



# The Lost Coast **H O W L E R**

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## LCKC BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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**Sara Borok**

**Deb St. Myers**

**Emily Dalton**

**Next meeting:**

**Tuesday, January 20th**

**at the the**

**Adorni Center**

*(Address is at bottom of page)*

**Join Us!**

**Everyone is welcome!**

**BOARD MEETING**

**6:30 PM**

**REGULAR MEETING**

**7:00 PM**

*Meetings are held on the third Tuesday of each month, alternating between the **Adorni Center** in Eureka 1011 Waterfront Drive, in odd numbered months and at **The Clubhouse at The Meadows**, 2520-90 Hubbard Lane, Eureka in even numbered months. No meeting in December.*

## President's Corner

It's a new year but we have the same old officers. Serving you for the coming year are:

President Beverly Morgan Lewis

Vice-President Jill Otto

Secretary Kris Smith

Treasurer Sandra Gould

Board Members Deb St. Myers, Sara Borok and Emily Dalton

There are many other ways you can serve your club. Please consider volunteering for a committee or an event. We always need help.



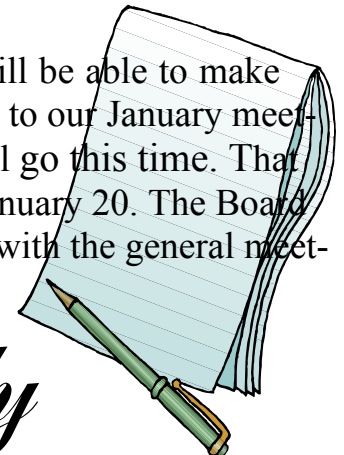
Speaking of events, we are rapidly coming up on HumDOG's Dog Expo on March 8<sup>th</sup> at Redwood Acres in Eureka. This is a great opportunity to help educate our community about your breed, the more breeds the better. If you haven't participated before and would like to have a booth or volunteer to help, please let me know as soon as possible.

We have lots of other irons in the fire. We continue to work toward adding a stand-alone Obedience/Rally trial and a Barn Hunt. We're already gearing up for our show in June and the agility trial in July. How can you help?

Because of our hard work last year, we will be able to make charitable donations again this year. Come to our January meeting to help us decide where our money will go this time. That meeting will be at the Adorni Center on January 20. The Board will meet at 6:30pm (everyone is welcome) with the general meeting following immediately at 7:00pm.

Be there or be square!!

*Beverly*



# Club Activities



Another great holiday party for LCKC members last month! Thanks to Chris Irvin for hosting once again and to all who helped. Great food, great company, Fun games and prizes. Unfortunately, no pictures. We will try to remedy that in future years.



The HumDog Expo is coming up in March. Even if you do not plan to have a breed booth, there is lots to help with. LCKC members typically help out with this event by having a breed booth, doing demonstrations Helping with the parade of breeds and more. This is a great opportunity to educate the public about your breed(s) and responsible pet ownership. Come to the next meeting to learn more / volunteer.



## 2015 All Breed Shows - June 2015 and Agility Trials July 2015

The work has begun! Emily Dalton is show chair again this year (THANK YOU Emily!).

Beverly Morgan Lewis is our agility chair again (THANK YOU Beverly!)

There is lots to be done, please come to our meetings and volunteer for a job.

# Have you heard?



## From Terri Moreno:

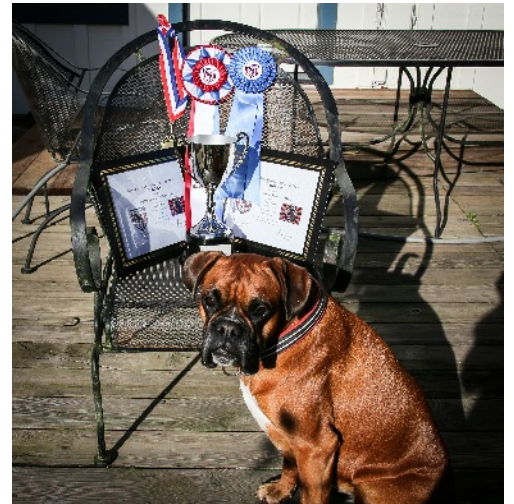
Eli got his second Q in Novice Jumpers with a clean run and second place finish at the Mensona Agility trial on Nov 16.

Eli earned his Novice Jumpers title with a clean run on Dec 13<sup>th</sup> at the Staffordshire Bull Terrier Agility trial. He also earned his second Q in Novice Standard the next day.



## From Emily Dalton :

Maija took 2014 Siegerin Fawn Female at the United States Boxer Association National Sieger Show last month. She received an evaluation of Excellent from the judge!



