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The Newnan Kennel Club
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Meeting Schedule

Unless otherwise notified the meetings of NKC will be on the first Wednesday of the month at Golden Corral Restaurant 605 Bullsboro Drive Newnan, GA.

General Meetings

2017

January 4

March 1

May 17

July 5

September 6

November 1

Board Meetings

2017

February 1

April 5

June 7

August 2

October 4

December 6

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2016 –2017

OFFICERS

President-Jan Plott
Vice-President - Patty King
Secretary –Carol Ann Beane
Treasurer - Kay Moore

Board Of Directors

Carolyn Stauffer
Ellen Connors
Melissa Harper
Jeanette Perkins
Carole Robertson

AKC Delegate—Willie Crawford

COMMITTEES

Annual Awards Dinner- Marilyn Curtis
Annual Awards-Butch & Barbara Jordan
Breeder Referral- MaryAnn Madsen
Christmas Party-Ronnie Plott
Equipment-Butch Jordan
Spring Match - Willie Crawford
Outstanding Sportsmanship Award:
Carol Ann Beane
Public Relations -
Linda Hurlebaus and Laura Potash
Programs - Carolyn Stauffer
Historian & Web Master-Jan Plott
Newsletter & Membership Directory -
Barbara Jordan
Judges Selection Chair - Butch Jordan
Sunshine-Carol Robertson
Spring Show Chairman-Jan Plott
Fall Show Chairman-Ronnie Plott

LIFE MEMBERS - IN MEMORIAM

Chuck Crawford



General Meeting

ALL WELCOME

Wednesday

July 5, 2017

**Golden Corral
Restaurant**

**605 Bullsboro Drive
Newnan, GA.**

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**DON'T FORGET TO CALL IF SOMEONE
NEEDS CARDS OR FLOWERS**

LIFETIME MEMBERS



Willie Crawford

Ronnie and Jan Plott

Butch and Barbara Jordan



ANNUAL AWARDS PRESENTATION TITLES EARNED IN 2016

Carol Ann Beane Brittany

DIRTY BIRD'S GIVEN'EM THE HEATER BN

TITLE EARNED IN 2016: Beginner Novice

Patty King Australian Cattle Dog

HIRED HAND MASKED AVENGER RA CGCA

TITLES EARNED IN 2016: CGC, CGCA, Rally Novice, Rally Advanced

Jan & Ronnie Plott Pugs

CH JAN'S SUMMER BREEZE

TITLE EARNED IN 2016: CHAMPION

CH JAN'S DUST IN THE WIND BN

TITLE EARNED IN 2016: Beginner Novice

GCH CH JAN'S CATCH THE WIND BN

TITLE EARNED IN 2016: Beginner Novice

JEANETTE H. PERKINS Labrador Retriever

COHEELEE'S RED SQUAD MIDNIGHT COWBOY MH

TITLE EARNED IN 2016: Master Hunter

COHEELEE'S ELLA OF FLATWATER SR

TITLE EARNED IN 2016: Junior Hunter and Senior Hunter

"OUTSTANDING SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD"

JAN PLOTT



ATTENTION MEMBERS.... PLEASE!

HAS YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS CHANGED?

HAS YOUR MAILING ADDRESS CHANGED?



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President's Message – July 2017

Thank you everyone for your participation and work for our Club over the past year. A new Club year has begun! At our June meeting the Board approved the formation of a new Committee. This is a Public Relations Committee whose responsibilities will include, but not be limited to the establishment and administration of a facebook page, public education, community outreach programs, Club publicity and media coverage. Linda Hurlebaus and Laura Potash have volunteered to Co-Chair this committee. Anyone interested in volunteering their time and expertise to assist this committee should contact Linda or Laura.

All committees for 2017-18 were appointed at our June meeting. You will find these listed in the Minutes and also in your new membership booklet. I encourage anyone interested in becoming a future Show Chair or Match Chair to contact the Board. Basic computer skills are needed for the shows as there is quite a bit of paperwork. Please think about this. We desperately need additional members to be well versed in planning our Shows and Match.

During this meeting, Club policies were reviewed and some minor changes were made. You will receive the complete updated version of Club Policies in your new membership booklet. Here is a short summary of changes that were approved.

