Training followed.