

Carolina PBGV Club Meeting
June 16, 2026, 7:00 PM ET
Via Zoom

Minutes

Attendees

Charles Johnson	Kevin MacDonald
Sharon Kimble	Bev Seffrin
Nick Reading	Mary Fluke
Pat Reading	Judy Stone
Paul Urban	Betty White

I. Call to order – Sharon Kimble, Secretary/Treasurer

Sharon called the meeting to order at 7:06 pm.

II. Treasurer's Report – Sharon Kimble, Secretary/Treasurer

- a. Bank account balance as of 5/31/2026: \$6,273.65
- b. No significant expenses or income expected until Hunt Tests begin in the Fall.

III. 2026-2027 Carolina Hunt Tests - Sharon Kimble, Secretary/Treasurer

- a. December 4-6, 2026, Tarheel Beagle Club – Hunt Chair Paul Urban, Hunt Trial Secretary Vickie Willmann
 - i. Paul is nearly finished with the Premium. The last thing on his list is contacting the hotel for a block of rooms.
 - ii. Confirmed judges include: Nick Reading, Tony Childs, Cheryl Champion, Kevin MacDonald, and Mary Fluke. Paul and Vickie can fill in, if needed.
 - iii. Paul asked if the club members wanted to have dinner during the meeting at the Beagle Club. All agreed that they did. Pat Reading agreed to be the Hospitality Chair. Sharon will reach out to Keith at Tarheel to inquire about their experience with pizza delivery. If Phyllis attends, she may want to assist with hospitality or can provide information to help Pat.
 - iv. The Beagle club will provide lunch on both days. Expected cost is \$10 per person; we can confirm.
 - v. Carole Urban will assist with the raffle.
- b. January 15-17, 2027, Tokeena Beagle Club –Hunt Chair (needed), Hunt Trial Secretary (needed)
 - i. The PBGVCA website currently lists Coady Egan as Hunt Chair. We will ask Vickie about this to confirm.
 - ii. We had a brief discussion about which field at Tokeena. After some discussion, club members agreed that the Old Grove (Field B) has been a good field with plenty of rabbits.
- c. March 12-14, 2027, Tokeena Beagle Club – Hunt Chair Sharon Kimble, Hunt Trial Secretary Vickie Willmann

- i. Based on the discussion, we plan to use the Old Grove (Field B) for this hunt test.
- ii. Sharon will start working on the premium soon.

IV. Other Upcoming Events – Sharon Kimble, Secretary/Treasurer

- a. Sharon briefly discussed the two upcoming events below.
 - i. Hanover Kennel Club/Mid-Atlantic Hound Association Show – October 9-11, 2026, Wilmington, NC. The Carolina PBGV club is supporting entry for this show. Sharon encouraged club members to consider entering this show. The club also sponsored rosettes for Winners Dog and Winners Bitch on Saturday.
 - ii. 2027 National/Regional Specialty – February 16-23, 2027, Purina Farms, Eureka, MO. The National Hunt will be held at the Eastern MO Beagle Club, in Troy, MO. Information about the show is posted on PBGVCA website. Patty Bateman is the Show Chair this year.

V. Old Business – Sharon Kimble, Secretary/Treasurer

- a. Volunteers needed:
 - i. Board of Directors Nomination Committee Chair – July/August
 - 1. Mary Fluke volunteered to be on the Nomination Committee. She is willing to Chair the committee, if needed.
 - ii. Hunt Event Committee – January Chair & Trial Secretary, Members – August/September
 - iii. Board of Directors 2027 – Officer Positions, Director-at-Large

VI. Open Discussion/New Business – All

- a. We had a brief discussion about information coming out about the New World Screw Worm. Mary shared that most flea and tick preventatives kill screw worm. She recommended talking with your veterinarian if you have concerns or if you want to confirm that what you are using is effective on screw worm.
- b. Mary shared that she is on the Make A Plan Committee. The Committee is working on ways to ensure that your dogs are taken care of in an emergency. This might include what type of documentation you have on hand when traveling with your dogs, responsible people to contact in case of an emergency, etc. If club members have ideas, plans they've made, share them with Mary. The Committee will share what they collect in Saber Tails and on the PBGVCA website.

VII. Adjourn

Kevin made a motion to adjourn; Betty seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 7:28 PM ET.

Next Meeting

September - date TBA

7:00 PM ET

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