1. Due to the small entry in Beginner Novice A and Rally Novice A, the Club will cover only a 1st Place trophy if an individual pledge is not received.
2. The Agility section was updated to conform to the Standing Rule of the Club.
3. The Match section verbiage was changed to: “ may hold a Sanctioned B-OB match annually” versus that we must hold a Match annually.
4. The Annual Awards section was changed to conform to the Standing Rule of the Club and our current awards plaques.
5. RE: the “yes and no” list under Judges selection: Quite a bit of verbiage was deleted. Basically, each show chair will work with this list to the best of their ability.

It has come to my attention that our Club does not have a published “Mission Statement”. This was part of our original website. When the website was redone several years ago, this item was inadvertently omitted. I have recovered these old files and made a few minor changes. Please review this in your newsletter and let me know of any changes and/or additions that you deem appropriate.

See you in July. Enjoy your Summer!



WHOEVER SAID DIAMONDS
ARE A GIRL'S BEST FRIEND...
NEVER OWNED A DOG



Mission Statement

- ❖ To further the advancement of all breeds of purebred dogs, and to provide a source of education and information for fanciers of purebred dogs.
- ❖ To do all in its power to protect and advance the interests of all breeds of purebred dogs and to encourage sportsmanlike competition at dog shows and companion events.
- ❖ To conduct sanctioned matches, dog shows and companion events under rules of The American Kennel Club
- ❖ To educate our Community regarding pure bred dogs
- ❖ To encourage member participation in Dog Therapy programs
- ❖ To provide funding for worthwhile dog-oriented needs
- ❖ To assist our Community in obtaining a pure bred dog thru Breeder Referral
- ❖ To participate in Legislative issues affecting pure bred dogs

April 27, 2017

Dear Members of the Newnan Kennel Club,
May knowing that your recent donation to the H.E.L.P. Spay/Neuter Clinic in memory of Mel Madsen will assist many pet owners to care for their furry friends comfort you at this sad time.

Sincerely,
Carol Lee
HELP Volunteer

Thank you NKC for the donation to H.E.L.P. and dedicating the Spring Show in Mel's memory. And thank you also for giving me the memorial collage from the show. It will be treasured.

MaryAnn Madsen

Newnan Kennel Club Calendar 2017-18

JUNE 2017	<p style="text-align: center;">Board of Directors Meeting June 1, 2016 <i>Review Club Policies</i> <i>Committee Appointments for 2017/18</i></p>
JULY 2017	<p style="text-align: center;">General Meeting July 5, 2017</p>
AUGUST 2017	<p style="text-align: center;">Board of Directors Meeting August 2, 2017</p>
SEPTEMBER 2017	<p style="text-align: center;">General Meeting September 6, 2017</p>
OCTOBER 2017	<p style="text-align: center;">Board of Directors Meeting October 4, 2017 <i>Fall show - October 22, 2017</i></p>
NOVEMBER 2017	<p style="text-align: center;">General Meeting November 1, 2017</p>
DECEMBER 2017	<p style="text-align: center;">Board of Directors Meeting December 6, 2017 <i>Nominating Committee Appointed</i> <i>CHRISTMAS PARTY - TO BE ANNOUNCED</i></p>
JANUARY 2018	<p style="text-align: center;">General Meeting January 3, 2018</p>
FEBRUARY 2018	<p style="text-align: center;">Board Meeting February 7, 2018 <i>Report from the Nominating Committee</i></p>
MARCH 2018	<p style="text-align: center;">General Meeting March 7, 2018 <i>Nominations for Officers and Board of Directors open from the Membership</i></p>
APRIL 2018	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Spring Match - March 31, 2018</i> <i>Coweta County Fairgrounds</i> Board Meeting - April 4, 2018</p>
MAY 2018	<p style="text-align: center;">Annual Meeting & Awards Dinner Date, Location & Time TBA <i>Election of Officers and Board of Directors</i> <i>Spring Show - May 9, 2018</i></p>

NKC Board Meeting – Date: June 7, 2017

Roll call (Quorum = a majority of the Board): Jan Plott, Kay Moore, Carolyn Stauffer, Carole Robertson, Carol Ann Beane, Ellen Connors, Jeanette Perkins, Melissa Harper, Patty King and Willie Crawford.

