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The Newnan Kennel Club
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July – August 2013

Meeting Schedule

Unless **otherwise notified** the meetings of NKC will be on the first

Wednesday
of the month

General Meetings 2013

January 2

March 6

May 1

July 3

September 4

November 6

Board Meetings 2013

February 6

April 3

June 5

August 7

October 2

December 3 OR 5

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2012-2013

OFFICERS

President-Joni Smith
Vice-President - Carol Ann Beane
Secretary -Jan Plott
Treasurer - Butch Jordan

Board Of Directors

Ellen Connors
Lisa Dempsey
Lu Dunham
Kay Moore
Carolyn Stauffer

AKC Delegate—Willie Crawford

COMMITTEES

Agility Trial Chairman- Ellen Connors
Annual Awards— Marilyn Curtis
Breeder Referral- MaryAnn Madsen
Equipment-Butch Jordan
Spring Match—
Programs – Lu Dunham
Voice Mail- MaryAnn Madsen
Web Master-Jan Plott
Newsletter-Barbara Jordan
Sunshine—Melissa Harper
Spring Show Chairman-Lisa Dempsey
Fall Show Chairman-Joni Smith
NKC Historian—Jan Plott

General Meeting

ALL WELCOME

WEDNESDAY
July 3, 2013
7:30

**Golden Corral
Restaurant
Bullsboro Drive,
Newnan
Small Meeting room**

(Arrive early to eat)

SUNSHINE

**Melissa Harper
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LIFETIME MEMBERS

Chuck and Willie Crawford

Ronnie and Jan Plott

Butch and Barbara Jordan

Congratulations go out to all our award winners for the year 2012

Gail Furniss	Australian Shepherd	Coolmoor True Grit Center Stage NAP NJP Earned (2) Titles: NAP, NJP
Lisa Dempsey	Scottish Deerhound	Kyleakin Cyclone Shofar NA NAJ NAP NJP - "Shofar" Earned (4) titles: NA, NAJ, NAP, NJP
Lisa Dempsey	Scottish Terrier	Black Bart's I Can Only Imagine OA OAJ MXP AJP - "Adrianne" Earned (1) title: MXP
Lisa Dempsey	Scottish Terrier	MACH 12 Daddy's Little Possum CD RE MXC3 MJB4 NANJP XF T2B CA - "Possum" Earned (8) titles: MACH 11, MACH12, T2B, NAP, NJP, MXC3, MJB4, CA
Carol Ann Beane	Brittany	Ammo's Lucky Streak OA, OF, AXJ Earned (4) Titles NA, OF, OAJ, AXJ
Ellen Connors	Flat Coat Retriever	CH Wingmaster's Lord of the Links (CH)
Florence Jones	Labrador Retriever	GCH Bellathatch Story Continues (GCH)
Ellen Connors	Fewest Purple Ribbons 5	CH Wingmaster's Lord of the Links
Chuck Crawford	Most Best of Breed Wins 98	Great Dane: BIS BISS GCh Longo Miller Lore's Diamond Lil
Chuck Crawford	Most Group Placements 61	Great Dane: BIS BISS GCh Longo Miller Lore's Diamond Lil
Chuck Crawford	Most Best in Show Wins 13	Great Dane: BIS BISS GCh Longo Miller Lore's Diamond Lil
Marilyn Curtis		25 years 1987-2013
Butch and Barbara Jordan		25 years 1987-2013
RONNIE PLOTT OUTSTANDING SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD		

ATTENTION MEMBERS——

**HAS YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS
CHANGED?**

***HAS YOUR MAILING ADDRESS
CHANGED?***

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PALMETTO, GA 30268

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YOUR NEWSLETTER EDITOR AT
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Newnan Kennel Club
Annual Meeting & Election of Officers 2013
May 1st, 2013 - Attendance Roster: Attached

The meeting was held at Summer Grove Golf Club and was called to order at 8:05 pm by President, Butch Jordan.

Motion: Ellen moved that the minutes from the last General Meeting be approved as published in the Newsletter. Seconded by Carol Ann. Motion carried.

