

**Rocky Mountain Beagle Club
Meeting Minutes
September 13, 2007
Denny's Restaurant
Northglenn, CO**

The meeting was called to order by President June Suttie @ 7:16 p.m.

Members in Attendance

Rosemary Harris, Deb & Tom Krier, June Suttie, Kelly & Steve Yarish.

Minutes of the Last Meeting

M/M/S/U by Deb and Rosemary to approve the meeting minutes of 8/16/07.

Report of President: June thanked everyone for their efforts at the specialty show.

Report of Secretary: Correspondence received was distributed, which included a request for a donation to the Jr. showmanship scholarship offered at Sunflower Cluster in KS, and a flyer from a trophy company. The application for the 2008 show was received from the AKC, and turned over to Tom, show chairman.

Report of Treasurer: Tom Krier presented a written report. All expenses for the 2007 specialty have been paid, resulting in an ending balance of \$3,097.99.

Reports of Committees

Show Committee 2007: Tom Krier thanked all members for their help with the show. He also passed around a thank-you card received from the regular class judge. A written financial report on the show was presented. Tom reported the silent auction was a huge success, and hospitality was outstanding, many positive comments were received from exhibitors. Tom did note the very low entries this year, both in the regular classes and in sweepstakes. He pointed out several factors which could have contributed to the decline: judge selection; conflicting show dates; show site (outdoor ring). Discussion was held on show sites, and the possibility of changing our date/location. Discussion was also held regarding the new requirements, effective 1-09, from the AKC. If Rocky Mountain Beagle Club holds a show outside the designated home area, the club will be required to complete twice the number of requirements. June suggested all members think about possible solutions and to re-visit this topic at the February 2008 meeting, when it is expected more members will be present.

Unfinished Business - None

New Business

Deb reported Ralph Tissot sent a proposal for fund-raising for the 2008 specialty. a "Beagle Pool". Squares would be purchased, and money would be paid out to the winning square that matches the armband number of the BOB dog. The club authorized Deb to pursue this idea.

Next Meeting

The next meeting will be held Thursday October 18th at 7:00 p.m. Location to be determined, post cards will be sent.

Adjournment

Tom made a motion to adjourn, meeting adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Kelly Yarish, secretary