

The 2013 Annual Membership Meeting of the Basenji Club of America, Inc.

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 pm on Monday, July 15, 2013 at the Argus Ranch for Dogs, Auburn, WA by Vice President, with Secretary Janet Ketz present. The required quorum 71 was met.

The following members were present: Dennis Arrand, Lynn Arrand, Bill Bowlus Root, Roberta Bradford, Ellen Bramble, Sandra Bridges, Kathy Britton, Clay Bunyard, Kyle Cabral, Katie Campbell, Pat Cembura, Mary Ellen Chaffin, Stephanie Cheng, Susan Coe, Jon Curby, Sarah Smith Faulkner, Jeff Faulkner, John Gaidos, Pam Geoffroy, Bryan Gregory, Laurie Gregory, Cindi Gross, Lisa Hart, Bryce Hart, Laura Hesse, Joyce Hughes, Fred Hughes, Sharron Hulbert, Vickie Jacobs, Debra Janes Blake, James Johannes, Terry Jones, Jackie Jones, Julie Jones, Kathy Jones, Sylvia Jordan, Sue Joyner, Katherine Katayama, Janet Ketz, Marianne Klinkowski, Julie Leicht, Kevin Leimback, Therese Leimback, , Darlene Lowit, Donna Lubbe, Shelia Lund, , Pat Marshall, Jennifer Miller, Shelby Miller, Brad Phifer, Brenda Phillips, Wanda Pooley, MaryK Quinnett, Cecily Rappe, Bob Reed, Terry Reed, Paulette Rinck, Carolene Rose, Lisa Saban, , Kathy Sanders, Andrew Sawler, Denise Searcy, Linda Siekert, Rand Siekert, Lee Ann Skipton, Laurie Stargell, Steve Strobel, Carol Webb, Rita Webb, George Woodard, Michael Work, Carol Wyatt, Dwight Yeager, Lisa Voss, Samuel Stump and Parliamentarian- Kevin Connelly.

With no corrections or omissions, the July 2012 BCOA Annual Membership Meeting minutes were approved as published in the August 2012 Bulletin Board Newsletter. Motion by Donna Lubbe and second by Sue Joyner. Motion passed.

A motion to accept the Standing Rules for BCOA Annual Meetings as published in the BCOA Policy Manual was made by Katie Campbell with a second by Kyle Cabral. Motion passed.

OFFICERS REPORTS

Vice President's Report:

Pam welcomed everyone and thanked them for coming to the 2013 annual membership meeting. She sent out a big "THANK YOU" to the Host Group!

Due to changes in 2013 Board of Directors, I was voted in by current 2013 BCOA Board with ballot 2013-18 effective March 29. Since that time these duties have been performed:

- *Proof read premium lists for 2013 national specialty.
- *Contacted replacement judge for 2014 national due to illness of Russell Hendren.
- *Found and hired a parliamentarian for 2013 annual meeting.
- *Took part in regular Board discussions and voting.

Secretary's Report:

2014 Nominating Committee LeeBeth Cranmer [PA]-Chair,
Linda Ehlers [MO], Kathy Jones [CA], Lisa Saban [WA], Denise Vertrees [TX].

Slate of Officers and Board for 2014:

President-Jon Curby [MO]; Vice President-Pam Geoffroy [MA];
Secretary-Janet Ketz[IL]; Treasurer-Linda Daves Siekert [AZ]
Lisa Auerbach [VA]; Kimberly Brown [PA]; Bryan Gregory [WA]; Karen Hutchison [PA]; Jackie Jones {OR};
Suzanne LaCroix [MI]; Michael Work [VT].

Member Question for Annual Meeting:

<<Will BCOA subsidize any amount towards the PRA testing like they did with Fanconi?

The BCOA was not involved in the Fanconi retest subsidy issue. The subsidized amount was actually offered by the BHE. The BHE Board points out that Fanconi testing was originally done with the Linkage marker test. When the Direct test became available, the BHE (2011) decided to offer the subsidized retests using the direct marker test for all dogs that had been tested with the Marker test. Since the current PRA is a direct test, the circumstances are not the same as the fanconi testing was. Based on that information, the 2012 BHE BOD will not be offering any subsidy for the PRA testing.

