Ohio Curly-Coated Retriever Club
Membership Meeting
August 9, 2026
Via Zoom

DRAFT – NOT YET APPROVED

Members Present

Andy Ayers
Sue Davis
Jennifer Edlind
Ellen Manes
Kara Miller
Duncan Moir

Sue called the meeting to order at 7:40 PM.

President's Report
We have been approved as an AKC-licensed club to hold conformation shows. AKC has the right to divide our territory if another club starts in Ohio.

Vice President's Report
No report.

Secretary's Report
Ellen moved to accept the minutes from the June membership meeting as written; Jenn seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Treasurer's Report
Andy shared that we have $2314.97 on deposit and a deposit pending of $626, for a total of $2940.97. We made over $500 on the specialty. Two new people submitted membership applications and made two donations. Andy will send a letter to these two individuals letting them know we will vote on their membership at our next meeting in October. We made $40 from the Beaver County Kennel Club from the entries. Andy will send out dues statements in September and include a PayPal link. If the website is up and running by then, we will also have a link there for people to pay dues.

Unfinished Business

Designated Specialty

Sue shared that we had a great reception and thanked everyone who assisted. The AKC representative questioned Sue about a few things but gave us a good report. Andy thanked Sue for all her work on the specialty and getting our club approved as an AKC licensed club.

Website

Jenn shared that Lorrie Raymond is working on the website and plans to get it up and running by September. She asked members to please submit pictures for the website.

Fit Walk

Sue thanked Jenn for putting it together; there were 4 dogs present and those attending had a good time. We would like to do more of these so if anyone is interested in hosting one in the fall please let Sue know.

Fetch Newsletter

Sue thanked Penny and Jenn for their work on the newsletter. Please send pictures and brags by the middle of August. Jenn will put out a reminder to the membership.

New Business

Nominating Committee

Sue noted that we will need to form a Nominating Committee. The Nominating Committee will need to contact current Board Members to ask if they are willing to serve another term. Sue will send an email to the membership asking for volunteers.

2027 Specialty

Ellen and Sue are Co-Chairs of the 2027 CCRCA National Specialty which will be in Canfield. We will be looking for someone to chair the OCCRC specialty during that show cluster.

Fall Activities

Sue asked if there were any preferences for fall activities. There was some conversation about interest in a Fetch test at Canfield; Sue suggested we think about this for next Spring given the lead time required by the AKC.

Curlyville

There may be an opportunity to host Curlyville in Ohio next year.

Sue will send an email to the membership asking for volunteers for the nominating committee and for someone to volunteer to host a Fit Walk in the fall.

Next Meeting

The next OCCRC Membership Meeting will be held **Sunday, October 18th, at 7:30 PM** (pushed back one week due to the CCRCA National Specialty).

Andy made a motion to adjourn the meeting; Ellen seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 PM.