

Rainier Hunting Retriever Club

August 1, 2023

Attendance: Betsy Reali, Doug Gullucci, Jean Fowler, Susan Bell, Bill Woll, Kevin Medved. **Absent:** Sue Meying, Lee Redd, Liz Gibson, Jim Olson

President Betsy convened the meeting at 6:36 PM. The July minutes were approved as written with a date correction for this meeting.

Treasurer Report (Lee Redd): Lee was not available for this meeting.

Old/New Business –

Master National Voting: Voting on the first proposal (Qualifier Model) is due August 10. As determined at the last meeting, RHRC will be voting as follows: Qualifier Model – No; Regional Nationals – No; 6 of 8 Model – Yes. These votes reflect feedback the board has received from RHRC members.

Hunt Test Job Descriptions: This is a work in progress. Several people are collaborating on the development of these job descriptions. On August 18 the Tri-Club members will be meeting to work on the documents. We will have accurate and clear job descriptions to begin the 2024 Hunt Test Season.

Hunt Test – August 12/13, 2023

Equipment Trailer: We will need someone to move the Equipment Trailer closer to Headquarters on Friday, August 11. It will be moved by someone on site who has the appropriate trailer hitch.

Burlap Bags: Still need confirmation on the procurement of the Burlap Bags for the Hunt Test.

Bird order: Lee will be confirming the arrival of the birds on August 2.

Workers: Still short. We must meet the age requirement (16 y/o) for those who work a Pop and Throw station. This is an issue of liability with our insurance (Equisure).

Gunners: Bill Woll reports that there are plenty of gunners available. (Boyd Ulsh/Pete Szilare; Don West/Scott Corley/Bill Woll)

Marshal: Still need test dogs for Junior and Master. Susan will run Keeper as junior TD.

Stake Chair: Misalyn is Stake Chair for Master. Workers are still needed.

Lunches: Prepared by Holly Krohn and Julie Chakin

Judges Gifts/Dinner: Gifts by Lee Redd are done; dinner will consist of pizza and salad, dessert, drinks

Event Catalogs: 70 have been ordered from Hunt Test Secretary.

Event Sign: We need a new Event sign to be displayed at the entrance to the test site. Betsy will get letters to put on the folding board.

Sanitary Facilities: Provided by Will Hart

Food Truck/Raffle

Bill has arranged for the food truck to be on the grounds on Saturday at 3 PM. We have many desirable items for the Raffle. High value items will be a Pheasant Hunt, entries to 3 Hunt Tests, a

Dummy Launcher and more. These items will be given away with the sale of playing cards. \$20/card for the pheasant hunt; \$10/card for the other expensive items. The rest will be raffled off with raffle tickets drawn on Saturday evening. It is hoped that Tracy Redd will host the raffle tent.

Purina Dog Food: Dianne Clark has contacted Purina and we will be receiving a lot of “give-away” dog food.

There were no additional agenda items, and the meeting was adjourned at 7:49 PM
The next meeting will be held by Zoom at 6:30 PM on September 5, 2023.

Respectfully submitted, Jean Fowler, RHRC Secretary