Treasurer's Report:

ASSETS		Balance Sheet	Dec 31, 12
Current Assets			
Checking/Savings			
		Chase Bank-Checking	766.31
		Chase Bank-Savings	
		African Stock Project	1,770.98
		Archive Maintenance	111.66
		Contingency Fund	57,579.32
		Public Education Program	463.84
		National Specialty Reserve	584.78
		Rescue Fund	10,628.01
		Total Chase Bank-Savings	71,138.59
		Total Checking/Savings	71,904.90
Other Current Assets			
		Petty Cash - Bulletin Board	250.00
		Total Other Current Assets	250.00
Total Current Assets			72,154.90
Fixed Assets			
Equipment			
		Club Projector	472.49
		Total Equipment	472.49
Total Fixed Assets			472.49
Other Assets			
National Specialty Advance			
		National Specialty Advance-2013	6,000.00
		Total National Specialty Advance	6,000.00
Total Other Assets			6,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS			78,627.39
LIABILITIES & EQUITY			
Equity			
		Opening Bal Equity	22,259.76
		Retained Earnings	50,533.84
		Net Income	5,833.79

Total Equity	78,627.39
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	78,627.39

Ordinary Income/Expense

Income

Committee

Canis Basenji Book Sales	134.00
African Stock Project	15.00
Native Stock Application	<u>500.00</u>

Total Committee 649.00

Bank Service Fee reversal 12.00

Contributions

Purina Parent Club Partnership	215.82
Contributions - Other	<u>100.00</u>

Total Contributions 315.82

Dog Show Supported Entries 48.00

Membership (Income)

Affiliated Club Dues	450.00
Membership Dues	14,154.68
Membership Application Fee/Dues	<u>962.00</u>

Total Membership (Income) 15,566.68

Breeders' Webpage 2,375.00

National Specialty Income

National Specialty Income 2012	
NS-2012 DVD Sales	2,590.00
NS-2012 DVD Shipping Income	220.00
National Specialty Income 2012 - Other	<u>54,381.99</u>
Total National Specialty Income 2012	57,191.99

National Specialty Income 2011	
NS-2011 DVD Shipping Income	-48.00
NS-2011 DVD Sales	<u>35.00</u>
Total National Specialty Income 2011	<u>-13.00</u>

Total National Specialty Income 57,178.99

Publications (Income)

Bulletin Income	
BCOA Bulletin Ads	2,705.00
BCOA Bulletin Extra Copies	197.50
BCOA Bulletin Subscriptions	<u>118.00</u>
Total Bulletin Income	3,020.50

Roster Income	
Roster Advertising	1,510.00
Total Roster Income	<u>1,510.00</u>
Total Publications (Income)	4,530.50
Miscellaneous Income	
Legislative Income	
AKC PAC Fund	520.00
AKC CLSF	50.00
Total Legislative Income	<u>570.00</u>
Total Miscellaneous Income	<u>570.00</u>
Total Income	<u>81,245.99</u>
Gross Profit	81,245.99
Expense	
Committees	
Illustrated Standard	
Illust. Stand Postage/Mailing	136.11
Illustrated Standard Packaging	201.20
Illustrated Standard Printing	1,316.90
Total Illustrated Standard	1,654.21
Events Coordinator	10.85
Medallions	64.53
Rescue (Expense)	2,620.00
Sunshine	17.98
Judges Selection	
Mailing Costs	407.36
Printing Costs	95.92
Judges Selection - Other	44.54
Total Judges Selection	547.82
Education	
Public Education	
Outreach Program	43.00
Public Education - Other	990.98
Total Public Education	1,033.98
Breeder's Education	447.87
Total Education	1,481.85

Jr Showmanship Liason/Committee	15.89
Total Committees	<u>6,413.13</u>
Website	
Web site hosting - basenji.org	136.82
Total Website	136.82
AKC Basenji Studbook Project	226.33
Bank Service Charges	33.30
Book Expense	9.45
Conferences	
AKC Delegate	
AKC Delegate Airfare exp	1,542.81
AKC Delegate Hotel exp	846.58
Total AKC Delegate	<u>2,389.39</u>
ASFA Delegate	95.00
Total Conferences	2,484.39
Contributions/Donations	5,487.50
Dues and Subscriptions	
AKC Annual Dues	25.00
ASFA Annual Dues	75.00
Total Dues and Subscriptions	<u>100.00</u>
Elections	387.72
Insurance	
D&O Liability Insurance	262.50
Events Insurance	600.00
Surety/Fidelity Bond	300.00
Total Insurance	<u>1,162.50</u>
Membership (Expense)	
Membership Ballots (Postage)	475.20
Total Membership (Expense)	<u>475.20</u>
Miscellaneous	
Logo recreation	120.00
AKC Medallions Eukanuba	170.00
Legislative Expense	
AKC PAC fund	520.00
AKC CLSF	550.00
Total Legislative Expense	<u>1,070.00</u>
AKC Reports	120.00
Total Miscellaneous	<u>1,480.00</u>

