

The Border Times

President's Column, November, 2005

By Ruth Ann Naun

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It is years end and 2005 has been both busy and successful for the NBTC. Let me wish you each a wonderful 2006 - good health, good times and good opportunities. Hopefully your schedule will permit you to be at our next meeting. It will be the Saturday afternoon of Cabin Fever Weekend (February 4th) in Saratoga, New York. We will be having the traditional luncheon for members and friends of Border Terriers, with everyone bringing something to share. The Downtowner Motor Inn (518) 584-6160 - will once again serve

as our host hotel. If you plan to stay, remember to mention Northeast Border Terrier Club when you call for the best rate.

As set forth in the club constitution, a nominating committee has been formed to select a slate of officers for the club. The committee consists of myself, Sue Netzman, and Tim Acker. A slate will be submitted by the committee to the secretary by February 1. You will then receive by mail the names of the committee's nominees and have until March 20th, should 5

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Border Times Deadline

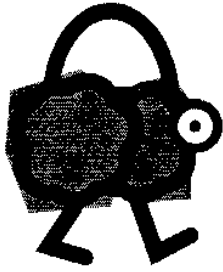
The next deadline for the Border Times is February 20, 2005

Cabin Fever Weekend * Feb. 3 - 5

Our Annual Saratoga Pot Luck Luncheon is back. Everyone bring a dish to share. Room rates at the Saratoga Downtowner will be \$89.00 plus tax. Block of rooms reserved until January 1. Call to reserve at (518) 584 -6160. Shows are:
Friday February 3 - Mohawk Valley Kennel

Club Judge Jon Cole
Saturday February 4 - Glens Falls Kennel Club - Judge Harry O'Donogue (**working classes at this show**)
Sunday February 5 - Saratoga New York Kennel Club - Judge Joseph Gregory
MB-F superintendent
General Meeting of NBTC will take place on Saturday

in conjunction with the luncheon. We hope to be adjourned in time to support the Group. A good turnout ringside would be a fitting example of the camaraderie and good sportsmanship that epitomizes our club.



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Woodward Tragedy

CLARENCE E. WOODWARD, M.D.

MARION H. WOODWARD

Clarence (Clancy) Edward Woodward of Ridgefield, CT and Sarasota, FL died along with his wife, Marion Hvolbeck Woodward, Thursday September 29 as a result of an automobile accident near Roanoke, VA. They were longtime residents of Bedford Hills, NY.

Dr. and Mrs. Woodward are survived by their daughter Holly of Ridgefield, CT and son John Christian, JC's wife Nancy and their daughter Anne all of South Salem, NY. A daughter Beverly Ann died in 1965. Her brother Raymond Hvolbeck of Bedford Hills, NY, a sister Lois Meli of Bradenton, FL, and six nieces and nephews and their families also survive Mrs. Woodward.

The membership of the NBTC extends heartfelt sympathy to Holly and her family.

Hibernation in dogs...



Photo by Rob Rowley

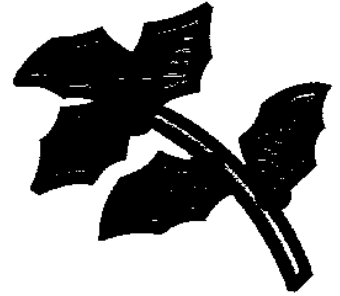
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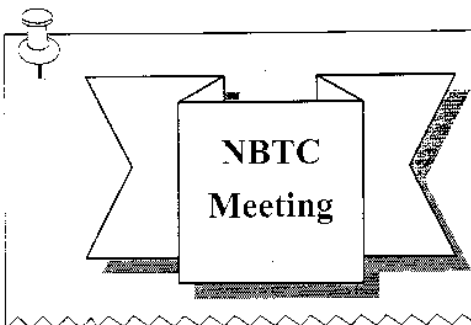
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members agree that they wish to submit the name of an additional nominee. Then in April, if there are any multiple candidates for any officer's positions, the entire membership will vote. The new slate will take office May 1. Some members do have the constitution at hand, but some like myself, may have it somewhere, so I noted the milestones of the process to avoid the need of a search for said constitution.

