



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

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Next meeting:

Tuesday, July 19

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

One down.

If you didn't come out for our conformation show and obedience/rally trials you really missed out. I heard many exhibitors talking about what a great show we put on. And it was wonderful to see our members and their dogs out there doing this thing that is the reason we exist as a club... showing dogs in conformation and companion dog events. I was also really grateful for the many, many members who showed up before, during and at the end to make sure every last detail was taken care of. Our very proficient trial chair, Emily Dalton, will lead a debriefing of the show at our August meeting. If you have any comments you would like to share please get those to Emily before the August meeting.

One to go.

Our agility trial is right around the corner. We will need a handful of people on Thursday (7/21) mid-morning to set up the rings and the 10x20 club canopies. Then on Friday (7/22) we will need **ALL HANDS ON DECK** to set up for the trial and barn hunt on the soccer field at the Ferndale fairgrounds. (We will set times at the July meeting.) We will also need help all day, each day Saturday through Monday to keep the event running and finally taking everything down and stowing at the end of the trial on Monday. If you can help, let me know.

Remember, even if you're not entered, you still have a chance to play.

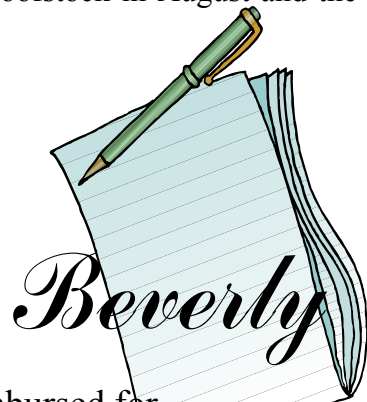
On Friday you can participate in the Barn Hunt clinic or the Agility match. The Barn Hunt clinic will start at noon and the Agility match will start at 1:00.

Meanwhile start thinking about Woofstock in August and the Farm Store Pet Fair in September.

Our July meeting is 7/19 at the Adorni Center with the Board meeting at 6:30 pm (everyone is welcome) followed by the membership meeting at 7:00 pm.

Be there or be square!

If you have receipts to be reimbursed for, please bring them to the meeting for Susan.



Club Activities - the show!

Photos by Emily Dalton and Tina Moulton



Our awesome raffle - many thanks to Shirley Groom for taking on this project!



More photos by Debbie Tull



Barn Hunt practice!

There will be a Barn Hunt clinic on Friday July 22nd starting at noon. You can sign up that day. (In conjunction with the LCKC Agility Trials and Barn Hunt at the fairgrounds in Ferndale)



Have you heard?

From Susan Dean:

Dibs is a dad again! Eleven puppies in less than 12 hours! Six girls, three white orange and three brown roan. Five boys, all orange white. Puppies are in Carson City, NV and I got to help whelp them! Dibs and Adele are the proud Parents.

Dibs earned a Sporting Group 2 on Saturday 7/2!



From Kim Gradin:

Liberty Run's Journey of Zeeva "Zeeva" Rally Advanced Title. We earned all 3 legs at our LCKC dog show. Pictured with Judge Noelle Pilat.



Treensea's Draven von Humboldt der Frosch "Draven" BOB in his 4 to 6 Month Puppy Class and 3rd place in Working Group pictured with Judge Marilyn Van Vleit This was Draven's first Conformation Show just turning 4 months old, and my first attempt in 25 years.

From Beverly Morgan Lewis:

Picsie earned her Beginner Novice Obedience Title at the LCKC shows!



Have you heard?

From Kris and Bayard Smith:

We were happy with our Jeffcairn Deerhounds at our show this year. We didn't even realize until after the show that our veteran Tillie (new GCH Sindar Tillicum of Jeffcairn SC) achieved her Grand Champion title with her BOB win on Friday (AKC notification pending). She was Best Opposite for more points on the other days. Our youngster Opal (Fernhill's Opal at Jeffcairn) was Best of Winners on Friday and Saturday, and Winner's Bitch on Sunday. Neida (Fernhill's Oneida at Jeffcairn) supported her sister's wins, and then ran like the wind during the lure fun runs.



From Tina Moulton:

Our Raya is now (pending AKC confirmation) Grand CH Rovente's Ray of Light at Jo-Na-Da! She earned majors all three days of the LCKC shows, going BOB on Fri and Sun, and Select on Sat.

Little Bisous was BOB over specials from the 6-9 puppy class for her first points/major on Sat. She went on to earn OHG3. All the judges loved her - she just needs to grow up a bit more.



**MACH6 Pembrat's Pewter Pwca of Pinemeade CDX RE PT FTC1 MFG2
TQX T2B11 THD CGCA**

Puck

10/6/2005-7/11/2016

Puck was that once-in-a-lifetime dog. He took me to new heights I would have never imagined when I got my first dog.

- I earned my first CD in 1992 but it wasn't until Puck that I finally put a CDX on a dog.
- Puck wasn't my first agility trial champion (MACH), but he went so far beyond that, earning a MACH6.
- I got in to Barn Hunt because I thought my Lancashire Heelers would like it. But it was Puck that excelled at it. He was one leg shy of earning his Master title in Barn Hunt. I thought we might be able to finish that our LCKC show.
- I have been doing therapy dog visits since the late 1980s with six different dogs. But Puck was the one that took our visits to a new level. Puck would tell me which rooms we needed to go in to and which patient in that room needed him and which ones to avoid. And he was never wrong.