Guests: Ronnie Plott, Eric Morris

President, Jan Plott called the meeting to order at 7:30pm.

Minutes of the last Board Meeting (amend/approve): *Melissa Harper made the motion, which was seconded by Carolyn Stauffer to approve the minutes of the last Board Meeting. Motion carried.*

Report of the President: No report. **Report of the Secretary:** No report.

Report of the Treasurer: Kay Moore reported on period ending 5/31/2017 and a Preliminary Report on the 2017 Spring Show. Kay circulated her report a copy of which is attached to these minutes.

AKC Rep: Willie circulated “Rules Applying to Dog Shows Dog Show Entries, Conditions of Dogs Affecting Eligibility” which will be read at the June 13, 2017 Delegates Meeting. She asked for comments. Discussion followed.

Committee Reports:

Agility: No report. **Awards Dinner:** No report. **Annual Awards:** No report. **Breeder Referral:** No report.

Christmas Party: No report. **Equipment:** Jan reported that the club has received a written request from the Pug Dog Club of America to borrow our Agility timers for their trial in conjunction with their National Specialty, Wednesday, September 27, 2017, at the DFW Marriott Hotel & Golf Club, Fort Worth, TX. PDCA will be responsible for any damages while under their care. Jan and Ronnie will transport the equipment. Lisa will meet us at Newnan’s storage facility to insure we have the proper “pieces”. **Carolyn Stauffer moved that we allow the Pug Club of America to use our agility timers, September 27, 2017. Melissa Harper seconded. Motion carried. Historian:** No report.

Match: Jan reported that we submitted a reservation request form and non-profit status documents to Tray Baggerly (Coweta County Fairgrounds) for our 2018 Match. A release form was required and this has been signed, notarized and sent to the Fairgrounds. The rental fee is to be ½ (\$300.00), assuming that our not-for-profit status is approved but the deposit will be full price (\$400.00). **Outstanding Sportsmanship:** No report. **Historian/Web Master:** Jan reported both up to date. **Judges Selection Chair:** No report. **Newsletter/Membership Directory:** No report. **Program:** Carolyn Stauffer reported that she continues to plan programs for the coming year. **Sunshine:** No report.

Fall Show: Ronnie reported that the judging panel has been completed and approved by AKC. Premium list information is in to Onofrio. We have 2 clubs doing supported entries: Whippets and Canaan Dogs. We have 1 club that has designated the classes at our show as their National Specialty: Parson Russell Terriers. Volunteers are always appreciated. Carol Ann Beane has accepted the position as Ring Hospitality Chair. If someone else is willing to do this job it frees Carol Ann to assist Russ Stauffer with getting the judges back to the hotel and airport after the show.

Spring Show: Jan reported our next Spring Show will be held **May 9, 2018** at the GA National Fairgrounds in Perry, GA. We will not offer OB/Rally. We will offer Conformation, NOHS, and the 4-6 Puppy competition. SEABKC will not offer OB/Rally on Friday. The Columbus KC will offer 2 stacked trials for OB/Rally on Friday in their place. The following judges have been hired (pending AKC approval). Shared judges all 5 days: **Carolyn A. Herbel, Donna Conod, Mr. David W. Haddock, Mrs. Sulie Greendale-Paveza.** The cluster hired 2 judges who will only come for 4 days, 1 judge who will only come for 3 days, and 1 judge who does not have enough to judge more than 3 days. These judges are scheduled for Thursday through Sunday, Thursday through Saturday, and Friday through Sunday and could not be shared. We have hired **Mrs. Melanie D. Williams** and she does not have enough breeds to share. The following judges have been hired to do a few breeds, some provisional breeds and the NOHS groups and NOHS BIS: **Ms. Susan Landry Whiticar, Mrs. Shannon M. Carlton, Carolyn Pykosz, Luanne K. Dunham, James Conroy, Mrs. Karen B. Seriana, Diana Fielder.** We have signed an agreement with the Cluster through the 2018 Show. The new agreement gives (1) vote per show day and does not address the need for a Cluster Coordinator or a vote for that position.