I want to take this opportunity at the holiday season to thank the entire membership for the decision made by the members at the September meeting to make a \$1000 contribution to AKC Canine Animal Rescue (CAR) relief fund for Hurricane Katrina. The decision was quite generous on the part of the club, but undoubtedly helpful in that situation.

Best wishes and happy new year to all.





The next meeting of the NBTC will be February 4 at the Saratoga Downtowner after the dog show. Pot Luck luncheon.

Deadly, Contagious Dog Flu Virus

September 22, 2005
A New Deadly, Contagious Dog Flu Virus Is Detected in 7 States
By DONALD G. McNEIL Jr. and CARIN RUBENSTEIN

A new, highly contagious and sometimes deadly canine flu is spreading in kennels and at dog tracks around the country, veterinarians said yesterday.

The virus, which scientists say mutated from an influenza strain that affects horses, has killed racing greyhounds in seven states and has been found in shelters and pet shops in many places, including the New York suburbs, though the extent of its spread is unknown.

Dr. Cynda Crawford, an immunologist at the University of Florida's College of Veterinary Medicine who is studying the virus, said that it spread most easily where dogs were housed together but that it could also

be passed on the street, in dog runs or even by a human transferring it from one dog to another. Kennel workers have carried the virus home with them, she said.

How many dogs die from the virus is unclear, but scientists said the fatality rate is more than 1 percent and could be as high as 10 percent among puppies and older dogs.

Dr. Crawford first began investigating greyhound deaths in January 2004 at a racetrack in Jacksonville, Fla., where 8 of the 24 greyhounds who contracted the virus died.

"This is a newly emerging pathogen," she said, "and we have very little information to make predictions about it. But I think the fatality rate is between 1 and 10 percent."

She added that because dogs had no natural immunity to the virus, virtually every animal exposed would be infected. About 80 percent of dogs that are infected with the virus will develop symptoms, Dr. Crawford said. She

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Up's and Down's

New JE

After many months of little or no interest in ED, Jansim Henrietta Maud Jones JE successfully completed both legs of her Junior Earthdog in back to back tests on June 25 and 26, 2005 at Earthdog Tests held by the Dachshund Club of Greater Ontario in Pontypool, ON. "Henry" is now very keen on tunnel work, however she and I are spending the winter practicing our recall in order to be ready for Senior Earthdog in 2006.

—Sarah Jones

New Canadian JE

Am/Can Ch Jansim Holly Roger JE CG CGC at age 8.5 showed the youngsters how it's done and completed his Canadian JE by qualifying under judges Teddy Moritz and Pam Dyer at the Eastern Canada Dachshund Club's Earthdog trials at Trenton Park, Nova Scotia, September 10/11. This was the first CKC ED Trial in the Maritime Provinces.

Then at MCKC, in spite of the long drive to get there and the wet weather he hates so much he convinced Judge Ron Irving to place him 3rd in veterans. —Anna Robaczewski

New CKC JE

Holystone's Maxximilian (Maxx) completed his CKC Junior Earthdog qualification in September at the Eastern Canada Dachshund Club tests held at Trenton, Nova Scotia. On a more informal basis he won Best Otter Head at the fun day of the BTCO held in August.

—Ken Nixon.

New NA, NAJ

Lorien's Irish Digger finish both his Novice Standard and Novice Jumpers titles at the Ruff Riders Agility Trial in Cato, NY on 8/20 and 8/21/05.

—Kerry Boisvert

New JE

Well, the light bulb has finally gone off in our little Lizzy's head when it comes to earthdog. Yesterday she earned her second qualifying score in Junior Earthdog and we can now add JE to her alphabet soup of titles to her name :) Lizzy is now Giles Hill Busy Lizzy CD CGC AX MXJ JE TDI V!!!! I never, ever thought that Lizzy would ever "get" earthdog and it was so wonderful to see her natural instinct finally kick in. We go to earthdog trials mainly for Heather, who so loves the "hunt", and Lizzy is usually entered just for the fun



of it.

