

Giant Schnauzer Club of America Newsletter



Upcoming Events

- Sept. 2-5, 2011** **Southern Region Supported Entries**
Monroe Civic Center
Monroe, LA

- October 3-9, 2011** **2011 GSCA National Specialty**
Purina Farms
St. Louis, MO

- October 7, 2011** **2011 GSCA General Membership Meeting (tentative)**
Purina Farms
St. Louis, MO

- Nov. 19-20, 2011** **AKC Meet the Breeds (pending)**
Javits Convention Center
New York City, NY

- Dec. 17-18, 2011** **AKC Meet the Breeds (pending)**
Orlando Convention Center
Orlando, FL

Upcoming Events (continued)

- July 5-8, 2012** **2012 GSCA National Specialty**
Texas Kennel Club Cluster
Dallas, Texas

- May 8-12, 2013** **2013 GSCA National Specialty**
Purina Farms
St. Louis, MO

Message From the President

Don't Worry, You'll Get Yours, There's Plenty of Blame to Go Around.

Let's get right to it. Yes, there was a typographical error on the recent Judges Ballot that was mailed to the membership. Right down there near the bottom where it said "Pick three" it should have said "Pick one." The folks counting the ballots will have to disregard the second and third choices. Whew, glad that's over with.

I love old adages that always prove to be true. Adage #1, "when you point a finger at someone else, remember, there are three pointing back at you." So, to avoid any finger pointing at all, let me just say that mistakes were made over three different sets of Boards of Directors and every one of them owns some of this problem.

In case you are not following the questions of why some judges names were not placed on the list to be voted on even after the membership approved the list, let me try to explain. Get your calendars out 'cus this gets complicated. Adage #2, "Oh what a tangled web we weave."

The standing rules of the GSCA allow for an application to be approved as late as 18 months before the National Specialty Show, yet these same standing rules require voting on a judge

Message From the President (continued)

three years before the National. How can a judge know if they will be available for an unknown date and location?

It seems that back in 2009 (for 2011), Judge Lohman's selection was to be published in Giant Steps or sent to the membership by special mailing, but this was never done.

The nominations for judges for the 2013 National Specialty were to be done in a six-week period during Sept-Dec 2009. This same process for year 2014 should have been done in Jan-Mar of 2011.

The South was approved for the 2012 National Specialty on June 9, 2010, over two years before the show date and well beyond the 18 month limit of the now discarded November 2008 Standing Rule change. This date was published to the website in the June board minutes (in July), and published in Giant Steps, Performance Edition 2010, Volume 46 Issue No.3, July 2010. At this point the judges' selection committee should have begun the process to comprise the slate of five judges for 2012.

d) The JUDGES NOMINATING COMMITTEE shall contact each of the top five judges nominated to verify that they would, if chosen, accept the assignment and advised of the tentative show site and date. If a judge declines acceptance, contact will be made with subsequent judges in descending order of voting until the required pool of five (5) judges has been obtained.

In October 2010 the Board of Directors was contacted and asked about the 2012 National Specialty. As inquiries began about the slate for 2012 National Judges, there seemed to be no record of the nominations in club records. The GSCA Vice President had a partial hand written list and on 11/10/2010 the Judges Selection Chair forwarded an email with 8 names that she had received to the president of the Board at that time.

She was directed to start the process to determine availability and getting nominations for 2013 and 2014 as this was already behind schedule. She replied that she won't have time to do it and that the Board should find someone else for the committee chair.

With the holidays fast approaching, it was decided the best thing to do would be wait and bring it up with the new board in January. A new board member volunteered to help and she was sent the material. Almost. Apparently, the second list did not get sent (or arrive), causing names to not be available to the judges selection committee.

Let me add a note of my own here: It never occurred to me that in the 21st century a club like the GSCA would use a process for voting that involved hand written notes on the back of scratch paper pads. This is amazing. Still, no one had volunteered for the judges selection committee (the vacancy was announced a number of times) and the clock was still ticking.

