



## Newsletter May 2006

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The May 16, 2006 meeting of The Pacific Rim Maltese Club was called to order by President Char Woltner at 6:05 p.m. at the Wilsonville Izzy's.

Members present were Char Woltner, Sharon Brunner, Sharon Binger, Carrie and Jeff Dorn, Shirley Gerhard, Cheiri Lucas, Eileen Bent and Joanne McKinley.

### President Report:

Char will be meeting with Erin at the Red Lyon on June 6, 2006 to go over the menu for our Banquet. We are also working on Favors for the show.

### Secretary's Report:

The minutes from the last meeting were read and approved. Jo Anne will only be able to be the secretary until September. Sharon Binger will take her place in September.

### Treasurers Report:

Checking: \$3624.15. Savings: \$3428.39.

After some discussion there was a motion made to change the meeting time to 6:30 p.m. so that everyone had a chance to come to the meeting and not miss anything. Motion was seconded and approved.

There were no committee reports. We talked about purchasing figurines by Yvonne Baden for the show. Motion was made and seconded to purchase one large and two small figurines for Trophies.

Due to unforeseen circumstance, Jo Anne McKinley will be taking over as Show Chairman for Valley Brands.

Sharon Brunner will be taking over as Secretary this Fall.

With no further business the meeting was adjourned at 6:37pm.

The next meeting will be June 20, 2006 at 6:30 p.m. at the Wilsonville Izzy's.

## MAY BRAGS

I am very proud to say that my foundation bitch, Debbie's Precious Angel, is now officially a ROM. She recently received this AMA recognition. Angel was my first show dog and although she is pointed I did not complete her Championship. If I knew then what I know now about showing I certainly could have finished her but at the time I really knew very little about presenting a dog in the ring and I chose to move forward with breeding her to a quality male.

Angel only had three litters with two in each litter so 50% of her progeny are now Champions. It took awhile to get the last one as my Gracie, Jacob's Perfect Grace, had an accidental pregnancy with only three single points needed for her Championship. After crying for days I clipped Gracie down and resigned myself to foregoing her Championship. However, I grew her back out and she finished in January (she has a Son, Ch Jacob's Chase N Fame, who got his Championship before

his Mom did). Gracie's Championship gave Angel her ROM. Angel also has three "Grand-progeny" who have completed their Championship and several more following behind. She has given my breeding program a wonderful foundation and filled my life with love. She shares my bed each night and I my heart sings when I hear her snoring away content as the "granddame of our home." Thanks for sharing my joy in this accomplishment.

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his Sunday school lesson.