

MID-FLORIDA GOLDEN RETRIEVER CLUB – Board Meeting

PRESIDENT

SECRETARY

Ted Misilo

Michele Throm

The July 13, 2016 Board meeting of the Mid-Florida Golden Retriever Club was called to order by President Ted Misilo at 7:30PM at the Olive Garden Restaurant. The following board members were present:

Ted Misilo – President

Michele Throm – Secretary

Ann Rowe – AB

Dee Thibodeaux – Treasurer

Kristin Sipus; Pat Kopco -AB; Mike Orloff-AB ; Anney Doucette ; John Blair-AB; Betty Lambert; Andy Hall-AB

REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT (Ted Misilo)

All of our events seem to be on track and progressing well!

REPORT OF THE VICE PRESIDENT (Ann Rowe)

No report

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY (Michele Throm)

No report

REPORT OF THE TREASURER (Dee Thibodeaux)

Obedience entries are coming in. There are a few outstanding checks for various deposits. We received a Thank you letter from Lutheran Church Charities/K-9 Comfort Dogs, for our donation.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Hunt Test (Mike Orloff) – emailed report

Things are on schedule for the hunt test. Mike still has invitations out to several judges but have not heard back definitely from anybody yet.

Central Florida HRC's board approved a joint hunt test for February where we will have two master flights and they'll have one finished. Also - no tailgate at the February test so that will save us a couple thousand dollars.

Pat Kopco will be back from the national in time to judge the WCX in October.

Obedience – (Ted Misilo reported)

We are all set. Still need stewards. Ted will be responsible for judge's gifts. Entries continuing to come in.

Agility – (John Blair)- emailed report

Everything is all set. The October agility trial is on track. We will be updating the premium list and posting it by next month.

WC/WCX – (Ted Misilo)

Date set for Saturday October 8, 2016 at Golden Oaks Ranch in Montverde, FL. Mike Orloff and Pat Kopco tentatively set to judge.

Specialty – (Ted Misilo)

Caroline Kendrick is working on everything and has already secured judges for the event.

OLD BUSINESS:

Comfort Dog/Therapy Dog Training – (Ted Misilo) There have been about a dozen or so members express interest. Ted will research and start to coordinate doing this type of workshop for the club.

Grooming Seminar – (Kristin Sipus) – Kristin is coordinating. We will offer the seminar in November at the Ocala show and have a brief demo. Anney Doucette will be doing this first demo. We will invite club members to bring a dish to share and snacks.

Advanced Hunt Test – (Kristin Sipus) – We are looking at offering this seminar the first weekend in December. Kristin is waiting on AKC to confirm.

Education at Meetings – (Kristin Sipus) - Kristin is working on a tracking demo, probably for next year.

National Specialty 2020 – John Blair talked with his contact at Grand Oaks and they are more than willing to work with us if we want to make a bid for the 2020 Nationals. Grand Oaks is sending John a package that has all their facility details plus some upcoming improvements. It was discussed and decided that we need a committee to look at the possibility of placing a bid with GRCA. John Blair will be the committee chair, and several other members have already agreed to be on the committee.

NEW BUSINESS:

Tolar Seminar – (Ted Misilo) – This information was shared with the club but it is a conflict with the MFGRC Obedience Trial.

Connie Miller Seminar – (Anney Doucette) – There was discussion about offering this grooming/handling seminar again, right before National next year. Anney will research.

Nominating Committee – (Betty Lambert) – We need to form a nominating committee for the 2017 board in September.

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Next Board meeting on August 14th at the Obedience Trial in Daytona.

Betty Lambert moved that the meeting adjourn, seconded. President Ted Misilo adjourned meeting at 8:40PM.

Michele Throm – Secretary