Lizzy qualified for her first leg at the Greater Boston Area Earthdog Trial on August 13th of this year and followed it up nicely with her subsequent trial at the Scottish Terrier Earthdog trial on October 16th. This from the Princess, who usually does not like to be dirty, wet, or in a dark place unless her "mom" is with her :) I have to own up though in that I "cheated" a bit before each of these 2 trials by telling Lizzy that Heather (her half sister) was already in the tunnel and getting the rats. Boy, did that seem to rev Lizzy up :) Hmmm, maybe I should have had this "talk" with her before this year :)

Our lives and home have never been quite the same since Heather and Lizzy came home to us and we wouldn't change it for the world!! To Carlie Krolick we are forever grateful to trusting us with both of these two wonderful, loving LBDs who have the most important job of keeping us smiling and snuggling with us!!!!

Louise and Karl Traska
Home to Heather and Lizzy

New CG, JE

Lothlorien Bindi earned her CG title from the AWTA Memorial Day weekend in two trials; She was also awarded the Top Qualifier ribbon for Border Terriers.

On July 4th weekend, Bindi earned her AKC JE title at two trials that weekend.

—Kathleen M. Acosta

When you're in deep trouble, say nothing & stay cool



Good advice from Donna Carlton

Up's and Down's continued

New RN

Harriet's Bella, JE, CGC, now RN, finished her RN in Brewer, Maine on Oct 16. She would have done it in 3 trials, but it took her handler 6 trials to get it together!
—Deb Pepe, Oakland, ME

2005 Has been a pretty busy year for our gang, but somehow I kept forgetting to submit to the Border Times - so much to do - so little time - so this is kind of a catch up.

We are oh so proud of:

Gunter (Am.Can.Ch. Jansim Toad in the Hole CGC,CG, Am.ME.Can.JE,Am.Can.CD) who completed his Canadian and American CDs (don't ask the scores)

Colin (Am.Can.Ch. Lothlorien Coniston CG,Am.JE. - co-owned with Donna Sapp and JoAnn Frier-Murza) who finished his American Championship, his Canadian Championship (included two GRP 1sts), his Certificate of Gameness and his American Junior Earthdog Title. Colin topped it off by winning the Working Dog Class at Montgomery County Kennel Club

Hazel (Can.Ch. Lothlorien Jansim Hazel Tor CG,Am.JE - co-owned with Anna Robacewski) who completed her Canadian Championship, her Certificate of Gameness and her American Junior Earthdog Title

Archie (Jansim Wild Mountain Thyme CGC. co-owned with Fred & Marnie Fielding) for the first leg towards his Canadian Junior Earthdog Title

Zeke (Am.Can.Ch. Rovin Jansim Summer Wine Am.SE.Can.JE. - co-owned with Jenny Chambers) who earned the first leg towards his Canadian Senior Earthdog Title

And the "black sheep" of the family - **Boomer** (Jansim Boomerang CGC,CG,Am.SE,Can.JE.) - who has racked up two Canadian Senior Earthdog legs and Two American Master Earthdog Legs

—Pam Dyer

Jr. Qualifies for Westminster

Lauren and Indy have qualified for Junior Showmanship competition at the Westminster Kennel Club show this upcoming February.

Some background for those of you scratching your heads: I placed Indy (now an almost 6 year old Border Terrier) in the summer of 2004 with Lauren and her family who live in Oklahoma. An emotional decision but one that has proven to be SO perfect for all involved.

Since arriving in tornado land (! the one thing that gave me pause!) Indy and Lauren have been training and showing in 4H, UKC shows (a lot are held in their area)

and AKC shows. Starting in January in AKC competition and Junior Showmanship they have: finished Indy's Junior Earthdog title [making her CH Ristle Step'N Stone At Bsnatch JE CGC]; met some of you in St Louis at the BT national; got their 3 wins in Novice; moved up to Open level; qualified with wins AND a sterling GPA for the AKC Eukanuba National Championship; and yesterday got the last needed win against competition to qualify for WKC.

Oh, and Lauren is not even 10 1/2 years old herself!

They will soon be ready for AKC Novice Obedience and Agility.

I am probably just as proud of the Invitation entry due to the GPA aspect, but am also so tickled that this match worked so well.

We should have known when Indy fell asleep in Lauren's arms in the car when they picked her up....