National Specialty Expense

National Specialty Expns - 2013	17.60
National Specialty Expns - 2012	
NS-Videographer expenses	1,600.97
NS-2012 DVD Expense	824.25
NS-2012 DVD Shipping	101.60
National Specialty Expns - 2012 - Other	<u>41,339.33</u>
Total National Specialty Expns - 2012	43,866.15

National Specialty Expns - 2011	
NS-2011 DVD Shipping	<u>8.73</u>
Total National Specialty Expns - 2011	8.73

National Specialty Expense - Other	<u>229.57</u>
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Total National Specialty Expense 44,122.05

Officers' Expenses

Secretary	109.06
Treasurer	<u>439.50</u>

Total Officers' Expenses 548.56

PayPal Fees 555.87

Professional Fees

Parliamentarian	210.68
Accounting	<u>500.00</u>

Total Professional Fees 710.68

Publications (Expense)**Roster Expense**

Roster Postage	323.74
Roster Printing	1,528.69
Roster Expenses	<u>164.73</u>

Total Roster Expense 2,017.16

Bulletin Board Expense

Bulletin Board Printing	804.69
Bulletin Board Postage	<u>287.70</u>

Total Bulletin Board Expense 1,092.39

Bulletin Expense

Extra Copies	112.00
BCOA Bulletin	5,946.08
BCOA Bulletin Bulk Postage	1,938.46
Bulletin Expense - Other	<u>0.00</u>

Total Bulletin Expense 7,996.54

Total Publications (Expense)	11,106.09
Unsung Hero Award	<u>68.70</u>
Total Expense	<u>75,508.29</u>
Net Ordinary Income	5,737.70
Other Income/Expense	
Other Income	
Interest Income	<u>96.09</u>
Total Other Income	<u>96.09</u>
Net Other Income	<u>96.09</u>
Net Income	<u><u>5,833.79</u></u>

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

African Stock Project – James Johannes and Linda Siekert, Co-chairs

Co-chair James Johannes reports we have received a few orders for the current 2012 ASP CD, some from overseas. Co-chair Linda Siekert reports as with years past, very little new information has been forthcoming; James and I can only update information we are provided. Please remember to send any updates on any new litters or changes on the imports or their half African descendants. All information received by Linda, between August 2012 and June 2013, has been updated in her master copy and sent onwards to James. Shout out to Bev Bland who always manages to send numerous updates on her Brushy Run Avongaras.

AKC Delegate –

Katie Campbell reported on the Delegates meeting in March. Highlights included our BCOA request for electronic balloting was supported by several other AKC Delegates and the topic will be brought up at the AKC Board meeting in August. Kaatie will be looking into the AKC and what they are planning related to commercial breeders.

AKC Legislative Liaison – Vickie Jacobs

Every year the legislators all over the country deal with issues relating to Animal Advisories. Whenever I receive any notices that relate to our breed I send the notice to Secretary to notify our BCOA Board. In turn they were to notify the states that the advisory includes. Vickie also reported on AKC and the commercial breeder.

Archives Action – Donna DeFlorio

We are still looking for old issues of the BULLETIN

Missing Issues -

1950 through 1964 – all issues

1965 Jan-Feb, Mar-Apr, May-June

1966 Jan-Feb, Sep-Oct

1967 May-June

Contact:

Donna DeFlorio at sarabi96@aol.com or

Janet Ketz at jlketz@aol.com

Breeders' Education - Laurie Stargell and Susan Coe

Basenji Measuring Station

1. **2012 BCOA Nationals in PA:** Successful event with a full report printed in The Bulletin

2. **2013 BCOA Nationals in WA:** Again we are offering this event with time and dates to be announced after the judging program is released

Basenji University

1. **College for Basenji Owners**

Updates to Basenji Timeline

Stud Dog and Brood Bitch Honor Rolls updated to 2013 (Julie Jones)

