**Sioux Empire Kennel Club**

**General Membership Meeting**

**February 12, 2019 – 7:00 p.m**.

President Suze Frentz called the meeting to order at 7:45 with introduction of guests, following a herding demonstration by Kris Hurst.

Motion to approve the January minutes by Cassie Benson. Second by Billie Jo Kubat. Motion carried.

***Unfinished Business***

*Classes*

* The next regular class session will start on May 20.
* There will be a 4-week clicker training class starting on April 8.

*Agility Trial*

* Cassie announced that she still needs volunteers to help with the May trial.

*Summer Obedience Trial*

* Kris announced that she has one judge confirmed and one more yet to confirm.

*Fall Show - Suze*

* The committee has just started meeting. All members are welcome to attend the meetings.
* Conformation judges have assigned.

*Scentwork Trial*

* The 2nd scentwork trial is scheduled for March 2&3.
* There are currently 280+ runs signed up, with 500 possible.
* Morgan is recruiting volunteers.

*Barn Hunt*

* There were 12 working spots filled, with an additional 14 people for auditing spots.

*Audit Committee*

* Karen Bos-Carey reported on the recommendations by the committee.
* The committee is confident that Dee has taken due care in managing the club’s finances.
* Members requesting reimbursement will now be required to include a completed expense form with their receipts.

*By-Laws*

* By-laws have been submitted to AKC for their review.

***Other Business***

* A second reading was held for Bonnie Petersen. She was unanimously elected. A first reading was held for James Groskopf.
* Brian Frentz is working with the attorney on the lease.
* We still need someone to take over public relations for the club.

Motion to adjourn by Justin, second by Denise. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Cindy Bailey

SEKC Secretary