

The Lost Coast HOWLER

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Next meeting: Tuesday, November 18th 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

As the year winds down, our November 18th meeting will be our last of the year. Let's end the year with a bang with everyone in attendance so that we can tie up any pending items. This edition will also be our last newsletter for 2014. So if you don't come to the November meeting, you won't get any news of what happened there until the January newsletter!

Since there were no contested offices, the following slate for 2015 will be voted on at the November meeting: President: Beverly Morgan Lewis; Vice-President: Jill Otto; Secretary: Kris Smith; Treasurer: Sandra Gould; Board members: Sara Borok, Emily Dalton, and Deb St. Myers.

Thank you to all the members who contributed to the life of LCKC over the past year. There are so many ways to participate. If you missed out on pitching in this year, please take the leap in 2015. Don't know how to participate? Please call or email any of the names you see above and we can get you started.

Don't forget the LCKC Holiday Party on December 20th at Chris Irvin's house. This is always a great time. More details, such as the time, will be sent later.

It is time to send in your membership Dues for 2015!



Have you heard?





From Jill Otto:

Scotch passed the test for his Advanced CGC!

From Terri Moreno:

Eli had the only clean run in Novice Jumpers at the RCA Agility trail in Medford.





From Chris Irvin:



to continue your partnership with your pet. Everybody wins!! The residents love visiting with the dogs. The dogs love the attention and there is nothing like taking your dog around and watching the people light up and respond to your buddy. I know its hard to find time in our busy lives but the rewards are so worth it. So if your looking for something new to do with your best friend I highly suggest getting your dog tested and become a Therapy dog volunteer.



Have you heard?

From Beverly Morgan Lewis:

Four months after earning his MACh 4 at our LCKC trial, Puck earned his MACh 5 on November 14 in Santa Rosa at the Sonoma County Agility Club's agility trial. He was waiting for Marlene to return from pupternity leave to finish this one!





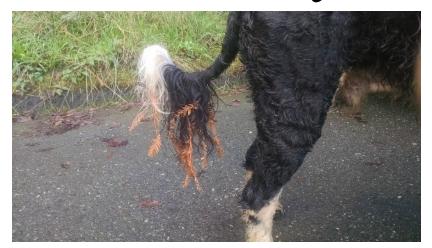
On 11/4 @ HumDOG, one week shy of being 8 months old, Pictsie passed her CGC test... much to her mother's surprise and delight.



From Sarah Borok:

Siberian Nationals in San Diego Oct 25 to Nov 1. Karma took 2nd place in both Rally Ex B and Adv B with a 97 and a 96, and Hildy took a 3rd place in Rally nov B with an 89 (At 10 months old!! And out of 6 in the class).

Autumn Dogs...















MINUTES OF THE LOST COAST KENNEL CLUB October 21, 2014, The Meadows, Eureka

BOARD MEETING: Called to order by President Beverly Morgan Lewis at 6:35 p.m.

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

Minutes of the Last Meeting: Accepted as published.

Report of the Treasurer: Sandra distributed a year to date report, and a September report.

<u>Unfinished business:</u> No new recommendations for the Spring 2015 rally/ob trials. If it doesn't work for this year, we will go ahead with organizing for 2016. Discussion of secretaries, venues, and schedules.

New Business: none

The Board meeting was adjourned at 6:55 p.m.

REGULAR MEETING: Called to order by President Beverly Morgan Lewis at 7:00 p.m.

Present: All of the above plus: Susan Dean, Michelle Dostal, Carol and Ray Pyles, plus guests Janet Mohorovich and Beverly Chang.

Minutes of the Last Meeting: Accepted as published.

Report of the President:

- Club dinner: It was a great turnout (21) and lots of fun, good that we picked the Breast Project donation night.
- Special "thank-you" gift card to Emily Dalton for being show chair. Jill presented Beverly with a thank-you gift for being the Agility Trial/Match and Barn Hunt Chair. Deb will send the thank-you to the Mendes.
- Farm Store Pet Fair: Well attended, thanks to Sara, Jill, Emily, Cheryle for going.
- Jill will take over the club's participation in the AKC Companion Events digest.

Report of the Secretary: Misc mail and catalogs, receipt from Ferndale Chamber of Commerce.

<u>Report of the Treasurer:</u> Sandra distributed reports. Discussion of tax status, and possibility of splitting show merchandise income into more categories. We need to keep in mind the upcoming expense of new agility equipment.

Report of Committees

- Ring Practice: Last one was Oct 12, supervised by Sara. No more planned this year.
- Newsletter: Next month Fall theme..
- Website/Yahoo Group: Tina will add a section to the website on what the club does in the community.
 She is in the process of updating the Yahoo Members Group.
- B-OB Show: Dates for 2015: June 26,27,28. Applications going in to AKC and MB-F. Need vendor chair, raffle chair, hospitality. The banner needs replacing Beverly will talk to Irene. Deb talked to the Splash and Dash person discussion of whether we would want it for our show (no) or agility trial (maybe). The pool would have to be guarded at night. Deb will follow up. Susan asked about having a Spinone supported entry.
- Agility Trial/Match/Barn Hunt: Nothing this month.

<u>Election of New Members:</u> Beverly Chang of Rio Dell and Janet Mohorovich of Eureka were elected to membership.

<u>Election of Officers and Board:</u> All officers and members of the Board are willing to continue for another year. No other nominations have been received, so nominations were closed and the following slate was approved for voting at the next meeting:

- 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: Rose (original donor) doesn't want it back. Sara said that the Senior Baseball League is LCKC 11 2014 5

interested. Sara will ask Rose for more information se we can determine its value. MSAC to sell the mower, with the Board being able to determine price and approve a sale based on information gathered.

- Adding rally/obedience events next year: same as above in Board minutes.
- Canopies: Last month's motion to reimburse the Smiths for two 10x20 canopies was voted on and passed.
- Meeting locations for 2015: Will continue with odd months at the Adorni and even months at the Meadows.

New Business:

- Holiday Party: Saturday, December 20, at 6 pm (?) at Chris Irvin's house. Turkey provided, the rest is potluck. Gift exchange game, other games.

Announcements: Fin and Feather has a new shop, Fur-ever, across the street.

The regular meeting was adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

The regular meeting was reopened at 8:20 for the following action:

MSAC for Chris Irvin to spend up to \$100 for prizes at the holiday party.

The regular meeting was re-adjourned at 8:22 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Kris Smith, LCKC Secretary.