

GOLDEN GATE LABRADOR RETRIEVER CLUB ANNUAL MEETING JANUARY 22,  
2012

**CALL TO ORDER:** President Allen Garfinkle called the meeting to order at 10:45 a.m. The meeting was held at Sharon's house. Present were Allen and Marilou Garfinkle, Sharon Ventura, Melinda Grosch, Terri Herigstad, Natasha Gelfand, and Connie Holm.

**MINUTES OF LAST MEETING:** The minutes from the last annual meeting had previously been approved.

**REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT:** Allen thanked everyone who had participated in club activities the past year.

**REPORT OF SECRETARY:** Correspondence was received from Richmond Dog Fanciers asking us to support their show on August 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>. We do not want to support them at this time.

**REPORT OF TREASURER:** Absent, no report.

**MEMBERSHIP:** Wendy Gai, Cindy Ellis, Lauren Rice, Vicki Blodgett, and Derrick Kea were voted in as members. Members are given 45 days of grace in paying their dues. Dues are delinquent after March 1<sup>st</sup>. The club roster can be downloaded from the web site.

**FIELD:** Orenbaum opens January 29<sup>th</sup>. There will be a WC test on February 26<sup>th</sup> with training in the morning. Training will also be scheduled for February 11<sup>th</sup>.

**SPECIALTY:** Proposed judges are Christine Tye, Marlene Hepper an English judge, and a judge from southern California for sweepstakes. Marilyn Little will judge obedience and Loretta Delinger rally. A Chesapeake judge will judge Monday at Del Valle. Judges are our biggest expense. We will be separate from the goldens this year. In the future we might possibly work something out with the Irish wolfhounds. Tables and chairs are needed for the wine and cheese event. An announcer is a possibility. We also need more power outlets. The English judge will do a critique.

**SHO AND GO:** The workshop will be held on June 3<sup>rd</sup> and Cal State has been reserved. We need stewards.

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ELECTION : The proposed slate of officers and board was voted in. It is as follows:

President: Allen Garfinkle  
Vice President: Terri Herigstad  
Secretary: Connie Holm  
Treasurers: Nancy Yamada, Georgia Baba  
Board: Connie Mullerleile, Melinda Grosch, Jennifer Kelly, Sharon Ventura,  
Tabby Walker

WEB SITE: More input is needed.

RETRIEVER REFLECTIONS: The 15<sup>th</sup> of the month before publication is the deadline for submission of material.

CALENDAR: The 2012 calendar was discussed and will be published in Retriever Reflections.

NEW BUSINESS: The possibility of Sharon Eide doing photographs of our dogs was discussed.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:40.

Submitted by Connie Holm