The board found some volunteers who worked with a board member and recreated the list to the best of their knowledge. After contacting judges for availability, the ballots are printed, mailed and everyone breathes a sigh of relief, until a number of sharp-eyed members noticed that the ballots called for three votes for 2012 and three nominations for 2013 & 2014.

The ballot for 2012 should only have asked for a vote for one. A simple solution is to only count the number #1 choice on the 2012 ballot; the judge will be selected solely from #1 votes. If the judge with the most votes is not able to fulfill the assignment the judge receiving the second most votes will be hired.

So, let's recap a minute. We have Standing Rules which don't make sense to anyone owning a calendar, two boards and two selection committees which failed to complete the process in a timely manner, and now, the current board is cleaning it up instead of using its time to solicit new members, make arrangements for the next three National Specialties and Eastern and Southern Regional's and expending their energies to the best advantage of the breed.

Yes, there is plenty of blame to go around but in the end; we all own a little piece of it. As the current president, I should have proofread the ballots; the last two presidents and judges' selection chairs should have completed their



15 Minute Liver Treats

1 lb chicken livers
 1 cup flour
 1 cup corn meal
 1 Tablespoon garlic powder
 1 Egg

Place chicken livers and liquid in blender, liquefy. Add egg, mix a minute more. Pour into bowl. Add flour, corn meal and garlic powder. Mix. Spray jelly roll pan with pam. Pour mixture into pan. Bake 15 minutes in 400 degree hot oven. Cut into small squares while still warm. Keep in freezer to prevent spoilage.

Message From the President (continued)

scratch pad in the vice presidents motor home we should all be ashamed of ourselves.

Lastly, no board should be scrambling trying to find volunteers for committees, chairs and events like this club has to work. WHERE ARE THE MEMBERS? I know the difficulty of juggling a job, a volunteer position in a club and a life of some sort and I see why members are reluctant to volunteer. This club is rawhide whip-quick to criticize and point fingers but very slow to step forward and lend a hand- and why would you knowing the smallest mistake will bring down the wrath of the members on you like a swarm of stinging bees.

This club desperately needs more volunteers. We need a new Western Director (Joanne Thompson found she couldn't do the juggling any more). We need experienced and inexperienced volunteers to assure the upcoming Specialties will be memorable in all the good ways!

I've said it before; I'll say it again. This club needs you now. Call me; I've got a job for you to do.

Doug Hill,
 President, GSCA

NEW MEMBER APPLICANTS

Kelly & Angie Dennis-McManns
 3240 Dubuque Street
 Iowa City, IA
 denmannss@aol.com

Terry & Alma Frazier
 7082 Edgewater Drive
 Willis, TX
 terry.frazier@hotmail.com

Sponsors: Karen Fox & Mike
 Rutkas

Sponsors: Pam Foster &
 Greg Reyna

Notice From the American Kennel Club

May 27, 2011

PAMELA MANATON PROMOTED TO DIRECTOR OF OBEDIENCE, RALLY AND TRACKING

The American Kennel Club Assistant Vice President of Companion Events Curt Curtis is pleased to announce the recent Promotion of Pamela Manaton to Director of Obedience, Rally and Tracking.

Manaton obtained her first purebred dog in 1968. In 1985, she became active in obedience and now brings to the position 26 years of experience as an exhibitor in Obedience, Rally, Agility, Herding and Conformation with her Australian Shepherds.

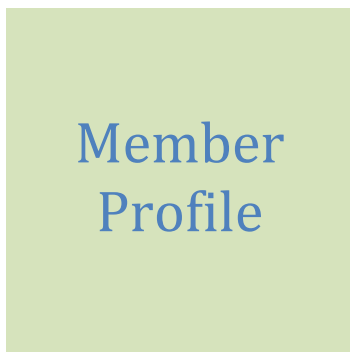
For the past 11 years as Companion Events Manager, Manaton has been involved with Companion and Performance events as well as being a valued employee bringing many improvements to AKC over the years. During her tenure with the American Kennel Club, she has been actively involved in various sport advisory groups along with the development and writing of regulations for the various Companion Event sports.

