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rd VP (Member)	Duane Rickaby
Secretary	Carol Heine
reasurer	Fran Marie
Director	Gerard Haines
Director	. Charlie Aspensor
Director	Brian Lange

MEETING MINUTES

The annual meeting was held June 22, 2004 the home of president of Bret Lindback. The meeting was called to order by president Lindback at 6:50 p.m.

Members present were Bob and Coralynn Fischer, Brian Lange, Fran Marier, John Lindback, Millie Frame.

OLD BUSINESS:

- check card from bank is available
- AKC issue of money owed from field trials resolved **NEW BUSINESS:**
- need secretary for club to replace Carol Heinel
- party for Carol on July 20th
- lively discussion on AKC wanting to take control over field trials, etc. (doing work of events)
 - Millie reported on hunt test
- Millie will check out Woody's (in the Withrow area) for Annual banquet.

Meet adjourned at 7:25p.m.

GENERAL MEETING:

There will be no July general meeting. However, there will be a farewell get together for club secretary Carol Heinel on July 20th at Bret Lindback's home in Wyoming, MN.

----- MEMBERSHIP -

If your club membership is due or has expired, please contact Fran Marier at 763-506-0488, **fjmarier@cs.com** or send a check to Fran at 13165 Marigold St. NW, Coon Rapids MN 55448. Membership cost are as follows: Full \$25.00, Associate \$12.00, additional family member of a full member \$3.00.

— NEWSLETTER —

If you have anything that you would like to share in the newsletter (photos/news/etc.), contact Nosh Munar at 763-536-9912, **nosh_munar@hotmail.com**, or send postal-mail to 4257 Abbott Ave. No., Robbinsdale, MN 55422.

If you have email access and would like to help the club save money by receiving this newsletter via email, send me a message via email to the address above. It would be much appreciated.

SCVBC SPRING HUNT TEST -

The St. Croix Valley Brittany Club held its Spring Hunt Test on June 19 & 20 at the Apple River Game Farm near Osceola, WI. The weather was beautiful both days and everyone had a busy, but good, time. We ran 38 dogs on Saturday and 37 on Sunday. 6 Brittanys ran on Saturday and 5 ran on Sunday. A special thanks to people who provided desserts.

Congratulations to members who earned a qualifying leg towards their Junior Hunter title ...

Rainbow's Nomad owned by Mark Brennhofer Belle Czar of Pines owned by Dean Paron Massoglia's Prince Archibald owned by Greg Massoglia Sovereign's White Knight's Code owned by Dawn and Joe Droel

Congratulations to Ch. Jozan's Three Wishes Ginie JH owned by Millie Frame. Ginie finished her Senior Hunter title with a qualifying senior run on Saturday and Sunday.



Randy Gacksetter with Poney at last year's Spring Hunt Test at Apple River Game Farm. They earned a qualifying leg in the Junior Hunter stake. It was their first hunt test.

GOOD LUCK CAROL ———

Carol Heinel, long time St. Croix Valley Brittany Club member, is moving to Kansas. Carol is moving to be closer to her grandchildren and daughter.

She has been involved with Brittany world for about 40 years. She has been a board member for many years and has been the club's secretary most recently.

The SCVBC is having a farewell get together for Carol on July 20th at 7 p.m. The event will be at club president Bret Lindback's house in Wyoming MN. Snacks, drinks, coffee and desert will be provided. Opportunity to talk and catch up with Carol and wish her luck before she leaves the state. All are welcome. Hope to see you there

Directions to the Lindback's:

Take I-35 to Wyoming Exit. Go west to the Frontage Road (Kettle River Blvd) and turn South. Go four blocks to 261st. and turn right. The Lindback's house is the 1st one on the left. Address is 5025 261 St. and the phone number is 651-462-4832.

———— SUMMER TRAINING ———

Train with a Pro. Chad Hines from Willow Creek Kennels has again offered to help us with training. The dates this year will be Saturday July 10th, 24th, and Sunday August 1st at Four Brooks grounds. Starting time will be promptly at 8am and will continue until everyone has been helped. The cost this year will be \$10 per dog per day, which includes an average of two to three quail and/or pigeons. An MFFTC training permit will again be required, and will be available at the grounds. Cost for the permit is \$20, and is valid through Dec 31, 2004. Training is also open to all members of the MFFTC clubs.

Please call Brian Lange at 7630-434-0713 by July 7th with possible dates you would like to attend so enough birds are brought along.

– HUNT TEST SEMINAR —

AKC pointing breed hunting test seminar for handlers and judges. Hosted by Central Minnesota Pointing Dog Club. 8 a.m. Saturday, July 31 at Rum River Pheasant Club in Princeton, MN. Subjects covered: performance standard, scoring, guidelines for judges, applying for and conducting a test, responsibility of key personnel, gun safety, handling misconduct. If interested contact Joe Engel at 763-389-2316.

UPCOMING EVENTS –

July 10 & 24	Dog training at Four Brooks
July 20	Carol's farewell get together
August 1	Dog training at Four Brooks
Aug. 6-8, 13-15	Armstrong Game Fair

CLUB SECRETARY WANTED —

Get involved, be a secretary. If you're interested or have questions please contact club president Bret Lindback at (651-462-4832) or by email at Bret.Lindback@ci.minneapolis.mn.us

– ARMSTRONG GAME FAIR ———

Game Fair will be Aug. 6-8 and 13-15. We need volunteers to represent our club. A couple hours of your time would be great. No experience necessary. Get free admission. Bring your dog, share your experiences and have some fun. For more information please contact Michael Pinkosky Jr. (952-884-9627)

FOR SALE -



Brittany puppies for sale. Four week old L&W and O&W, Contact Dick Morris at HIOWASDOGS@aol.com

- FOR RENT -

Two remote control bird releases for \$5.00 per week per release. Contact Brian Lange (763-434-0713).

Six-place dog trailer for \$25.00 per weekend and \$5.00 for each additional day, \$250.00 deposit. Contact Steve Ralph (651-464-5177).