

Tennessee Valley Kennel Club

General Membership Meeting

March 16, 2010

Walter Sommerfelt, President, called the meeting to order at 7:08 pm. at the Sequoyah Room of the University of Tennessee College of Veterinary Medicine.

Steve Merritt presented the report of the Nominating Committee to the membership:

President: Walter Sommerfelt

Vice President: Steve Merritt

Corresponding Secretary: Beth White

Recording Secretary: Deborah Bailey

Treasurer: Jean Dinkins

Board Members: Keith Bailey, Paula Smiddy, Barbara Price, Robin Brown, and Bernadine Luketich.

Steve Merritt also presented the new membership packets for review.

Club Awards: If you finished a dog in 2009, the information is due to Jeanne Ringe.

Keith Bailey reported on the Tennessee Dog Federation meeting which she attended. She stressed that when we contact our legislators, faxes and e-mails are not effective, but phone calls are.

Catherine Bell motioned to approve the Minutes of the General Membership Meeting of February 16. Motion passed.

Website: Beth White would like individual photos for the website. Members can send pictures to her or she can take them at end of the meeting.

New Members: Pam and Barry Stanner were voted into membership. They have Vizlas.

Unfinished Business:

Catherine Bell, Show Chairperson, brought up the question of stewards for the obedience rings.

Beth White said AKC wanted support from our Club for the Responsible Dog Ownership Day. It was decided to set a table up at the Agility Trials. Beth agreed to take on this project. Phyllis Fortune so moved. Motion passed.

Phyllis motioned that the meeting be adjourned. Motion passed.

Respectfully submitted,

Nan Anderson, Acting Recording Secretary