



## Southern Indiana Golden Retriever Club

S.I.G.R.C News Letter August 1, 2007

**Present:** Evelyn, Polly, Dick, Nancy, Barb, Dave, Sue, Faye, Steve, John

**Treasurer's Report: \$1415.09 in Flash: Costs, Max \$35.50 Pete \$52.20 and another \$65.00, Bowls and treats \$21.90. Income \$200 for Murphy WC \$33.34, \$100 Jenny Browning, raffle \$107. Balance in FLASH, 1,667.74.**

**SIGRC \$1498.82, Income WC \$225.00**

**Costs, \$9.44 postage for bags, \$257.00 insurance, eye and heart note below. Balance in SIGRC \$1676.92**

**Eye and Heart Clinic:** Hearts 63, \$1575.00, Eyes 117, \$2925, chips \$378. Dinner \$103. mileage \$520. (1040 miles round trip) plus breakfast cost of \$25.00. Total to Drs. \$5721.00 (was hotel included in this?) Our profit was \$219.63 made entirely on the chips.

There was much discussion over finding new Drs for next year, including setting a lower mileage rate, a fixed amount for food per day and for a hotel.

The clinic went well. Polly is owed big thanks for all her hard work. No complaints re the cost of the fees from any of those who came.

Evelyn and Barb will look into calling other doctors for costs and for those located closer to home. They will have this by the September meeting. Sue will get us the approved lists of Doctors. Club will approve a simple contract for same. Evelyn will draft something to bring to September meeting.

**Fundraisers:** Sell football tickets. See Dick if you need more. Mail those sold to Nancy. The tickets cost \$20 with the club getting \$14.

We may be able to do something at the Louisville show per Zack.

EW mentioned the huge Alvord Blvd yard sale. We could participate next year so please be saving your things for that.

**Grants:** Evelyn brought a list of local groups who support dog clubs and who do not advertise but invite you to request. One is the Chancellor fund. Group noted Helen does know them. E will try and draft a letter for Helen to send to them.

**Rescue:** Pratt and Whitney, Whitney is coming here. Faye is picking him up. He will need heart worm treatment. He is 3 and one half. Pratt is going to New England for ACL operation.

Pete has a new home. He will be going home on Saturday. Maggie is back at animal control in Washington IN.

Steve asked that John put the photos of the rescues up before the form. John will do.

**New Business:** Barb felt we needed to do some volunteer work at VHS since they are so good re contacting us.

**Christmas Party:** Sue will check on F's in Newburgh. Evelyn will check on Biaggis. It will be the second Sunday in December.

Braggs: Stanley best of winners at Owensboro on Friday. He took first place on Sunday in Am bred. Stella placed all 3 days. Hutch went winner's dog on Sat. 2nd on Sunday.

**The next meeting is Wednesday, September 5 at 7:00 at the Roca Bar** (Evelyn and Wells will be at the Cape. We will need a volunteer to take notes.)