

Gem City Dog Obedience Club
Membership Meeting
April 26, 2021

Board Members Present: Diana Stromley, Angela Profitt, Kathy Roberts, Rick Roberts, Tami Woodrow, Sherri Heizer, Donna Jennings, Kristina Morgan, Alicia Heidorn, Barb Siler, Maggie Melton

Call to Order: Angela Profitt called the meeting to order at 7:30p.m.

President: Angela Profitt

Vice President: Diana Stromley-Nothing to report, everything is turned in and up to date.

Secretary: Donna Jennings - review of January 2021 membership meeting minutes, motion to accept Cathy Wright, 2nd by Trish Clute

Treasurer: Kathy Roberts –Reviewed report. Club has been making money since September. Cash balance as of March 31, 2021 is 67,504.82. Move to accept report as presented by Diana Stromley, 2nd by Sandy Cron, motion carried.

Membership: Tami Woodrow –6 applications for membership have been received. There may be a need to adjust volunteer hours, depends on when Covid restrictions are lifted. This will be determined at a later date. There will not be any adjustments to hours needed for a key.

Obedience/ Rally /Freestyle : Kristina Morgan. Kristina introduced herself as the new obedience/ rally director. She is looking for members who would like to become CGC evaluators. Ashley Huehen will be submitting an application to AKC to become an AKC fit club. Ashley will arrange outings at various parks where members can walk their dogs together. It was pointed out that some of the obedience jumps are being stored improperly. The jumps are irreplaceable. It was suggested that a laminated sign be made with the instructions since many members may not know the proper way to store the jumps.

Conformation:– No director

Agility: Sherri Heizer – the new registration is out, and classes begin the week of May 3. The class numbers have been doing well. We are still following the Covid guidelines and hope by the next session we can get back to more normal numbers.

- the agility trial is May 1 & 2.

Ron Seiter will be cleaning the turf either Wednesday or Thursday during the day.

On Friday Vicki Head and I will begin taping the crating area about 2pm. The building will be closed then for any practicing. The buoy will be open for crating at 5 pm.

- if the Obedience equipment could be put away by then it would be appreciated.

Registrar: Maggie Melton –Classes filling quickly. Hopefully next session we will be able to increase class sizes and add more classes

Lure Coursing/Earth Dog: Curt Givens: earthdog will be held on May 29th and 30th, weather permitting. Need volunteers to work on dens and to be stewards. He will let Chris know to post this.

New Business:

Banquet/Awards

Tentatively set for June 28th, Committee will send out more information

AKC Fit Club

Ashley Huehen will be submitting an application to AKC to become an AKC fit club. Ashley will arrange outings at various parks where members can walk their dogs together. More information will follow.

Obedience/ Rally trial

The obedience / rally trial is set for June 19th and 20th. Volunteers will be needed.

Obedience Gates

Mike Kacik is making new gates for agility and obedience. Thank you Mike!

Clothing Sale

A big thank you to Barb Siler for putting together the sale of Gem City clothing. The link will be on the Gem City Website in the future.

Motion to adjourn meeting by Curt Givens at 7:55 PM