



President's Message

HRLRC Members,

I'd like to take this opportunity to thank each member who has served our club as a board member or officer for the past twelve months. Your dedication and comittment to our club's business has helped us to have a wonderful year. Some of you will continue to serve as a board member or officer, and a few of our members will be new to their roles beginning at the next meeting. I look forward to working with all of you again over the next year as I continue in my role as President.

The HRLRC has many initiatives in the work for the next year. Some of the events we will hold are: health clinics, WC, picnic, specialty show and supported entries to name a few. In addition to these items, we can look forward to providing educational presentations at upcoming meetings, participating in the LC&SA Youth Day and other possible information sharing opportunities with the general public to increase awareness about Labrador ownership and our club. The next twelve months will also provide us a good opportunity to revise our club's By-Law's and Code of Ethics which were last revised more than ten years ago. If it

sounds like we will be busy for the next year, you're right! So, our club will need all the helping hands of the entire membership to accomplish all of the events in the coming year.

Beginning in May, of our general membership meetings will be held at the Livingston Conservation and Sports Association (LC&SA). The LC&SA Board of Directors, and Rich Hunt (LC&SA President), are welcoming us to utilize their facility for our membership meetings. Rich Hunt has agreed to attend the HRLRC meetings scheduled at LC&SA to provide us with access to the site. Please say "Thank You" to Rich and the LC&SA when we hold our first meeting to show our gratitude for having a doggy-friendly environment for our meetings. Yes! We can once again bring our dogs to our meetings from May through October at the LC&SA. The LC&SA is located at: 8532 McClements Rd, Brighton, Michigan 48116.

Our May general membership meeting will be held on May 4th. Hope to see you there!!

Regards,
Michelle VeuCasovic



Meeting Minutes

March 9, 2007

The meeting was called to order by the President Michelle VeuCasovic at 7:40 pm. Members in Attendance- Patty wayne, Judy Matice, Joyce Tutland, Jessica Tutland, Jeanine Asch, Cathy Culpert, Michelle VeuCasovic, Casandra and Kenny Barrett, Gail Shearer, Dave and Denise Misaris, Kim Bryson, Nicole McCarthy, Terri Micallef and Pam Nichols.

Guest: Greg Lemanski.

MINUTES- The minutes from the Feb 2, 2007 meeting were read and approved with the corrections: that the check for Moa Persion was from the Supported Entry for Monroe and not our 2006 Specialty as stated. And The NLCSA not the NLCCA is the North Livingston Conservation Club Association.

TREASURER'S REPORT- Read and approved.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT- To encourage everyone to pay their club dues to treasurer Judy Matice.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT- Jeanine has an application and membership fee check from Dennis Nepper and will contact him again to encourage his participation of club meetings to meet the membership requirements.

OLD BUSINESS- Nominations for the new Board and Officers were taken from the floor however, none were submitted. The nominations for new Officers and Board already submitted by the Nomination Committee will be voted on at our next General Membership Meeting on March 30, 2007. The slate is as follows:

President- Michelle VeuCasovic

Vice President- Annie Cogo

Treasurer- Judy Matice

Recording Secretary- Pam Nichols

Corresponding Secretary- Patty Wayne

Board:

Sheila Norgren, Joyce Tutland, Pauline Mortier, Kim Bryson, and Laura Reich.



SWEATSHIRTS- Have been a huge success. We are down to an inventory of 5 shirts left. Will discuss replenishing inventory and new orders at a later meeting.

HUNT TEST- Wolverine Retriever Club may need commitments to help with their test the last week of July. Marshbanks is interested in us helping them again on Sun. Sept. 2, 2007 with their test. Kim Bryson will be judging in Pennsylvania so she won't be able to judge or help us this year. She and Nicole McCarthy have volunteered to be our Field Committee and meet with Marshbanks to set things up for us.

PUPPY FUN DAY- Michelle will follow up with Sheila Norgren and see what day her place is available for our Puppy Fun Day. We are tentatively planning a picnic, WC/WCX, and eye CERF clinic. As well as a possible Bird Exposure Day +for puppies and dogs on another day.

HEART DOPPLAR- Pam Nichols will contact Dr. Brown and see if he might do a Heart Doplar Clinic for us.