—Amanda and PB and J

New Can JE

At 12+ years old, my "Little Ray of Sunshine" **Rosie**, Am./Can. Ch. Jansim Just Rosemary TT, CGC, CG, Can. JE, Am. ME, ADC, Am./Can. CD, earned her CKC Junior Earthdog title on June 25, 2005 at the Dachshund Club of Greater Ontario CKC Earthdog tests held on June 25/26, 2005. She had earned her first leg the previous year at the BTCO Earthdog Test in Valens on May 24, 2004 under Marg Pough. As Pam put it: "Rosie didn't miss a beat and you wouldn't know that she hadn't seen a den for ten months by the way she polished off her CKC Junior Earthdog title".



Bumble trying for ED leg? Ask Deenie Gallipeau for details.

Please e-mail your Up's and Down's and member changes at anytime to the editor at:
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Supported Entry Results

**Ox Ridge Kennel Club
Saturday 09/24/2005**

JUDGE: Mr. John David Hughes

WD-- TROTWOOD'S TALLYHO

SPENCER. RN 02743301. 05-16-03 (4 Points) By Ch Oldstone Tenor - Ch Redgate's Mocca Surprise. Owner: Richard Hylinski., Cheshire, CT 06410. Breeder: Ellen Redman Judith Rivers.

RWD-- KEVRAH LONE STAR. RN 04876401. 01-18-04 By Ch Dandyhow Blue Spruce - Ch Kevrah Kiss Me Kate. Owner: Barbara Wood & Michele Emond., Northboro, MA 01532. Breeder: B Wood & M Emond & D & J Lawton.

WB/BW --FERNESIDE'S CLAIRE AT REDGATE. RN 06688602. 10-07-04 (4 Points) By Ch Oldstone Franc - Ch Redgate's Goodness Gracious. Owner: Judith Rivers., East Haddam, CT 06423. Breeder: Lisa Sauer & Judith Rivers.

RWB--REDGATE'S FOREST SPRITE. RN 05130803. 04-17-04 By Ch Oldstone Franc - Ch Redgate's Silver Lining. Owner: Sheila Demers & Judith Rivers., Granby, MA 010339518. Breeder: Judith G Rivers.

OS--CH STRADBROOK'S APPLE BRANDY. RM 34347201. 02-10-01 By Ch Shelburne Stutz Bear Cat - Ch Shelburne Delicious. Bitch. Owner: Barbara Ridder Irwin & Joyce Wilson & D Alice Dickson., Wayne, NJ 07470. Breeder: James Dickson & D Alice Dickson.

B--CH BEVER LEA BEN NEVIS. RN 03189801. 09-01-03 By Ch Dunraven Different Drummer - Ch Bever Lea Heidi Of Bayberry. Dog. Owner: Carlie Krolick & Teri Beverly., Charlotte, VT 05445. Breeder: Melanie Steele & Teri Beverly.



**Northwestern Connecticut
Dog Club, Inc.**

Sunday 09/25/2005

JUDGE: Mr. James G. Reynolds

WD/BW--KEVRAH LONE STAR. (4 Points)

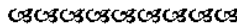
RWD--REDGATE'S FOREST PHANTOM. RN 05130801. 04-17-04 By Ch Oldstone Franc - Ch Redgate's Silver Lining. Owner: Judith Rivers., East Haddam, CT 06423. Breeder: Judith G Rivers.

WB--GREYWOODE NORTHERN HARRIER. RN 05274102. 04-17-04 (4 Points) By Greywoode Jade Le - Greywoode Northern Shrike. Owner: Patrick D Glover., Great Pond, ME 04408. Breeder: Patrick D Glover.

RWB--BANDERSNATCH RHAPSODY IN BLUE. RN 06333501. 10-03-04 By Ch Foxforest Casanova - Bandersnatch Queen Of Hearts. Owner: Margaret & Amanda Pough., Ithaca, NY 14850. Breeder: Owners.

OS--CH HIGHGATE'S CALEB FROM THE ARK. RN 04140404. 10-25-03 By Ch Kernow One Summer Knight - Ch Highgate Ark Rebekah Boo. Dog. Owner: Sheila Sanders., Stanfordville, NY 12581. Breeder: Terry & Jim Orem & Larry Greene.

