

TENNESSEE VALLEY KENNEL CLUB
Board of Directors Meeting
October 19, 2010

- President Walter Sommerfelt called the meeting to order at 6:09 p.m., ESDST. The meeting was held in the Sequoyah Room of the University of Tennessee College of Veterinary Medicine.
- Present: President Walter Sommerfelt, Vice President Steve Merritt, Corresponding Secretary Beth White, Recording Secretary Maryellen Kasten, AKC Delegate Elect Catherine Bell, Board Members - Keith Bailey, Robin Brown, and Paula Smiddy.
- Absent: Treasurer Jean Dinkins and Board Member Bernadine Luketich.
- Board Minutes: Motion by Catherine Bell to approve minutes as read was seconded by Beth White, motion passed unanimously.
- President Sommerfelt reported that tonight's Special Guest Speaker is Dr. Franya M. Peterson, DC who is an AVCA Certified Animal Chiropractor. The "B" Match was a success. Sommerfelt thanked club members who help.
- No Treasurer's Report.
- Corresponding Secretary's Report: "Meet the Breeds" held on Saturday, October 16, was a great success. The "Alive-at-Five-at-Four" was a great promotion for the club. The Club's website continues to be visited and will continually be updated, so be sure to check often.
- Show Chair Bell reported that the Cluster was ready and reminded everyone that entries close tomorrow.
- Cluster Report: Sommerfelt reported that the Cluster had signed a contract with the City of Knoxville for use of Chilhowee Park through 2014. Sommerfelt reported that several local nursing facilities will be bring visitors to the show on Thursday and Friday.
- AKC Delegate Report: Reported that the Delegate Report was posted in full on AKC's web site. AKC has developed and Bell passed out the "Six Easy Ways to 100% Registration." There is also a new "Breeder of Merit" Award that will recognize Breeders and their dogs of the past.
- Agility Report: Next Agility Trial will be held February 4 - 6, 2011.
- There being no further business, a motion by Paula Smiddy, seconded by Catherine Bell to adjourn meeting, motion passed unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 7:00 p.m., ESDST.

Respectfully submitted,

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