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OFFICERS

President	Bret Lindback
1st VP (Field Trial)	Steve Ralph
2nd VP (Membership)	Denise Koslowski
3rd VP (Hunt Test)	Mary Tyson
Secretary	Brian Lange
Treasurer	Mark Dinsmore
Director	Duane Rickaby
Director	Fran Marier
Director	Mike Pinkosky
Director	Gerard Haines

Members present: Mark Dinsmore, Denise Koslowski, Fran Marier, Brian Lange, and Steve Ralph.

Secretarys and treasurers reports read and accepted.

OLD BUSINESS

- Signature transfer for new treasure to be done 6-6-08
- Denise, Mark and Fran to synchronize new membership list.

NEW BUSINESS

- Club picnic to be July 13th 4pm. Denise will be host home and potluck diner. Club to provide pop and water.
- Change training dates possibly early for sessions with a pro, later dates to be with club senior members. Bret and Doug to coordinate.
- State fair pointing dog demo to be Wed. Aug 27. Steve Ralph, Becky Voss and Liz Dixon will demonstrate. Other vountners with dogs welcome. Contact Steve Ralph for info.
- Game Fair, Denise and Diane to coordinate with Mary Tyson to help MFFTC meeting next week. Brian and Bret to attend.

EVENTS BUSINESS

- Hunt test will keep early dates and will advertise earlier in year.
- Spring field trial was great success with 116 dogs entered. Event was profitable despite high fuel costs from bringing distant judges from down south. Judges had good comments on grounds and our dogs for first time here.
- Walking trial had 64 dogs entered and went smoothly. Youth event hosted 6 kids and their dogs. Matt Eder did basics while Fran and Bret took out on the course. Kids were mostly club members. We will try to advertise more places next year.
- Big thanks to all who participated and helped with our spring events.
- Fall trial to be Sept 13-14. We will have a walking trial on the Four Brooks grounds.
- Denise to be chairman for events.

— *Brian Lange, Secretary*

MEMBERSHIP

If your club membership is due or has expired, please contact Denise Koslowski at 612-247-3111, e-mail at msharley2@hotmail.com or send a check to St. Croix Valley Brittany Club, 4020 - 131st Ave. NE, Blaine, MN 55449. Membership cost are as follows: Full \$30, additional family member \$5; Associate \$15.



4 day pheasant hunt west of Faulkton SD on Public Hunting areas. Weather was great. Birds were every where and the company was excellent! Steve Ralph, John Lindback, Matt, and Bret Lindback

SUMMER TRAINING

Summer training will be Saturdays of July 19, 26, and August 2nd at Four Brooks training grounds near Milaca. The sessions will be from 8am until noon. Our trainer this year will be Mark Ritter. Mark has bred, raised, hunted and trialed brittany's for 30 years. Marks training methods train the handler as much as the dogs. Learning to read your dog and making it fun, will yeild better results. We will cover basic obedience and spend quality time in the field on birds. Please contact Doug (info below) with the dates you plan to attend and what level your dog is at to better help us prepare. Cost will remain \$10.00 per dog per day. We will have birds, launchers and backing jacks.

FOUR BROOKS TRAINING GROUNDS

If you are interested getting a season pass to train your dogs at the Four Brooks training grounds near Milaca, send check/money and a self addressed stamped envelope to Doug Lodermeier, 5700 Beard Ave. S., Edina, MN 55410 (612-922-9674) Email at doug@dougandpaul.com. The cost is \$20 for the season. Make the checks to MFFTC.

The pass is needed for SCVBC summer training, so you

might as well get it early, use it early (spring) and often to get your money's worth.

Map and directions to Four Brooks available on the web at ... <http://www.mfftc.com/> ... click on information.

NEW MEMBER PROFILE

New members from 2007-08, introduce yourself to the club, please send picutres of you and your dogs with a brief bio to our members secretary, Denise Koslowski (msharley2@hotmail.com)

SCVBC PICNIC

July 13th Club Picnic. Starting time around 4:00 p.m. Soft Drinks and water will be provided by the club. Potluck, please bring a dish to share and a chair for lounging and a swim suit for the pool.

Directions to Denise Koslowski's home are: North on 35W to Lexington Ave. (exit no. 33) turn north onto Lexington Ave and go about 2 miles to 131st Ave. NE and turn left, 2nd house on left 4020 131st Ave. NE, Blaine. Signs will be up to follow. For more info, contact Denise at 612-247-3111 or e-mail msharley2@hotmail.com

UPCOMING EVENTS

- July 13** SCVBC picnic, contact Denise Koslowski
- July 19, 26, Aug. 2** Train your dog with a Pro at Four Brooks training grounds. Contact Doug Lodermeier at 612-922-9674, e-mail at doug@dougandpaul.com
- August 5** General Meeting at **Bret Lindback's**
- Aug. 8-10, 15-17** Armstrong Game Fair
- Sept. 6-7** MBC Fall Trial at Solon Springs, WI
- Sept. 13-14** SCVBC Walking Trail at 4Brooks

FOR SALE

Horse for sale: TWH black & white, 13-year old mare, 13-14 hands tall. Great aroud kids. Used for field trialing. \$3500 negotiable. If interested contact Susan Januschka 651-485-4765, gmount@centurytel.net

PHOTOS WANTED

Keep those photos coming. Share your Brittany experiences with the club by sending photos to be published in the newsletter. It's always fun to see some of the faces and personalities of our club members. Don't be shy, simply reply with photos of you and you ol' pal.

Send photos to nosh_munar@hotmail.com, or send mail to 4257 Abbott Ave. No., Robbinsdale, MN 55422.

NEWSLETTER

If you have anything that you would like to share in the newsletter (photos/news/etc.), contact Nosh Munar at 763-536-9912, nosh_munar@hotmail.com, or send mail to 4257 Abbott Ave. No., Robbinsdale, MN 55422.

DIRECTIONS TO THE LINDBACK'S

Take I-35 to Wyoming Exit. Go west to the Frontage Road (Kettle River Blvd) and turn South. Go four blocks to 261st. and turn right. The Lindback's house is the 1st one on the left. Address is 5025 261 St.