Unfinished Business: None



New Business:

1. The Board completed our Annual Policy Review. **Melissa Harper made the motion to approve the Policies for 2017-2018 as amended, seconded by Carolyn Stauffer. Motion carried. Copy of amended Policies and Procedures attached to these minutes and same will be published in the 2017-2018 Member Handbook.**

2. Jan Plott recommended that the Board appoint a Public Relations Committee whose responsibilities will include, but not be limited to the establishment and administration of a Facebook page, public education, community outreach programs, Club publicity and media coverage. Linda Hurlebaus and Laura Potash have volunteered to Co-Chair this committee. They encourage any interested member to volunteer for this committee

Public Relations: Ellen Connors moved that we establish a Public Relations Committee. Kay Moore seconded. Motion carried.

3. Appointment of Committee Chairs for 2017-2018. The following people have been contacted and are willing to serve. Jan also sent an email to the rest of the membership stating that she would love to hear from members who are interested in working with any of the Committees.

The President made the following recommendations for Committee Chairs for 2017-2018:

Annual Awards: Butch and Barbara Jordan

Annual Awards Dinner: Marilyn Curtis

Breeder Referral: Mary Ann Madsen

Christmas Party: Ronnie Plott

Equipment: Butch Jordan

Match Chair Spring 2018: Willie Crawford

Outstanding Sportsmanship Award: Carol Ann Beane

Historian/Webmaster: Jan Plott

Judges Selection Chair: Butch Jordan

Newsletter and Membership Directory: Barbara Jordan

Programs: Carolyn Stauffer

Public Relation: Linda Hurlebaus and Laura Potash

Sunshine: Carole Robertson

Spring Show Chair 2019: Jan Plott

Fall Show Chair 2019: Ronnie Plott

The motion was made by Patty King and seconded by Kay Moore to approve the Committee Chair recommendations as listed above. Motion Carried.

4. Willie Crawford requested that the Board discuss a donation of LINK AKC smart collars to the Coweta County Canine Unit. Discussion followed. Jan Plott contacted Sgt. Mark Storey, Coweta County Sheriff's Office, CSU Field Operations, K-9 Instructor. His response follows: "The (Link AKC smart collar) is really not what we are looking for. The (Garmin Alpha 100) is the collar we were looking at trying to get for our teams. The cost of those collars is quite a bit higher than the Link smart collar. The Garmin collars are about \$800 each and we need 5 of them. Please don't feel like this is something your group must do. It is a lot of money, just wanted you all to have the information and thank you all for your support. "

We are unable to do at this time

Adjournment: There was no further new business. The motion to adjourn was made by Melissa Harper and seconded by Kay Moore. Motion Carried. Meeting was adjourned at 8:45pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Carol Ann Beane



Newnan Kennel Club Meeting

May 17, 2017

Minutes from Annual Meeting

Roll Call: Attendance sheet attached.

The Vice President, Jan Plott called the meeting to order at 8: 02 pm. following our Annual Dinner at the White Oak Country Club in Newnan, GA. Guests were introduced. *Carolyn Stauffer made the motion, which was seconded by Butch Jordan to approve minutes of the last Membership Meeting as published in the Newsletter. Motion carried.*

President's Report: Jan thanked Marilyn Curtis, Butch and Barbara Jordan for putting together our annual meeting. She thanked all who volunteered at the Spring Show.

Report of the Secretary: No report.

Report of the Treasurer: Kay Moore reported on period ending 4/30/2017. She also presented a preliminary Spring Show Report which was circulated. She presented the final Match Report for 2017. She read a thank-you note from the Spay and Neuter Clinic for donation in name of Mel Madsen; from McPherson Presbyterian Church for donation in honor of Elizabeth Fisher; and from Michael J. Fox Foundation for donation in honor of Robert Beane. A copy of the treasurer's report is attached to these minutes.

AKC Delegate: Willie Crawford, no report.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Agility: No report. **Annual Awards:** Deferred. **Awards Dinner:** Marilyn Curtis. Thanks for a great dinner!

Breed Referral: No report. **Christmas Party:** No report. **Equipment:** No report.

Judges Selection: Butch Jordan, no report. **Match:** Willie Crawford, all went well. Thanks for your support.