Manaton's extensive knowledge branches out not only from her sport involvement and tenure with the AKC, but includes her involvement and experience within several dog clubs, as a member, a board member, vice president, training director, training instructor, newsletter editor, club CGC director and obedience trial secretary.

"While we have observed recent growth in Companion Events overall, we look forward to Pam continuing her leadership here at AKC and ensuring the continued growth, development and security of our sport into the future," said Curtis.

We encourage Obedience, Rally and Tracking exhibitors and clubs to contact Pamela Manaton at pcm@akc.org or [919-816-3559](tel:919-816-3559) with any questions, concerns or ideas as we work together to build our sports.

Giant Schnauzer Club of America Officers and Committees	President	Doug Hill	Giant Steps Editor	Robin Greenslade
	Vice President	Kim Demchak	Giant Store	Karen Child
	Treasurer	Howard Postovit	Health/Hereditry	Carie May-Bowers
	Secretary	Lori Clark	Information Center	Marianne Mazzenga
	Eastern Region Director	Maryann Bisceglia	Judges' Education	Steve Fox
	Southern Region Director	Greg Reyna	Judges Selection	Vicki Kallett & Cindy Wallace
	Midwest Region Director	Mike Rutkas	Membership	Bill Combs
	Western Region Director	Vacant	Newsletter Editor	Lori Clark
	Past President	Bernie Tuerler	Agility Points Tabulation	Sherri Hurm
	Adoption & Rescue	Joanne Thompson	Breed Points Tabulation	Marina Raukhverger
	AKC Delegate	Robin Greenslade	Obedience Pts Tabulation	Bonnie Postovit
	AKC Legislative Liaison	Robert K. Darden II	Rally/Tracking/Herding Points Tabulation	Marjana Gallery
	AKC Gazette Columnist	Greg Reyna	Performance Events	Laura Feldt
	Archives	Peggy Gumm	Public Education	Vacant
	Awards/Trophies	Linda Hurst	Temperament Testing	Cricket Zink
	Breed Education	Olga Gagne	Webmaster	Aaron DeVandry
Breeders' Education	Maryann Bisceglia	Ways & Means	Karen Child	
Congratulatory	Marnie Lowe			



Name & Location

Joanne Thompson, Canada

Your Giants' Name

We are owned by Turbo, MBIS Nightline Northern Lights. He is a magnificent four year old male Giant.

Occupation

My husband and I own and operate a jewelry store, Diamond Design in St John's Newfoundland, Canada.

How long have you been a GSCA member?

I have been a GSCA member for two years.

How did you get into Giants?

We started with a Miniature Schnauzer, and graduated to Giants several years later. We purchased a female 5 years ago, she stole our hearts and our Turbo followed a year later. We lost our female to an autoimmune disease this spring. I love the breed. I love their spirit, strength, intelligence and devotion.

Do you have other pets in addition to Giants?

We also live with Patti, a Smooth Fox Terrier, Rosie, an Irish Wolfhound and 8 hens and one very satisfied Rooster.

What do you do with your Giants?

We retired Turbo from the show ring a year ago and are starting rally with him this Fall. Turbo is a great running companion and never tires from a walk. He just wants to be with us. He is quite social and enjoys Frisbee and chasing our son's street hockey ball.

Do you have other hobbies besides dogs?

When I am not busy with my dogs and my children, I am active in our community and sit on a number of not for profit boards. We are an active family who engage in numerous sports. Turbo is a fabulous travel companion, he loves the car, is a great boater and generally is a willing participant who has no intention of sitting on the sidelines!

What was the last dog-related thing you read?

With this many animals we are always on the hunt for information. I eagerly wait for the Canadian and American Giant Schnauzer newsletters as well the publication, Dogs in Canada I find this is a good way to stay connected.

