

# Bracco Italiano Club of America

February Board Meeting

February 9, 2026

Time: 7:30 pm EST

ZOOM

- I. Call to Order – 7:31 PM EST
  
- II. Roll Call
  - a. Amanda Inman
  - b. John Kavalier
  - c. Robert Gross
  - d. Bobbi Benson
  - e. Megan Waters
  - f. David Hayek
  
- III. Report of Treasurer
  - a. Regular account: \$6,343.65
    - i. Rescue account: \$6,896.12
    - ii. 2026 National Specialty account: \$4,240.94
    - iii. 2027 National Specialty account: \$9,121.72
      1. Approved
  
- IV. Report of Committees
  - a. Hunting Committee
    - i. Chair: Bob Gross
      1. Planning a Bracco Bash with hunt training with Jack Hague in New York
      2. 20 dog limit
        - a. \$150 for first dog; \$75 per addition dog; \$50 for extra auditor

- b. Rescue Committee
    - i. Chair: Deanna Cuchairo
      - 1. 4 year old female Bracco needing rehoming
  - c. Health Committee
    - i. Chair: Amanda Inman
      - 1. No updates at this time
  - d. International Committee (SABI International)
    - i. Chair: Allison Schultz
      - 1. No updates at this time
  - e. Judges Education
    - i. Chair: Amanda Inman
      - 1. No updates at this time
  - f. Bylaws Committee
    - i. Chair: Allison Schultz
      - 1. No updates at this time
  - g. Digital Assets Committee
    - i. Chair: Kailee Joyner
      - 1. No updates at this time
  - h. Companion Events Committee
    - i. Chair: Emily Bennett
      - 1. No updates at this time
  - i. Versatility Award Committee
    - i. Chair: Deb Pereira
      - 1. No updates at this time
- V. 2026 National Specialty
- a. Chair: Elise Letizia
    - i. Finalizing catering
    - ii. Entries are open
    - iii. Everything is uploaded onto the website
    - iv. Offering CCA & Bella Bravo again

- VI. 2027 National Specialty
  - a. Chair: Lance Olsen
    - i. Still accepting volunteers for the committee
  
- VII. Old Business
  - a. 95 tickets sold for the raffle
  
- VIII. New Business
  - a. UK clubs are ordering the Bracco books and offering it to people in the US
  - b. 2026 in Orlando to possibly host a specialty or continue doing the supported entry
  - c. BICA create an Embark account and offer information to members/breeders etc
  
- IX. Adjournment – 8:32 PM EST