Puppy Puddles News



WE TEACH YOU TO TEACH YOUR DOG

Monthly Meeting
January 15th, 2019

KCKC Training Center

Board Meeting — 6:30PM Club Meeting — 7:30PM

Refreshments

Feb—Still need someone

Mar—Alexis & Still need someone

April—Davey and Otterness

May—Still need someone

Jun—Nuytten & Almendinger

Aug—Still need someone

Sept -Still need someone

Oct—Still need someone

Nov-Megan & Lori

Thank you to Bobbie for the wonderful refreshments at the previous meeting!

Important Dates

• Feb. 20—Absolute deadline for club dues



Your Contributions

Please feel free to e-mail your ideas, stories or pictures to me and I will try my best to incorporate them. Let's work together to make this a great newsletter!

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Newsletter Editor:

Megan Hancock

KCKC At The Library

Thank you to all the members that showed up to the library for KCKC's meet

the breed event. If you didn't have a chance to attend the library event but still would like to participate, contact Lynn about reading opportunities for the remainder of the month.





You should like us on -->



Officers

President — Pete Otterness

Vice President — Lori Espeland

Secretary — Megan Hancock

Treasurer — Lynn Davey

Board Members: Alexis Smith, Brian Carstensen, Sue Erickson, Bobbie Nuytten, Betsy Norland

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Time is Running Out!

Time is running out to pay your club dues! Please pay them by the February meeting to avoid have to re-apply for club membership, according to the club's constitution.

Please submit them to Lynn Davey as soon as possible.

RING STEWARDS WANTED!

Do you like to steward? Would you like to learn?

We provide a free lunch to all volunteers that steward at our show and trials.

If you are interested please contact the following:

Conformation:

Dawn Blaine – webmaster@keycitykennelclub.org

Obedience:

Sue Erickson – 507-388-3282

Rally

Gladys Berlin – 507-304-2958

AKC Outstanding Sportsmanship Award

We need your nominations for this year's AKC Outstanding Sportsmanship Award. This award is presented to an individual who deserves special recognition and has made a difference in the sport of purebred dogs, embodies the AKC Code of Sportsmanship and has been an active and valued member with Key City Kennel Club.

The 2018 recipient will be presented with the award at our annual party held in early 2019. We will vote by secret ballot at the February meeting.

Recycle your old plaques

If you have "older walnut plaques" that have been replaced because your dog has won new titles that have superseded the old plaques by a newer plaque and you no longer want/need to display them, I can and do "recycle" them. It saves the club several dollars each by doing that. You can drop them off at the training center any time, simply bag them up – put my name on it and leave them on the desk or somewhere that Lynn will find them. If you are coming to the awards party you could bring them then

Thanks, Bruce Davey

Good Cheer

Please keep Sue Fleming in your thoughts and prayers as she recovers from the surgery she had on 1/29/19.

If any club member knows of anyone needing Good Cheer please contact Lori at any of the following:

Email: ratflatdogs@gmail.com Cell phone: 507-720-2187

Thank you Lynn

A big thanks to Lynn for sharing her adorable foster puppy with us at the last kennel club meeting!



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Meeting Minutes

Opening:

The general meeting of the Key City Kennel Club was called to order at 7:42 pm on January 15th at the Benco building in Mankato MN by Pete Otterness.

Approval of Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were unanimously approved as distributed.

Reports

President:

None

Secretary:

• Correspondence -- surprisingly Megan had nothing to say... the general membership was shocked\

Treasurer:

• All expenses normal

• Balance: \$58,252.42

Training Report

• Classes have begun for this session, classes are small for the session

Building Report

- The door was "fixed" but is still in need of repair, we will look around to see if we can find any material to do this
- The purple beginner tunnel is shot and we need a new one. The fabric is getting old
- We will look into what we need to get to replace this tunnel
- The board approved 4 sets of bags from clean run for \$300
- Our existing bags need some new Velcro, we are looking into what it will take to get it repaired

Business

Nose Work

- We have the space to do some of the nose work events
- It takes 18 weeks from the time we apply to have a trial
- We will need a committee of at least 5 people that can do this
- Melissa will work on getting some maps for the building drawn and possible dates for the event

Library

- The first weekend in February is meet the breeds at the library
 - We need display boxes and readers

AED

• We are still looking into what training will cost to hold a class

Adjournment:

A motion was made by Bruce to adjourn the meeting. It was seconded by Brian

Meeting was adjourned at 8:22pm . The next general meeting will be at 7:30 on February 19 at the Benco building in Mankato MN.

Minutes submitted by: Megan Hancock

AGENDA: BOARD MEETING

- I. Approve minutes of previous meeting
- II. Report of Secretary
 - A. Correspondence
 - B. Applications for membership
- I. Reports of Committees
 - A. Treasurer
 - B. Training
 - C. Building Committee
- I. Unfinished Business
- II. New Business
- III. Recess meeting
- IV. Adjourn meeting

AGENDA:

GENERAL MEETING

- I. Introduce Guests
- II. Approve minutes of previous meeting
- III. Report of the President
 - A. Board discussion and action
- IV. Report of the Secretary
 - A. Correspondence
 - B. Applications for membership
- V. Good Cheer Fund
- VI. Report of the Treasurer
- VII. Reports of Committees
 - A. AKC Delegate
 - B. Training
- VIII. Unfinished Business
- IX. New Business
- X. Adjourn Meeting

BRAG BOX

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