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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 John Chejne
Treasurer Mike Pinkosky
Director Emeritus Duane Rickaby
Director Mark Ritter
Director John Lindback
Director Greg Massoglia

Members Present: John Chejne, Denise Koslowski, Steve Ralph, Mary Tyson, Brian Lange, Mark Ritter, Mike Pinkosky Jr., Fran Marier, Greg Massoglia

The Secretary's and Treasurer's reports were read and approved.

OLD BUSINESS

● A motion was made to amend the following motion passed at the Jan. 16 meeting: "that the SCVBC provide the first-year membership dues free to new members who purchase puppies from Brittany breeders that refer the person to the Club" to include the word "full" before the words "first-year." The motion carried. The motion will be in effect as of Jan. 16, 2010.

● A motion was made to include the aforementioned motion in the SCVBC Bylaws. The motion carried.

● Steve announced that the SCVBC insurance policy is on our web site.

NEW BUSINESS

● A motion was made that the SCVBC donate \$500 to the Minnesota Federation of Field Trial Clubs to be used in the Federation's effort to educate state legislators regarding the needs of purebred dog owners/breeders. The motion carried. The funds will be used to ensure that field trial clubs and pet owners have a voice vis-à-vis radical "animal rights" groups, i.e. HSUS.

● A motion was made to donate \$275 for a banquet sponsorship to the Chisago Co. Chapter of Pheasants Forever. The motion carried. Steve and Mark will attend the banquet.

— John Chejne, 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.

NEWSLETTER

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

SAD NEWS

SCVBC member, John Jenkins past away suddenly Feb. 11, 2010 while ice fishing. John was active in politics and an avid outdoorsman who loved to hunt and fish. He especially enjoyed teaching his grandchildren the joy of the outdoors and working with his beloved Brittany, Molly, hunting grouse. (PHOTO RIGHT: John with his hunting partner, Molly at the SCVBC Winter Hunt)

John, you will be missed. Our thoughts and prayers go out to you and you family.

GOOD JOB



Belle became an International Show Champion in November. Handled by owner Jackie Swanson. Hannah, left, handled her in Juniors as well and did a great job.



UPCOMING EVENTS

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| February 20 | Winter Hunt at Pheasant Ridge |
| March 2 | Club meeting at Steve Ralph's |
| March 27 | Fun Run at Four Brooks |
| April 10-11 | Hunt Test at Kelly Farms |
| April 23-25 | MBC Field Trail at Crow Hassan |
| May 7-9 | SCVBC Field Trial at Crow Hassan |
| June 5-6 | SCVBC Walking FT at Four Brooks |
| July & Aug. | Summer training sessions |

DIRECTIONS TO THE RALPH'S

Take I-35 (E or W) north to Wyoming. It is about 35 Miles from Downtown Minneapolis. Exit off of I-35 at Wyoming. Turn west and cross the I-35 and turn south on to Kettle River Blvd (the Frontage Road). Approximately 2 miles south on the west side of the road.

PUPPIES COMING

Expecting a litter of puppies about March 20. The L/W male (RD's Ricochet Riley) is a son of Nolan's Last Bullet and RD's Ricki Sue, MH. The O/W female (RD's Scotch on the Rox) is from Brian Weir's dog, Ringneck's Deercreek Punch, MH and his female, Cutty's Sassy Squirt. Price will be \$500. Interested parties should contact me, Rod Dobey, via email (rdobey2@charter.net) or by phone at 320-282-6959.

SCVBC WINTER HUNT

Saturday February 20, 2010

Package A - for 2 hunters, includes 6 pheasant for \$80.00; **Package B** - for 2 or more, includes 10 pheasant for \$135.00; **Package C** - for 2 or more, includes 20 roosters for \$266.00; (a person can do any package themselves if they like, or be grouped with others)

Make your Reservation by February 16th with Brian Lange at 763-434-0713

FOR SALE

Tracker Collar. Field trial season on upon us. Don't lose your dog, get this tracking collar. It's a **two** dog collar. Use it for training, hunting, field trialing. Price reduced to \$300. Contact Nosh if interested at 763-536-9912