Member Profile (continued)

What is the best advice anyone ever gave you about Giants?

The best advice I ever received on Giants was make them work for their rewards, I hung on to this advice particularly when training Turbo. He is an affectionate dog who loves his family but as a young dog with a strong drive he tested my abilities more times than I can recall. Just this afternoon on our neighbourhood walk, he was picture perfect and a true ambassador for the breed. I can honestly tell you, we worked hard to get there! Looking back though I wouldn't change a thing.

Anything else you'd like to add.

Giant Schnauzers are the perfect breed for me. Thank you, the GSCA, for your dedication to the health and well being of this magnificent dog.

If there is a club member that you would like to see featured in the Member Profile column, please send their name and contact information to Lori Clark.



There's still time! I've received a couple responses so far, but would love to hear more. These stories will run in the July newsletter.

Do you think you have, or have had, the oldest Giant Schnauzer? If so, please email me at loriclark612@gmail.com and tell me their story. I'm sure our members would like to hear about the 'seniors' you love and share your lives with.



GSCA Herding Trial/Test Results

~ June 18, 2011 ~

High In Trial (from Started A course)

HC Ingebars Invincible Xena CDX, RE, OAP, OJP, NFP, owned by Bridgette & Bernie Tuerler

Reserve High In Trial (from Started C course)

Black Diamonds Wild Thing PT, owned by Joanne Thompson

Pre-Trial Test (Qualified)

Momentumm Full Volume, owned by Kathi Seaman

~ June 19, 2011 ~

High In Trial (from Started C course)

Black Diamonds Wild Thing PT, owned by Joanne Thompson

Reserve High In Trial (from Started A course)

HC Ingebars Invincible Xena CDX, RE, OAP, OJP, NFP, owned by Bridgette & Bernie Tuerler

Pre-Trial Test (Qualified, and PT title earned)

Momentumm Full Volume, owned by Kathi Seaman

The GSCA put on its second giant only Herding Trial/Test this past weekend here in the Pacific Northwest. Joanne Thompson traveled over from Colorado; Peggy Gumm came up from Southern California; Kathi Seaman and Bridgette Tuerler were both our local Washington exhibitors. Even though Mother Nature welcomed everyone with showers and the sheep weren't cooperative, there were still three qualifying runs on Saturday. Afterwards, we had an obedience demonstration by Bonnie Postovit & Stone, a rally demo by Howard Postovit & Eve, a carting demo by Bridgette Tuerler & Sasha, and scent work demo by Peggy Gumm & Frankie. Everyone enjoyed a great BBQ and got to talk with several new and potential giant owners that came out to see giants in action. We then headed over to the round pen to test three giants on their herding instincts; two of whom showed great promise, while the third giant showed his love of ewe.

Sunday morning started early with three more qualifying runs, then folks loaded up their dogs and headed towards home. A huge thank you goes to Bridgette Tuerler for organizing such a wonderful weekend. I'd also like to thank the judges, Ron Fischer and Carol Wolfram, along with our great volunteers, Bonnie & Howard Postovit, Bernie Tuerler, Maddie Turner and Nancy Macklin.

~ Lori Clark, Show Secretary



GSCA 2011 NATIONAL NEWS

The premium will be sent to all club members. In the mail, to those who have already requested all club correspondence via USPS, electronically to the rest. If someone would like a premium sent by mail contact Bernie Tuerler, 360.666.5202, btsquard@aol.com by July 15, and your name and address will be provided to the trial secretary. There is a cost savings to the club by not mailing a premium to everyone.

All events, except for the award's banquet, are at the Purina Farms Event Center. The Award's Banquet will be at the host hotel, Holliday Inn Six Flags.

Purina Farms, 200 Checkerboard Loop, Gray Summit, MO 63039.

