

**MHGDC Board Meeting Minutes**  
**8/15/06**

The meeting of the MHGDC Board of Directors was called to order at 7:00 PM.

**Board Members Present:** Joann Kish, Wayne Frederickson, Al Gadoury, Sam Robinson, Larry Michnevich, Kyle Barner, Mark Donovan, Pat Dillon, and Scott Benowitz.

**President's Report:** None

**Secretary's Report:** Minutes were read from the 6/20/05 meeting, and approved.

**Treasurer's Report:** 2-yr CD-\$12,286, checking - \$7,401. Deposits made for 2007 birds: 25% of purchase price for quail, chukars, and pheasants.

**Pointers:** Training Thursday afternoons. July fun trial results: 1<sup>st</sup> – Darleen Donovan/Rusty; 2<sup>nd</sup> – Art Van Hull/Rosey; 3<sup>rd</sup> – Dale Sweitzer/Pie. AKC pointer walking field trial open to all pointing breeds, Aug 27 at training grounds. NSTRA trials last two weekends in August. Contact Mark Donovan for locations (out of area) and entry details.

**Spaniels:** Training Saturday mornings. August fun trial results: 1<sup>st</sup> – Greg Johnson/Tory; Randy Setzer/Chance; Al Gadoury/Midnight. AKC hunt test Aug 26-27 at Grey Cliff Ranch/Headwaters Upland Game. Contact Kyle Barner or Tracey Setzer for details.

**Retrievers:** Pat Dillon to demonstrate retriever dogs at Big Sky Ducks Unlimited Green Wing event in Big Sky, Saturday 19.

**Unfinished Business:**

Any news to be published in newsletter to be submitted to Tracey within 7 days of regularly scheduled Board meetings. Newsletter to be published by the 1st of the month following regularly scheduled Board meetings.

Be sure to renew bird permits in January.

December meeting – invite vet to discuss recent changes to vaccination programs. Scott will contact Gordon Hardaway.

Annual banquet – still talking about how we can liven up the event. Veda Barner offered to host the event. Kyle will find out more details and report back. Location to be determined ASAP, given that King Tool is up for sale. Suggestions are Gallatin Gateway Community Center, Lindley Center, Elks, Gran Tree, SUB.

Each group needs to determine annual awards to be presented at Annual Meeting.

Reverse 6/20/06 Board decision – MHGDC ESS member club officers will be listed on any premium for AKC ESS hunt tests and field trials, rather than MHGDC officers.

**New Business:**

Board voted to once again purchase a bronze sponsorship to Bid Sky Chapter Ducks unlimited.

The meeting adjourned at 9:00 PM.