

ECSCA FTC MINUTES – December 7, 2010

Present: Buzz Benson (Chair/At-Large), Hob Brown (East), John Dartt (At-Large), Dennis Joannides (At-Large), Tony Roettger (Midwest), Olivia Steele-Mortimer (West), & Sue Wilson (South).

Absent: None

2011-2012 FTC Committee Regional Reps Election:

Tony Roettger and Kim Wiley are running for Midwest Region FTC Committee representative. Ballots are being mailed to ECSCA members within that region who will be making their selection.

Terry Oliver ran unopposed and has been selected as the Eastern Region representative. Olivia Steele-Mortimer (West) and Sue Wilson (South) were un-opposed and have agreed to a second 2-year term.

NCC 2011 Judges:

There were eight names nominated by Clubs who held a cocker field trial in 2010 as NCC 2011 judges. The committee reviewed the names, and pending receipt of one biography voted unanimously to submit all eight (8) names to a vote by owners of qualified dogs.

FTC Committee Chair 2011:

By a vote of approval, the committee selected Buzz Benson to serve as committee chairperson for 2011.

Committee Goals for 2011 Discussion:

Ways were discussed to improve the function of the field trial committee. A written guide needs to be put together for the FTC in order to provide a time line of what needs to be done when, and to provide consistency and better organization.

Criteria for selection of NCC judges and field trial judges need to be developed and is top on the list of things to do for 2011.

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Field Trial Calendar 2011:

2/18 Fri 2/19 Sat - Heart of Texas - Both are Opens.

2/25 Fri 2/26 Sat 2/27 Sun – Texas Cocker of America (ECSCA) – Open, Open, Amateur.

3/12 Sat 3/13 Sun – So CA Sporting Spaniel Club - Both are Opens.

3/25 Fri 3/26 Sat 3/27 Sun - Fox Valley – Open, Open, Amateur.

4/16 Sat 4/17 Sun - Spaniel Association of Western NY

4/16 Sat 4/17 Sun 4/18 Mon - ND Sporting Spaniel Club – Open, Open, Amateur.

4/29 Fri 4/30 Sun 5/1 Mon - Minnesota Hunting Spaniel Association – Open, Open, Amateur

9/30 Fri 10/01 Sat 10/02 Sun - Fox Valley –

Our next meeting: Tuesday 1/18/2011 – 7:00PM CST

Agenda to follow.

Respectfully Submitted,
Sue Wilson