President's Report: Butch thanked Marilyn for planning the Awards Presentations and Annual Dinner. He introduced and welcomed our guests. He noted that we had received a thank-you note from Roland at the Macon Tent Co. for using their services for our Spring Show.

Secretary's Report:

Correspondence Received:

- University of Georgia Annual Report
- Close-out from AKC of our 2013 Spring Show

Thank you note from Eric Ringle for inviting him to judge our Spring Show

Treasurer's Report:

Carol Ann reviewed the latest financial report and passed it around for members review. A copy of this report is attached to these minutes. She also reviewed the final report from the Match and the Spring Show.

Committee Reports:

Equipment: Butch reported that extra shelves have been added to the Newnan Storage facility and the Agility Timers are now stored there.

Fall Show: Joni thanked everyone for their trophy pledges and also thanked members who have accepted various Chairman positions for the Show.

Election of Officers & Board of directors: Butch read slate as follows:

- President -Joni Smith
- Vice President - Carol Ann Beane
- Treasurer - Butch Jordan
- Secretary - Jan Plott

Directors: Ellen Connors, Lisa Dempsey, Lu Dunham, Kay Moore, Carolyn Stauffer
AKC Delegate - Willie Crawford

Motion; Peg moved that the slate be accepted as read. Seconded by Lisa. Motion Carried.

President Joni Smith resumed the meeting.

Unfinished business: none

New business: none

Motion: As there was no further business, Lisa moved that the meeting be adjourned. Motion seconded by Peg. Motion Carried.

Meeting adjourned at 8:40 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jan Plott, Secretary

Newnan Kennel Club – Board of Directors Meeting
June 5, 2013

Board Members in Attendance: Butch, Joni, Lisa, Carolyn, Carol Ann, Kay, Ellen, and Jan
Absent: Lu

Club Members Attending: Ronnie, Kevin

Joni called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm.

Motion Carolyn, Second Jan that the minutes from the previous board meeting are approved as published in the Newsletter. Motion Carried.

Secretary's Report:

Correspondence Sent:

- New officers faxed to AKC
- Membership list faxed to AKC and also submitted electronically
- Club Outreach program updated

Yearly compliance form sent to AKC

Correspondence Received:

Thank you note received from Stephen LaRocca, UGA CVM c/o 2014

Treasurer's Report:

- Butch reviewed the current report and it was passed around for the members review. A copy of this report is attached to these minutes.
- Butch noted that the amount of funds in our Treasury has decreased by approximately \$20,000 over the past 3 years

Butch stated that our Bank has requested a letter from the Club Secretary re: the results of our recent election of Officers & Board of Directors with a request that the signature cards be changed to the current President and Treasurer. Jan will prepare this letter and send to Butch.

Unfinished Business: None

New Business:

- Club Policies were reviewed. Changes and additions were made. *Motion Carolyn, second Ellen to approve the Policies as amended. Motion carried unanimously.* Copies of changes are attached to these minutes. Club Policies with revisions will be published in the 2013-14 Membership Booklet.
- Joni reported that the Wirehaired Vislas have asked for the Newnan Kennel Club's permission to have an Open Show on Saturday evening prior to our Sunday Fall Show. *Motion Carolyn, second Lisa that we grant the Wirehaired Vislas their request. Motion carried unanimously.*
- *Motion Carolyn, second Kay that the Newnan Kennel Club donates \$500.00 to the AKC CAR fund for animal relief following the Oklahoma tornados. Motion carried unanimously.*

Joni stated that the July meeting is scheduled for the day prior to the 4th of July holiday and requested that we consider moving this meeting to the following week. *Motion Carolyn, second Kay that the meeting date be changed to July 10th. (Yeas 2, Nays 6) Motion failed.*