AWARDS AND NEW AKC TITLES- Casandra Barrett showed the final award plaque the Award Committee has come up to be given by HRLRC to members whose dogs complete an AKC title. Starting with those dogs whose titles were received in 2006, the plaque will bear the HRLRC logo and have removeable brass plates that can be engraved for each individual dog as it receives a new title. HRLRC will pay for the plaques and the engraving of the plates. When a kennel or person receives it's first title, they are given a plaque and then all dogs with new titles from that point on are added to that plaque until the plaque is full. Whenever the first plaque is full, a new plaque will be issued when the next title is completed on one of their dogs and so on. Casandra will bring the plaque to the March 30th meeting so the club members can view it along with a final estimation on the costs to the club for this award. Plans are to hand the awards out at our annual picnic.

NEW BUSINESS- Arden Shaw has been hired as our Specialty Show Secretary. Application for AKC approval of the Specialty can now be made.

A motion to adjourn was made by Terry Micallef and seconded by Kim Bryson, the meeting was adjourned at 9:10 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Pam Nichols



Meetings

MEETING LOCATION: Meetings are the 1st Friday of every month unless otherwise noted. Board Meetings begin at 6:30pm, General Membership meetings begin at 7:30pm.

All general membership meetings during the months of May through October will be held at the Livingston Conservation and Sports Association. LIVINGSTON CONSERVATION CLUB is on 8532 McClements Rd., Brighton, MI 48116. Just one mile south of M-59 and one mile west of old 23. Dogs welcome. Please help us keep this wonderful facility and make a good impression- clean up after your selves.

November through April meetings will be held at the Hartland Community Education Center on M-59.

Membership

Reminder - Annual dues are payable May 1st.

Individual membership - \$30

Family membership - \$40

Breeders Directory listing is an

additional \$25

Mail to:

Judy Matice

4115 East Taft Rd

St. Johns, Michigan 488

The following are Paid as of 3/24/2007. **BOLD** indicates Breeders Directory fee was paid as well.

Casandra & Kenneth Barrett, Kim Bryson, Cathy Culpert, Bill Gardner, Dave & Denise Misaras, Pauline Mortier, Pamela Nichols, Terri Micallef, Tom & Gail Shearer, Stacy & Tom Quake, Cheryl Wellnitz



Wins-N-Grins

Capital City Canine Club Agility Trial

Yellow Dawg Krypto Doughboy NA OAJ AXP OJP owner Mark Arthur Foster
Sat 03.Mar.2007 Open JWW, 3rd Place, 3rd Leg; New Title Open Agility JWW (OAJ)
Sat 03.Mar.2007 Open Standard, 3rd Place, 1st Leg
Sun 04.Mar.2007 Open Standard, 3rd Place, 2nd Leg

Whelping Box

Disclaimer Clause: This list is of litters of our members that are in good standing with our Club and the American Kennel Club. The Huron River Labrador Retriever Club, Inc makes no warranties expressed or implied as to the condition of any dogs being offered for sale, standards or practices of any breeder, the quality of their animals or the accuracy of any of the information contained within the HRLRC, Inc listing, website or any links from the website. HRLRC, Inc. does not endorse, recommend or guarantee any kennel, breeder or dog listed.

Reminder: Send \$10 litter ad fee per month/per ad to Laura Reich 5558 Sunkist, Oxford, MI 48371. Please indicate in the memo section of the check the month that you are paying for.

These litter ad fees go towards the HRLRC Rescue Account. Please call or email the Laura Reich (laura@lor-allabs.com or 248-969-6998) to renew or update your ad. Deadline for receiving the ad is at the membership meeting of that month.



Don't Miss It!

COLRC 2007 Puppy Match - Labrador Retriever B-OB Match

Date: Sunday, May 6th, 2007

Location: **Blendon Woods Park @ Sycamore Shelter House**

<http://www.metroparks.net/ParksBlendonWoods.aspx/>

(Click on link above for detailed information on Blendon Woods Park and location map)

Address: 4265 E. Dublin-Granville Road, Westerville, OH 43081

http://colrc.com/events_files/pupppymatch2007.pdf

DETAILS

Judge: Mike Merians, Mar-Jo Labs

9 to 11 a.m. - Registration

Conformation judging begins at 11:30 a.m.

*For Labrador Retrievers ONLY

*Conformation classes divided by sex

*NO MAJOR POINTED DOGS

*Handlers welcome to show own Labs

*Pre-Entry is encouraged. Entries taken day of show (9-11am)

Pre-Entry Deadline: May 3rd, 2007 - \$6.00 per dog

Day of Show Fees: \$8.00 per dog

*Make check payable to COLRC

CLASSES

Junior Puppy - 2 to 4 month & 4 to 6 month

Senior Puppy - 6 to 9 month & 9-12 month

Adults - 12 to 18 month

*Open - all colors together

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