



Working Notes

Northstar Working Group Association monthly publication.
Celebrating 10 Years!

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10th Anniversary Picnic & Meeting!

Thursday, June 17
Antlers Park, Lakeville

Come to the June 17 meeting and celebrate NWGA's tenth anniversary! The meeting will be held at Antlers Park in Lakeville, in the large picnic shelter close to the parking lot. We have reserved the space from 5:00 p.m. on. The club will provide a main course and soft drinks; please bring a salad or dessert to share. Dinner will start around 7:00 p.m. with the meeting to follow. No dog events are planned, but dogs are welcome.

Directions to Antlers Park:

Take I-35 north or south to Exit 85 (County Road 5/County Road 50) in Lakeville. Go east on County Road 50 to the traffic light at Ipava Avenue. Turn right on Ipava Avenue, then right on 201st Street to the park entrance

Good News!

Sunny Lambert went to the Standard Schnauzer Club of America National Specialty over Memorial Day weekend at Bloomington, Illinois. Her puppy, Franni, Jordan Fable of Windtree, went Best in Sweepstakes for the National. Here's a photo.



A new member, Kara Maytag, also attended the Standard Schnauzer Club of America National Specialty and showed her puppy, Harper, Jordan Harper of Kingsview in conformation for her first show. Harper was Best of Opposite Junior puppy in sweepstakes and also won her class the day of the National Specialty. Here's a photo.



Northstar Working Group Association
Meeting Minutes
May 15, 2010

The meeting was called to order at 8:10 p.m. by Treasurer Jim Olson. No quorum was present. A very fun time was had by the few that attended.

Presidents Report: In the absence of the president there was no report.

Secretary's Report: No correspondence sent. Received flyer from St Croix Valley KC advertising their 5/25/10 match and forwarded it to Sunny for the newsletter.

Membership: No new applications received.

Treasurer's Report: wrote checks for \$2010.08. These were for newsletter expenses, Sharon Anderson, Diane Levin for park deposit, Total Recall for site reservations and our insurance. No deposits, balance in our regular checking account is \$12,908.89.

Jr Showmanship Account: We received \$0.03 cents in interest and our balance is now \$1000.04.

Money Market Account: We received \$6.14 in interest and our balance is now \$20,008.63.

Committee Reports:

January Show: Returned MN January Specialties agreement to Pat Holdren. Show

application will be done next month.

August Show: Corrected an error by AKC in recording and approving judges' panel. Waiting for premium list proof sheets. Remember that trophy donation information and all catalog ads are due to me by July 1st. I will need proof of insurance in July. Stewarding volunteers should contact Chief Ring Steward Sharon Olson.

Obedience: Trial application will be done next month and the site deposit fee has been sent.

Publicity: Bliss and Diane will get together after Diane gets back from Kansas City.

Trophies: PLEASE PAY ANN PORWOLL FOR TROPHIES!

Legislative: HSUS getting profits from the new doggy stamps.

Responsible Dog Ownership Day: Set for Saturday September 11th at Washington County Fairground.

Old Business:

Picnic: Antlers Park in Lakeville has been reserved for Thursday June 24th ** 2010 from 5:00 p.m. until closing. Picnic will be pot luck: club will provide meat and soft drinks. Info and directions will

be sent to membership. We will not order a cake as everyone brings such great desserts.

Tablecloths: The fabric is at the tailors. Cost, with French seams and tax, came to about \$128.00. Need to discuss printing of logo will Ann Porwoll.

Pins: Sharon and Diane, with input from Jim and Sid, agreed on a design idea. Diane contacted World Class Pins: minimum order for cloisonné is 100 pieces. She has sent a JPEG of logo, along with description of what we want, to the pin company and is waiting for them to send back proofs of what they can do.

New business: There was no new business.

Meeting adjourned at 8:40pm

Respectfully submitted
Sharon Olson

** NOTE: After the meeting, it was learned that the Anoka Kennel Club Thursday show date is June 24th. The date of the picnic has been changed to June 17, our usual meeting date.

Northstar Working Group Association Agility Trial is July 31 and August 1. We need volunteers to make this trial work. Food is provided for those who volunteer to work. If you can work, please email Sunny Lambert at jordanstandardschnauzers@earthlink.net with your name and what job you would like to volunteer for.

Want to find out what weight pulling is all about? Curious as to whether your dog would make a good weight puller? Wondering what all the noise is about?

Come see Bayou (and others, including Toby the Strong, our Chinese Crested buddy!) in a Weight Pull Demo this Saturday @ 11:30, during the Lake Minnetonka Dog Shows at the Scott County Fairgrounds in Jordan.

ROUTES TO THE SHOW FROM THE NORTH, EAST OR WEST: From intersection of I-494 & US-169, drive south on US-169 approximately 18 miles to stoplights on US-169 in Jordan. Turn right at stoplights then drive 2 blocks to 190th St W. Turn left to Scott County Fairgrounds