- Butch stated that Barbara has requested Board approval to publish the Annual Membership Booklet. *Motion Lisa, second Jan, that Barbara is appointed to prepare **and** publish the Annual Membership Booklet. Motion carried unanimously.*
 - November Weiner Roast: *Motion Jan, second Carolyn, that the November 6th general meeting be rescheduled as a Weiner roast at the Plotts on November 2nd. Motion carried unanimously.*
 - January General Meeting: *Motion Carolyn, second Lisa that the January 1st General Meeting be rescheduled for January 8th. Motion carried unanimously.*
 - *Motion Jan, second Ellen, to appoint Joni as the 2014 Show Chairman. Motion carried unanimously.*
 - *Motion Carolyn, second Kay, to appoint the following: 2015 Spring Show Chairman – Lisa; 2015 Fall Show Chairman – Joni; 2015 Agility Trial Chairman – Ellen. (Yeas 7, Nays 1) Motion carried.*
- Joni made recommendation for Committee Appointments for 2013-2014. Motion Carolyn, second Butch that the Board make the following Committee Appointments for 2013-14:**

*Annual Awards: Marilyn
 Equipment: Butch
 Programs: Lu
 Newsletter: Barbara
 Voice Mail: Mary Ann
 Breeder Referral: Mary Ann
 Webmaster: Jan
 Club Historian: Jan
 Sunshine: Melissa
 Outstanding Sportsmanship Award: Butch
 Christmas Party: Ronnie
 Life Membership Points Tabulator: Carol Ann*

Motion carried unanimously

There was no further business. *Motion Lisa, second Carol Ann that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 9:07 pm.*

Respectfully Submitted,

Jan Plott, Secretary





5-15-13

Dear Ms. Beane,

I want to send my sincerest gratitude to the Newnan Kennel Club for funding my veterinary academic scholarship. I have dreamed of becoming a veterinarian ever since I was a child. It means so much to me that through your generosity, a part of the education necessary to achieve my goal is being funded by your group. I deeply appreciate your gift.

Best Regards,
Stephen LaRocca
UGA CVM c/o 2014

The following is an update of the actions that the AKC staff has taken in reaction to the tragic events that took place in Oklahoma.

The AKC and AKC CAR are working around the clock to provide assistance, supplies and financial aid to those affected by the devastating tornados.

We felt it important to keep you up-to-date with the specific actions that have been taken so that you can communicate these actions with any outside parties who may ask you about our efforts.

Supplies

AKC CAR has been able to personally deliver two rounds of supplies to the Animal Resource Center in Moore, OK. These included bowls, crates, leashes and other necessities. Along with the AKC, Mid-Del-Tinker KC, Oklahoma City KC and Lawton DFA members have been on site helping people at the shelter and our people stayed through the night Tuesday. Supplies have also been delivered to the Home Depot Emergency Shelter. These have included 200 micro-chips and 6 scanners as well as regular supplies.

Donations

AKC CAR donated \$10,000 to Oklahoma State University (OSU) Animal Relief Fund, which is helping the OSU Center for Veterinary Sciences to provide free veterinary medical care to animals injured during Oklahoma's recent tornadoes. OSU has been able to put this donation to good work and is also managing to house many of the displaced animals.

Communications

The AKC team has provided real-time updates to our constituents via social media. These updates have included places to find missing pets, images of pets that have been found, a list of pet friendly shelters, how to help the people involved and also how to donate to AKC CAR to help aid the effort. To date we have raised over \$48,000 to help assist the people and dogs of Oklahoma.

A major positive for us is that both our AKC Dog Lovers Blog and the AKC Facebook page have become major destinations for people looking to get information on the situation. This is showcased in the 1.2M people that have visited these pages in the last 72 hours. Our images of owners being reunited with their pets have been particularly well received.

