



International Dobermann Club

IDC Conference

Tapioszentmarton Hungary

September 8th, 2017 -10:00 Uhr

Meeting minutes

1. IDC 2017 Conference: Opening and welcome at 10:10am

IDC President – Mr. Hans Wiblishauser – opened the meeting by welcoming all attendees with a word of gratitude for their participation. Special thanks go to the Dobermann Association Hungary, led by President Tamas Dohoczki, for the hospitality, the organization and realization of 2 events: the IDC Conference and the IDC-Siegershow 2017. IDC President Mr Wiblishauser asks DAH President Dohoczki to pass these words of gratitude to the whole team on his behalf. IDC President Mr. Wiblishauser also expressed his appreciation to A.I.A.D. President Dr. Polifrone and team for organizing an excellent IDC Conference in 2016 despite the difficult circumstances. This event was overshadowed by the sudden death of the unforgotten Dr. Pezzano shortly before the event.

All participants stand to commemorate the departed IDC members.

2. Attendance (countries represented) and voting rights

Secretary Mr. Beunekens runs over the participant list. He confirms 21 member states are present and voting. He repeats that as of 2018 only pre-registered delegates can participate in the Conference. Per country, only 1 delegate with 1 companion (*subject to registration*) are allowed.

3. Meeting minutes of the IDC 2016 in Italy

Meeting minutes of the IDC 2016 Conference held in Italy was sent to all member states by e-mail before the 2017 conference and has been approved unanimously (*no abstinences*).

4. Secretary Mr Roland Beunekens

4.1 Member / Attendance Form Cash Report / IDC Finances

Shortly after taking over the IDC secretary in 2016 Mrs. Gaia Santangelo regrettably resigned office. Mr Beunekens took over this time-consuming work from Mrs. Santangelo. He insists on communicating the correct contact details by completing the contact details that were sent to all IDC members – especially the e-mail address is key.

4.2 E-mail addresses

Mr. Beunekens remarked that some members seem to have time to complain about not receiving e-mails but fail to find time to report the correct e-mail addresses whenever changes occur. Mr Beunekens invites all members to contact him directly in case of questions or complaints instead of making detours by contacting other people. All data is available through the IDC website and should be checked by the members on a regular basis. If changes occur, these should be reported without delay.

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5. Cash Report → Financial statement

5.1 IDC Finances

Mr Beunekens gave insight in the annual accounts. After approval of the annual accounts, the meeting decided to grant discharge to the directors. This decision was unanimous. Mr Beunekens requested all member states to pay their membership dues before the installed deadline of May 1st of each corresponding year. This to accommodate for the World Cup participants. Apparently, some member states did not (yet) implement this decision.

5.2 Outstanding to date were: Russia, Cyprus (Russia paid at the congress) . The board of Directors decided unanimously that – in case of late payment of membership dues:

- 1. The concerned country will not be granted authorization to organize ZTP**
- 2. Participants from the concerned country will not be allowed to start at the IDC World Championship**

5.3 Mr Beunekens reminded the attendees that IDC members who organize an IDC World Championship, IDC Conference and IDC Siegershow can receive an additional bonus of 500 EUR, if all organizational requirements are successfully met.

6. IDC membership

6.1 New members, applications: Scotland, Azerbaijan, Turkey

Mr Beunekens announced that the Associated Members, Poland, Slovenia, the Netherlands 2, after the expiry of the two-year deadline, were unanimously accepted as IDC full members since 2016. Unfortunately this was not documented in the meeting minutes. Three new applications are pending and alle candidates are represented (either by the chapter president or a delegate).

1. Scotland

Represented by delegate Mrs. Lynn Glass.

Mrs. Glass gave a short status update about the Dobermann-Club in Scotland.

She explained the club wants to subscribe to the rules and regulations, and comply with decisions of the IDC and adopt disciplines and ZTP.

Obviously they also recognize and implement the Dobermann breeding standard.



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2. Azerbaijan

Represented by the President of the Dobermann Club of Azerbaijan, Dr. Agabeyli Zaur.

Mr. Agabeyli gave a short status update about the Dobermann Club.

He promised that the Dobermann Club of Azerbaijan will comply with the regulations and decisions, as well as the disciplines and the breeding suitability test / ZTP and will recognize and implement the Dobermann breed standard.

3. Turkey

Represented by the President of the Turkish Dobermann Club, Mr Seref.

Mr. Seref introduced his club and assures the meeting that the regulations and decisions, as well as the breeding suitability test will be followed ; and that the Dobermann breed standard will be recognised and implemented.

The meeting welcomed the new candidates with applause.

Mr. Beunekens confirmed that these new candidate members are granted the status of Associate members for two years. After this 2 year period, full membership will be subject to a vote, given they have a representative present at that meeting. In addition, these Associate members have the permission to organize "starter ZTP" until 2022. For this "starter ZTP", dogs can enter without parents HD required. (see ZTP order). After this period, normal ZTP regulations apply.

Voting Results:

1. Scotland - Provisional admission - unanimously (without abstention)
2. Azerbaijan - Provisional admission - unanimously (without abstention)
3. Turkey - Provisional admission - unanimously (without abstention)

IDC President Mr. Wiblishauser addressed a warm welcome to these new Associate members.

6.2 Exclusions : South Africa, for non payment of dues 2015/2016/2017

Mr. Wiblishauser, on behalf of the entire board of directors, deeply regrets the withdrawal of South Africa from the IDC. Especially given the merits of the deceased IDC secretary and president of the Dobermann Club of South Africa ; Helmut Redtenbacher.