Newsletter: *Ronnie Plott moved that we print the Membership Directory for 2017-2018. Jeanette Perkins seconded. Motion carried.*

Programs: No report. **Webmaster and Historian:** Jan Plott reported that both are up to date.

Sportsmanship: Deferred. **Sunshine:** No report.

Fall Show Report: Ronnie reminded membership to contact Barbara Jordan for trophy donations. Circulated a list for volunteers. Whippets and Canaan Dogs will have supported entries at our show and Parson Russell Terriers have designated the classes at our show as their National Specialty.

Spring Show: Jan reported that we have an agreement with the Cluster through 2018.

Election of Officers, Board of Directors and AKC Delegate:

The slate of officers as published in the February newsletter is as follows:

President – Jan Plott

Vice President –Patty King

Treasurer – Kay Moore

Secretary – Carol Ann Beane

Board of Directors: Melissa Harper, Carolyn Stauffer, Ellen Connors, Jeanette Perkins, Carole Robertson

AKC Delegate: Willie Crawford

Ronnie Plott moved that one vote be cast by the secretary to elect the slate. Barbara Jordan seconded. Motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

PATCH PROGRAM: Linda Hurlebaus reported that she hopes to partner with Girl Scouts to introduce this program at our Fall Show 2017. No information will appear in the premium but rather she wants to get the word out through flyers and social media.

NEW BUSINESS:

Membership: First reading for Brian Leap.

As there was no further business, Lu Dunham moved to adjourn; Porter Beane seconded; meeting adjourned at 8:21 pm followed by the presentation of our Annual Awards, program attached to these minutes.

Respectfully submitted,

Carol Ann Beane, Secretary



Thanks for helping us go to NAVC! -Jaritza :) Thank you! -Katherine Paris Thank you so much for your support! -Clare

Thank so much for your donation! -Shelby

Thank you so much for your donation to help us go to NAVC! We appreciate you! -Olivia

Thank you so much for giving us the opportunity to go to NAVC! It was incredible! -Danielle

Thank you so much! NAVC was wonderful! We learned so much! Thank you so much! April Heather

Thank you so much! -Rachel

A little generosity goes a long way! -Rayne

Club Members,
We appreciate the donation you gave to our second year students, again this year. This helped to lessen the burden of the conference expenses. They had a great time and came back excited about their upcoming career.

We are so fortunate that you chose us to give the money to.
Thank you so much!

Bonnie

GWINNETT TECH SECOND YEAR VET STUDENTS

To our Good Friends
in the Newman Kennel Club

April 30th

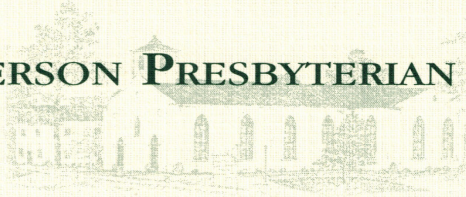
Thank you for the donation you made towards Parkinson's research in the name of my brother, Bob Beane. Our entire family has been encouraged by the love & support of our friends.

Thank you ever so much,

Porter & Carol Beane



MACPHERSON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



May 8, 2017

Newnan Kennel Club
96 Tapestry Lane
Newnan, GA 30265

Dear Kennel Club Members,

On behalf of MacPherson Presbyterian, I would like to offer the church's deep appreciation for your recent gift in memory of Betty Fisher. Her sister Mary has received notification of your gift (and I am sure will share the notification with Ellen).

Thank you again for your kind generosity.

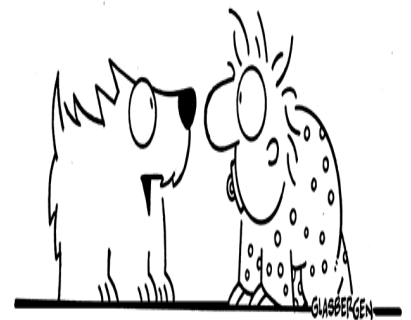
In Christ's Love,

Rene Bahrenfuss
Church Secretary

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"I like everyone and I'm always in a good mood. *That can't be normal!*"



"I'm a Terrier! What breed are you?"