



PUPPY PUDDLES

WE TEACH YOU TO TEACH YOUR DOG

Monthly Meeting

- Oct 18, 2016
Benco Building
Board Meeting — 6:30PM
Club Meeting — 7:30PM

Refreshments

- Oct — Jim & Sharon Olson
- Nov — Still need someone
- Dec — No Meeting

Thank you to Pat Hooey and Sue Fleming for the wonderful refreshments at the September Meeting!

Important Dates

- Oct 31 — Halloween

Your Contributions

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



Can Do Canine

We will have a presentation at our October meeting by the Can Do Canines of New Hope, MN that were both trained and donated by the organization

Mike Haugen and his diabetic alert Golden, Charlie

Natalie Regenscheid and her hearing dog Lab, Nadia

Their presentation will begin at 7:30 p.m. This is prior to the start of our general meeting.

Officers

President — Jim Olson
Secretary — Megan Hancock

Vice President — Pete Otterness
Treasurer — Lynn Davey

Nominating Committee's Slate Of Officers For 2016

The nominating committee is pleased to report that for 2017 the current Board of Directors and Officers have agreed to continue to serve. The nominated ballot shall consist of the following Officers and Board of Directors:

Officers

President – Jim Olson *Term 2017*
Vice President – Pete Otterness *Term 2017*
Treasurer – Lynn Davey *Term 2017*
Secretary – Megan Hancock *Term 2017*

Board of Directors:

Patty Hooey *Term 2017-2019*
Lori Espeland *Term 2017-2019*
Melissa Lembke *Term 2017-2019*

Sue Erickson *Elected Term 2016-2018*
Brian Carstensen *Elected Term 2016-2018*

There were very few eligible candidates in accordance with the attendance requirements set forth in the constitution of Key City Kennel Club. It is also the policy to not have spouses serve concurrently on the Board. Nomination from the floor can be made during the October meeting by any member in attendance provided that the person nominated has attended the minimum number of meetings (7 of the scheduled meeting), is in good standings with the club and that the person nominated agrees to serve in the capacity nominated.

Good Cheer

If any club member knows of anyone needing Good Cheer please contact Elaine.

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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, embodied the AKC Code of Sportsmanship and has been an active and valued member with Key City Kennel Club. The 2016 recipient will be presented with the award at our annual party.

At the October meeting, nominations for the annual AKC Sportsmanship Award need to be made out. Pete Otterness, who won the award last year will keep the results until the holiday party. So, be thinking about who you think deserves the 2016 AKC Outstanding Sportsmanship Award.

Members who have received this award in the past:
Ron Schulz, Jill Shirley, Joey Heilman, Jan Richards, Lynn Davey, Patty Hooey, Jim Olson, Bruce Davey, Pete Otterness, Sue Erickson.

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 on last page and along with your money or donation (such as a toy), send it to Lori Espeland at the address listed. Please note that the deadline is December 19, 2016.

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 Lori.

Skunk Neutralizer Directions

First and foremost: **DO NOT BATHE THE DOG!** or pour tomato juice on it or anything else you have hear of. You will want to do the following quickly as possible for two reasons; the chemistry works best on fresh unoxidized portions of the skunk spray and because you and the dog are suffering from the smell. If the dog has been bathed or rinses, you will notice the immediate cessation of the odor. If the dog has been rinsed it is not as effective. If the skunk spray is fresh it is like magic (but it really just good chemistry).

Supplies:

2-3 quarts of 3% regular hydrogen peroxide

1 box of baking soda

Liquid dish soap

Bowl or bucket

Sponge

Gloves

Water

Take 1 quart of 3% hydrogen peroxide into mixing container. Add $\frac{1}{4}$ cup of baking soda. This will start to bubble and fizz (that is why you cannot premix the solution). Add a teaspoon of dish soap. Wet the dog thoroughly with the solution. Sponge carefully around the face at the stuff really stings the eyes and nose. Make more solution if necessary, the fresher the better. After the dog has been thoroughly wetted and the traces of the smell are gone, rinse the dog with water. Bathe him with water and shampoo to rinse and clean the solution off as if left on can irritate and dry the skin.

How it works:

Skunk spray is comprised of thiols – an organosulfur compound with sulfur-hydrogen bonds. This odor causing molecule is repulsive to humans at 10 parts per billion. These compounds can be readily oxidized into a neutral non odor producing state by adding oxygen molecule to alter the chemical structure of the thiols.

Comments:

- If you cannot keep your dog still enough for the areas around the eyes, skip that area. It will still smell but not the extent of the whole dog covered in spray. There is no reason to get this solution into the dog's eyes.
- Be sure to rinse the solution off. Hydrogen peroxide can have a bleaching potential to coat color but if done quickly and rinsed off completely should not have much effect.
- Be sure to keep some the solution to rinse off your clothes, shoes, skin after wetting the dog and before rinsing things off as you will have skunk on you too.
- Best of all, if you make the kit and are ready to go, the skunks stay away. 12 years of having the kit in the truck hunting – no skunk encounters!

TROPHIES FOR 2017 KCKC SHOW

ABSOLUTE DEADLINE IS DECEMBER 19, 2016

Please choose the day/days you would like to donate for: Saturday Sunday

CONFIRMATION:

BREED OF DOG _____

Donation Group: \$20.00 ___ BOB \$10.00 ___ BOW \$10.00 ___ BOS \$10.00 ___ WD \$5.00 ___ WB \$5.00 ___

Donated By: _____

Special Donation: _____

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP:

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

Novice Junior	Novice Intermediate	Novice Senior	Open Junior
Open Intermediate	Open Senior	Master Class	Best Jr Handler
			Reserve Junior Handler

Please choose the day/days you would like to donate for: Friday Saturday Sunday

OBEDIENCE:

OBEDIENCE and/or RALLY BREED PRIZES: \$10.00 (Specific Breeds, High Scoring)

Breed _____

For First in each Regular class: \$20.00

Novice A ___ Novice B ___ Open A ___ Open B ___ Utility A ___ Utility B ___

Donated By: _____

RALLY:

For First in each Regular class: \$20.00

Nov. A ___ Nov. B ___ Adv. A ___ Adv. B ___ Exc. A ___ Exc. B ___ High Combined ___

Donated By: _____

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

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