

VCC Meeting minutes 11/20/21

Members present:

Penny Porter *, Scott Adams, Eva & Geoffrey Bogner, Evelyn Irwin *, Patrick Irwin *, Karen Beckwith *, Beth Kirven *, Rick Lucas, Debbie Lucas, Molly Wood *, Denise Patterson, Collins Chalmers, Tim Chalmers, Jane Robbins *, Steve Robbins *

(* indicates a voting member).

Guests:

Madison Boyer, Travis Howington, Emily Radford, Kaylee Radford, Heidi Radford, Kyle Murray, Stephen & Kathe Vaughn, Rose Fenton, Will Pegram.

Meeting was called to order at 12:49 PM in Yadkinville, NC at the home of members Jane & Steve Robbins

The motion was made by Molly Wood to accept the minutes from the previous meeting as published on the website, seconded by Jane Robbins.

The following reports were given:

Reported on the board meeting held at the specialties and the decisions to eliminate the Sunday Stud Dog and Brood Bitch classes, move the Sat PM show back to the afternoon "weather permitting", and to donate the money from the futurity/maturity event back to F/M, to hold a VCC sponsored event at the national.

Reported on the specialties – Dates 9/23 -9/25 2022 - discussion on future activities at the 2022 specialty. I requested that if someone would take on the task of arranging an all-breed performance event to occur at the same time such as dock diving or fast cat that would be a great fund raiser.

Reported on the VCC Craft Beer tasting at the national. It was VERY well received. I suggested doing it again sometime. It's a great way to meet people and promote the club.

Reported on the upcoming national in MN, WA and then back to the east in 2024.

Reported on the juniors program and asked for volunteers to work with Meredith McGee on ways to draw more juniors into the club and get them involved in activities. Patches will be awarded to our top juniors in 2022 for this year's accomplishments to add to the jackets they got last year.

Reported on the Hunt test coming up on Feb 12&13, 2022. Judges and gunners arranged. Birds ordered. We need volunteers to assist with marshalling.

Jane Robbins gave the membership report. We only had a few members not renew this year. Renewals are now closed. A new membership list will be sent soon. New members were introduced.

There being no further business that anyone wanted to discuss a motion was made by Molly Wood to adjourn and seconded by Jane Robbins at 1:20 pm