

Georgia Boxer Club
April 11, 2015

Attendance: Members - Sherry Johnson, Susan Lichtenberger, Rosemary Lichtenberger, Bridget Brown, Debbie McAlpine, Brenda Rodgers, Lisa Crowder, Len Magowitz, Peggy Otto, Jackie Royce DO, Jennifer Graham, Jen McPhee.

Attendance – Guests: Emily Crowder, Victoria McDuell, Kelly & Riley Denton, Lori Welsh, Donna Butler, Steve Stewart and Gina Currier

Welcome: Our President, Sherry Johnson, called the meeting to order. Everyone was welcomed and special thanks were given to the hostesses, Brenda Rogers and to the Yoder Family, our great caterers.

Minutes: Rosemary Lichtenberger made a motion to dispense reading of the minutes and the motion was seconded.

Board of Directors: The Board of Directors met prior to the meeting. Sherry Johnson discussed her research into the questions from the February meeting regarding Junior Showmanship judge requirements for our shows – she looked through the by-laws and could not find anything addressing it so we as a club are able to nominate and hire judges that do not have Junior Showmanship approval from AKC. We will still offer the class and can secure an AKC approved judge if needed for any show.

Treasurer: N/A

Secretary: At the conclusion of the meeting we will read Mandy Justice's membership application and vote and have the 1st reading of Steve Stewart's and Gina Currier's membership applications.

Results of the GBC vote for the 2015 ABC Board of Directors was Sallie Moore-Kotas, Bridget Brown and Tami Mishler. Results of the Good Sportman's award was Debbie Struff.

Delegate's Report: N/A

Prestige: N/A

Combined: N/A

ABC: Bridget Brown advised that a membership expulsion vote will be conducted at the May 2015 General Meeting – details will be shared in the GBC regular meeting tonight and Peggy Otto will move the details over to the GBC members only section for everyone to read thoroughly before we conduct an emergency email vote of the eligible voting members. Bridget Brown is attending the ABC May General Meeting and will cast the GBC vote.

Show Chair Persons' Reports:

Spring 2015 Perry, GA – Ready for the show tomorrow and we have majors!!

Fall 2015 Jonesboro, GA – Debbie McAlpine reported everything ready.

Spring 2016 Perry, GA – Bridget Brown advised that ballots would be mailed for the 2 judges that are available out of the 4 nominated.

Fall 2016 Jonesboro, GA – Debbie McAlpine will be ready for judge nominations as soon as the Spring 2016 judge is selected.

Committee Reports:

Holter: Sherry Johnson reported that the Holter is available

Web Page: Peggy Otto will update the web page after the meeting.

Boxer Rescue: N/A

Nominating Committee: N/A

President's Report: N/A

Old Business: Debbie McAlpine made a motion that we would exclude the requirement for a nominated judge to be approved to judge Junior Showmanship and that we would look at it on a show by show basis –2nd by Bridget Brown

New Business: Jackie Royce wanted everyone to remember the shows in Tampa, Florida June 11-14. 6 total shows in 4 days. Everyone come!!

Remember our raffle of the Boxer afghan that was donated by Debbie McAlpine tomorrow at our show – proceeds goes to the Atlanta Boxer Rescue

Brag: Brags dispensed

Future Meetings:

July – The home of Lisa Crowder – date and time to be determined

October – Jim Miller show site, hosted by Rosemary Lichtenberger and Sherry Johnson – date and time to be determined

December – GBC Christmas Party at the home of Debbie McAlpine, date and time to be determined

January – Members-Only meeting at the home of Andrea Bickleman – date and time to be determined

Motion made by Bridget Brown to adjourn the meeting for our membership voting and application readings – 2nd by Debbie McAlpine.

2nd reading for Mandy Justice – voted into membership

1st reading for Steve Stewart and Gina Currier