



# Fargo Moorhead Kennel Club General Membership Meeting

Date/Time: August 13, 2024 7:00PM

**Attendance:** Amy Campbell, Wendy Wilke, LouAnn Honek, Charlene Schreiber, Lisa Johnson, Jana Stenson, Lois Morkassel, Alan Vogel, Michelle Kittleson, Donna Johnson, Susan Thompson, Sarah Franson, and Julie Hulne.

Minutes:

Changes to minutes wording #11 from “run” to “rug”.

Also edit Obedience report from Marcia Hagen, *needs a Chief Steward* to complete the premium and would like *several* people to each volunteer to back her up in one small area of the trial.

Reports:

**President:** Nothing

**Secretary:** Nothing

**Treasurer:** July 2024 FMKC Profit & Loss (7/1/24 – 7/31/24)

Assets: Cash and Bank Accounts \$77,026.98

Total Investments: \$108,452.51

Total Liabilities & Equity: \$185,479.51

*\*In October will be needing two people to look over and audit paperwork. Volunteers: Wendy Wilke & Sue Thompson.*

*\*June 2024 All Breed profit of \$15,569.44 and June scent work trial had an overall profit of \$2,073.05, so it was a nice month.*

Committees:

1. **All Breed:** Doing four shows in two days next year because it makes sense. Possibly looking at running a FAST CAT or some other event at the same time as All Breed. Thanks to all the members who helped out! Everyone who was there was appreciated!
2. **Obedience:** Needs help for November 15-17 trials. She would prefer to have names on specific duties. Contact her with any questions. Examples of help needed include: Setting out and cleaning up lunch for stewards & judges, Taking the judges out to dinner one night (this is really impossible for me given where I live and how early I get up to start coffee), Making certain to help her and does not have a Chief Steward for the November trial. Needs someone for the kitchen and set/re-set.
3. **Agility Trial:** In the midst of getting the premium out for October.
4. **Scent Work:** June trial went well. The September 21 & 22 Detective Trials and Seminar is set. Trial: Chair- Katelyn and Secretary- Ashley Lutt. Opening for auditing. If you have a dog that has a strong odor foundation, try a working spot or audit. It's a heck of a good deal to attend the seminar versus paying for private training session with Holly.
5. **Fast CAT:** No report
6. **Training Director:** Donna Johnson is the new training director. Plans to talk to instructor about some foundations students.



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7. **Public relations:** Homeward shelters Paws Walk in July. Pam Sweeney took a banner and paraded with her dogs in the Abercrombie Parade. The Zoo Run had a great attendance and LouAnn had set up a table.
8. **Communications:** Nothing new.
9. **Membership:** This year we will put out forms to coincide with members moving back in. Forms can be left at the club for LouAnn (will have a place to drop).
10. **Fair Liaison:** Three weekends of the fair. Next year looking at going back to ten days.
11. **Building Manager:** They will be moving out August 28 (4 pm, but come out at any time) and hope to move back in on September 18<sup>th</sup>.
12. **AKC delegate:** No new business

## New Business

- Possibility of making a FMKC club date reminder (magnets) and class schedule reminder minutes 4imprint. LouAnn and Donna will work together to get it figured out. 23mins
- Char ran in Sioux Falls and they have a banner for publicizing. Great for advertising with the club logo and makes for better pictures. Also really liked the judge and will be considered for our trials.

## Old Business

- Reminder that the nominating committee will be getting together for the September meeting.

**1<sup>st</sup> reading-** Marcia Jocelyn has cocker spaniels.

## Braggs:

Ella finished her Scent Work Advanced title.

Char ran with Quick earned a Q in time to beat qualified one masters jumpers run. Bright qualified in open standard for her final leg and now her OA.

Ruby earned 8 points (two majors) in Duluth, MN.

Adjourned 8:03pM, 8/8/2023 Next Meeting: Tuesday, September 10<sup>th</sup> on Zoom at 7:00 pm.



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