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A Message from the President

Greetings,

A little quicker turn around on the Newsletter; just goes to show you can teach an old dog new tricks!

As some of you are aware, the club is doing well financially. We are looking at some expenditures (ceiling fans for the back room, interior painting) that may require membership approval (due to cost, in accordance with club bylaws). Once bids have been reviewed by the Board; I may be requesting your vote, so look for an email, and please respond.

A reminder ... don't be left out! Wall Photos for Keystone Dogs, the wall are slated to be updated in January, with submissions due by October 15, 2022.

October 15 is also the day of the Teacup Dog Agility trial. Volunteers needed, training will be provided.

The Holiday Photo shoot will be on October 23, more details are in the newsletter. There are some afternoon spaces available.

Our next membership meeting is November 20th 7 p.m. at the club, hope to see you there.

The KCTC WCRL trials will be November 26 and 27. Once again, it looks like a full trial. What a great way to burn off those calories!

The holiday party will be at Salvatore's December 5, more details to come.

Happy Training,

Dan Mullaney

President

"Be firm in all you do. Be gentle in how you do it."-**Chad Mackin** (adopted from Buck Brannaman)

Upcoming Events

TDAA Agility Trial - October 15

More details and link to premium on the homepage.

Submissions for Wall Photos - October 15

Membership Meeting - November 20

The meeting starts at 7pm.

WCRL Fall Trial - November 26 & 27

Trial is full.

Alphabet Drills (Agility) selected Saturdays

Classes for beginning agility students on the following Saturdays:

October 22, November 5 & 19, December 3. Classes are 45 min and begin at 1:00 or 2:00 p.m. Contact Sharon Hareza at crazyrabbit1977@yahoo.com or 412-608-8660.

Holiday Party - December 5

At Salvatore's. More Details coming soon!

Canine Good Citizen (CGC) Testing - December 6

Starting at 6:30 p.m. Contact Dan Goldberg (dangoldberg444@gmail.com) to register. The cost is \$10 for KCTC members and \$15 for non-members.





BACK TO SCHOOL


On September 13th the KCTC AKC Tricks Class entered the classroom, ready for their “final exam” of the session. The teams looked confident and ready. Team Stella crawled out of bed, put her paws up and passed her Novice and Intermediate titles. Team Luna happily got off the bus, wove her way to her seat and collected her Novice and Intermediate titles. Team Blue caught the ball and shot a slam dunk in gym class, grabbing his Novice and Intermediate titles. Team Little Bear balanced her breakfast treat on her nose, said her prayers and aced her Intermediate and Advanced titles. Team Pixie opened the door to the nurse’s office, grabbed a Kleenex in time for a sneeze and danced her way to her Advanced title. Team Roar-E walked on her hind legs to school and backed up to the piano, playing a duet with her BFF GiGi and nailed her Advanced title. Team Expo rode in her wagon, did a side pass right past the principal and sang her way to her Performer title. Not to be left in the dust, Team Gigi jumped through hoops to get permission to drive to school, waved Little Paw at her friends and passed her Performer title with flying colors.


All the teams graduated with high honors and lots of laughs to the delight of their instructors. We are looking forward to next “semester” and more fun!!


Linda I. and Pat W.





Applying for Membership:

-  Marlene and Edward Boas are applying for membership with Callie their Mini Aussie. They have taken Family Manners I and Treibball. They are endorsed by Maribeth Hook and Dan Mullaney.

-  Jennifer Foster and Rainie a Cavapoo are applying for membership. They have taken Family Manners I, Family Manners II and tricks. They are endorsed by Amy Sandhagen and Bonnie Vello.

-  Susan Balukin and Cooper a Lab mix are applying for membership. They have taken Family Manners I and II. Susan is endorsed by Amy Sandhagen and Tracey Miller.

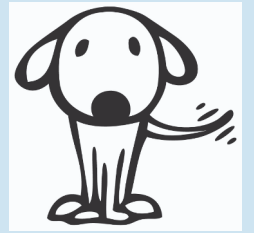
-  Tracy Szemanski is applying for membership with Louie her Bichon. They have taken Family Manners I and II. Tracy is endorsed by Rose Nicotra and Amy Sandhagen.

-  Tess Martin-Wong and John Wong are applying for membership with their Pomeranians, Rayne and Tesla. They have taken Family Manners I and II, Agility 1, 2 and 3, Beginners Rodeo and Beginners Scentwork. They are endorsed by Bill Gardner and Clint Connors.

Welcome New Members:

Rhonda Cumer, Karen Fix, Rebercca Graf, Judy Landolina, Fran Ruppen, Meghan Wingard, Matthew Yevins, and Manoj Verma

Wags and Brags



Sophie got her novice trick dog title!

Your Hearts In The Right Place TKN – Morgan

I am so proud of Casia Full of Goodness "Declan" On September 3rd Declan and I received our **20th QQ** and earned our **AKC MACH TITLE!** - Lynda



Wags and Brags

Tucker - earned his CSL2-H, CSL2-S and CSL2-F CPE agility titles this month and we are 3 Q runs away from our overall CSL2 title! We have been taking a Teeters and Weaves class at Keystone and he finally did the weave poles during his standard run!!

Bailee - earned her CPE Level 1 scent work title CCSS-L1 in August

Murphy - did our first ever Rodeo Dog trial in July at Keystone and he earned his Performance Straight Line, Clover and Roundup titles!

Here are some pictures of the gang. Tucker is the Red Merle, Bailee is the Black Tri and Murphy is the Red Tri

Meghan Wingard



Wags and Brags

Chewie and Greyson had a great time at the Licking River Kennel Club AKC Scentwork Trial in September.

Chewie got a high in trial and first place in all elements on Sunday. He also finished his AKC Advanced title. Not bad for my little shihtzu!

Greyson finished his Elite Novice Buried title and came away with two high in trial awards (one on Saturday and one on Sunday) This was my first time running Greyson and I could not have been more pleased with our performance. It took a bit to get used to a faster dog, but we pulled it off.

I am honored that Tom has put his trust in me to take care of Greyson. I think Lynn Uram would be happy too. Greyson loves to work, is always willing to play and has adjusted to his new home wonderfully. He will always belong to Lynn, but he has certainly stolen our hearts.

May we have many years of fun and runs in her memory. - Marcy



Holiday Photo Shoot

By Seeing Spotz Photography

October 23rd 9AM till 3 PM

Keystone Canine Training Club

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Contact Cindy for your appointment

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