

BERNESE MOUNTAIN DOG CLUB OF ONTARIO

ELECTION OF 2009 EXECUTIVE

Biography of Irene Hume (Nominee for Secretary)

Bob and I got our first Berner in 1995 after waiting 1-1/2 years, after first seeing a picture of one in Dogs in Canada Annual. We had never seen a Berner in person, but after reading the description in the magazine, we both decided that a Berner would be the dog for us. We, of course, have been hooked ever since. And of course, since Berners are addictive, there was a second one, then a third, then a fourth, etc. etc. etc... We currently share our home with and are owned by our girls, Secord, Mikki, Paisley, Gem and Dream.

We have been members of the BMDCO since 1996 and have enjoyed being members of the executive for a number of years, Bob and Treasurer, and me as a Director and newsletter editor. We are members of the BMDCC, BMDCA and the Ontario County Kennel Club.

Over the past 30 or so years I have been secretary to a number of organizations: our local hockey and softball leagues, the Scarboro Figure Skating Club, the Canadian Figure Skating Association, the Kawagama Lake Cottagers Association, the Tall Pines Snowmobile Club, the Bernese Mountain Dog Club of Canada and the Ontario County Kennel Club.

I would appreciate your support so that I may continue to work for the Executive and members as Secretary of the Club.