

MID-FLORIDA GOLDEN RETRIEVER CLUB – General Meeting

PRESIDENT

Robin Burket

SECRETARY

Andy Hall

The October 19, 2022, general meeting of the Mid-Florida Golden Retriever Club was called to order by secretary Andy Hall at 7:33 p.m. via Zoom. The following officers and board members were present:

Robin Burket – President - AB

Andy Hall – Secretary

Christine McDaniel – Vice President

Robin Bowen – Treasurer

Board Members:

Kathy Cudak; Pam Ginn; Jan Paddock; Ann Rowe; Michele Throm.

Absent: Ted Misilo; Camille Nasca.

WELCOME (Andy Hall)

Andy went over schedule of upcoming club events

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY (Andy Hall)

Asked club members who are on Facebook to join the club group.

Asked club members to make sure they are receiving emails from the club – some have had issues with club emails going into junk folders.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER (Robin Bowen)

All bills paid, all accounts in good standing. Board still discussing how to invest money the club made hosting last year's GRCA National Specialty.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Wrap-up of Photoshoot (Andy Hall for Camille Nasca) – Club held successful photoshoot on Oct. 9 in Orlando.

Hunt Test Practice Day (Kristin Sipus for Anney Doucette) – Anney Doucette and Jeff Rushe are holding a free practice day (land only) for hunt test competitors at their Rushe Retriever Camp in Lecanto, Fla., on Oct. 30.

MFGRC Hunt Test chair Brian Parker also said that members are welcomed to practice land and water at his facility in DeLand.

Hunt Test (Kristin Sipus) – Club will hold a Hunt Test Nov. 18-19-20 in Montverde, Fla. Some people have stepped up as volunteers but more are needed. Pat Rubrecht is volunteer coordinator and Michele Throm is hospitality coordinator.

Specialty (Caroline Kendrick) – Caroline, the event chair, gave some information about the club's annual independent Specialty that will be held Dec. 16 at the Orange County Convention Center as part of the Royal Canin AKC National Championship week. The premium list is out and entries are expected from around the country. Camille Nasca, the trophy chair, still has some trophies available for sponsorship and a list was displayed to meeting attendees.



UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Nominations for 2023 Officers and Board (Michele Throm) – Michele was chair of the nominations committee and a slate of officers and board members for the club in 2023 was emailed to members on Oct. 14. If no additional candidates come forward, the nominations will be confirmed on Dec. 17 at the club's Christmas party.



NEW BUSINESS:

New members (Christine McDaniel) – New members were voted in:

Taylor Gordon and Angel Strobaugh, Umatilla, FL (sponsor was Christine McDaniel)

Suzanne Dukes, Winter Park, FL (sponsor was Ann Rowe)

Kevin and Cheryl Barbagallo, Summerfield, FL (sponsor was Kristin Sipus)

Motion to adjourn, seconded. Meeting adjourned 8:16 p.m.

Next board meeting is October 23 via Zoom.

Next general meeting is Nov. 9 via Zoom.

Andy Hall – Secretary