Host hotel: Holliday Inn, 4901 Six Flags Road, PO Box 999, Eureka MO 63025
(636) 938-6661 fax (636) 938-4774

Special room rate available for rooms reserved by Aug 25, 2011

Full hookup RV available at Purina Farms for \$40/night.

Indoor grooming space with power, **available by reservation only**, 5x10 \$20; 10X10 \$40 for the week.

BBQ, Banquet, RV and Grooming space reservation/payments will be sent to Show Treasurer Sheila Lietz. The reservation form will be in the premium and future newsletters.

Important dates:

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| AUG 1 | Premium list to be sent |
| AUG 25 | Last day for special room rate at host hotel |
| SEPT 14 | All entries close
Deadline for donations with dedications to be published in the catalog
Deadline for catalog advertising/etc. |
| OCT 3 & 4 | All breed agility, American Bouvier des Flanders Club. |
| OCT 5 | Morning - Obedience and Rally, Midwest I, Judge Ginger Kinion
Afternoon - Obedience & Rally, National, Judge Jim Hamm |
| OCT 6 | Morning - Obedience & Rally, Midwest II, Judge Jim Hamm |
| OCT 7 | Conformation & Sweepstakes, Midwest I, Judges: Paula Nykiel & Marianne Mazzenga
General membership meeting, second floor of Events Center, 1/2 hour after completion of sweepstakes
BBQ buffet in the same hall, \$15.00/per person, following the meeting, \$15/person |
| OCT 8 | Conformation & sweepstakes, National, Judges: Wilfried Lohmann & Robin Greenslade
Annual banquet at host hotel, \$35/person. |
| OCT 9 | Conformation, Midwest II, Judge Judith Goodin, followed by clean up and out by 1:30PM. |

The specialty is what we (all attendees) make it. We need donations for auction, silent auction and towards all expenses. A GIANT thanks to all who have already contributed. Monetary donation should be sent to Show Treasurer Sheila Lietz, 1338 Cherokee Ln., Ottawa, IL 61350, also contact Sheila if you wish to sponsor a specific trophy at: ((815) 579-1151 or snowshoeskl@sbcglobal.net.

Donation items can be mailed to: Wendy Sheffler 1819 Charity Court, Fenton, MO 63026.

PURINA FARMS™

Lodging

There are more than 600 hotel rooms that accept pets within 15 minutes of Purina Farms. The closest, Travelodge Diamond Inn, has 168 rooms at ground level. The largest, Holiday Inn at Six Flags, has 188 rooms with most at ground level. DUE TO CHANGES IN SOME HOTEL & MOTEL POLICIES, BE SURE TO CHECK WITH THE HOTEL/MOTEL OF YOUR CHOICE TO SEE IF THEY STILL ACCEPT DOGS

HOTELS & MOTELS THAT WILL ACCEPT DOGS

Holiday Inn

(800) 782-8108 or (636) 938-6661
I-44 & Allenton Rd, 4901 Six Flags Road, Eureka MO 63025
Indoor Pool, Fun Dome & Restaurants
10 miles East of Purina Farms

Travelodge Diamond Inn

(800) 782-8487 or (636) 742-3501
581 Hwy 100 E & Gray Summit Exit, Villa Ridge MO 63089

Eureka Super 8

(636) 938-4368
1733 W 5th St, Eureka MO 63025
Pool & Game Room • 10 miles East of Purina Farms

Econo Lodge Inn at Six Flags

(800) 251-1962 or (636) 938-5348
1725 W 5th St, Eureka MO 63025
Pool & Mini Golf • 10 miles East of Purina Farms

Budget Lodging

(636) 629-1000
866 S I-44 Outer Rd, St Clair MO 63077
20 miles West of Purina Farms

Drury Inn

(636) 343-7822
I-44 & Bowles Ave, 1088 South Highway Drive, Fenton MO 63026
30 miles East of Purina Farms

Pear Tree Inn

(636) 343-8820
I-44 & Bowles Ave, 1100 S Highway Dr, Fenton MO 63026
30 miles East of Purina Farms