B--CH STRADBROOK'S APPLE BRANDY.



**Montgomery County Kennel Club -
Sunday 10/09/2005**

BORDER TERRIERS

JUDGE: Mr. W. Ronald Irving

WD/BW WELLSWOOD ALL FIRED UP. RN 06581801. 11-02-04 (5 Points) By Ch Bever Lea Have A Go At It - Ch Bever Lea Code Red. Owner: William Singleton & Linda Singleton., Tampa, FL 336031726. Breeder: William Singleton & Linda Singleton.

RWD REDGATE'S FOREST PHANTOM.

WB/OS TALEX GOOD THYME GAL. 1075465CAN. 07-15-01 (5 Points) By Holmston Freelancer - Talex Spring Thyme. Owner: Jen Holder., Beaverton Ontario, CN L0K 1A0. Breeder: C Lambert & A J Urie

RWB FOXRUN CLOVE R. RN 09072301. 05-08-04 By Ch Krispin Basil - Foxrun Myristica Fragrance Hout. Owner: Jen Holder., Beaverton ONT, CN L0K 1A0. Breeder: Jen Holder.

Veteran, 7 Years & Over Dogs.

1 CH DUNRAVEN CUDDY'S CRAG BANDIT CD OA NA. RM 14062902. 04-05-95 By Ch Standish's Kissen' Bandit - Ch Bever Lea Molly Malone CD ME NA. Owner: Richard & Jacqueline Kensler., St. Augustine, FL 320958831. Breeder: Lisa Connelly & Charles Vance.

Working Dogs.

1 CH LOTHLORIEN CONISTON JE. RN 04291003. 12-11-03 By Ch Jansim Holly Roger JE - Lothlorien Scrimmage ME. Owner: D Sapp & P Dyer & J Frier Murza., Glen Burnie, MD 21060. Breeder: Joann Frier-Murza.

Working Bitches.

1 KETKA CONNIE MACK DEE JE. RM 06134601. 07-30-92 By Ch Otley-Kakara Idle Talk - Ketka Windchimes. Owner: Helen & George McDermott., Mohnton, PA 19540. Breeder: Carol Sowers.

Best of Breed

CH SUNRISE IT'S MY LIFE. RN 01666004. 10-21-02 By Ch Standish's Tequila Sunrise CD NA - Ch Standish's Queen's Are Wild. Dog. Owner: Janice Moore., Forstell, MO 63348. Breeder: Janice & Timothy Moore & Joyce Standish & R Maxwell.

Brace.

1 72 MALICE BLEUE VENDOME. 1086752FRAN. 06-26-04

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By Malice Bleu Play With Fire - Ophelie Du Mennelet. Owner: Chantal LeClerc., S: Amable QC, CN J0L 1N0. Breeder: Sandrine Charmeaux.

1 85 TOWZIE TYKE MCHENRY OATMEAL STOUT. RN 07626804. 03-04-05 By Ch Towzie Tyke Laird O'Glenmore - Ch Towzie Tyke Wuthering Heights JE. Owner: Mark & Mary Beth Ensor., Baltimore, MD 21228. Breeder: Mark & Mary Beth Ensor & Wayne & Joyce Kirn.

BTCA Earthdog Trial Crosswicks, NJ October 10, 2005

Junior - Judge: M B Pough (58 Starters, 8 Qualifiers)
Houndhollow Start Me Up CD OAP OJP, Border Terrier S Friedenber
Towzie Tyke Dumfries OA
OAJ, Border Terrier **D Sapp**
Senior - Judge: C Simpson (48 Starters, 11 Qualifiers)
FC Dirt Hawker's Beamish
JE, Dachshund **J Frier-Murza**
Dugmore's Teachers Pet JE, Border Terrier **C Soeldner**
Duins Nuin O Moriquendi JE, Border Terrier J Powell/K Powell
CH MACH Kandu's Hustle All The Way ME, Border Terrier T Demiers/D Venema
Lothlorien Thorncroft Chase ME, Border Terrier **B Stephenson**
MACH Sunkist Kruz'n A Blue Streak CDX ME, Border Terrier B Rosen/H Haydon
Master—B Sandroek (33 Starters, 12 Qualifiers)
Cb's Merlin Of Wessex NA NAP NAJ NJP ME, Border Terrier K Schaeffer/P Terray-Schaeffer
CH Dunraven Cuddy's Crag Bandit CD OA NAJ ME, Border Terrier R Kensler/J Kensler
Jansim Boomerang SE, Border Terrier **C Dyer/P Dyer**

