



HENNEPIN COUNTY AMATEUR
Retriever **CLUB**

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BRG Representatives: Roz Wilson(2019); Mark Belford(2018), RayAmundson(2017), Wayne Skochenski(2016).

Meeting News

Very low attendance last night (April 18), not enough board members for a quorum. I know some folks had reasons—out of town, sick, etc. But I wonder if the new location is part of the problem. If so, please let us know so changes can be made. Fortunately, no really major decisions depended on a quorum vote last night.

Field Trial Update

Chair Roz Wilson said plans for our May 13-15 licensed trial are progressing well. She still has a few worker openings to fill, so call/e-mail her if you can help out, even if for only a part of a day.

MFTA Informal Trial: MFTA is hosting an informal trial at BRG this coming Sunday, **April 24**. Sign-up at 8:30 a.m. in parking lot. Open, Qualifying, Hunter Special, Derby and Puppy stakes. Good way to tune-up for upcoming trials!

BRG Update

The major winter project, clearing woods on the north side of the main grounds' west end area, has pretty much been completed. Thanks to Keith Hass for all his work in clearing trees and brush, moving the dead bird tubes and other related projects. I think you will be amazed at how this has changed the appearance and has expanded usage potential for the west end area.

New Members

No new members to report at our April 18 meeting. Our 2016 roster now shows 69 members.

Next Meeting

Tuesday May 31 2016. Location to be announced later.