

JCAC October Meeting

October 9, 2017

Meeting Highlights

- Equipment Day October 22nd
- Items needed for raffles
- Holiday Party December 9th
- Next meeting: November 13, 2017

Minutes

- The formal meeting was called to order by President Alice Nicholson at 7:00PM with 5 attendees.
- **MOTION:** A motion was made and seconded to approve the September Membership Meeting Minutes as revised in the second distribution.

Treasurer's Report

The treasure's report is shown below:

	September	October
Membership	188	192
Checking Account	\$1,610.61	\$2,651.55
Jr. Handler Fund	\$1,752.58	\$1,327.64
AKC Fund	\$853.16	\$913.19

Next lease payment November 1st. Turf loans are down from \$34,000 to \$26,000 when compared to last year and the club owes \$2,696 on credit for surface maintenance.

Merchandise

- Merchandise can be viewed on the Jumping Chollas website:
<http://jumpingchollas.com/merchandise/>
- Banners have been found and put to use.

Equipment

- Alex is working on building two wall jumps. The first one will be a prototype and any adjustments needed will be made for the 2nd wall jump.
- Once the jump is created we will need to have instructions posted physically on the jump on how to use it, and potentially a video showing how it will be put together.
- Discussion regarding new jumps for Beginner 1. Four new jumps out of 1 ¼" PVC Pipe with wings will be built to use in the new "Value of the Jump" exercise.
- Pink tunnel bags are for sale for \$40 per set (2 bags in a set).

Equipment Day

- Equipment day is October 22. It will start at 7AM and run until the equipment is made. The goal is to make 500 pieces. This is anticipated to provide equipment available for purchase for the current Beginner 1 class and the next Beginner 1 class.
- Equipment for class will include jumps, weave poles and gates.
- Equipment is also needed for Junior Handler class.

Summer Shows

- Summer mini trials brought in an average of \$473 per trial with 9 trials.
- Although trials can be difficult in the heat, they position the club well financially at the end of the summer heading into the fall.

Shows

- October 13,14 and 15th in Paradise Valley Park is the first NADAC show of the season.
- October 28-29 is the first JCAC of GP AKC show of the season.
- Ruth Demar shared a draft of the job responsibilities for providing worker lunches. Discussion regarding the number of crockpots that can be supported by the generators. Anyone organizing lunch needs to keep in mind that the show secretary has priority in using the generator. The club has two generators.
- JCAC of GP AKC April show will need a new show secretary. We would like to see more people learn the art of the show secretaries for both the NADAC and AKC shows. Contact Billie Rosen or Alice Nicholson if you are interested.

Raffles

- Ruth Demar will be handling the worker raffle for K9 Cares (aka Paws) and needs assistance with items. Anything for either dogs or people can be provided to Ruth.
- Items will also be needed for the November raffle to support the Junior Handler program. Becky Gilbert can be contacted regarding that raffle.

Champs

- Jumping Chollas representatives did well at Champs
- Amanda Cyzan and Piper received a judge's award for being helpful, dedicated and fun to have around at trials.
- Sydney and Breeze received the Most Inspirational Jr. Handler award for good attitude even when things went terribly wrong (he thought the horse arena was a playground).
- Sydney and Sookie received 1st Place in Pre-Elite Jr. Handler Division.
- Sydney and Sookie won highest scoring Jr. Handler team.
- There were 2 Elite Jr Handlers, and 3 Pre-elite Jr. Handlers.
- Billie Rosen received a special recognition award from the judges. (She did not learn of this award until she returned home from Championships. Congrats to you too, Billie).

Seminar

- Stacy Peardot seminar has been scheduled for January 22 – 25 and February 5-8, 2018.

The Patch

- Hope to have the rest of the LED lights installed by the December holidays.
- The compressor at the patch was not able to be used to fill the trailer tires to start the season. It may either need instructions created or someone with knowledge of the machine to look at whether it is functioning correctly or may need repair.
- Trailer tires were filled using Linda's compressor.

Classes

- Junior Handler class started with 12 participants, but was down to 6 last week.

Holiday Party

- The annual Holiday Party has been scheduled for December 9th at Kara and Kelly's home. People should plan to bring a dish to share and an item valued at \$20 or less for the gift exchange, human or canine.

Meeting adjourned at 8:23PM.

NEXT MEETING: November 13th at 7 PM at Alice Nicholson's home.