Drury Inn

(314) 576-9966
I-270 & Dorsett Rd, St Louis MO 63043
40 miles East of Purina Farms

OTHER HOTELS IN THE AREA

Comfort Inn

(636) 257-4600
1320 Thornton St., Pacific MO 63069
5 miles East of Purina Farms

Quality Inn

(636) 257-8400
1400 West Osage St., Pacific MO 63069
5 miles East of Purina Farms

Wildwood Town Center Hotel

(636) 733-9100
2801 Fountain Place, Wildwood, MO 63040
15 miles North of Purina Farms

CAMPGROUNDS THAT WILL ACCEPT DOGS

Jellystone Park

(636) 938-5925
10 miles East of Purina Farms

KOA Campground

(636) 257-3018
Old Rt 66 - 10 miles East of Purina Farms

Pin Oak Creek

(636) 451-5656
4 Miles South of Show Site

Robertsville State Park

(636) 257-3788
10 miles South of Purina Farms

Telephonic Board Meeting Minutes ~ May 10, 2011

Board Members Present:

Doug Hill, Bernie Tuerler, Howard Postovit, Lori Clark, Joanne Thompson, Kim Demchak, Greg Reyna, Maryann Bisceglia, Michael Rutkas.

Call to Order: 8:40pm EDT

Approval of Minutes:

**Howard made a motion to approve the April 12, 2011 board meeting meetings. Maryann seconded.
Motion passed unanimously.**

Report from the Secretary: none

Report from the Treasurer:

Pam Foster has closed all remaining accounts in Texas. She also sent the medallions to Howard and he will send her a check to reimburse her for the shipping charges. Howard asked the accountant to file an extension for our tax returns. He talked to Ginny Maese and will have the medallions mounted on a plaque and sent to Mike Reese and Melisa Davis since the medallions were not at the Western Regional Specialty in AZ to give to the winners.

<u>Account</u>	<u>Balance as of 4.30.11</u>
Wells-Fargo checking (La Grande-operating account):	\$25,809.84
Wells-Fargo checking (La Grande-for Pay Pal Transfers):	\$1,342.20
Wells-Fargo savings (La Grande-operating account):	\$50,940.43
Wells-Fargo savings (Doris Redmann):	\$10,205.91

The following are accounts in Plano Texas that I requested Pam close in a 29 April letter:

Chase checking (old operating):	\$7,658.44
Bank of America checking (was used for Pay Pal transfers):	\$2,684.83

The following is the balance of an account GSCA has set up with Pay Pal for purchases from our web site:

	<u>\$287.47</u>
BALANCE OF THE ABOVE ACCOUNTS:	\$98929.12

The following are accounts that have been opened for 2011 specialties:

2011 National and Midwest (Sheila Lietz, treasurer):	\$1,472.75
2011 Western (AZ) Specialty (Kim or Ginny, treasurer):	\$650
2011 Western (CA) Specialty (Daryl Anderson, treasurer):	\$500
2011 Eastern Specialty (Ralph Anderson, treasurer):	\$500

The above are estimated balances based on the amount GSCA forwarded to start the accounts.

MFS Stock fund balance as of 12.31.10:	\$8,857.50
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This stock was donated by Ken Bonine in Fall 2009.

ESTIMATE BALANCES OF SPECIALTY AND STOCK ACCOUNTS: \$11,980.25

TOTAL OF CHECKING, SAVINGS, SPECIALTY, AND STOCK ACCOUNTS: \$110,909.37

Also, the GSCA has a CD with Chase in Plano. I wrote to Pam Foster on April 29, 2011 asking that her and Laurie Mason's names be removed from the account; that Doug Hill and Howard Postovit's names be added to the account; and that the address of record for the account be changed to GSCA, P.O. Box 3178, La Grande, OR 97850. The last balance I saw for the CD was at the end of 2009 for \$5,843.46.

Report from the Committees: none

Old Business:

Rescue Information

Lori sent a certified letter to each of the three rescue organizations requesting numbers so that we can best allocate funds.

