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President	Bret Lindback
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3rd VP (Hunt Test)	Mary Tyson
Secretary	Mark Dinsmore
Treasurer	Fran Marier
Director	Duane Rickaby
Director	Brian Lange
Director	John Lindback
Director	. Susan Januschka

MARCH MINUTES

Members present: Brett Lindback, Mary Tyson, Susan Januschka, Denise Koslowski, Steve Ralph and John Lindback. Secretary's report- None read – Denise Koslowski

filling in for Mark Dinsmore for Secretary.

Treasury's report – Fran Marier – absent – Brett informed us balance in check book around \$2000 which is better than last yr. due to banquet turn out was a success.

OLD BUSINESS

- Hats are ordered They will be available at our next function, Fun Run March 31st at Four Brooks. Price will be \$12.50 for blaze orange and \$15.00 for dual colored (tan and dark green)
- Winter Hunt Four groups had signed up but due to bad road conditions and the inclement weather 2 ended up canceling. Fun was had by all, including the dogs. Discussion is shelved to a later date on continuing the Winter Hunt and /or how to improve upon the experience and make it a club social event.
- Question was asked by Mary for a list of first aid items for your dog's field first aid kit which was presented to us by Veterinarian Jeff Johnson DMV at our banquet. This list is available on our web site.

NEW BUSINESS

- Trailer insurance for our dog trailer to be paid by club in the amount of \$12.50 a year.
- Fun Run March 31st Need people to sign up-Another notice will go out to all members and other clubs. We do need a head count as soon as possible. Chad Hines, trainer, will be conducting the training sessions and providing the birds. Contact: John Lindback by March 25th at 651-269-2993 or John.Lindback@Ulteig.com

Information and directions to Four Brooks in SCVBC web site: http://www.blazinbritts.com/scvbc/funrun.pdf

• Spring Field Trial – May 11-13th at Crow Hassen-Premium has been sent out. Trial is in order. Reminder, we do have a walking amateur gun dog stake in this trial.

Premium is available for downloading. at http://clubs.akc.org/brit/ClubPremiums/StCroixValleyFT_spr.pdf

We are having a Walleye fish fry on Friday night, for those that would like to sample the MN specialty.

- Walking Trial June 2 -3rd at Four Brooks, all is in order. Premiums have been sent out.
- Hunt Test June 16 17th at Four Brooks, all is in order. Premiums have been sent out.

Premiums for our field trial and hunt test available for download on our web site (scvbc.org)

SOUTH DAKOTA PHEASANT —



Here is a picture of Elsie (Vigueur De LEscarbot) a French Brittany guarding her "booty" after a 3 day trip to South Dakota.

— Doug Lodermeier



WINTER WONDERLAND —

Shadow & Toby on their rounds - Bud & Duff had gone first to 'break trail'. I decided it was just too pretty out not to take a few pictures. Course I wasn't thinking such thoughts when I'd already blown out the driveway twice before noon.

— Diane Hedstrom

CONGRATULATIONS —



Shady Way's Red Tail Hawk (Beau) won the Derby Stake at the Missouri Field Trail March 11, Handled by Jim John, Owned by Bret & John Lindback

Second place at The Prairie State Bill Schreiber Memorial Derby Classic (22 starters) Handled by Jim John

UPCOMING EVENTS —

March 31	Fun Run	
April 3	General Meeting at Bret Lindback's	
April 28-29	MBC Spring Field Trial	
May 5-6	National Shoot to Retrieve, Jordan MN contact Mike Ryan at 952-492-6030 or Brian Weir at 952-492-2586	
May 11-13	SCVBC Spring Field Trial	

- PUPPIES -

Brittany puppies due mid April, Sire is a MH out of O'Dee lines, dam is a close working bird dog out of Bazooka lines. Both dogs are great in the field and great companions. Call Dr. Eric or Jackie Swanson at (715) 798-4458 for details or check out our new web site at www.drjacsbrittanys.com

Brittany puppies from Squirt and Punch due in March. Please contact Brian Weir at 952-492-2586 for more information.

Brittany puppies born Dec. 28th. 4 males, 2 females (there's one left) all white & Orange.



They are out of Ch Over Under Nevenes Showtime JH & FC/ AFC Wrigley's Chip Makin' His Marc For more info & pedigree e-mail Eileen Gust at eileen carlos@msn.com or call 763-389-7960

----- FOR SALE -----

Automatic clay pigeon flinger. Can be pushed into the ground or mounted into an old rubber tire. Asking \$25.00 Susan Januschka 651-485-4765, gmount@centurytel.net.