Supported Entry Events 2006

Cabin Fever Weekend, Saratoga, NY LIMITED ENTRY

Friday February 3 - Mohawk Valley Kennel Club Judge Jon Cole

Saturday February 4 - Glens Falls Kennel Club - Judge Harry O'Donogue (**working classes at this show**)

Sunday February 5 - Saratoga New York Kennel Club - Judge Joseph Gregory
MB-F superintendent

*NEW for 2006

March 30, 31, April 1, 2, Syracuse, NY
Conformation, Obedience, Rally and Agility Supported

3/30/06 Onondaga Kennel Association, Inc. Syracuse, NY AB/O/JSHW closes Mar 15, 2006 Judge: Mr. Kenneth M. McDermott

3/31/06 Finger Lakes Kennel Club, Inc. Syracuse, NY AB/O/JSHW closes Mar 15, 2006 Judge: Mrs. Karen C. Wilson

Obedience Classes

Novice A Mrs. Marilyn Little
Novice B Mrs. Sharon Ann Redmer
Open A Mr. Kent H Delaney
Open B Mrs. Marilyn Little
Utility A Mr. James J. Ham
Utility B Mr. James J. Ham

4/1/06 North Country Kennel Club, Inc. Syracuse, NY AB/O/JSHW Mar 15, 2006 Judge: Mrs. Mildred K. Bryant

4/2/06 Central New York Kennel Club, Inc. Syracuse, NY AB/O/JSHW Apr 2, 2006 Mar 15, 2006

5/5/06 Garden State All Terrier Club, Inc. W Windsor Twp, NJ LB/O/JSHW closes Apr 19, 2006 Judge: Ruth Ann Naun

5/14/06 Windham County Kennel Club, Inc. Woodstock, CT AB/O/JSHW closes Apr 26, 2006 Judge: Mrs. Lydia Coleman Hutchinson **Working Dog & Bitch Classes**

6/4/06 Burlington County Kennel Club, Inc. Wrightstown, PA AB/O/JSHW closes May 17, 2006 (MB-F) Judge: NA

6/16/06 Bryn Mawr Kennel Club Ludwigs Corner, PA AB/JSHW closes May 31, 2006 (Rau) Judge: NA

7/12/06 Lakes Region Kennel Club, Inc. Hopkinton, NH AB/O/JSHW closes Jun 23, 2006 MB-F Judge: NA

7/13/06 Lakes Region Kennel Club, Inc. Hopkinton, NH AB/O/JSHW closes Jun 23, 2006 MB-F Judge: NA

7/14/06 Woodstock Dog Club (NH) **Working Dog And Bitch Classes**

7/15/06 Champlain Valley KC (VT)

7/16/06 Green Mountain Dog Club (VT)

September

Ox Ridge KC (Stamford, CT)

Northwestern CT Dog Club (Goshen, CT) **Working Dog and Bitch Classes**

*NEW for 2006

November

Conformation, Obedience, Rally and Agility Supported at the **Thanksgiving Cluster, Eastern States Exposition Center, W Springfield, MA**

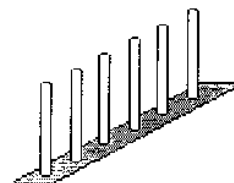
Frequently falls on Thanksgiving weekend but occasionally falls the weekend before. **Events are Friday through MONDAY.** Exact dates NA.

South Windsor KC (MB-F)

Windham Co KC Inc (MB-F)

Springfield KC Inc (MB-F)

Newly Supported Events in March & November



Secretary's Meeting Minutes 9/25/2005



Respectfully submitted
by Ellen Redman, Secretary

September 26th, 2005 Goshen, CT

The meeting was called to order by the President at 1:30 PM.

