

# KCTC Newsletter

Sharing one of my favorite pictures of my 3 girls! Abbey, Saylor, and Katie. -Terri Chasser

#### September 2021

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#### A Message from the President

Greetings,

The fall boasts a pretty busy schedule: 4 trials: Teacup Agility, C-WAGS Scentwork, WCRL Rally, and Rodeo Dog. KCTC has also been invited to participate in the Peters Township Library's Animal Fair on September 18. For those of us not participating, these are great opportunities to support our fellow club members by volunteering to help.

Barb Powischill is coordinating the KCTC spot at the Animal Fair, which will be held on Saturday, September 18, 2021, from 10:00 AM till 1:00 PM. The purpose of the "Keystone Canine Training Club" table would be to help educate fellow animal lovers about our club and the training that our club has to offer. Any donation of your time would be appreciated! Please email her at cindersmom\_2@hotmail.com or telephone her at 412-881-5683 if you would like to volunteer.

Links to the Teacup Agility and C-WAGS premiums are on the homepage.

Registration for session V (October 11 start date) classes opens at 9 p.m., September 26 th . If you're just logging on at 8:59:00 you're late!!

The Holiday Photo Shoot is coming up on November 29 th , more information is in the newsletter.

I hope to see you at the membership meeting September 19 at 7:00 p.m.

doggie quote of the month:

"When it comes to training a dog, 5 minutes a day Monday through Friday is better than 30 minutes on

Saturday." Martin Deeley

Dan Mullaney, President

# Upcoming Events

September 19 - Membership Meeting

Stay tuned for more details

September 25-26 - Teacup Agility

Stay tuned for more details!

October 9-10- CWags Scentwork Stay tuned for more details! November 26-27- WCRL Rally Stay tuned for more details! December 11-12- Rodeo Dog Trial Stay tuned for more details!

### Applying for Membership:

- Hannah Incerpi and Koda a mix are applying for membership. They have taken Family manners I and Agility I. Hannah is endorsed by Sharon Hareze and Dan Mullaney.
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Diane Murray is applying for membership with Zipadee Do Dah her Dachshund. They have taken Family Manners I and Beginners Scent Work. Diane is endorsed by Marcy Fenell and Sue Schweitzer.

Rose Nicotra and Gracie her Rat Terrier are applying for membership. They have taken Agility & Obedience. Rose is endorsed by Amy Sandhagen and Clare Schmalz.

### Voted into Membership at July Meeting:

Lexi Fulton with Louis a Terrier mix and Bode a Lab mix. Lauren Simmons & Zeke a Siberian Husky.

### Wags and Brags 4

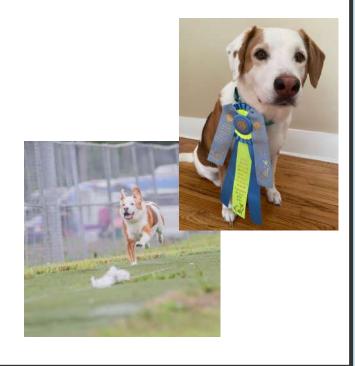


Amazing doesn't even begin to describe the weekend that Greyson and I just had!! He and I went to the Columbus All Breed Training Club's scent work trial on August 7th and 8th in the hopes of finishing some of his Novice AKC Scent Work titles. He did that and so much more!! On Saturday, he finished all four of his AKC Novice Scent Work titles as well as his overall Novice Scent Work title. And in addition to finishing those titles, he won the Novice B Exterior, Interior and Buried classes. On Sunday, I moved him up to the Advanced Exterior class just to see how he'd handle it. Well, I guess he showed me!! He won the Advanced Exterior class the first time out of the box!! Greyson qualified on 11 of our 12 searches in Columbus, and he had four first placements and four second placements on those qualifying runs. It was a dream weekend for the two of us. It was beastly hot on Saturday and Sunday, and he never stopped working for me. This weekend was one that I will always cherish. Greyson gave me everything he had, and I love and appreciate him more than words can say.

-Lynn Uram

Opie achieved his BCAT at the Three Rivers Sheltie Club FAST CAT trial in Latrobe. His average speed for the weekend was 19.25 mph. He lives for the infamous plastic bag.

-Grace Patberg



## MORE Wags and Brags



This is London at her second CPE agility trial where she Qualified in all five runs with 1st placements. She loves the game!!

-Sharon Hareza

The dynamic Rodeo Dog duo of Rags and Buttons had a fun time at KCTC's July Rodeo Dog trials. Cowboy Rags rode off with his Halter Straight Line title and, not to be outdone, Cowgirl Buttons lassoed her Performance titles in Straight Line, Round Up and Lock Stock and Barrel!! So proud of these two!



-Linda Irwin



Katie earned her AKC Open Standard title, her first Excellent Jumpers leg and 2 first place ribbons to boot at the recent AAKA agility trial. The girl sure loves agility! -Terri Chasser

## MORE Wags and Brags

Jordi earned her AKC Novice Buried Elite title in Columbus earlier this month. She also earned 2 more Hide N Seek titles, and Traditional Hunt and Maze Craze, both at Level 3.

Benny also earned 3 Hide N Seek titles including Haystack Level 1, Here There & Everywhere Level 2 and Traditional Hunt Level 3.



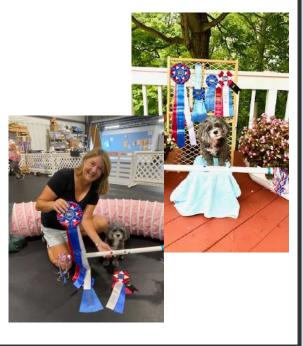
-Jen Heid



I am so happy to share that Katie earned her CPE C-ATCH (Agility Trial Champion) title on 8/7/21. Not to be out done, Saylor earned her C-ATCH2 title the same day. What a great agility day. So proud of my girls!

-Terri Chasser

Mandy earned her TEACUP AGILITY CHAMPION (TACH) and her TEA MAG games title on Sunday August 29th at SPLASH AND DASH canine club with judge Sherri Rockhill. We just wanted to thank all of her wonderful instructors at our Keystone canine club who helped her achieve this goal. We are so grateful for you. Mandy started running teacup at age 10 and still running at age 13. Proud and love this little yorkie poo.



-Linda Cornell

## MORE Wags and Brags





#### CHAMPION RENNS MIGHTY QUINN'S DREAM

(QUINN) Earned his championship with 4 majors - best of breed , winners dog .... He traveled to Duluth MN. For a major - And all the way out to Washington State to Olympic Kennel Club for a major. He also won two majors out of Puget Sound Poodle Club ... He was shown by professional Handler Lindsay Gorder. We are so proud of this sweet poodle. He has our hearts.

-Linda and Chuck Cornell

Congratulations are in order for Team Bailey, Team Biscuit, Team Chewie, Team Holly, Team Nikki and Team Oliver on your new AKC Trick Dog titles earned in KCTC Trick Dog class this session!! We enjoyed watching all of the very talented dogs in class learn lots of new tricks and have so much fun in the process.

-Linda Irwin and Pat Warnick



Keystone Canine Training Center and Seeing Spotz Photography Holiday Rhoto Shoot

Come on out to Keystone Canine Training Club for your Holiday photo's.

We will have 2 different backgrounds to choose from.

Keystone Canine Training Club 5167 Brownsville Rd, Pittsburgh November 29th Noon until 6PM by appointment only Contact Cindy 724-255-7921

Sitting fee is \$15 which will include 1 5x7 or 1 digital copy. Additional packages will be available to purchase.