Performance Honor Rolls updated as requested by Susan Kamen Mariscano

Course #104 Books to Read has had books added

Additional Quizzes for Course #101 Owners Guide (Lisa Marshall)

2. Course #203 Lure Coursing in College of Basenji Activities

Lure Coursing (Susan Kamen Marsicano)

3. Course #201 How Dogs Learn in College of Basenji Activities

How Do Dogs Learn

An Introduction to Principle-Based Dog Training

Prepared by Mr David Ryan PG Dip (CABC) CCAB

3. Course #304 Dog Breeding in College for Basenji Breeders

Basenji Breeders Answer the Question:

What advice do you have for a new basenji breeder getting started?

("The Basenji" has had a series of articles interviewing Basenji breeders. The answers from many breeders to one particular question might help you get started. Articles reprinted with permission from "The Basenji.")

4. Course # 204 The Standard in the College for Basenji Breeders

The Basenji Dissected

The Standard Dissected goes through the Standard sentence by sentence discussing what it all means.

(Susan Coe, Pam Geoffroy and Laurie Stargell)

5. **College for Basenji Judges** has been updated when requested by the chairman of the Judges Education Committee

6. **Workbooks** have been received and corrected (Nancy Mitchell)

As always, we welcome constructive criticism and ideas for future material.

Breed Standard – Damara Bolte` & Midge Greenlee

The Breed Standard Committee has been involved in two projects: the new Illustrated Standard, and the revision to the AKC's Complete Dog Book. For the Illustrated Standard, we consulted with Marianne Klinkowski (Judge's Ed.), Susan Coe and Laurie Stargell (Breeder's Ed), and Wanda Pooley, who collected photos, formatted and assembled the new version of the illustrated standard. The result is a beautiful new booklet which has deservedly received the accolades of both judges and breeders. A big thank-you to all who participated in providing comments, suggestions, and photos, to Melody Falcone for providing the lovely cover for the booklet, and both thanks and a big cheer to Wanda for making it all happen.

The AKC Complete Dog Book is being revised and updated, as is done periodically. In the past, this has meant updating the text and the single photo representing the breed. This time AKC wanted a slightly different format and multiple photos. Damara Bolte', who wrote the existing article for the Book, took on the task of updating and expanding the written portion, and some of the text from the breed flyer sent with registration certificates was also incorporated (Damara wrote that, too). What was serendipitous was that the request from AKC for the revision and additional photos occurred as we were all involved in assembling photos for the new illustrated standard, so we prevailed upon Wanda to supply some we felt were appropriate, and send them off, with the text, to AKC. The revised edition of the Complete Dog Book in which our latest updates and photos will appear will be available when printed.

By-Laws And Corporate Documents – Midge Greenlee

The By-Laws and Corporate Documents Committee has spent 2013 continuing to update, clarify, define, and in some cases construct information on committees, job descriptions and the policies governing various procedures and rules. There are always matters which arise and the question becomes "did this ever come up before, and how was it handled," so part of this committee's job is to see that, where possible, solutions past and present are incorporated into the job descriptions and the job responsibilities that have been or should be involved. All of our committee's suggestions are of course subject to Board discussion, amendment and approval. A surprise this year was that we became aware that nowhere in our committees and documents did we address the matter of the BCOA medallions, and when and where they are awarded, and that there is someone in charge of all that. The "someone" is, and has long been, Peg Grundman. With her assistance and that of Carole Kirk, who worked with Peg for years as our Event Coordinator, we at last have this listed

as a committee, and the rules for distribution of the medallions to Nationals and to supported entries is finally included in our documents.

Fundraising Chair: Susan Campeau, Members: Jackie Dering, Sharron Schmidgal

The 2012 BOD created this committee. We submitted to the 2012 board estimates of the cost of producing tee shirts screen-printed with the BCOA logo that we updated last year, as well as baseball caps with the embroidered logo to be offered for sale on the BCOA website. But the subject was tabled until 2013. The 2013 board wanted to go with just pre-ordered shirts and caps. This works extremely well for one-time printing and embroidering jobs, like for a National Specialty, but does not work well for ongoing merchandise sales. As the orders came in, they would have to be saved until we had enough to meet a minimal number before they were printed. So people would have to wait an unspecified long time to receive their merchandise. If there was not a large enough number of orders to meet a minimum, then the cost of each shirt would be prohibitive, or we would have to cancel the orders and return the money. That would create another problem.

