



COLORADO FOOTHILLS RETRIEVER CLUB

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President's Message: February 2015

Hello Everyone,

I hope everyone 2014 was a good year. Our club events were successful, and I want to thank everyone that helped with all the events last year. I am looking forward to a successful and fun filled year again this year.

Our annual meeting took place on January 18, 2015. We had a good turnout at the meeting. Enjoyed all the great food that was provided for the potluck. Thank you to everyone that has stepped up to serve as board members for the year.

Treasurer's report from Carol shows we did well at both tests and had a profit. With that being said, we have decided to purchase some equipment for our upcoming tests. We will purchase 3 Thunder Guns for the club this year. A new tire is required for the trailer, some new chairs, several umbrellas, and umbrella stands for our hunt tests. Randy has offered to weld us some stands for the new guns once they have been purchased. Brian and Jennifer have offered to let us use their Thunder Gun at the test as an extra.

Left Hand Lake: We will be renewing our lease this year again with the landowners of LHL. As soon as we have the information available we will provide it to our members. We will start out the season hosting a club-training day at LHL.

Spring Test: Will be held at Teal Lodge; 1 Master (limited to 60 entries), 1 Senior and 1 Junior Test. Set-up date would be 22nd May, with Tests starting on Saturday May 23rd and 24th. We do not have a Chairman for this test yet, and would appreciate a volunteer. Dennis Long has already volunteered to judge Master.

Fall Test: Will be held at Stillroven Farms, August 22-23rd with set-up on August 21st. Chairman: Gabriele Cheatham.

Training Day: At the Brady's to be announced for March.

Look forward to seeing everyone again at our Training Day once we set the date. Happy training while the days are nice and sunny.

Gabriele

2015

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We give dogs time we can spare, space we can spare and love we can spare. In return, dogs give us their all. It's the best deal man has ever made. - M. Ackklam

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL *Annual Dues*

At our annual meeting it was voted upon that the membership fee would be increased to \$30. This would also include that the member would agree to work a total of 10 hours at any of the hunt tests that we host (the hours can be split). If the member chooses not to work the 10 hours that option is available as well, but the membership fee would then be \$45 for the year (please check that option on the membership application if you choose this option). Membership applications are located on our website. Please remit your annual dues to Carol Brady, Treasurer, Colorado Foothills Retriever Club, 1100 S Quail Run Road, Watkins, CO 80137



We would like to take this opportunity to welcome our new members to the club

Welcome to Jim Litton, looking forward to having him as a new member. He is the owner of two labs.

Upcoming Events: All entries for hunt tests are on www.entryexpress.net

March, 2015: Training Day at the Brady's date to be announced

April 25-26, 2015: Albuquerque Retriever Club 2015 Spring Hunt Test/Labrador Retriever Club of Albuquerque Spring Test

May 1-3, 2015: Ft. Collins Hunt Test

May 9-10, 2015: Grand Valley Retriever Club 2015 Hunt Test

May 23-24, 2015: Bearpoint Kennel Snake Clinic

May 23-24, 2015: Colorado Foothills Retriever Club Spring Test

