Puppy Puddles News

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Monthly Meeting

May 15, 2017

KCKC Training Center

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

Refreshments

May — Dawn Blaine & Larry Blaine

Jun — Davey's & Otterness'

Jul — KCKC Picnic

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

Important Dates

- May 15—Trailer Loading
- May 24—Show prep at Nicollet County Fairgrounds
- May 25, 26, 27— KCKC All Breed Show, Obedience, and Rally Trials



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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2017 KCKC All Breed Show, Obedience and Rally Trials

KCKC's May show is just around the corner and if you are not planning on showing but still want to be apart of the action, please contact the show committee for information on volunteering! The help is always greatly appreciated. If you are new, don't worry, we provide on the job training! No contribution is too small, so even if you can only help for an hour we would appreciate it. Please remember that this event is a main money maker for the club and helps us fund our training center; we as a club need all of our members to pitch in and make it a smooth running experience.

Set up for the show will begin **May 24th**, if you are able, please head out to the fair grounds to help set up. Tear down for the show will commence at the end of the show on **May 27th**, the volunteers that have been at the show since Thursday will be exhausted and need your help, stick around to help take stuff down.

Show Committee: Sue Erickson (Obedience), Dawn Blaine (Conformation), Glady Berlin (Rally)

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Officers

President — Jim Olson Secretary — Megan Hancock Vice President — Pete Otterness Treasurer — Lynn Davey

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Camping At KCKC's May Show

If you are planning on bringing a camper to the May show please contact Bruce Davey about holding a camping spot. Grounds set-up for the show begin Thursday May 25. Bruce will be able to let you know if/when you can set up.

Bruce Davey

E-mail: bdavey122@gmail.com

CGC Testing

CGC testing is being planned for the end of the spring session of classes. Testing for CGC only will be held on May 17th and at 6:30 p.m. at the training center.

The cost of taking the test is \$5.00 per dog tested.

Sign-up is required if you are planning on taking the CGC. To sign up, you may contact Lori by phone or by email

We are in need of volunteers to help with the testing. Please let Lori know if you are able to help with the testing.

Lori Espeland 507-720-2187 ratflatdogs@gmail.com

A Note for the May Show

If you are "in charge" of something at the show, please be certain that you have (bring or make arrangements for) the things that you need or things you might need for the show. Items like chairs and tables are constantly needed. Bruce cannot supply everything that is needed for everyone, though he will try to help as much as possible. Please make sure to plan ahead, and help out by coming to the show organized.

Trailer Loading

The May show is right around the corner, and that means that the club's trailer will need to be loaded with the things needed to run the May show. Trailer loading will be held on May 15th at 6:00pm.

To sweeten the deal, Bruce Davey has graciously volunteered to bring and raffle off two bottles of wine. In order to be eligible to win a bottle, you must be present to help load the trailer. Come help out the club, as well as have a good chance to take home a bottle of Riesling.

Accomplishments

Congratulations to our club member Annie Muske and her Havanese Shama! Shama competed in her first trial, Teacup Agility, recently. Below is a photo of her and her ribbons. Big congrats!



For Sale / Wanted

• **Wanted**: Article Board, Contact Joan and Mary Schroeder, 507-240-0676, marys@newulmtel.net

Good Cheer

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

Email: beverlygrace39@gmail.com

Cell phone: 507-351-4899