The minutes from the last meeting were passed. Motion to accept the minutes by Jenny chambers, seconded by Patrick Glover

President's Report:

The President acknowledged and congratulated member Judith Rivers as Best of Breed winner of this year's National Specialty and Carlie Krolick as Sweepstakes winner.

We need to have a nominating committee by Nov. 1 and then an election so that there are new officers by Windham in May, 2006.

2/3 members of the club voted in the Sweepstakes judging. Amanda Pough was the winner and was congratulated by the President.

No secretary report.

No Treasurer's report.

Marg Pough reported that she sold \$500. worth of Specialty bags from 2004.

Committee reports:

Trophies: Holly Woodward has gone to different vendors for BT items. She received emails from winter Classic and they asked if they could do anything for us. Amanda Pough asked about using the bigger rings. Holly is stepping down and asked for volunteers to take over.

New members: Michelle

McCafferty and Kathy Jackson. Patrick Glover moved to accept the new members, seconded by Naun. Motion passed.

Unfinished business:

2006 Supported entry shows have been approved by the BTCA board as submitted.

New business:

1st weekend in June the Beanfield Earthdog club is giving an Earthdog test. BTCA has asked us to support that entry. It makes money for the NBTC. We need at least two people to be secretary and chair. We also have to know there are enough volunteers to make it work. This was mentioned by club member Pam Dyer. Marg Pough and Carol Soeldner said they'd be willing to volunteer. Bob Naun moved and Ann Steinbacher seconded that: since we have interest we should pursue it. Passecc.

New business:

Preferred Judges list was last generated in 2002. We should update it. This would involve a ballot. Patrick Glover moved/seconded by Bob Naun that we do a new list. Jenny Chambers reminded us that all-breed clubs need to choose judges that can judge more than Borders. Tim said that should not necessarily be the case, as some of the Border judges are local

and don't cost that much.

A vote was taken on the question whether we should conduct a new ballot on preferred judges. Passed.

Does the membership want to make a contribution to rescue effort in the southeast US? Our parent breed club made 2 separate donations of \$500. each. The AKC is very involved.

Bob Naun moved/Amanda Pough seconded that the NBTC make a donation to CAR for \$1000. Marg Pough said this money will not be used specifically for rescue in the SE, but is a general fund. They are helping and very involved, though. AKC is committed to the long-term. Vote: passed unanimously.

Amanda Pough spoke on the NE Circuit (VT leg). All three days were inside. Cluster is willing to give us reserved crating and parking. Carlie Krolick, Deenie Gallipeau and Amanda are willing to do research on hotels and finding a site for a fun day on Saturday. Obedience is in its own building. Ann Steinbacher asked about judges. Amanda said that judges are locked in one or two years in advance.

Tim Acker spoke about judges at these shows. Many judges at these shows have been unacceptable with great

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"AKC is committed to the long-term."

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frequency. With the expense to get to these shows it is not worth our while.

Amanda pointed out the historic significance. If we don't support the shows, we may lose the BTCA support.

Bob Naun said that there always were good judges until recently and we must get it across to the clubs giving the shows that it makes a difference in their selection.

The President said that we need to express our

different views and keep the debate going. If the BT people in VT work to make this a success, the club will most likely support them.

Otterhead: The secretary reported to the membership about the BTCA's decision to begin charging a \$5. fee for the Otterhead judging at the National Specialty. The reasoning is that it takes too long and dogs who are not entered in any of the classes are going into the ring for this event.

Sheila Demers moved and Marg Pough seconded to request of the

board that they reconsider this decision. Bob Naun said we should ask that they reconsider as it goes contrary to the philosophy and spirit of the Otter Head competition both in this country and UK. Passed unanimously! The secretary will write a letter.

Barbara Steinbacher wanted to find out about supporting the Bainbridge, NY shows in 2007. We will bring this up at the winter meeting.

No more new business. Amanda Pough moves and Bob Naun seconds to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 2:25.

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Dog Flu continued

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added that the symptoms were often mistaken for "kennel cough," a common canine illness that is caused by the bordetella bronchiseptica bacteria.

