

SCOTTISH TERRIER CLUB
OF GREATER DAYTON
GENERAL MEMBERSHIP
OCTOBER 25, 2014
MINUTES - APPROVED

PRESENT: Pam Williams, Barb Zink, Ray Oliver, Penny Oliver, Sue Stacy, Marcia Harbison, Lisa Ball, Sandy Maddux, Jeff Underwood, Valerie Underwood, Judy Pool, Bill Pool, Rita Adler, Susan Moloney, Frank Moloney, Bruce Kelsay, Marcie Kelsay, Gary Stroede, LeeAnn Whaley, Katelyn Whaley, Don Riepenhoff, Peg Pearce

President Gary Stroede called the meeting to order at 1:57 p.m. at the home of Barb and Glenn Zink in Miamisburg. Gary reminded everyone that the agenda for the meeting is sent out with the final reminder of the meeting and suggests that everyone print it out so they have a copy.

Recording Secretary Sue Stacy read the minutes from the September 27th meeting. There were no changes or corrections and the minutes were approved.

Corresponding Secretary Pam Williams reported that she had received a thank you note from Rita Adler for the flowers sent following Harry's passing.

Pam presented information on the fee for Wendell August for trophies. The company requires a \$250 one-time setup fee to make it possible to put our logo on trophies and future Good Sportsmanship Awards. Pam showed photos of some of the trophies available and what they would look like with our logo. The cost of trophies would be about \$600, the same as it has been in the past. It was agreed it would be great to have our logo on the trophies. Pam asked if anyone might have a good copy of the STCGD logo that she could send to Wendell August. Peg Pearce said she has one and will get it to Pam.

Pam also talked about the luncheon at the Doubletree Suites for our November 8th Seminar. The hotel will prepare wraps (turkey and ham, Pam will ask about veggie), tossed salad, pasta salad, cookie and a drink for \$12 plus gratuity (22%) plus tax (7%). The hotel will need a count of how many people will be there because they will make the wraps ahead of time and there will be no flexibility. If someone shows up who has not reserved with Pam, they will not be able to eat. If someone makes a reservation and then doesn't show, the club will need to pay for their meal. Members were made aware that if they reserve and don't attend, THEY will be charged for their meal. Also, if members have questions for our presenter, Marcia Dawson, DVM, please submit them to Pam or Marcia in advance so Marcia has time to look something up if she needs to.

Barb Zink brought up the subject of the new Purdue University Bladder Cancer study, emphasizing its importance to Scottiedom. TCC is **one of the most prevalent killers** of Scotties and the study hopes to find why it seems to be more prevalent in our breed than in other breeds. A study begun 14 years ago showed that herbicides played a large part in dogs developing the disease. This new study is seeking 100 Scotties, aged 7 and over, to volunteer for testing and examination, to be followed up every six months after the initial screening. Barb, Pam Williams and Marcia Harbison are all participating with their dogs. Any testing or treatment, if necessary, will be at no cost to the owners. If anyone is interested in the study,

please contact Barb and she will send you the information. It might be possible to set up a car pool to go to the follow-ups every six months.

Gary presented the Treasurer's report, pointing out the two donations made to the STCA Health Trust Fund in memory of Harry Adler and Buffy Stamm.

Sunshine Chair Susan Jackson sent out one card, to Cindy Cooke on the passing of Buffy Stamm.

Sandy Maddux said there will be a Ways and Means work day to prepare door mats on Saturday, November 1, about noon, at the Zink's barn. She'd only had limited response but a number of people spoke up and said they would attend.

Gary announced that the STCA has submitted a \$500 for the deposit on the Roberts Center in Wilmington for the 2017 Rotating Specialty.

The Christmas Party will be Saturday, December 6 at 3:00 p.m. at the Pool's house in Eaton. There will be a gift exchange. Judy has asked that everyone let her know what kind of dish they will be bringing (appetizer, salad, etc.) The ham and turkey are being donated.

Peg Pearce made a motion, and Rita Adler seconded, that the meeting be adjourned. The motion passed and the meeting was adjourned at 2:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Sue Stacy
Recording Secretary

APPROVED AS CORRECTED NOVEMBER 8, 2014