## From Susan Hartman Dean :

Presenting GCH Collina D'Oro Rock You Like a Hurricane, aka "Dibs"! Dibs finished his grand championship last weekend at the Rose City Classic in Portland, OR. He was BOB Thursday, Friday, and Saturday and Select Dog on Sunday. He also earned a G4 on Saturday!

## MINUTES OF THE LOST COAST KENNEL CLUB

Date: November 18, 2014 The Adorni Center, Eureka

**BOARD MEETING:** Called to order by President Beverly Morgan Lewis at 6:32 pm.

Present: Sara Borok, Emily Dalton, Cheryle Davis, Sandra Gould, Beverly Morgan Lewis, Debra Loptien, Tina Moulton, Jill Otto, Kris Smith, Deb St. Myers, Cathy Wright.

Minutes of Last Meeting: The minutes were accepted as printed.

Report of the Treasurer: Sandra provided a Treasurer's report for the year to date and answered questions. Discussion of separating out agility "entry fees".

Unfinished Business:

- Riding mower: Members should have the first opportunity to buy it.
- Adding Obedience/Rally Dates: 20/21 March (2015), Sara has a list of judges and will contact them. Possibility of 4H participation.
- Barn Hunt: Cathy W - we are now approved to put on barn hunts, but advises us to NOT put on a match the day before, and not running the barn hunt ourselves, but hiring someone to do it, like we do with shows and trials. Discussion of having a barn hunt with our shows (probably not) or with the CPE trial August 14-16, or with the March 20/21 Obedience/Rally. Need to look more into the rules, and location (Redwood Acres?).

New Business: none

The Board meeting was adjourned at 7:15 pm.

**REGULAR MEETING:** Called to order by President Beverly Morgan Lewis at 7:15 pm.

Present: All of the above plus Susan Dean, Chris Irvin, Beverly Chang, Janet Mohorovich, Kathy Sobilo. Guests were Liz and Jesse Bagnell.

Roll Call: All in attendance stated their name, club position as applicable, and dog breeds owned.

Minutes of the Last Meeting: Approved as published.

Report of the President: Beverly reminded members that renewal fees are due, and of the holiday party.

Report of the Secretary: Offer from Dog Wise Publications. Discussion moved to New Business.

Report of the Treasurer: Distribution of reports, followed by discussion of a new report format.

Report of the Committees:

- Ring Practice: Nothing right now.
- Newsletter: Tina thanked for a good newsletter. Kathy S needs to be added to lists.
- Website: Nothing new.
- Yahoo Group: Tina is still updating the list.
- B-OB Show: Emily thanked the club for the gift card. She said the contract has been sent to MB-F, we are registered with the AKC, Nick and Patty are on board for grounds and RV and fairgrounds contract. Will ask Eel River Disposal about recycling containers. Tina and Kathy S will do vendor chair. Still lining up stewards. Irene and Chris will do Judges hospitality. Need a raffle chair.
- Agility Trial: Nothing new.
- AKC Communications: Jill reports that the AKC Gazette has a Facebook page.

Election of New Members: Cathy Wright was reinstated as a member.

Election of Officers and Board: The following slate was accepted:

President: Beverly Morgan Lewis

Vice President: Jill Otto

Treasurer: Sandra Gould

Secretary: Kris Smith

Members of the Board: Emily Dalton, Sara Borok, Deb St Myers

Unfinished Business:

- Riding Mower: Need a price. Irene's daughter, who has been storing it, is interested. She will have first shot, then members.
- Adding Obedience/Rally dates: March 20/21 in Ferndale, indoors, need to borrow matting from Humdog. Sara is working on judges. Discussion of secretaries.
- Barn Hunt: Cathy will try to get one scheduled for the same time as the Ob/Rally trial.
- Holiday Party: Saturday, December 20, at 6 pm (?) at Chris Irvin's house. Turkey provided, the rest is potluck. Gift exchange game (max \$25), other games.

- Banner replacement: Nick will remember message and size. Chris will get it done.

New Business:

- HumDog Dog Expo: Chris will announce the Parade of Breeds. Encourage people to participate so there is a wide variety of breeds. "Bullet proof" dogs.
- Donations for 2015: We should add a list of people who we support to the show premium list. We need to send the winter \$250 to Bless the Beasts.
- DogWise Publishing has sent an offer for a kickback from sales that come through a link to them that we would put on our website. **MSAC to consider links on our website on an individual basis, and require a vote of approval by the members. MSAC to put the DogWise link on our website.**
- Discussion for next time: should we allow ads on our website?

Announcements: None

The regular meeting was adjourned at 9:20 pm

Respectfully submitted by Kris Smith, LCKC Secretary.