

**Spokane County Small Animal
Meeting Agenda – 6-6-2011**

Attendance:

Facilitator –

Secretary:

Minutes (review):

Treasurer's report: \$1,438.96

- Pay Summer for Gift Card \$25
- Pay Insurance Dog Shows
- Deposit \$183 from shows and agility

Reports/updates

➤ **Agility**

1. For the 2011 show season, neither showmanship nor obedience will be a part of any Spokane County 4-H Canine Agility completion.
2. All properly enrolled 4-H members with their dogs—per standard Washington State 4-H policy and county rules for enrollment, ownership/lease, etc.—may compete in the agility competitions scheduled in Spokane County.
3. Those same teams of youth-canines should compete for a score, if it is a competition.
4. However, only those who have successfully competed in showmanship and obedience at least once before an agility completion may be awarded ribbons. This will also establish the pool of youth who may earn the right to qualify and potentially represent the Spokane County 4-H at any State level events.
5. Out of county youth-canine teams may also compete, but will only be awarded ribbons (Danish or American...show chairs may sort out those details) if the youth can provide verification—verbal or written—from their club leader or 4-H staff that they have previously competed in both a 4-H canine showmanship and obedience event.

➤ **Show Updates and Judges**

- **Feed Back?** 2nd Show June- 4th @ Spangle Outside (Cindy McBride)
- Agility July 16th Hoodoo
- 3rd Show July-9th @ Deer Park (Lucky Stars/Penny Moris)

Unfinished Business

Dog Bowl

- **Have competition at Summer Extravaganza July 28th**
- At the end of each show (state qualifying/interstate competition)
- Who will organize this? **Teresa from Fairchild could help with Dog Bowl.**

Rule Change

Adding a newbie obedience class: **Beginning Obedience (any age, non-qualifying)**

- Sign Sheet
- **Add To Rule Book "If a dog and handler team " 1st Patty Roll 2nd Dorothy Bowers**

11. If **Dog or Handler Team** receive a blue ribbon score at county qualifying show in obedience, a minimum of 3 times, you must move up to the next level in obedience the following year.

August Advanced Camp (update?)

- Agility and fitting and showing competition (off leash)
- **Date: August 20-21st At Wings. Possible the 19th. Day camps**
 - **Advanced obedience- Rally, Tracking, Dog Bowl**

Fall animal fun day (No Change)

- **Check barn availability after fair- October**
- **Partner with Spokanimal or Partners for PETS**
 - Dog (costume)
 - Cat (Sue) Costume and Cage decoration
 - Bunny (costume)(Michell Wolfer Laura buker)
 - Poultry (Noralee, Troy Rux)
 - Pocket Pets (Sue)
 - Impromptus and presentations, Grooming Squad
 - Include Community

New Business

- **New club info for tax stuff**
- **Agility update from state**
- **SCRAPS** mutt strut August 20th in Liberty Lake if we want to participate. Info from Francine Moniz
- **Thank You card for Cindy McBride**
- **Lessons with Claudia Longoria- Maybe during meeting and kids can take dogs downstairs**

Next meeting date: July 11th 6:30

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