



ALLEN TOWN DOG TRAINING CLUB, INC.

General Meeting Minutes

December 3, 2024

Macungie Park

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**ALLENTOWN DOG TRAINING CLUB
GENERAL MEETING
Date: December 3, 2024
MINUTES**

The meeting was called to order at 6:12PM by President Chuck Achenzie, who noted that there were 50+ members in attendance.

Minutes:

The membership had before it for approval the minutes of the general meeting held on November 13, 2024 which are posted on the website. No corrections or additions were noted. Katie Dyer moved to accept the November 13, 2024 minutes. The motion was seconded by Wilma Brucker Krause . The motions passed by unanimous voice vote.

Treasurer's Report - Linda Eldon:

(see attached page 5)

No corrections or additions were noted to the Treasurer's Report. Mary Minnich moved to accept the Treasurer's Report as submitted. The motion was seconded by Sarah Schrum and the motion passed by unanimous voice vote.

Correspondence – Kathryn Dyer:

A letter from AKC was received. Our fall trial has been approved and set.

Federation – Edie Rysdyk:

No Report

Membership Report – Debbie Achenzie:

The following Membership information will be presented at the General Meeting on 12/3/2024

First Readings ... Please mark present or not present for the minutes.

Johanna Townsend absent
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Orefield, PA 19069
Gordon Setter
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Newsletter – Jacqui Hartranft & Stacey Nash:

Jacqui Hartranft announced the deadline for the next newsletter is due December 25th. Jacqui requested that members send their brags and pictures to be published in the Newsletter. Please send information and pictures to Stacey Nash: staceyhayesnash@gmail.com or Jacqui Hartranft: japhart@ptd.net

Sunshine committee Sherry Hanley

No report

Nominations - Katie Dyer

Slate for 2025 Board of Directors will be read and nominations for all Board positions will be accepted from the membership. (2025 Nominations page 7)

A motion to close the nominations was made by Mary Minnich. Wilma Brucker Krause seconded the motion and the motion was passed by unanimous voice vote.

Christmas Party - Chuck Achenzie and Bill Springer:

Thank you to Bill and Dusty Springer and Debbie Achenzie for organizing this year's Christmas Party. Also thank you all members who arrived early and helped setup for party and those that stayed and helped to clean up.

Awards and Recognition - Judy Lasso and Pat Gombocz

Deadline for submitting your request for an award earned during 2024 is December 31st. Form can be found in the newsletter and on the website. If you earned a title and have not yet received the certificate, you can still include that on your form, just remember to send a copy of the certificate when you get it.

Trophies - Cris Courduff

Cris is working on all the trophy donations for next year's shows. Form for donating towards the trophy fund can be found in the newsletter, and there are paper copies in the training area upstairs in Macungie Park building. Please consider donating. The club needs to purchase new OTCH and RACH ribbons.

There was a 50/50 drawing held at the Christmas party to raise money for the Trophies fund.

Point Show – Gail James

The dates have been approved and set for the fall shows. Judge panel for the Spring show are also set.

We have enough stewards for the LV shows December 11 & 12, thank you to everyone that volunteered.

Old Business:

Cris Courduff read a yearly recap on behalf of the Donations Committee. She explained how the committee decided on the organizations and how the money was distributed among the three deserving organizations. Thank you letters from both Bethlehem Police Department and Tails of Valor were read during the meeting by Sue Sacco.

President Chuck Achenzie thanked the Donations Committee for all their work this year.

New Business:

A card and donation of thanks was given to Amy Hilligas for all she does for ADTC.

Amy Hilligas thanked ADTC for always respecting Macungie Park building and its outside grounds.

GENERAL BUSINESS

- The next Board meeting will be held on January 26, 2025 at 6:00PM. in Macungie Hall.
- The next General Meeting will be held on January 8, 2025, at 7:00 PM Inside at Macungie Park
- Don't forget our Staples number is 610-439-2800

Braggs:

4 Members shared brags. Congratulations to everyone that shared their achievements.

Adjournment:

There being no further business before the general membership Sue Sacco moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Pat McAnally.

The motion passed by unanimous voice vote.

President, Chuck Achenzie adjourned the meeting at 6:36PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Tracy Krapf, Recording Secretary

ADTC GENERAL MEETING TREASURER'S REPORT
Income/Expense by Category - December 03, 2024

11/13/2024 through 12/03/2024

Category	11/13/2024	21/03//2024
INCOME		
Dues	\$	590.00
Investments	\$	143.25
Trophy Point Show May 2025	\$	30.00
Training Income	\$	2,448.00
Xmas Party	\$	165.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$	3,376.25
EXPENSES		
Insurance - Club Liability	\$	(828.00)
Misc. Expenses	\$	(242.09)
Point Show - November 2024 Expenses	\$	(775.08)
Rent & Expenses	\$	(1,652.18)
Telephone	\$	(63.11)
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$	(3,560.46)
OVERALL TOTAL - PROFIT		<u><u>-\$184.21</u></u>

Training Director's Report November 13, 2024

Class will be held this week, December 4 & 5

No classes December 11 & 12 for Star of Bethlehem Dog shows at Ag Hall

No classes December 25 & 26 for Christmas holiday

No classes January 1 & 2 for New Year's holiday

The current class schedule will now end on January 23rd.

2025 Nominations for Board of Directors

President – Gail James

Vice President – Chuck Achenzie

Recording Secretary – Tracy Krapf

Corresponding Secretary – Katie Dyer

Treasurer – Linda Eldon

Training Director – Terry Papineau

Directors –

Debbie Achenzie

Edie Rysdyk

Steve Markowitz

Sherry Hanley

Lili Sanderlin