We have seen major pick-up on our efforts all across the country, with a few examples shown here:

Oklahoman 5/23/13: http://images.burrellesluce.com/image/20092BX/20092BX_1649
Healthday on Philly.com: http://www.philly.com/philly/health/topics/HealthDay676662_20130522_Simple_Steps_Can_Protect_Pets_in_Weather_Disasters.html
Oklahoman 5/22/13: http://images.burrellesluce.com/image/20092BX/20092BX_1646
Pet Age: <http://www.petage.com/helping-pets-impacted-by-oklahoma-tornado/>
TMCnet: <http://callcenterinfo.tmcnet.com/news/2013/05/22/7152233.htm>

In addition to these efforts, a full press release will go to regional and national media this afternoon showing all our efforts and works by our people. We are hoping major media will pick-up on the good work we have done in OK this week. We will also be speaking on KTOA Radio - Oklahoma's largest talk radio station.

On Tuesday, as a follow-up, we will also circulate to all media outlets a press release regarding AKC CAR SAR Grants, which again highlights the good works of AKC CAR.

One other success we have had is the communication between the AKC and other major charitable organizations with our team having reached out to the following national organizations to offer our assistance in their efforts:

Red Cross, Salvation Army, Americares, Samaritan's Purse, Team Rubicon.

Additionally, we are also on stand-by and have offered direct assistance to the following local clubs:

Mel-Del-Tinker KC

Northeast OK KC

Oklahoma City KC

Town & Country KC

Central OK Toy Dog Club

Oklahoma City OTC

Boomer Boxer, Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club of Central OK. Central OK Collie Club, Central OK Gold Retriever Club, Cocker Spaniel Club of Central OK. German Shepherd Dog Club of OK, Great Dane Club of OK, Indian Nations Brittany Club, Irish Setter Club of Central OK, Oklahoma City Boston Terrier Club, Oklahoma City Bulldog Club. Poodle Club of Oklahoma City, Siberian Husky Club of Greater Oklahoma City, Sooner Dachshund Club, Sooner Pomeranian of Oklahoma City and Yorkshire Terrier Club of Oklahoma City

Sincerely,

Alan Kalter

Chairman of the Board

American Kennel Club

AKC Companion Animal Recovery

Dennis Sprung

President & CEO

American Kennel Club

**AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB HOSTS 2014 COMPANION EVENTS EXTRAVAGANZA IN HARRISBURG, PA WITH NEW
AKC RALLY NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP**

New York, NY - The second annual AKC Companion Events Extravaganza will run from March 27-30, 2014 at the Pennsylvania Farm Show Complex and Expo Center in Harrisburg, PA. The 2014 Extravaganza will include the AKC National Agility Championship, the AKC National Obedience Championship and the first-ever AKC Rally® National Championship.

Due to the 2013 Rally National Competition's enthusiastic reception from exhibitors and spectators alike, the event will be upgraded and designated a National Championship. The winning dog from the highest-level Rally Advanced Excellent class will be the "2014 AKC Rally® National Champion" and will be the first dog to proudly place the "RNC" prefix before its name. Rally exhibitors will still have the opportunity to compete for top honors in the Novice, Advanced and Excellent classes at the Extravaganza.

"The inaugural Companion Events Extravaganza held in Tulsa, OK last month was such a great success that it was a natural progression to now have three National Championships celebrating companion dog sports," said Doug Ljungren, Vice President of Companion and Performance Events. "Enthusiastic spectators cheered on their favorite dog or breed during the fast-paced action of Agility, the flawless execution of Obedience and the fun of Rally."

The 2014 Extravaganza will feature Agility on Thursday, Agility and Rally on Friday, and Agility and Obedience on Saturday and Sunday.

Stay tuned to the AKC website for the 2014 Judging Panels and other updates on the 2014 AKC National Agility Championship, AKC National Obedience Championship and AKC Rally National Championship.



AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB
260 Madison Avenue, 4th floor, New York, NY 10016

Below, please find a great story of how AKC and AKC Companion Animal Recovery aided in relief efforts after the horrific tornadoes in Oklahoma. We encourage you to add this to your club newsletters, as well as share with local media.

We thank you for your continued support of the American Kennel Club.