**Telephonic Board
Meeting Minutes ~
May 10, 2011
(continued)**

Valley of the Sun Giant Schnauzer provided us with information requested and the board will make a donation from the Mr. Bonine fund. Howard will send a note to Mr. Bonine advising him of the donation.

Maryann made a motion to donate \$1,700.00 to the Valley of the Sun Giant Schnauzer rescue based on the information provided. Mike seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Nominated Awards

At our next board meeting, we will review the list of nominations. Lori will compile the list of nominations to date and email it to the board.

Unfinished Business:

AKC Delegate: Christine Lietzau submitted a letter of resignation, which will be published in the newsletter. Doug will appoint a new delegate.

2011 National Specialty

Originally, we were going to subcontract with Purina Farms along with the Bouvier club. Purina Farms has decided to have individual contracts with each club.

**Doug made a motion to sign the contract with Purina Farms as submitted by Bernie.
Kim seconded. Motion passed unanimously.**

Donations are needed. The Regional Directors are going to call the members in their respective regions. Due to hospitality restrictions at Purina Farms, the club is not able to organize hospitality outside of their services. We will provide continental breakfasts and a dinner after the general meeting.

2012 National & Southern Regional Specialty (July 5-8, 2012)

The Holiday Inn will be the host hotel. Kathleen Flanigan and Cristi Ramos are organizing everything and doing a great job.

2013 National Specialty

The website was set up this week.

GSCA Herding Specialty & Fun Day

Premium list went out. Everything else is moving along.

2011 Eastern Regional Specialty

It's coming along. Maryann is meeting with the caterer this week. Donations are needed.

Election of New Member:

1. Lorraine Cannon, Southampton, NJ; Sponsors: Barbara Belzer & Rebecca Letson
2. Debbie Coffin, Vineland, NJ; Sponsors: Rebecca Letson, Barbara Belzer & Maripat Luntz
3. Bernard Kuczek, Burnt Hills, NY; Sponsors: Doug Hill & Luke Norton
4. Ron Storlie, Davenport, IA; Sponsors: Mike Rutkas & Craig Axel

Maryann made a motion to approve Lorraine Cannon, Debbie Coffin, Bernard Kuczek and Ron Storlie as new members. Doug seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

New Business:

Giant Schnauzer Foundation: Maryann will reach out to a couple people to see if they are interested in spearheading.

Canine Health Foundation: Howard sent an email regarding the Canine Health Foundation. The board will review the documents and discuss at the next board meeting.

Adjournment:

Bernie made the motion to adjourn. Maryann seconded. Motion passed and meeting adjourned at 11:21pm EDT.

Respectfully submitted, Lori Clark, GSCA Secretary

Photo acknowledgements:

“Sasha” DC Galilee Ingebars Inspiration UD, RAE, MX, MXJ, OAP, NJP, XF, NFP, photo by Bridgette & Bernie Tuerler (cover page, top center); The Ranch crew cooling off, photo by Daryl Anderson (cover page, middle left)

“Hemi” Hemi Vom Engelskotten, photo by Rebecca Letson (page 3)

Turbo, Joanne, daughter Mara, Patti the Foxie, and Rosie at 4 months, photo by Joanne Thompson from Canada (page 5)

“Ike” MACH Classic Ike V. Easentaigh, SchH3, VCD1, RAE2, MXF, SPD, photos by Michelle Kiernan & Steve Winterbottom (page 6)

Herding Trial/Fun Day in WA; Bridgette Tuerler & Xena, Judge Ron Fischer, Joanne Thompson & Tiki; Bridgette Tuerler & Xena, Judge Carol Wolfram, Joanne Thompson & Tiki, photos by Joanne Thompson from Colorado (page 7)

Yura service dog, photo by Daryl Anderson (this page)

Photos are always welcome!

Please send them to Lori Clark at loriclark612@gmail.com.



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