

Lawrence Jayhawk Kennel Club

October 26, 2020

General Meeting Minutes

Location: via conference call due to COVID-19

Recorded by Vickie Jacobs, Secretary

- The minutes were approved as read.
- Board report: None
- President Report, Jane Tusten: None
- Treasurer Report, Terri Rick:
 - The club has \$XX,XXX.XX in accounts.
 - After checking into accountants in Lawrence there is none who will conduct an audit of our books
- Secretary Report, Vickie Jacobs:
 - AKC is asking for names for the AKC Lifetime Achievement Awards. You can recommend someone for Conformation, Companion Events and Performance.
- 1st Vice President, Deb Duncan:
 - Deb has been approached by the Lawrence Police Department for the club to purchase a new police dog.
 - AKC said that they would pay up to \$5,000 for the Lawrence Police Department to purchase a dog.
 - Deb will contact the police department and see if they are still interested in purchasing a canine.
- 2nd Vice President, Amber Miller: Absent
- AKC delegate, Deb Duncan:
 - The statistics for shows from March to August states that:
 - conformation is down 79%
 - obedience is down 69%
- Committees:
 - Show Chair, Vickie Jacobs: nothing to report

- New Member Reading:
 - two new members were read for the 1st reading:
 - Julie Kramer
 - She owns Miniature Australian Shepherd
 - Sponsored by: Jane Tusten and Linda Wheeler
 - Dawn Trottmann
 - She owns Cocker/Dachshund rescue and Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier
 - Sponsored by: Jane Tusten and Margaret Thorpe.
- Old Business:
 - Deb will look into contacting the Lawrence Police Dept about the police dog purchase.
 - Audit of the books will be done by Nancy Wilson, Mike Falley, & Terri Rick
- New Business:
 - AKC is requesting a donation for the Humane Fund. Margaret Thorpe made a motion to donate \$500. Approved. A friendly amendment was made by John McClure to up it to \$1,000. Failed.
 - Due to not being to meet in person President Jane Tusten recommended that we cancel our Awards Banquet for 2020 title until 2021. Approved
 - AKC has encouraged people to participate in the Virtual Manner Titles Program. After discussion it was agreed to put the information on this program up on our website.
 - Secretary, Vickie Jacobs, requested that the webmaster, Jenn Doughty, tell the members what and how to find things put up on our website.
 - Fast Cat trials were suggested for our Oct 14-15-16th 2021 shows. After a lengthy discussion John McClure made a motion that the club offer Fast Cat and Updog competition at our Oct. 14-15-16 2021 show. Approved

- Nancy Wilson will look at our fairgrounds and decide which space would work for the trials. There are two locations that might work ; one space is free but may not be big enough and the space will cost \$306 rental a day. The club agreed to proceed no matter what space is used.
- Next Meeting: Nov 23, 2020 at 7 pm.
 - It will be a conference call.
- Next Board Meeting: Nov 11, 2020
- Meeting adjourned.
 - Be sure you send your brags to the website.