

TOTAL RECALL JANUARY, 2007

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Notes and reminders...

NEXT BOARD MEETING: MONDAY, JANUARY 21, 2008 @ 7:00 PM

NEXT GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING, JANUARY 21, 2007 @ 8:00 PM

ANOTHER NIGHT OF COMEDY!

"COMEDY FUN NIGHT" AT THE COMEDY LOFT COMING ON FEBRUARY 15TH.

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We are having another "Fun Night of Comedy" at the Comedy Loft on Route 88.

DATE: FEBRUARY 15TH TIME: 8:00 PM

This is the Friday after Valentine's Day - Great Date Night Opportunity! There is also a Dinner/Comedy package available! Tickets will be available soon at the club. \$10 per half of the proceeds go to the club. We are trying for the "Bigger Room" this time, so please try and sell as many tickets as you can!

NOTE OF THANKS!

Thank you to all of the people who volunteered their time and energy to help clean and/or paint the club these past two weekends!

Thanks to; Dan Goldberg, Pete Grandillo. Barb Holcomb, Pam Lewis, Michele Manion, Joyce Petrow and Alan (her husband), Marian Roznowski, Rod Sabatini, Christy Smolak, Alexis Tate, Sue Wray, and Toni Yurkovic, Also "Thank You" to Lucy McCloskey for her cash donation! It took a lot of hard work. You were all great and deserve much gratitude!

SPECIAL THANKS TO:

Rod Sabatini for patching and putting a cover over the fan at the club.

DOG MASSAGE



We are pleased to announce that Maria Duthie will be coming to KCTC on Saturday, January 19. Maria comes highly

recommended by several KCTC members. She will be doing a 3-hour hands-on seminar to teach you how to massage your dog at 9:30in the morning (bring your dog!), and then will do private 1/2-hour massages in the afternoon starting at 1:00. Each session (morning and afternoon) will be limited to 12 dogs. Bring a blanket or mat for you and your dog to sit on.

The cost for the morning session is \$60 for KCTC members, and the cost for a private massage in the afternoon is \$45. Payment is due by January 5. Please make checks payable to "Keystone Canine Club."

To register, please contact Dan Goldberg at 412-831-1042 or samoyed4@verizon.net.

REMINDER

TDI/CGC Testing will be held at KCC on Sunday, March 2 from 9 AM to 12:00 Noon

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DEMOS

Wednesday, January 9, 2008 – Covenant Community Presbyterian Church – Greentree (Doggie Wedding) Friday, January 25 @ 10:30 am – Pathfinder School February 2 or 9 – Arden Courts-West Mifflin



Sad News: Arden Reiling has decided to retire her dog, Buck due to illness. Buck has played the part of the groom at many K-9ers weddings.

DONNA ROHAUS AGILITY

Mark your calendars for Donna Rohaus Agility Days:

Tuesday, January 22nd Tuesday, February 5th Sunday, February 10th Saturday, February 19th Thursday, March 6th Saturday, March 15th Tuesday, March 25th

OLDER DOGS

Our dogs age at different rates. It's our job to note the signs that they are slowing down. One sign might be moving slowly, having difficulty getting up from a down position, and having a problem navigating the stairs. It's a good idea to talk with your veterinarian for the best kind of treatment. Just remember they still will want to continue doing things they enjoy. They just may not be able to do them as often or as energetically.

I personally have an aging dog – my Zach is eleven. The biggest thing we have noticed is his hearing or lack of – we estimate he is 95% deaf. Knowing that, we have to be aware of where he is for his safety. We have to show him by touch as to what we want him to do or not do; what direction to go when walking. This is where having taught him hand- signals has been a godsend.

A humorous side of it all takes place when we have a snack in the evening. Zach can be sound asleep in another room. I have observed him lift up his head, seemingly from a deep sleep, take a number of long sniffs, arise and come immediately to the chair of the snackee!! It is truly amazing that his sense of smell is still so strong.

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