

Granite State HRC

April 2, 2013

IN ATTENDANCE: Jeff Enos; Teddy Sleath, Reggie Oullette; Mark Roy, Jon Powers; Michele LaBranche; Millie Secco

SECRETARY'S REPORT: Minutes read and accepted by Mark, seconded by Jon.

TREASURERS REPORT: Balance in the account after expenses in March. 4 members paid and one new member. Balance \$4,279.21 after deposit on birds.

Training day: Extra birds for training day or to take out is \$15 per bird and all orders must be in by Monday, April 8. Gunners: Teddy, Jeff, Wes and son. Reggie is getting stuff together for lunch. 13 signed up to date.

HELDCA REPORT: Work day starts at 8 am, sign liability waiver at pavilion. The work that is going to be done will be entirely up to us. What is our long term plan for Sharpe's. We'd like to open up another water access, but get thwarted on each attempt to open new areas. Open up parking and clear areas around the water. After taking a vote around the table, only one person is available to be at Sharpe's this weekend. Reggie is going to call Betsy to ask her what other options we have, maybe paying a fee instead of a work day this year.

HUNT TEST: Premium is up on line. Judges are all in place. What is the agenda for the tailgate this year? Reggie is going to call Liz Barbour to see if she'd be able to do the tailgate. The raffle, we need to know if Don can get a winger at the same cost as before and if not should we will give \$200 to Rob to use to buy items. Until we hear from Don on the winger and if KTP will donate anything, then we'll decide how much money to invest in the raffle.

New Business:

Emails: A unanimous vote has been taken by all in attendance, we do not want any one dropped from our email list even if they are not a member. This is an excellent way to build relationships throughout the dog community. Membership decreases each year and with the stringent rules that are currently in place, we do not exude a welcoming environment for potential newcomers. It is unfortunate that we have lost emails over the past years and contacts of prior members.

HRC National Business:

We need to take a poll of who of whom on our board/member would be willing to go to the National Meeting and take our proxy to the national meeting.

Submitted by Michele LaBranche