

CMRC NEWS



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REGULAR CLUB MEETINGS ARE SCHEDULED FOR THE SECOND SATURDAY OF THE MONTH AT 10:00 FOLLOWED BY DOG TRAINING. EVERYONE IS WELCOME AS WELL AS ALL LEVELS OF DOGS FOR TRAINING.

THE NEXT CLUB MEETING IS JANUARY 13, 2018 AT 10:00 AM.

UPCOMING EVENTS

January 2018

7TH – GMHTA Meeting

13TH – Club Meeting

21ST - Informal

February 2018

3RD – Club Banquet

10TH – Club Meeting

18TH - Informal

March 2018

10TH – Club Meeting

18TH – Informal

April 2018

14TH – Club Meeting

15TH - Informal

The December 12th, 2017 meeting for CMRC was held at the club house.

Officers and Board members present: Mark Belford, Linda Twiss, John Shoffner, Mike Verdon, Steve Goetze, Duane Smith and Gordie Schlichting.

Members present: Doug Braun, Jim Stang, John Thiem, Todd Fuchs, Bruce Zeiglmeier, Chad and Sharon Sweep.

The secretary's and treasurer's reports were approved.

Hunt Test Committee: Gordie Schlichting reported that Todd Fuchs will be the hunt test Secretary. We will have unlimited entries in the Masters.

Field Trial Committee: Duane Smith reported that Mark Belford and Bob Zylla have lined up the judges for 2017. As the Amateur will be held on the grounds; the Qualifying will be an Owner/Handler Qualifying.

Raffle Committee: Mike Verdon has bowed out of spearheading the club Raffle and now we are seeking another member to step into this position. **VOLUNTEERS PLEASE STEP UP TO HELP.**

Banquet Committee: Sharon Sweep (763-286-9452 or benicebear1969@yahoo.com) reported that the banquet is a go for February 3, 2018 at the VFW on highway 10. The social hour begins at 5 pm and the dinner is at 6 pm priced at \$12 per plate. Please contact Sharon to make your reservations or to give her an idea of the donations you will bringing for the raffle.

Grounds Committee: Mike Nugent has had a change in employment and is no longer based in Minnesota. We are now looking for another volunteer to head the grounds committee. The ground up asphalt was delivered and spread out on the parking lot, driveway and roads. Steve Goetze will do the culvert repair and replacements in the Spring. The new water heater was installed along with a filter for the total water system.

Old Business: The PRTA grant fell through for 2017. The PRTA club gave the grants of 2017 to the applicants from 2016 who were passed over then. The applicants from 2017 will automatically be considered in 2018.

New Business: Glenn Heitzman donated monies to CMRC for the club to honor Teresa Doubek, a deceased life member, with a suitable memorial. A motion was made and carried to create two plaques; one to list all life members and the other to honor deceased members who have made significant contributions to the club.

A change of meeting dates was voted upon and implemented. Meetings during the winter months will be held on the second Saturday of each month at 10:00 am followed by dog training. The next meeting is January 13th, 2018.

Gordie Schlichting presented the idea of holding a Judging Seminar Dialog with the emphasis of setting up tests. He would like to hold this event on April 28th. This would not be an AKC event. More info to come.

Election of officers for 2018 were held. They are as follows:

Vice-President: Doug Braun
Secretary: John Shoffner
Treasurer: Linda Twiss

Board Members at Large: Mike Verdon, Chad Sweep and Wayne Priest
Hunt Test Chairman: Gordon Schlichting
Field Trial Chairman: Duane Smith

Mark Belford extended a thank you to all who helped this past year to bring the club forward. CMRC has grown and prospered in 2017 due to the efforts of the club members. 2018 holds the promise of even more opportunities for the club members and their dogs for improvements.

The club has experienced the loss of some dogs recently. I apologize if I inadvertently missed your dog; our thoughts are with you.

Bring 'em Back Ben MH 3/30/08 – 11/18/17 Chad and Sharon Sweep
Tess Megan Krueger
NFC AFC Seaside's Pelican Pete 1/27/06 – 11/2/18 Bob Zylla
Deuce Bruce Zeiglmeier

DECEMBER 17, 2017 INFORMAL RESULTS

Open Judges: Chad Sweep and Doug Braun 27 Dogs Entered

1 st – Junior	YLM	Dan Stavrum
2 nd – Bailey	GRF	Wayne Skochenski
3 rd – Knight	BLM	Joel Enochs
4 th – Otter	GRM	Todd Otterness
JAMS –		
Haley	BLF	Kip Dixon owner Handler Todd Caswell
Maynard	GRM	Gordie Schlichting
Ruby	GRF	Wayne Skochenski
Cooper	BLM	Todd Caswell

Qualifying Judges: Joel Ihnen and Tom Lane 34 Dogs Entered

1 st – Dutch	BLM	Steve Goetze
2 nd – Dixen	GRM	Todd Otterness
3 rd – Piper	YLF	Mike Gohman
4 th – Jack	CLM	Jeff Deelstra
JAMS –		
Trip	BLM	Joel Enochs
Spot	YLM	Laura Dahlberg
Viper	BLM	John Thiem
Jake	BLM	John Thiem
Boss	YLM	Dave Pichotta
Abe	YLM	Dave Pichotta
Freddy	GRF	Todd Otterness
Bert	BLM	Kelly Wehr
Neo	BLM	Denise Tramontin

Hunter Judges: Kip Dixon and Sharon Sweep 23 Dogs Entered

1 st – Bert	BLM	Kelsey Wehr
2 nd – Watson	YLM	Erin Butler
3 rd – Rev	CM	Tracy Wagner
4 th – Trip	GRM	Susan Kluesner
JAMS –		
Dixie	BLF	Corey Bruss
Ike	GRM	Rick Konkler
Pilot	GRM	Susan Kluesner

Derby Judges: Sonia Liedman and Greg Murtha 9 Dogs Entered

1 st – Angus	GRM	Todd Otterness
2 nd – Burke	BLM	Kip Dixon owner Handler Todd Caswell
3 rd – Greta	BLF	Wayne Skochenski
4 th – Warden	GRM	Todd Otterness
JAM –		
Dixie	BLF	Corey Bruss

Puppy

Judges: Sonia Liedman and Greg Murtha

8 Dogs Entered

1 st – Watson	YLM	Debbie Russell
2 nd – Hoss	YLM	Dave Unsted
3 rd – Finn	YLM	Pete Hays
4 th – Ivy	BLF	Laura Dahlberg

Junior Hunter

Judges: Dick Ofstedal and Steve Goetze

13 Dogs Entered

1 st – Daya	BLF	Mariah Rozell
2 nd – Burke	BLM	Kip Dixon
3 rd – Trixie	BLF	John Thiem
4 th – Chevy	BLM	Wally Bialczak
JAMS –		
Wally	CLM	Jen Levos
Cooter	BLM	Harry Decker
Drama	YLF	Craig Minder
Hoss	YLM	Dave Ulmsted
Ginger	YLF	Gavin Kolles
Tank	BLM	Wally Bialczak
Nellie	BLF	Wally Bialczak
Watson	YLM	Debbie Russell