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Greater Milwaukee Brittany Club

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The Dog-Gone News



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GMBC AKC Walking Field Trial Ottawa Field Grounds October 8th & 9th, 2011

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Donations are being accepted to pay for a plaque in the Bird Dog Museum for Rob Richter, who died in May of this year. Those who knew Rob were aware of his talent for training and handling dogs as an amateur. He was competitive against the best dogs on the pros' strings. The plaque will cost around \$1200.

As a club, we decided not to make a donation from our treasury, feeling that those who knew Rob would be inclined to make a personal donation to memorialize him.

So...., if you are so inclined, donations can be sent to:

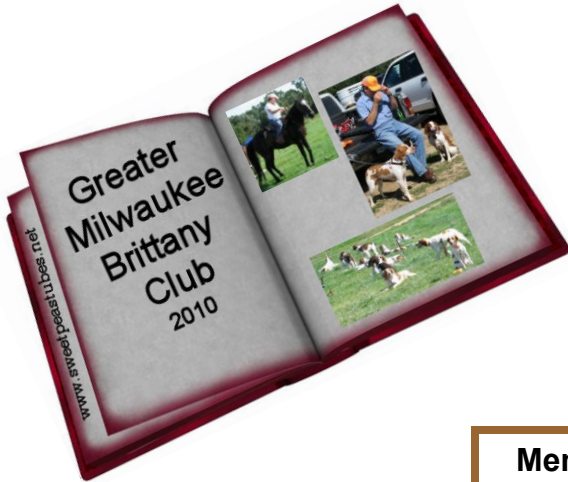
The Bird Dog Foundation, Inc.
Robert "Rob" W. Richter Memorial Plaque
P.O. Box 774
Grand Junction, TN 38039

Credit Card payment is available by phone 731-764-2058. Your contribution is tax deductible to the extent provided by law.

Thank you.

Respectably submitted by Debbie Lewandowski

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*****Membership Dues are \$35.00*****
****Associate Membership is**

Please make checks payable to:
GMBC

Then, Mail checks to:

Julie Asmus
838 W. Milwaukee St.,
Jefferson, WI 53549



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Memberships that are over due or coming due for 2011	
W. Elz, E. McAuliff.....	Jun - 2011
J. Hoff.....	Jul - 2011
N. LeMaster, B. Stevens.....	Aug - 2011
J. George.....	Sep - 2011
E. Mikolajczyk.....	Oct - 2011
S. Bong, K&K Gierl, L&B Thomas, R. Weber.....	Nov - 2011
No renewals for December.....	Dec - 2011
J. Elsa, J&S Ori, A&D Scaffidi.....	Jan - 2012

Julie needs your email addresses! so she can notify members of events &/or send renewal reminders via email. Please include email address with your renewal or email her directly at jwendt88@hotmail.com.

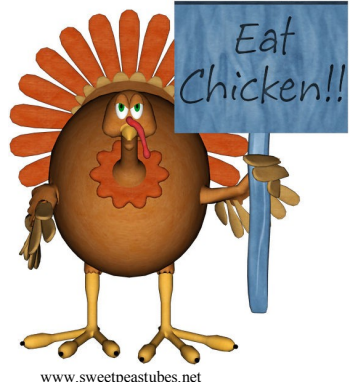
Thank you!

The list above is current according to ABC records. (updated 1/1/10 for ABC 3rd quarter 9/09). ABC would like your check **45 days prior to the 1st of the month** on your expiration date. This means that we must receive your check at least 60, preferably 90, days prior to your renewal date. This will make sure that you don't miss any magazines.

I will try to post renewals 3 months in advance. Remember, you can renew up to 3 yrs. at a time. I would highly recommend this option so that you don't miss any magazines.

GMBC prices were last raised as of January 2005 to \$35 full and \$10 assoc. (please note). This reflects increases by ABC and also increases for insurance, postage, etc.

2 years = \$70	assoc. = \$20
3 years = \$105	assoc. = \$30

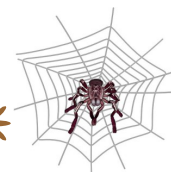


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Anyone overdue 6 months or more are automatically deleted from the membership list.

Therefore, the following have been deleted....

K. Fadness, C. Fuerbringer, P. Tanner, A. Eichman, J. Dawson, M. Perillo, E. Kuipers, P. Sanders, T. Gruszynski, A. Gruszynski, D. Gunderley, T. Lumadu, D&S Beaupre, F&D Lomoro, & E. Rhodes.



ROBERT "ROB" RICHTER MEMORIAL PLAQUE

Time has given us the opportunity to reflect on Rob's meaning to each of us individually and his support of the organizations associated with the sport of field trials. We are asking you to help make it possible to memorialize Rob with a plaque to be hung in the Bird Dog Museum at Grand Junction, TN.

Rob was an impressively successful amateur trainer and handler. He sought out the most competitive events and handled his dogs to wins in National Championships. He won the 1989 National Gun Dog Championship with Perpetuator's Misty Skye. DC/AFC/CH RC's Sundancer was the 1995 Iams All Age Award winner, 2003 elected to the Brittany Field Trial Hall of Fame and 2004 American Brittany Hall of Fame. FC/AFC Rone Ranger was the fourth place winner of the National Amateur All Age Championship. FC/AFC RC's Ruff Ranger, fourth place winner of the National Open Gun Dog Championship and AFC RC's Bitz are his two most recent competitors.