Both diseases can cause coughing and gagging for up to three weeks, but dogs with canine flu may spike fevers as high as 106 degrees and have runny noses. A few will develop pneumonia, and some of those cases will be fatal. Antibiotics and fluid cut the pneumonia fatality rate, Dr. Crawford said.

The virus is an H3N8 flu closely related to an equine flu strain. It is not related to typical human flus or to the H5N1 avian flu that has killed about 100 people in Asia.

Experts said there were no

known cases of the canine flu infecting humans. "The risk of that is low, but we are keeping an eye on it," said Dr. Ruben Donis, chief of molecular genetics for the influenza branch of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, which is tracking the illness.

But with the approach of the human flu season and fears about bird flu in Asia, there is much confusion among some dog owners who have heard about the disease.

Dr. Crawford said she was fielding calls from kennels and veterinarians across the country worried that they were having outbreaks.

"The hysteria out there is unbelievable, and the misinformation is incredible," said **Dr. Ann E. Hohenhaus, chief of medicine at the Animal Medical Center in New York.**

Dr. Hohenhaus said she had heard of an alert from a Virginia dog club reporting rumors that 10,000 show dogs had died.

"We don't believe that's true," she said, adding that no dogs in her Manhattan hospital even had coughs.

Dr. Donis of the disease control centers said that there was currently no vaccine for the canine flu. But he said one would be relatively easy to develop. The canine flu is less lethal than parvovirus, which typically kills puppies but can be prevented by routine vaccination.

Laboratory tests, Dr. Donis said, have shown that the new flu is susceptible to the two most common antiviral drugs, amantidine and Tamiflu, but those drugs are not licensed for use in dogs.

The flu has killed greyhounds

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Statement of Revenue & Expenses

Northeast Border Terrier Club

May 1, 2005 to October 31, 2005

Beginning Balance

1-May-05 Balance Brought Forward

\$ 13,799.57
0.00
\$ 13,799.57

Revenues

16-May-05 Exhibitor Bags
 22-Jul-05 Dues
 22-Jul-05 Dues
 22-Jul-05 Exhibitor Bags
 22-Jul-05 Kate booklets
 22-Jul-05 Specialty

\$ 40.00
225.00
50.00
150.00
15.00
2,384.78

Total Revenues

\$ 2,864.78

Expenses

2-Jun-05 Ellen Redman
 14-Jul-05 Sue Netzman
 24-Aug-05 Bill Moody
 3-Oct-05 Ellen Redman

\$ 256.16
147.56
60.34
99.53

Total Expenses

\$ 563.59

Revenue over Expenses (Loss)

\$ 2,301.19

Other Income

Other Income
 Interest Income

\$ -

Total Other Income

\$ -

Net Revenue over Expenses (Loss)

\$ 2,301.19

Ending Balance

\$ 16,100.76



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at tracks in Florida, Massachusetts, Arizona, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Texas and Iowa. Tracks and kennels have been forced to shut down for weeks for disinfection.

In Chestnut Ridge, north of New York City, about 88 dogs became sick by early September, and 15 percent of those required hospitalization, said Debra Bennetts, a spokeswoman for Best Friends Pet Care, a chain of boarding kennels. The kennel was vacated for decontamination by Sept. 17.

About 17 of the infected dogs were treated at the Oradell Animal Hospital

in Paramus, N.J., where one died and two more were still hospitalized, a staff veterinarian said.

The Best Friends chain owns 41 other kennels in 18 states, and no others have had an outbreak, Dr. Larry J. Nieman, the company's veterinarian, said.

In late July, at Gracelane Kennels in Ossining, N.Y., about 35 dogs showed symptoms, said the owner, Bob Gatti, and he closed the kennel for three weeks to disinfect.

About 25 of the dogs were treated by an Ossining veterinarian, Glenn M. Zeitz, who said two of them had died.

"The dogs came in very sick, with high fevers and very high white blood cell counts," Dr. Zeitz said, making him suspicious that they had something worse than kennel cough.

A spokesman for the New York City Health Department said that there were "a few confirmed cases" in New York but that the city was not yet tracking the disease.

Veterinarians voluntarily sent samples to the Animal Health Diagnostic Center at the Cornell School of Veterinary Medicine, which was the only laboratory doing blood tests.

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