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April 2006 Newsletter



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President Bret Lindback
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3rd VP (Member) Denise Koslowski
Secretary Brian Lange
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APRIL MINUTES

Attendees included, Fran Marier, Brian Lange, Denise Koslowski, Millie Frame, Sue Januschka, Steve Ralph, Duanne Rickaby, Bret Lindback

OLD BUSINESS

● Denise has been emailing reminders to members that their membership is soon to expire. She is not getting responses back either way. Unsure if email is correct or not. If you get a kind reminder, kindly send a reply so our volunteer know.

● Millie reported 13 people came to see the Dog & Pony show. Money was raised for ABR.

● Millie attended the U of M vet clinic and found out we can have a booth there. It is similar to Game Fair except we are promoting the Brittany and not our club.

NEW BUSINESS

● New field trial requirements for judges sent by AKC. Small discussion and more is to follow.

Meeting adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

OTHER NOTES

● Everything is set for our spring trial. This will be one of our biggest trials. The trial will start Friday May 12 and run to Sunday the 14th. **Still looking for HELP** if you can spare part of a day, or all three. We need people to fill bird bags, help with dog wagon, get lunch for judges. Amateur Gun Dog is a walking stake, which means if you would like to see some great dogs do what they do best, you won't have to keep up with the horses as the handlers are on foot. Our marshals will keep any horse gallery back so you have a good view to watch the dogs by foot. E-mail me Brian at birchhild@pro-ns.net with questions or to help.

— *Brian Lange, Secretary, Field Trial Secretary*

SUMMER TRAINING HELP

Summer training coordinator is needed to handle birds, organize participants, and collect fees for training. Chad Hines will be in charge on the grounds giving seminars and working with participants and their dogs on a one-on-one basis. Due to increased demands on Brian's business he has asked to step aside with the organization of summer training. He has stated if work allows he will be on grounds to help those who ask. The dates/times are posted and Chad said he would be happy to help again in 2006. The club has a quail pen and transport crates for your use. SCVBC also pays for the quail feed.

For further questions contact Brian Lange @763-434-0713.

CONGRATULATIONS

Sovereign's Git-R-Done, owner: Joe & Dawn Droel
1st Open Puppy - Ozark Brittany Club

FC/AFC Smarteyes-Joker, owner: Steve Ralph
1st Amateur All-Age - Ozark Brittany Club
1st Open All-Age - Iowa Brittany Club
2nd Amateur All-Age - Iowa Brittany Club
2nd Amateur All-Age - Southern Kansas Brittany Club
4th Open Limited All-Age - Midwest Brittany Club

Sandy Pines Kentucky Hurricane, owner: Bob Moes
3rd ABC Central Gun Dog Futurity

Vern, owner: Mark Dinsmore
1st Kentucky Red & White Setter UKC Field Trial
Awarded UKC's "Champion Trialer" Title

Jay Hawk's October Skye, owner: Susan Januschka
4th Open Puppy - Iowa Brittany Club Field Trial

Lost Creek Kate, owner: George & Cindy McCann
3rd Open Derby - Iowa Brittany Club

PICTURE PERFECT



This was the last bird hunt of the season. Pictured is Fester, Hannah with 4 pheasants and big brother Thomas. Hannah and Thomas had a blast watching Fester find the birds. Photo submitted by Jackie Swanson, mom.

FUN RUN

Good turn out with approx. 15 participants. Weather was overcast and moderate wind. Handlers were fine after bundling up and dogs cared less about the temperature. Birds were afield for the taking, I mean for pointing. Chad spent an hour or so explaining the ins/outs of

a hunt test. He explained the difference between the 3 levels of dogs and what is expected of the dog. Handling tips for new handlers were explain at length. After that we hit the field for some bird work and tips from experts. People are looking forward to summer training.

BELOW: Mark Dinsmore w/Vern and Fran w/Mikey takes direction from Chad Hines as to how he wants to set up a point and then an honer (backing) situation.



UPCOMING EVENTS

- April 29-30** MBC Spring Field Trial, Crow Hassan
May 2 General Meeting, at the Lindback's
May 12-14 SCVBC Field Trial, Crow Hassan (contact Brian Lange 763-434-0713 birchchild@pro-ns.net)
June 3-4 SCVBC Walking Field Trial, Four Brooks WMA (contact Denise Koslowski 612-247-3111 or msharley2@hotmail.com)
June 17-18 SCVBC Hunt Test (contact Mark Dinsmore 612-201-3420 or MDinsmore@oppenheimer.com)

PUPPIES

Brittany puppies. The sire is Copper top Maximillian MH (Liver & White) owned by G. Satak, The Dam is Ch Rainbow's Nomad JH (Orange and White), owned by Mark Brennhofer. The puppies are due in late December. and should be ready to go in late Feb 2006. For more info Call Mark @ 952-873-3082.

Liver/white Brittany puppies due April 27, for show and trial hunt. To see pictures and pedigrees, go to www.trubrittans.com. Contact Carlos & Eileen Gust at (Eileen_Carlos@msn.com) or 763-389-7960

FOR SALE

NEW Tritronics Sport 65 BPR (Electronic Training Collar & Beeber) \$250.00, contact Steve Ralph 651-464-5177.

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 \$30, additional family member \$5; Associate \$15.

PHOTOS WANTED

Keep those photos coming. Share your Brittany experiences with the club by sending photos to be published in the newsletter. It's always fun to see some of the faces and personalities of our club members. Don't be shy, simply reply with photos of you and you ol' pal.

Send photos to nosh_munar@hotmail.com, or send mail to 4257 Abbott Ave. No., Robbinsdale, MN 55422.