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3rd VP (Hunt Test)	Mary Tyson
Secretary	Brian Lange
Treasurer	Fran Marier
Director	Duane Rickaby
Director	Mark Dinsmore
Director	Mike Pinkosky
Director	Gerard Haines

**Members present:** Mark Dinsmore, Duane Rickaby, Bret Lindback, Mary Tyson, Steve Ralph, Denise Koslowski, Brian Lange

Secretarys report read and accepted.

Treasurers report read and accepted.

#### NEW BUSINESS

• Winter hunt Sunday Feb 24th. Michael Pinkosky is coordinator

• Fun Run Saturday March 29th. Bret Lindback will be in charge. Birds still need to be reserved ad will be held at Four Brooks grounds.

• Steve made a motion to make a \$275.00 sponsor donation to the Chisago Co. Pheasants Forever clubs annual banquet. Sponsor packages include one-dinner ticket, sponsor P.F. print, and raffle items which we then include in our silent auction. We feel this way of donating to P.F. keeps the funds local as to the national level. This also makes our presence known to other dog people.

## FIELD NEWS

• Hunt test will be April 5-6th at Kelley Farms. Judges, gunners, and birds lined up. More help would be appreciated. If you have a couple hours,  $\frac{1}{2}$  of a day, or the weekend, contact Mary Tyson.

• Spring trial, May 9-11th is at Crowhassen Park Reserve. ABC and AKC both ave sent approvals and are waiting for one judges approval. Help always welcome any time you have. For info. Bob Burchett is expected to attend and has horse for rent. Contact Field trial sec.

• Walking trial, May 31-June 1st at Four Brooks grounds. We need help planting birds and getting people to the line in a timely manner. Contact trial sec for info.

• Youth event. To be help Sunday June 1st. Bret will be in charge and Matt Eder along with Heather Gast will be the pros leading the way. Extra help in addition to the fieldTrial help appreciated. Youth event to be held across the creek from the walking trial. Prizes for the kids still needing to be donated.

• **Summer training** coordinated by Doug Lodermier. Chad Hines will be the pro guiding the handlers.

• Four Brooks passes available. Price is \$20.00 for the 2008 calendar year. Send check written to the MFFTC with self addressed stamped envelope to Steve Ralph 25256 Kettle River Blvd., Forest Lake, MN 55025. All monies for passes go directly back into the grounds fund for improvement.

Map and directions to Four Brooks available on the web at ... http://www.mfftc.com/ ... click on information.

- Brian Lange, Secretary

## - NEW MEMBER PROFILE ———



Will Lindberg with his dog Duff in ND fall 2007. Duff is my first "field bred" Gordon, We had a Gordon Setter as a family pet in the early 80'as. My father-in-law Don Hansen brought a Gordon Setter home from Italy after WW2 around 1947. Robyn and I have three sons, Luke married to Tara with two boys in Fergus Falls MN... Joseph (hunting partner) a sophomore at the U of MN and Samuel a senior at North High.

Will is friend and hunting buddy of curent members Jeff and Teri Heimann. Welcome Will.

New members from 2007-08, please send picutres of you and your dogs with a brief bio to our members secretary, Denise Koslowski (msharley2@hotmail.com)

#### GOOD JOB -

At the AKC/ Eukanuba National Championship Show televised in Long Beach, CA, on December 1 & 2, 2007, Fancy's Midnight Spectacular (Sparkle) bettered her performance in the 2006 show (Award of Excellence) by beating the No. 1 rated Brittany bitch in the country for Best of Opposite Sex. She then went on to win Best Bred by exhibitor. In the process, she collected two more invitations to the Crufts show in England, an invitational show for 25,000 dogs from all over the world. She really "Sparkled."

— Bonnie & Curt Brandon

#### – MORRIS FARM HUNT —



Denise with Bailey and Nugget and a few pheasants taken from her folks' farm in Morris. Below is Vince Murphy whom she took hunting on the farm. Vince is 15 years old and loves to hunt with his brittany, Henry. Vince got his limit for the day and had a great time. Way to go, Vince!!!!! Great job Denise for taking a kid hunting.



#### - UPCOMING EVENTS ———

February 24	Winter Hunt at Rocky Bay Hunt Club, contact Michael Pinkosky at 952-884-9627
March 4	General Meeting at Bret Lindback's
March 29	Fun Run at Four Brooks, Milaca, contact Bret at 651-462-4832
April 5-6	SCVBC Hunt Test at Kelley Farms, contact Mary Tyson at 952-898-9741
April 25-27	MBC Field Trail at Crow Hassen, contact Diane at 763-755-1784
May 9-11	SCVBC Field Trail at Crow Hassen, contact Steve at 651-464-5177

FOR SALE —

**Brittany puppies:** born 12/17/2007. Repeat breeding of Sire: FC/ AFC Wrigley's Chip Makin' His Marc: AKA Chip. Dam: CH Over Under Nevenes Showtime JH, AKA: Jazz. Chip Also was 4th in Ione, MI for the National Amateur Gun Stakes this year. Jazz was 2004 Dual dog of the year for our MN Brittany Club. **Breeding behind these pups:** FC Rock It, FC / AFC Renegade's Regal Wrigley JH, NFC/ DC/AFC Tequila's Joker, FC Cutty Sark IX Rocky Start , DC/ AFC Masked Shoshoni War Chief, NAFC/ DC/ AFC Renegade's Kansas Kid.

4 Males, 2 Females. all W/O. All are doing great, we have only 3 left. Contact information: 612-919-2700 eileen\_carlos@msn.com, www.overunderbrittanys.com; cudakidd53@yahoo.com, burchett@iowatelecom.net

Horse for sale: TWH black & white, 13-year old mare, 13-14 hands tall. Great aroud kids. Used for field trialing. \$3500 negotiable. If interested contact Susan Januschka 651-485-4765, gmount@centurytel.net

# – 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. 612-201-3420