



# MISSISSIPPI HEADWATERS HUNTING RETRIEVER CLUB



## MEETING MINUTES

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Date: January 9, 2025

Meeting called to order: 5:37 P.M.

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### IN ATTENDANCE

Budd Denny, Becky Denny, Larry Kruft, Emily Yliniemi, Doug Hood, Sharon Nordrum, Jerrie Olson, Ernie Heifort, Dennis Berglund, Robert Chance, Kristi Coughlon

### NEW MEMBERS

None

### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes from the December 5, 2024 meeting were read and approved.

- Sharon Nordrum 1<sup>st</sup>
- Larry Kruft 2<sup>nd</sup>.

### TREASURERS REPORT

Checking: \$12,345.14

CD: \$11,830.72

### PRESIDENTS REPORT

1. Ernie Attended the Greater Minnesota Hunt Test Association Annual Meeting
  - The State bought Kelly Farms (Metro Area)
  - 300 Acres will be designated for dog clubs to use for training, testing and field-trialing.

- No fee from Greater MN Hunt Test. They are asking for \$25.00 to CMRC to go towards building fund.
- There will be a DNR pond.

## COMMITTEE REPORT

1. **Suggested** Hunt Test Fees this year.
  - \$65.00 - \$80.00 for Junior
  - \$75.00 - \$90.00 for Senior
  - \$85.00 - \$100.00 for Master
2. Game Fair - ? Clubs do demos
3. Ducks will cost \$18.00 each this year. Guaranteed no Bird Flu.
4. April CMRC is the same day as our Informal.
5. **2025 Hunt test fees will be as follows:**
  - \$75.00 - Junior
  - \$85.00 - Senior
  - \$110.00 - Master
  - \$110.00 - Qualifying
6. New fees were voted on.
  - 1st - Jerrie Olson
  - 2nd - Doug Hood
7. Event Dates

2025 MISSISSIPPI HEADWATERS HUNTING RETRIEVER CLUB TEST DATES						
MONTH	TEST DATES	TEST	STAKE	STAKE	STAKE	STAKE
JULY	11, 12, 13	FIELD TRIAL	AMATEUR	OPEN		
JULY	18, 19, 20	HUNT TEST	O/H QUALIFYING	MASTER	SENIOR	JUNIOR
JULY	29, 30	MIDWEEK HUNT TEST	MASTER	SENIOR		

\*\*2025 Optional: Double Qualifier and Derby - **CANCELLED**

## **NEW BUSINESS**

1. Donation from the club in Brian Comfort's name.
  - 3 puppies donated by Meagan Comfort to 3 Club Members for basic training. The puppies will be sold as Started. Funds will go to a charity of Meagan's choice.
2. Judges Seminar to be held at Luekens North Meeting Room on February 1st, 2025
3. Camping at Bergamo campground near Anderson's will be added to the Premium.
4. Dennis Berglund will repair Wingers. He will be reimbursed by the club.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

1. Ernie Heifort has officially resigned as the Club President.
2. The Club 4-wheeler has a leak that needs repairing. Agreed to repair – Dennis & Doug looked at it / added oil / seems fine / Ran terribly today / Parked in shed to be looked at later.
3. Purchasing a Port-a-Potty for the Club was discussed. Ernie H. will check on purchase options. – None are for sale. Call back after Thanksgiving.
4. To keep the date but not hold the event, pay \$75.00 to HRC. Will be paid in February
5. Discuss if the Club feels it is justifiable to continue with HRC. Will discuss this with Dennis Anderson to see if he is interested or not.
6. Dues increased to \$100.00 for individuals as well as families.
  - Entry fees will increase \$10.00 for each event in 2025.
  - \$50.00 refund if members work an 8 hour shift at an event.

## **REPORTS**

None at this time

## **MEETING ADJOURNED**

January 9, 6:22 P.M