



# Bryan College Station Retriever Club

Meeting Minutes February 20, 2018  
Firehouse 2052 West Villa Maria Rd Bryan, TX

- 1) **Members Present** – Dave Brannon, John Sivinski, Jamie Peck, Paul Peck, Tony Lyles, Kelly Curry, Beverly Farris, Mike Farris, Rob Sommers, Mike Akerold, Charles Payne, Sherry Payne, Walter Fuerman, Lee Fuerman, Dan Wall, Jack Mehrens, Chase Miller, James Herd, Steven Cunningham, Rene Cunningham, Marion Krause, Tony Gilbert, Victoria McDonald, Paige Harris, Allison Sutton, and Mason Sutton
- 2) **Visitors Present** – Sam Walker, William Leitner and Kirby a labradoodle service dog in training.
- 3) **President's Report** - Tony Lyles - None.
- 4) **Secretary's Report** - Presented by Dave Brannon.
  - a) Minutes amended that in 7c) name was McHale and 8c) Adam Royer
- 5) **Treasurer's Report** – Kevin McGinnis - Present Financial Report
  - a) Current balance after ribbons purchase is \$20,976.51. Six of the planned chairs of the firehouse were bought.
- 6) **Committee Reports- AKC SPRING Test**
  - a) **AKC SPRING Test** - Entries of 34 O/H Qual, 178 in 3 Masters, 78 in 2 Seniors and 86 in 2 Junior Tests. March 2-4, 2018 SAWDUST RANCH
    - i) Chairman – Charles Payne asked for the Senior and Junior test dogs and several members volunteered. The running order should be up tomorrow.
    - ii) Secretary – Dave Christianson
    - iii) Dave Christianson judges.
    - iv) Charles Payne, Dave Brannon looked at the grounds on Monday to select site test.
    - v) Motel was changed to Day's Inn after several judges in the past complained about Motel 6.
    - vi) Food- J Cody is Catering the Judge's dinner (30 people) on Friday night and the lunches. Will need volunteers to serve
    - vii) Birds – Kevin to pick up the CO2 for the 500 birds ordered. Charles requested that all three tailors be on site Thursday. Port pots dumpster ordered.
- 7) **Old Business**
  - a) Training Days –Will be addressed when Paul Brown returns
  - b) Membership dues are now overdue.
  - c) Future grounds for training – Kevin presented a potential lease agreement with David Sebesta agreeing to 2,000/year. Dale discussed the McHale property which is primary technical water. Michelle McHale told him Jan-April leases but they are rarely are on site and replacement of a water pump to maintain the ponds was an option. Charles Payne made a motion to table his suggestion but it failed. Kelly Curry moved, we gave McHale \$1,000/ year and \$2,000/year to Sebesta as a trial period of one year and review usage then. The motion was passed.

Marion Kraus also his place near Hempstead was available to members.

**8) New Business**

- a) AKC Judges and Handlers Seminar set for June 9 at Adam Royer Masonic Lodge that is free for members. Field Day at Dave Brannon's on Sun 10 June.
- b) No progress for upcoming speakers
- c) Rob discussed SODAK pheasant hunt for November.
- d) Charles brought up the 3 trailers bearings need to be checked so they will be done at local shop after this upcoming test.
- e) Mike Akeroyd presented a gun available from a manufacture at considerable savings. Contact is John Dougherty at 814-882-4591
- f) Door prize went to Mike Akeroyd.

**9) Presentation of New Members and Applications for Membership**

- a) New member(s) presented – Chase Miller, Jack Mehren, Tom and Erin Lambert, Quinn Adams, Eric and Jennifer Walberg
- b) Applications for membership - Dan Negrin and William Leitner

**10) Next Meeting** – March 20, 2018 Firehouse # 5 2052 West Villa Maria, Bryan, TX.

**11) Adjourn** - unknown at this time