7. Annual Report of the IDC President : Mr. Wiblishauser Hans

8. Annual Report of the IDC Breed Warden : Mr. Daube Norbert

9. Annual Report of the IDC Working Warden : Mr. Cohnen Willi

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10. Motions and other items:

10.1 Latvia proposed to allow cropped dogs in IDC shows till 2024.

Decision : REJECTED

See attachment to these meeting minutes that was read by Mr. Beunekens

10.2 Finland reported on DCM investigations and distributed statistics.

Mr. Wiblishauser asked the delegates whether these examinations are sufficiently documented.

The delegate replied that the evaluations are based only on their own entries by dog owners on the internet - without verifiable evidence or findings.

10.3 Mr Wiblishauser explains the difficult conditions the event organiser had to cope with, mainly because of late entries. Unfortunately all previous suggestions did not significantly improve this. Therefore he suggests the following :

"To set the registration fee at double the amount for all exhibitors whose notification (s) are received at the registration office after the fixed second deadline (24:00 hours)." Example:

1. Registration: 01.01. - Entry fee: € 50,00 p. dog

2. Notification: 15.01. - Registration fee: € 70,00 p. dog

Later incoming messages: € 140,00 p. Dog

(The organizing committee can decide to reject late registrations)

Vote: Unanimous *(without abstention)*

10.4 Mr. Wiblishauser asked Mr. Becht to clarify prerequisites for participation in ZTP.

As of Jan 1st, 2018, participants must present their BH (BegleitHundeprüfung) card from the home country (official address) where the handler lives. "Equivalent" examinations (such as TAN from France or an IPO) are no longer recognized and cannot replace the BH Examination according to the FCI Examination Regulations.

10.5 Mr Daube : From Jan 1st, 2020, only dogs whose parents have a German ZTP will be admitted to the ZTP test. Only a proof of HD evaluation of the parents will no longer be sufficient. New IDC members start with a transition period of 5 years, until Dec 31, 2022 at the very latest.

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10.6 Mr Daube about HD evaluation:

From now on :

Requirements HD Forms for:

DV-Zucht- und Leistungsbuchstelle , Feldkirchener Str. 10, D-85551 Kirchheim

Radiographs can only be uploaded by the veterinarian in the Internet portal - in the section:

- Select breed
- > Dobermann Association
- > Dobermann-Verein e.V. / Silke Viefhus> (Check status !!)

Evaluation is only made after payment of the HD fee (specify the dog name at the time of payment), the invoice and the result will be sent to the owner

NEW - immediately !!!!

Send HD sheet to:

DV-Zucht- und Leistungsbuchstelle

Feldkirchener Str. 10,

D-85551 Kirchheim

Images on CD-ROM will not be evaluated!

You can find all information about HD evaluations on the IDC website at: www.idc-dobermann.com

Mr Daube asks the IDC country presidents or their delegates to publish this information in all member countries.

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11. Determination of the venues for IDC events

Communication of the organizers / auditors / contact persons

11.1 - IDC 2018 - IDC World Championship: IDC Congress / Show:	04 to 6 May 2018 07 to 09 September 2018	Slovakia Slovakia
11.2 - IDC 2019 - IDC WM + IDC Congress/Show:	(Dates follow on IDC-2018)	Hungary
11.3 - IDC 2020 - IDC WM IDC Congress / Show:	(Date follows) (Date follows)	Italy Croatia
11.4 - IDC 2021 - IDC WM IDC Congress / Show:	(no application) (Date follows)	Slovakia
11.5 - IDC 2022 - IDC WM IDC Congress / Show :	(Date follows)	Holland Holland

12. Miscellaneous: There are no other proposals or topics for discussion.

13. IDC President's Final Statement.

Mr. Wiblshauer closed the meeting by thanking all participants for their attendance. He also expressed his great joy about the fact that the international fellowship of Dobermann friends continues to expand. He thanks all the participants for the long journey and wished all participants a particularly successful, unforgettable IDC-Days 2017.

The host, Mr. Dohoczki, gave some instructions on how to proceed further and also thanks the attendees for their participation in the IDC Congress. The IDC Congress 2017 ends at 13:00.

Roland Beunekens

Date: 03/10/2017

<IDC Secretary>



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Countries represented and eligible to vote:

Belgium: Roland Beunekens.
Croatia: Miroslav Bedekovic.
Czech MDSK: Jan Ruzicka
Denmark: Soren Hansen.
Deutschland: Hans Wiblishauser.
England: Michael Mc Cann.
Estonia: Kaidi Juurik, Olev Juurik.
Finland: Mervi Ihantola.
Holland DVIN: Han Van der Zwan.
Holland SDN: Albert Verhoef, Tanja Ingels.
Hungary: Tamas Dohoczki.
Indonisia: William Soedharman.
Israel: Jossi Grados.
Italia: Attilio Polifrone.
Latvia: Andresj Petrovskis.
Lithuania:Andereis Cecys.
Mexico: Thorsten Chutz.
Norway: Lisbeth and Trond Are Karlsen.
Poland: Joanna Kusmierik.
Slovenia: Simon Baranja.
Slovakia: Wolfgang Freyer.
Sweden: Marie Carpenter.

Present but not elegable to vote:

Russia: IDC fee paid after congress.
Azerbaijan, Scottland and Turkey, new members still to be accepted