

Silver Falls Kennel Club. Inc. Salem, Oregon

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General Meeting March 25, 2004 Chalet Restaurant, Salem

In attendance Judi James, Liz Hughes, Rebecca Hillyer, MaryJane O'Neil, Pat Hill, Beth and Chuck Aylworth, Laura Lenci, Rikki Hoffecker, Chris and Tom Levy, Laurie Panther, Alice Watt, Gary Dunlop, Doug and Elisha Mansfield, and Tracy Crewse. Guests: Marvin Panther and Lorene Jones.

Meeting was **called to order** about 7 pm by President Levy. Our guests Marvin Panther and Lorene Jones were introduced.

Minutes of last meeting were approved as published.

President's Report Chris highlighted the last board meeting in which we discussed filing for a letter from the IRS confirming our non-profit status. The law firm that was suggested has raised its prices significantly. Judi and Liz have looked into what needs to be done and since we're so new with so little income it is a simple matter to file the paperwork with IRS. Most of what is required, like constitution, incorporation, business registry, and tax ID number are already done.

Secretary's Report no new correspondence.

Treasurer's Report We have about \$2,600 on hand and have paid all current bills for the match including rent, trophies, and ribbons.

Committee Reports

Achievements Rebecca reports they are underachievers but will meet before the summer meeting. The club will have a cake at the match to celebrate our second birthday.

AKC Liaison Discussion of our progress toward recognition and cooperation with WVKC.

Breeder referral Alice reports the listing in the local breeder's guide has been submitted and we're waiting for it to come out before calls are likely to come in.

Christmas Party Yes, we do want to do it again.

Yahoo Email list Beth advised she has now restricted who can sign on to the list after some unsolicited and very off topic mail came through. Those wanting to subscribe now must be approved by one of the list moderators (Beth and Judi)

Website Alice has some new photos from our last events up.

Membership Applications

First Reading of application from Georjan Bridger

Unfinished Business

Westminster trip Andrew Mansfield sent the club a thank you letter and report of his trip to Westminster. It will be posted on our yahoo list for everyone to read.

Match finale Remainder of the meeting was devoted to committee reports and last minute details for Saturday's match. Decision was made to not rent an extra bay and to limit mats to runners in each ring.

Next Meeting will be on April 29 and be devoted to some fun: **Dog Trivia night**. Bring your thinking cap and your sense of fun for this one!