Major crises have a way of bringing people together, and the horrific tornadoes that ravaged Oklahoma were no different. The EF-5 category tornado killed 24 people, injured many more, and destroyed more than 12,000 homes in its path. Once they got word of the damage, the American Kennel Club and AKC Companion Animal Recovery (AKC CAR) sprang into action. They offered assistance to each of the more than 20 member clubs in the affected areas, as well as contacted their more than one million subscribers letting them know what AKC was doing to help and how they could get involved with the relief effort by donating to AKC CAR. They also reached out to other organizations that were helping with relief efforts, specifically the Red Cross and Salvation Army, among others. With the help of club members and AKC staff in the area, they identified where the pet shelters were and got boots on the ground to help.

With only a 16 minute warning before the tornado hit, many people were separated from their beloved pets. AKC staff member Stacy Mason packed up her car and made her way to the Animal Resource Center where many pets were receiving care. She delivered a ton of supplies, including crates, bowls, and leashes, and stayed overnight helping out. AKC CAR then purchased two more rounds of supplies for the shelter, buying more crates and kennel runs for the dogs. Club members from the Mid-Del-Tinker Kennel Club, Oklahoma City Kennel Club, and the Lawton Dog Fanciers Association were on site helping as well, wearing AKC logo t-shirts.

AKC CAR donated 200 microchips and six scanners to a shelter being run by state personnel at the Moore Home Depot. In a major move, AKC CAR also donated \$10,000 to Oklahoma State University's Veterinary Medical Hospital to support veterinary work and boarding for animals injured by the tornado.

The Communications team worked feverishly to get the word out on all of AKC's social media channels, as well as networked with as many local sites and help resources as possible to push their message and assistance. They posted heartwarming pictures of owners reuniting with their pets, as well as of donations that AKC staff delivered.

For the benefit of those both in and outside of the affected area, the AKC has issued a list of suggestions for pet owners who have to leave their primary residence and seek temporary shelter after a natural disaster.

The American Kennel Club and AKC CAR continue to provide whatever help is needed to everyone affected by this natural disaster. If you would like to donate to the relief effort visit www.okcdogs.org.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Alan Kalter'.

Alan Kalter
Chairman of the Board
American Kennel Club
AKC Companion Animal Recovery

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Dennis Sprung'.

Dennis Sprung
President & CEO
American Kennel Club

QUESTIONS THAT HAUNT ME!

If you have sex with a prostitute against her will, is it considered rape or shoplifting?

How important does a person have to be before they are considered assassinated — instead of just murdered?

Why do you have to "put your two cents in"... but it's only a "penny for your thoughts"? Where's that extra penny going to?

Once you're in heaven, do you get stuck wearing the clothes you were buried in for eternity?

Why does a round pizza come in a square box?

What disease did cured ham actually have?

How is it that we put man on the moon before we figured out it would be a good idea to put wheels on luggage?

Why is it that people say they "slept like a baby" when babies wake up every two hours?

If a deaf person has to go to court, is it still called a hearing?

Why are you IN a movie, but you're ON TV?

Why do people pay to go up tall buildings and then put money in binoculars to look at things on the ground?

Why do doctors leave the room while you change? They're going to see you naked anyway.

Why is "bra"singular and "panties" plural?

Why do toasters always have a setting that burns the toast to a horrible crisp, which no decent human being would eat?

If Jimmy cracks corn and no one cares, why is there a stupid song about him?

Can a hearse carrying a corpse drive in the carpool lane ?

If the professor on Gilligan's Island can make a radio out of a coconut, why can't he fix a hole in a boat?

Why does Goofy stand erect while Pluto remains on all fours? They're both dogs!

If Wile E. Coyote had enough money to buy all that ACME stuff, why didn't he just buy dinner?

If corn oil is made from corn, and vegetable oil is made from vegetables, what is baby oil made from?

If electricity comes from electrons, does morality come from morons?

Why do the Alphabet song and Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star have the same tune? (Why did you just try singing the two songs?)

Why do they call it an asteroid when it's outside the hemisphere, but call it a hemorrhoid when it's in your behind?

Did you ever notice that when you blow in a dog's face, he gets mad at you, but when you take him for a car ride, he sticks his head out the window?

