PRGRCO General Meeting Minutes September 18, 2024

The meeting was called to order at 7:01 by President Robin Murphy. Members present were: Robin Murphy, Jeanie Schuldt, Kathy Thurman, Christa Thompson, Tammy Pengelly, Debbie Berry, Dawn Clausen, Doug Clausen, Rachel Read, Judy Sherman, Kelli McCulloch, and Lorene Jones.

Secretary's Report: Robin read the minutes from the July meeting. Jeanie made the motion to approve the minutes, and Christa seconded. The minutes were approved as read.

Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer's Report was given at the Board meeting.

Vice-President's Report: no new member applications.

Old Business:

- Committee Reports:
 - Breeder Education- Debbie will contact Sarah Maxwell about speaking at the Club meeting in November.
 - Puppy Referral- Kathy reported that there have been a few calls in the last month.
 - Website- Rachel reported that she is working on transferring files from Facebook, and removing the Pop-up. We had 167 visitors to the site in the last 30 days.
 - Club Facebook Group- Nothing new.
 - Public Facebook Page- Lorene reported that there has been very little activity.
 - Member/Public Education- Christa is looking into a heart clinic with the Chintimini Shows.
 - Hospitality/Awards-
 - The Awards committee will meet to finalize any changes to the awards criteria on Wednesday, November 13th, at 2:00PM, at The Olive Garden in Salem. Any changes will be presented to the Board for approval.
 - The Annual Meeting and Awards Banquet will be at The Cascade Grill (Albany) on Saturday, April 12, 2025 at 3:00 PM.
 - The Christmas Party will be Saturday, December 14th, at 3:00PM, at Kathy and Judy's home in Forest Grove.
- April 2024 Specialty:
 - Ribbons update from Onofrio- Still no response from Onofrio.
- **T-Shirts:** Tammy shared a sample T-Shirt, and passed around an order sheet.
- **Bylaws Revision:** Copies of the revision were available for review. Rachel will post it on the website. We will vote on this at the October meeting.
- 2025 Specialty (April 3, 2025):
 - Rachel volunteered to be the decorations chair.
 - Christa shared samples of the 1st place prizes. They will cost about \$8.50 each.

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- Lorene will send a list of obedience judges to Robin. They will choose and hire one of the judges from CKC's slate.
- Debbie will work on finding a judge for Sweepstakes.
- There was a discussion regarding compensation for sweepstakes judges. Debbie made a motion to increase the compensation from \$100 to \$150, or a hotel room, whichever the judge chooses. Christa seconded. The motion passed unanimously.
- Debbie suggested the theme: "Pawsitively Golden." Tammy made the motion to use "Pawsitively Golden" as our theme. Judy seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

New Business: none.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:25PM. Lorene made the motion, Tammy seconded.

Brags were shared.

Submitted by Robin Murphy