At this point, I would like to know how many members would be interested in screen printed BCOA tee, embroidered hoodies, polo shirts or caps. If there is enough interest, we can continue to pursue it. If not, we'll await any project that the BOD may need us to work on.

Lure Coursing – Susan Campeau Members: Russ Jacobs and Terry Colbert

The reports from the 2013 ASFA Annual Convention of Delegates, and the ASFA International Invitational were printed in the Bulletin.

In 2012, 124 basenjis competed in ASFA trials.

12 earned field championships. There was also one Lure Courser of Merit, one Lure Courser of Merit 2, one Lure Courser of Merit 3, 2 Veteran Field Champions, and one Veteran Lure Courser of Merit.

The ASFA #1 basenji for 2012 was Zuri, GCh. DC Jerlin's Our Zuri Pupin, LCM, VLCM. MC, SGRC, VB, LCX owned and handled by Terry Colbert. Congratulations!

The ASFA Lifetime Top Basenji is still Mattie, DC Klassic Gebeep Hakuna Matata, LCM 12 owned by Suzi Clark.

Check out the ASFA website, www.asfa.org for information on coursing, trial dates, trial results and rankings.

For 2012, 91 basenjis earned titles in AKC coursing. There were 22 Junior Coursers, 37 Senior Coursers and 9 Master Coursers. 19 basenjis earned field championships, 2 earned Lure Courser Excellents, and there was one Lure Courser Excellent 2 and one Lure Courser Excellent 3.

In addition, there were 4 basenjis that passed Coursing Aptitude Tests, 2 that made Advanced CAT and one that made CAT Excellent.

The 2012 #1 AKC Lure Coursing Basenji was FC Taji's Alster Echo, MC, LCX2

Congratulations to everyone on their titles.

Health & Research - Kirsten Sigrist

Members: Sue Campeau, Stan Carter, Susan Harbison, Lisa Hart, Mia Lowbeer, Kristen Marshall, Lisa Voss.

It has been another great year in basenji health research. Dr. Johnson's announcement of the PRA BJ1 test gives all breeders a valuable tool to assess and eventually diminish the incidence of PRA in basenjis.

The HRC has been expanded this year to include Sue Campeau and Lisa Voss.

Sue Campeau: Susan Campeau has owned basenjis since 1983. She has a BS in Animal Husbandry, a BS Human Biology and a Doctor of Chiropractic degree. She has taught high school science. For the past 12 years, she has owned her own practice where her patients receive chiropractic care and functional medicine. Sue competes with her basenjis in lure coursing and shows.

Lisa Voss: Lisa has a BS in Chemistry, an MA in Education and teaches high school Biology and Chemistry. She has owned basenjis since 1998 and started breeding in 2004. She participates in conformation, lure coursing, rally, nose work and racing with her basenjis. She teaches basic manners, rally and nose work classes. She has served on the HRC in previous years and is happy to have the opportunity to serve again.

They join a well-rounded group with expertise in genetics, veterinary science, and dog breeding.

The health and research committee has been working to support basenji health research. We were happy to review and recommend funding for Dr. Johnson's latest proposal to characterize the development of PRA in PRA BJ1 affected

basenjjs and to search for the genetic cause of PRA in PRA BJ1 normal basenjjs. The BHE has approved funding for these projects and Dr. Johnson will be looking for candidates for these studies.

If you have a basenji that tested Normal/clear with the PRA BJ1 test and has been diagnosed with PRA by a certified ophthalmologist, your dog may be a good candidate for the whole genome screening to search for additional PRA-related mutations.

If you have a basenji that has been tested as affected with the PRA BJ1 test and is under 4 years of age, your dog may be a good candidate for the study of the development of PRA in PRA BJ1 affected basenjjs.

The HRC encourages anyone with basenjjs that fall into these categories to think about participating in Dr. Johnson's research. Potential study participants can contact Liz Hansen via email HansenL@missouri.edu. Their website is <http://www.CanineGeneticDiseases.net>.

The committee is working on writing a PRA FAQ to be added to the BCOA website, but in the meantime, the breeding recommendations are as listed in the announcement that was sent out earlier this year.

