Key City Kennel Club

PUPPY PUDDLES

Sept 2013

WE TEACH YOU TO TEACH YOUR DOG

Monthly Meeting

Sept 17, 2013
 Benco Building
 Board Meeting — 6:30PM
 Club Meeting — 7:30PM

Refreshments

Sept— Keith Hamm &
Kathy Wherley
Oct — Patty Hooey &

Joey Heilman

Nov — Still Need Someone

Thank you to Lois Almendinger and Dave and Jan Richards for the wonderful refreshments at the August Meeting!

Important Dates

- Sept 16 Classes Begin
- Oct 4-6 KCKC Agility
 Trials

Your Contributions

Thank you to all the people who sent in pictures and stories!! Please feel free to e-mail your ideas, stories or pictures to me and I will try my best to incorporate them. Lets work together to make this a great newsletter!

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Dog Training

Good Cheer

• See Page 2 For Good Cheer

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

Email: flapjack@hickorytech.net Cell phone: 507-327-5616 Home phone: 507-546-3629 Address: 53001 174th Lane Garden City, MN56034

Nominating Committee's Slate Of Officers For 2014

President: Jim Olson

Vice President: Pete Otterness Treasurer: Lynn Davey

The secretarial board position is open for nominations this year. Megan Hancock has been nominated by the committee to run for the position. Two board members, Lee Schulz and Connie Timmerman, will not be running again next term, rendering the positions open. Melissa Lembke and Sue Erickson have been selected by the nominating committee to run for these positions. Additional nominations may be made at the October meeting by any member in attendance provided that the person so nominated does not decline when their name is proposed. It is further provided that if the proposed candidate is not in attendance at this meeting, the proposer shall present to the Secretary a written willingness of the nominee to be a candidate. The election will take place at the November general meeting.

Officers

President — Jim Olson Secretary — Kathleen Wherley Vice President — Pete Otterness Treasurer — Lynn Davey

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TROPHIES FOR MAY SHOW

It is time to start thinking about the trophies we sponsor for our May All-Breed Show, Obedience and Rally trials. Please clip out the sign up sheet and along with your money or donation (such as a toy), send it to Lee Schulz at the address listed. Please note that the deadline is December 19, 2013. Unfortunately, we cannot have any exceptions because of deadlines imposed by Onofrio for printing premium lists. If your trophy information and payment is not received by the deadline, your name will not be included in the premium list. If you have any questions, please contact Lee at (507) 625-7709 or rlschulz@hickorytech.net

TROPHIES FO	R 2014 KCKC	SHOW
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Donation Group: §		
BOW \$10.00	_BOS \$10.00	
WD \$5.00	WB \$5.00	
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Novice A	Novice B	Open A
Open B	Utility A	Utility B
OBEDIENCE BR	EED PRIZES: \$10	0.00 (Specific Breeds, High
Scoring)		
Donated By:		
JUNIOR SHOWM	<u>IANSHIP:</u>	

There are no specific amounts dedicated to these classes. Classes are as follows:

Novice Junior Novice Senior Open Junior Open Senior

Best Jr Handler

If you wish, please indicate which class/classes you would like to sponsor and how much you would like to donate. Please send this form along with your payment to:

Lee Schulz 19974 Mill Rae Lane Mankato, MN 56001

Good Cheer

We had a sad couple of losses last month. Both Richard West and Karen Byron's fathers passed away. Sympathy cards were sent to both and the Key City Kennel Club Board did donate \$50 to the Animal Rescue of each persons choice. Richard and Karen – the Club was very sorry to hear of your losses. The loss of a parent is always especially hard and our hearts go out to both of you. All of us here at Key City Kennel Club send you our sympathies and big hugs. Know that we are all thinking of you at this time and hope that if there is anything we can do to ease your sorrow, just give us a call or send out that ever present email we will be happy to support you both. Take care.

Key City Kennel Club also lost another long standing Member this past month. Bob Olson followed his wife Eloise and passed away in late August. Bob and Eloise were very active with Key City Kennel Club and will be missed. Key City Kennel Club made a \$100 donation to the Carver County Humane Society in honor of Bob. He will be missed by many and has been missed by the members here at Key City Kennel Club. We are so sorry to hear of your passing Bob. We know that you are enjoying a much looked for reuniting with your wife Eloise. May you both rest in peace until we all meet again.

