

Great Dane Club of Northern California

September 17, 2016 Meeting Minutes

Attendance

Members: Sam Gillette, Michelle Gillette, Everett Van Dkyen, Kathryn Netser, Conley Netser, Lorrie Spencer, Yvonne Messimer, Denise Williams, Shalein Bonney, Denise Matulich, Linda Lauermann, Brittany Williams, Barbara Kreszyn, Kate Jackson

Guests: Terri Owen, Todd Owen, Greg Self, Steven Vigil

Meeting called to order at 9:24am.

Corresponding Secretary's Report

Lorrie reported on the AKC vote and delegate vote.

Treasurer's Report

Nothing to report.

Membership Report

An application from Terri and Todd Own was accepted. Sponsors are Pat Dousman and Everett Van Dyken.

Website Report

Nothing to report.

Education Report

Kate and Yvonne had previously agreed to look into an Eric Salas handling seminar to be held in early December. Turned out the price to Eric was \$1500 per day plus expenses, and the cost to attend would be \$350 per day – had initially understood these fees to be for both days. Kate found a George Alston protégée (<http://www.normasmithhandlingseminars.com/>) that would do two days for \$1500 plus expenses, but she is unknown to us. Concern expressed that we wouldn't be able to cover costs. Discussion followed. We might be able to get a GDCA educational grant to supplement costs. Motion to table the handling seminar idea passed.

2017 Specialty Show

- Judges are Donna Clark, Maryann Wilson and Jason Hoke

Other Business:

- Holiday & Awards Party is December 4th at Kate & Mick Galvin's house.
- Nominating Committee of Everett, Lorrie and Yvonne was approved
- Kate moved to donate \$100 toward trophies at the 2016 National; seconded by Denise. Kate then made a motion to increase amount to \$250; seconded by Conley. Motion passed.

Meeting adjourned at 10:05am.