

ECSCA FTC MINUTES – December 4, 2012

Present: Kim Wiley (Chair/Mid-West), Joe DeMarkis (At-Large), Sue Wilson (South), Olivia Steele-Mortimer (West), John Dartt (At-Large), Robert Griffin (At-Large), Terry Oliver (East) and Sue Rose (Guest),

The agenda was reviewed and approved and the meeting began.

2012 NCC Recap – Terry Oliver

Terry Oliver recapped the NCC discussing some of the difficulties encountered with bird supplies and availability of photographs taken at the National. The bird supply issue was resolved on site and the photograph issue is still being worked on.

Combined Springer/Cocker Field Trials:

Kim Wiley presented a draft of a survey on Combined Springer/Cocker Field Trials. The survey was reviewed. The final draft will be presented at the FTC meeting in January. Once approved by the committee, it will be distributed to the field trial community for input, and to determine if there is enough interest in pursuing this type of trial. The results will be presented to the parent club board. If there has been enough interest in favor of the combined trials, the next step would be to approach the springer parent club and determine their interest. If both clubs are in favor, the final step would be to obtain AKC approval.

NCC Print Protocol:

Vicky Thomas is working on a draft outlining the protocol for the NCC print. She requested that this item be tabled for further discussion until the draft is available in final form at which time it will be presented to the FTC committee.

“How to Run an NCC” Update:

Kim Wiley will present a draft for an NCC Photographer Protocol which will be incorporated in its final form to the “How to Run and NCC” document. The document should serve as a guideline for future NCC photography arrangements.

2013 Spring Field Trials Approved (as of 12/02/2012):

Attached are the field trials approved for spring 2013. Clubs are encouraged to send their trial dates requests soon as many dates are already spoken for. Send requests to Kim Wiley stonewalkercockers@yahoo.com.

Annual ECSCA Board Meeting:

Kim Wiley will be attending the ECSCA Board Meeting Jan 11-12, 2013 in Knoxville, TN.

Olivia & Sue were thanked for their service and the meeting was adjourned.
Respectfully Submitted ~ Sue Wilson

Next Meeting: Tuesday, January 15, 2013 7:00PM CST