Puck was always a stoic dog, never complaining about injury or illness. He was heroic even to the end when cancer swept him away so quickly, only five weeks from noticing something was different to having to say goodbye. We are shattered by his passing at only 10 ½ years old and are grateful for all the heartfelt expressions of sympathy.



Minutes of the Lost Coast Kennel Club
June 21, 2016, at the Meadows, Eureka

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

Present: Sara Borok, Emily Dalton, Susan Dean, Shirley Groom, Beverly Morgan Lewis, Tina Moulton, Jill Otto, Kris Smith.

Minutes of the Last Board Meeting: Approved as published.

Report of the Treasurer: Susan distributed the 2015 list of donations. She double checked on some show related expenses. Emily explained motel charges. We have paid for two extra nights at Best Western, so we will use one for a judge who made plane and motel reservations for a day early and had to pay the airline change fee herself. Discussion of procedure for paying the judges at the show.

Unfinished Business:

- We will vote at the regular meeting to approve 2016 donations as moved at the last meeting.
- We still need a show chair for 2017.

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 Michelle Dostal, Deb Loptien, Kathy Sobilo, Deb St Myers, Cathy Wright.

Minutes of the last meeting: Approved with correction that the application still needs to be submitted for the January obedience/rally event..

Report of the President: WE REALLY NEED A NEW SHOW CHAIR.

Report of the Secretary: Mail: Renewal from Ferndale C of C (approved), DMV registration for agility trailer (filed in Sec box), bogus phone book solicitation, bank statement, ribbon bill, RV checks, Woofstock notice, misc catalogs.

Report of the Treasurer: Same discussion as above in the Board minutes.

Report of the Committees:

Ring Practice: One more at the fairgrounds before the show (obedience field will not be available).

Newsletter: Well done!

Website and Yahoo group: Website up to date. Discussion of having another forum besides the Yahoo group. We will discuss this after the show.

Membership: Some active members are not on the 2016 list – they probably paid with vouchers, which did not get recorded. They will be added to the list.

B-OB Show:

- Shirley and Kathy showed examples of t-shirt orders. Might be ordering more for agility, special orders could be done again. Prices at the show will be the same as last year.
- Raffle: Shirley needs help finding raffle items (donation of services, products, lessons, etc.), and with picking up donations before the show. She distributed a sign-up sheet for pick up. Sara and Chris bought some items at a yard sale. Discussion of color of raffle tickets – we could use different colors for different sources (volunteer, vendor, etc.) – finally decided to not try to distinguish.
- Parking fees: Attendants get 2/5 of the take. \$200 seed money for parking (total seed money: \$200 parking, \$200 front table, \$300 raffle).
- Vendors: We have nine, Lions are the only food vendor (grass fed beef, tri-tip on Saturday). Grass will be mowed on Monday and Wednesday.
- Deb St Myers will do the worker food vouchers, will be worth \$8.
- Hospitality: Jill will pick up items on Thursday, Chris and Cathy will help keep the room stocked for mornings, Chris will get ice.
- Obedience: Sara will need more help; she has 2 stewards each day.
- Three people are hired to help set up. Will need help with rolling out mats.
- Set-up day: Thursday, 8:30 for hired workers, 9 for members.
- Publicity: Fairgrounds website, TV spot, newspapers. Next year put up a big wooden sign at Cutten vet?
- Two judges pulled more entries than they can judge, so changes will have to be made. Judges lunch: 11:45 to 12:45.
- Hanging baskets will be for sale at the end of Sunday.
- Trophy mistake: MB-F did not get the trophies on the premium list, which means we can't award them. They listed cash prizes in the amount that it cost to sponsor trophies, which cuts some income for the club.
- **MSAC to buy two new cash boxes with more compartments than the one we have.** Cathy will get them.
- Table decorations for hospitality will be little plants.
- LCKC mugs will be \$8, glasses will be \$6.

Agility Trial/Barn Hunt:

- Volunteers needed Thursday morning for ring and canopy set up. Friday will be equipment set-up in the morning.
- Susan will order the dumpster (and recycling if possible).
- Barn Hunt will be four trials, two each day. Clinic on Friday.
- Discussion of canopies – we have all the big old ones, plus the two new easy to set up ones. The one damaged top was replaced by the company, but is still usable for awhile.

- CATHY WRIGHT AND DEB ST.MYERS VOLUNTEERED TO CO-CHAIR THE 2017 SHOWS! THANK YOU! They would like input on judges for next year.

January Obedience Trials and Barn Hunt:

BaRay is tentatively the superintendent for Obedience and Rally. Redwood Acres is reserved, for \$600. Barn Hunt Secretary is lined up.

Election of New Members: Marilyn Cottrell, of Eureka, was elected to regular membership.

Unfinished Business: Annual Donations: The Arcata Police Department was removed from the list, then **the annual donation list was unanimously approved.** Total amount of donations was \$2500.

New Business: Woofstock will be held on August 13. Sara will organize our participation.

Announcements:

- Barn Hunt practices will be announced.
- There will be a Barn Hunt at Redwood acres on August 20 and 21, put on by Redwood Ratters.

The regular meeting was adjourned at 9:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Kris Smith, LCKC Secretary