Accepted breedings: clear x clear, clear x carrier, clear x affected

Unacceptable breedings: affected x affected, affected x carrier, carrier x carrier

We strongly encourage breeders to test all their potential breeding animals for both Fanconi Syndrome and PRA BJ1. We also encourage all basenji fanciers to participate in the Canine Phenome Project. <http://www.caninephenome.org>

Judges Education

Marianne Klinkowski, Chair

We've had a good year so far with successful seminars in Gettysburg (BCOA) and Louisville (American Canine Educational Foundation) with the upcoming National in Auburn, WA and Houston (Dog Judges Association of America) still to come. Many, many thanks to the dedicated breeders and exhibitors who went out of their way to share their beautiful Basenjjs with interested and grateful prospective judges. On the down side, the seminar scheduled for the American Dog Show Judges Institute in Pennsylvania in August was cancelled as a result of low enrollment in the Hound Group section. We participated in the revision of the black and white tri-fold brochure used in our educational efforts and have received many positive comments on our colorful new illustrated standard. Basenji judges were delighted to receive copies of the compact brochure which was designed to add to their knowledge and understanding of the breed and we will continue to distribute them to prospective and provisional/permit judges. We are always looking for qualified mentors to share their expertise with upcoming judges and invite those who are willing to participate in this worthwhile program to submit the application found on the BCOA website. Our PowerPoint slide show is also a work-in-progress and we ask that you continue to share your wonderful photos of Basenjjs being Basenjjs with our future judges.

Native Stock - Pamela Geoffroy & Damara Bolté Members: Susan Coe, Andrew Sawler and Linda Siekert.

The Native Stock Committee submitted four dogs to the BCOA board for consideration. The 2013 BCOA board approved all four of these dogs to move forward to be voted on with membership ballot 2013-01. Due to the close numbers the BCOA board approved a recount with non BCOA members to review invalid ballots and recount. These are the final results.

*Membership Ballot 2013-01- Avongara Maha Gany and Avongara Nguba

These applicants were approved with a 231 in favor and 81 not in favor from 312 valid ballots. These dogs met the 66.7% to pass with 74.03% in favor. These dogs will proceed to the AKC registration phase.

*Membership Ballot 2013-01 Avuvi Enagnon

This applicant received 204 in favor and 107 not in favor from 311 valid ballots. This dog did not meet the 66.7 % to pass with only 65.59% in favor.

*Membership Ballot 2013-01 Ntomba Mobengi

This applicant received 190 in favor and 121 not in favor from 311 valid ballots. This dog did not meet the 66.7% in favor to pass with only 61.09% in favor.

Performance Events - Suzanne La Croix and Cindy Griswold

The Performance Events Committee has been working for many months on an updated, revised, and greatly enlarged Versatile Basenji program. Much of the expansion has been driven by BCOA members who have asked us to accommodate many new competitive opportunities. The committee is pretty excited about how the new program is evolving. There will be more ways to earn Versatile Basenji awards and many more sports and venues in which to participate. Currently, we continue to review the extensive list of competitive titles available. This is a tedious, but necessary, task that will ensure that the integrity of the award levels are preserved. We are looking forward to sending the completed proposed program to the board for their approval.

Social Media – Clay Bunyard

The committee is creating engaging and informative content to support BCOA outreach and public education efforts using Facebook and YouTube. Face Book activity continues to increase. Affiliate Clubs are encouraged to share club activities on the BCOA Facebook page and build a club page to connect with the basenji community. Breeders can get more exposure via a BCOA Facebook page.

If you have questions or comments contact Clay Bunyard at wisenji@mail.com.

Sunshine –

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Cards were sent to the following:

Byrd, Gilchrist, Weedy, Newton, Voss, Langula, DeFlorio

Dye- Signed the guest book

Unfinished Business

None

New Business

Motion to approach AKC on adding using a ramp to judge basenjis for examination was made by Kyle Cabral, second Vickie Jacobs. During discussions on this motion, before a vote was taken, a call for the quorum count was requested. A Quorum of the membership was not in attendance and the meeting was adjourned.

Submitted by Janet Ketz, BCOA Secretary

Post Meeting Awards:

The Reveille Re-Up Award for Stud Dog producing most champion get for the year was GCh Eldorado's Akuaba One More Time with 15 Champions.

The Diane Colman Award for the top-winning dog in all-breed shows went to GCH CH Jasiri-Sukari Win Tin Tin, Winston.