

MID-FLORIDA GOLDEN RETRIEVER CLUB – General Meeting

PRESIDENT

Ann Rowe

SECRETARY

Andy Hall

The September 2, 2018, general meeting of the Mid-Florida Golden Retriever Club was called to order by president Ann Rowe at 12:04 p.m. at DOCOF in Kissimmee, Fla. The following officers and board members were present:

Ann Rowe – President

Andy Hall – Secretary

Michele Throm – Vice President - AB

Dee Thibodeaux – Treasurer

Board Members:

Robin Burket; Pat Kopco; Betty Lambert; Ted Misilo.

Absent: Pam Ginn; Kristin Sipus.

REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT

Our club and DOCOF go way back to the early 1990's – unfortunate we didn't compete this year and hopefully we can return next year. Rundown of general meetings scheduled for October, November and December.

REPORT OF THE VICE PRESIDENT (Andy Hall for Michele Throm)

Voted in new members Sally Sherman and Edward and Margaret Gaydusek. Recognized guest Carolee Stewart who is planning to join.

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY (Andy Hall)

Asked new members to join club's Facebook group and reminded all members to send in photos/brags for Facebook. Also asked to make sure we have correct email addresses.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER (Dee Thibodeaux)

All club bank accounts in good standing; all bills paid.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Agility Fun Day (Andy Hall) – Reminded club members about agility fun day on Oct. 13 in Osteen and what its purpose is. More details will be emailed.

Agility Trial (Dee Thibodeaux) – Volunteers needed to help set up for agility trial on Thursday, Oct. 18. Trial is Oct. 19-20-21 at Grand Oaks Resort. Volunteers needed to work as timers, scribe and gate.

WC/WCX (Ted Misilo) – Volunteers needed for WC/WCX Nov. 3 on Wayne Gey's property in Montverde, Fla.

December Hunt Test (Mike Orloff) – Club will host Hunt Test Dec. 7-8-9 in Montverde. In good shape, still need some judges. Volunteers are needed to help.

Specialty (Michele Panetta) – the club is adding a second Specialty in June of 2019 as part of the Tampa Cluster. Michele Panetta will be chair and Robin Burket will be co-chair.

2020 GRCA National (Pat Kopco) – Club made announcement last week that it has been awarded the 2020 GRCA National Specialty. It's a large undertaking and club members will need to pitch in. A sheet was passed around with jobs for members to sign up for. Pat also mentioned a contest to decide a theme with the winner receiving a \$100 gift card.

OLD BUSINESS:

Year-End Dog Awards (Betty Lambert) – Betty reminded club members about the year-end dog awards and to get entries in by the deadline of November 29.

New Title Rosettes (Robin Burket) – Robin explained the club's policy of providing a rosette to members who earn titles during the year. She will be emailing a flyer with details soon.

Nominating Committee (Robin Burket) – Robin is chair of the Nominating Committee to select officers and board members for 2019. She asked anyone interested in being an officer or on the board to contact her. Voting will be at the Christmas Party.

Motion to adjourn by Debbie Finch, seconded by Betty Lambert. Meeting adjourned 12:31 p.m.

Next board meeting is Oct. 10 in person at Olive Garden Mall of Millenia. Next general meeting is Oct. 13 at Agility Fun Day.

Andy Hall – Secretary