Rob contributed to the sport by giving generously of his time by accepting judging assignments. He was held in high regard by many and he judged not only Brittany trials but also American Field pointer setter trials and many Continental Breed trials. In the past ten years, he averaged four judging assignments a year (AKC records).

Because you have known Rob as a competitor, a judge or friend, I am asking you and your club to make this memorial plaque happen with a contribution to the Robert, "Rob" W. Richter Memorial Fund. Please use the information below to donate.

Tom Burroughs, Member
La Salle Brittany Club
Prairie State Brittany Championship Assoc.
Assoc.

Jim Chase, Member
La Salle Brittan Club
Prairie State Brittany Championship

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Submitted by Debbie Jagielski



The object and purpose of the Greater Milwaukee Brittany Club is to promote cooperation and friendship among breeders and owners of Brittany Dogs.

To encourage higher standards in breeding, training and showing of the Brittany Dog.

To strive to keep it forever a dual dog by preventing a split into groups of 'field dogs' and 'bench dogs.'



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**Greater Milwaukee Brittany Club Minutes
Thursday, September 22, 2011**



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A meeting of the Greater Milwaukee Brittany Club was held on Thursday, September 22, 2011 at the Gander Mountain Store, Franklin WI. The meeting was called to order by President Andy Lewandowski at 6:55pm.

Secretary: Jeff Jarmuskiewicz was present. The secretary's report from the last meeting that was held on Saturday, July 16th 2011 was read and copies were passed out. A motion to pass this report as written was made by Sam Thompson and seconded by Ann Lamb. All were in favor.

Treasurer: Dave Unti was absent. Jeff Jarmuskiewicz was sent a copy of the report. Jeff read the balance from the report - \$10,063.35. The Specialty Show in August had a \$685.01 profit.

1st V.P.: Richard Lamb was present. The fall trial at Bong went well. The Premium for the Walking Trial at Ottawa is now on the website and was emailed to the members.

2nd V.P.: Debbie Jagielski was absent. No Report.

3rd V.P.: Julie Asmus was present. She reported that we had 3 new members since the last meeting; all were at the FFF, and FFT. We voted on members and all in favor. Julie gave cost breakdown on the picnic. Expenses were \$65.76.

Julie is making arrangements at Alioto's for the banquet on January 14th, 2011. A discussion followed. It was decided that we will try to get the bar in the hall open at this year's banquet. There is a \$200 fee but we should be ok as we would need to purchase that amount in drinks at the bar... and then it would be free.

4th V.P.: Jeff Teuteberg was absent. No Report.

Bong Rep.: Andy Lewandowski was present. The cutting is done at Bong. They had a meeting with the Wildlife Federation. Another one is planned with them and the DNR. They are looking for new property for the field trials. They would like to keep it in the SE Wisconsin area.

Ottawa Rep.: Ned Warner was absent. Sam Thompson, President of the Ottawa Assoc. stated that cutting is also finished at Ottawa. The building had some damage but it was repaired.

OLD BUSINESS: No old business.

NEW BUSINESS: We will need a few members for the Nominee Committee. Elections will be held at the January banquet.

Richard Lamb & Joe and Sue Ori would like to know who would be interested in attending a dog training seminar at their place next year. This seminar will be by Rick or Ronnie Smith. No more information is known at this time. Date and cost is also unknown.

A motion to adjourn was made by Sam Thompson and seconded by Dale Hartner. The meeting was adjourned at 8:10 p.m.

Submitted by Jeff Jarmuskiewicz



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Note: *Please renew through me* for GMBC membership because if you send your payment directly to ABC (because you received their yellow card in the mail), I won't know about it for at least 6 months since they are *very slow* with getting updated membership info to me; and then you will still owe the club \$5 to be a full member of GMBC. (They charge \$30 for national club and we charge \$35 to be a member of the National Club PLUS Regional Club (GMBC). The EXTRA \$5 gets you a lot...GMBC newsletter, hunting/field trial training sessions, fun field trials, picnic, banquet, and awards. Whereas "\$30 national only membership" just gets you the ABC magazine (which is included with GMBC membership as well).

Associate membership is basically to include you on the mailing list & NOT be eligible for awards, voting, etc. This is for the spouse/child if one family member is already a full member or if you are already a full member of another club and just want to be on our mailing list.

Any questions, please email or call me (Please see the membership list for phone# & email address).

Thank you,
Julie Asmus, 2nd V.P.



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GMBC Events October 2011 - January 2012	
Greater Milwaukee Brittany - Walking Trial 8:00 a.m.	Oct. 8 & 9th
Awards Banquet & General Member- ship Meeting PLUS Elections!	Jan. 14, 2012
Fun Field Trial, Ottawa 8:30 a.m. (Tentative)	Feb. 25th
Fun Field Trial - Rainy Day alternative (Tentative)	Feb. 26th
AKC Hunt Test - Ottawa 8:00 a.m. (Tentative)	March 17 & 18
AKC Field Trial - Bong 8:00 a.m. (Tentative)	April 7 & 8th
Training Day 8:00 a.m. & Membership Meeting - 11 a.m. (approx) - Ottawa	June 9 & 10th