Dear HDC Members,

Our Specialty is right around the corner. We are looking forward to seeing everyone come and have a great time.

Gloria LaTour

Houston Dachshund Club Meeting Minutes -Jan. 2010

Meeting called to order at 8 pm by President Nancy Colson

Members Present.

Nancy Colson, Fredye Dennard, Elizabeth Ellis, Janice Finney, Mary Galvan, Lori Isaacson, Gloria LaTour, Karen Murray, Lori Isaacson, Joyce Warren and Joyce Young

Our March 19, 2010 Dachshund Specialty to be held at Farm & Ranch Sweepstakes Judge is Larry Chu Conformation Judge is Joan Urban

Sarah Hill will be our Show Chairman for this Specialty and our July 2010 Specialty

Our HDC July Specialty Judges held at Reliant will be Sweepstakes Judge is Carol Doerge Conformation Judge is Marci Forrester

Legislative Committee Mary Galvan gave a report on the issues that could affect us all if attention is not paid to what laws are up for votes. AKC site has legislative information on their website that outlines what is going on in each area. Be aware of the what is going on in your area. Donate ONLY to your local shelters not H\$U\$ or PETA. The NAIA and RPOA are reliable sources to donate to help keep our Constitutional Rights intact. AKC also offers many pamphlets that can be used to educate about legislative efforts.

Field Trials for this year.. Nancy Colson and Ken Hagmueller are looking into a site in the Conroe area to see if it could be suitable for our field trails. Nancy will be sending a letter to the owners of the property to introduce HDC and our intent of use for the field.

Out of Town Application for New Membership Elizabeth Ellis nominated

Mary Galvan seconded and we now welcome Cyndy Senff as a new member of the Houston Dachshund Club.

It was discussed what the club needs to do to stay in compliance with AKC. What do we need to do in order to comply? Elizabeth Ellis will get a list together to present what our options are.

Fredye Dennard moves that all elected officers from last year remain the same.. Mary Galvan seconds and it is unanimous. Motion carries for 2010 Officers to remain the same.

Board Member for 3 year term is open and Mary Galvan nominates Janice Finney, Fredye Dennard seconds. Janice Finney is unanimously voted into office.

Board Members are Mary Galvan 1 year Fredye Dennard 2 year Janice Finney 3 year

Gloria LaTour suggests that a Show Committee is needed so the work load of procuring judges can be more equally distributed. Janice Finney will provide HDC with the nominating procedures for the show committee.

Brags & Cries

Fredye Dennard

CH Hidden Cedars Manmar Cast A Spell ML finishes his Championship with his third major. Now off to field trials..

Mary Galvan

Ziggy has several points and he is just 8 months old

Janice Finney
Jolene is 8 months old and already pointed out
Rythum went BOB in Dallas

\$83 was collected from the raffle and Brags which the HDC decided to donate

Meeting Adjoured

Respectfully submitted, Gloria LaTour