For Sale / Wanted

- Wanted: Used 30" X-Pen for camping Lynn Davey
- <u>For Sale:</u> KCKC's red metal weave pole bases. 22" (not current 24" regulation) spacing with poles included. Contact Lynn Davey for a price.

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Membership Applications

• First reading held for:

Kaj Jensen 49938 164th St Lake Crystal, MN 56055 sashaandkaj@aol.com 507-546-3805 German Shepherd Dog

• Second reading — New members voted in:

Lucille (LuAnn) and Michael Jergensen 54412 50th Street Bricelyn, MN 56014 (507) 653-4203 luanni@bevcomm.net

Fall Classes

Fall classes will be starting the 16th of September. There is still space for enrollment in the following classes:

- Puppy Class
- Basic Obedience
- Advanced Obedience
- Beginning agility
- Flyball

Please see the website for enrollment procedures. The information can be found at the bottom of the "Class Schedule" page of the club's website.

Simone Holt Get-Together

Come enjoy an evening of Socializing and Catching up with our long distance friend from Australia

Simone Holt

Saturday, September 28, 2013

4:00 until we're done
at Brian and Elaine Carstensen's Home
53001 174th Lane, Garden City, MN 56034

This will be a pot luck gathering so bring your favorite dish to pass along with your lounge chairs, plates and utensils and of course – your favorite beverage to drink

GPS works well with our Address, but directions are as follows: Take 169 South out of Mankato. About 4 miles outside of Mankato, 169 takes a sharp left turn. Watch your signs. Follow 169 South for 7.8 miles. You will cross a bridge and Garden City will be on your left. Don't blink, you will miss it. After the bridge, take the 2nd left which is County Rd. 34. Follow County Rd. 34 for 1.2 miles. Take a left onto 531 Lane. This will be a gravel township road. Follow 531 Lane for .6 miles. Take a left onto 174th Lane and follow it to the end. You will be at Carstensen Homestead.

Word Find

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Find The following words in the grid above: Key City, Agility, Obedience, Rally, Champion, Training, Tunnel, Bark, Leash, Heel.

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AKC Annual Agility Trial

Our 2012 KCKC AKC All Breed Agility Trial will be held Friday, October 4th through Sunday October 6th at the Nicollet County Fairgrounds in St. Peter. We will begin preparing the fairgrounds on Thursday, October 4th.

Just like our May show, we will need plenty of volunteers: Please RSVP by SEPTEMBER 20th.

- We will need your favorite potluck items to add to the meal for all of our hard working volunteers and judges. The club will be providing the main course, but salads, fruits, vegetables, and desserts are needed. Please bring them to the fairgrounds before 10AM on Saturday, October 5th. Contact Pat Hooey (507-386-7488) if you have any questions or if you would like to volunteer anything additional for hospitality.
- We are changing the Workers Raffle this year. We are going to be giving away 3 gift cards each day for the workers instead of the standard dog or human items. We will be giving away 3 gift cards from Best for Pets, Clean Run, and Kwik Trip. So, instead of the items you all normally bring, this year we are asking for a small cash donation. Whatever you are able to give towards the purchase of the gift cards would be fantastic. If you would mail or bring your donations to the next couple of meetings that would be great. If you need to write a check, please make it payable to Elaine Carstensen as she will be purchasing the gift cards for the Club. Mailing address is as follows: Elaine Carstensen / 53001 174th Lane / Garden City, MN 56034. We will also be collecting these donations the weekend of the trial. I will have a bucket in the Hospitality Barn for you to drop your donations into.

Don't forget to bring a lawn chair, and dress according to the weather.

AGILITY TRIAL VOLUNTEER FORM
NAME:
DAY(S) ABLE TO WORK:
TIMES ABLE TO WORK:
JOBS WILLING TO DO:(see above listing)
ARE YOU RUNNING A DOG: YES NO (please circle one)
IF SO – WHAT CLASSES ENTERED:
WHAT JUMP HEIGHT:
REMEMBER IF THERE IS SOMETHING YOU WOULD LIKE TO DO BUT DON'T KNOW I

WE WILL TRAIN YOU – MOST OF THE JOBS ARE REALLY STRAIGHT FORWARD.