

WORKING RULES

MEMBERSHIP – ARTICLE 1, Section 3

1. The names, interests and biographies of the applicants for membership shall be read into the Secretary's minutes and shall be published in the "Ottertales."
2. It is suggested that new members attend the first meeting or Club function following acceptance.
3. The Labrador Retriever Club of Greater Boston is a Working membership Club. Each member must make a significant contribution for the betterment of the Club a minimum of 10 hours per calendar year. Contributions such as, serving as an Officer or Board Member, working a day at any of our events, submitting articles to Ottertales, helping out with mailings, raffles, educational activities or on any committees will meet this requirement. Failure to contribute to the betterment of the Club will result in review of membership status by the Officers and Board of Directors and possible termination from the club.

MEETINGS – ARTICLE II

1. LRCGB Meetings will be held on the second Wednesday of designated months.
2. The Annual Meeting, Emergency Board Meetings and Committee Meetings are exempt from this time frame.
3. Board Members and Committee Chairperson who are unable to attend meetings shall notify the President.
4. Officers and Committee Chairpersons who are unable to attend meetings must designate substitutes.

NOMINATIONS – ARTICLE IV, Section 4

1. The candidate for nomination as President shall have previously served on the Board and, if asked, be willing to be nominated for a second term.
2. The candidate for Corresponding Secretary should be willing, if asked, to be nominated for a Second term.
3. The Nominating Committee shall nominate a minimum of one quarter of the Board members who have previously served on the Board.

COMMITTEES

1. The President shall serve as ex-officio member of all committees.
2. a. He/She may delegate the Vice President to serve in his/her stead.

Standing Committees:

Agility/Obedience/Rally, Awards, Show, Field, Finance, Communications, Membership and Nominating President's Committees:

- a. To be determined at the President's discretion.
3. Every Board member shall serve on at least one (1) committee.

The "Working Rules" may be changed by a simple majority vote of the Board at the meeting following submission of change in writing.