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ORKC Christmas Party Time!



December 12, 2011
104 Hollbrook Lane
Oak Ridge

Anyone who can't GPS or Google map should call Joyce at
865-806-1980 for specific directions from their location.

Pot Luck Dishes Welcome!
Club will provide the meat. Quinto Burchi will be BBQ-ing.

No Meeting in December

Our next meeting will be January 12th

Board Meeting – 6 PM
Dinner - 6:30 PM
Membership Meeting - 7:00 PM

January is going to be our Italian night. Please bring your favorite dish,
French bread, salad and dressing, or dessert.

ORKC MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS

FIRST THUR OF EVERY MONTH
7PM | East Building at Club
(unless otherwise announced)
Please bring your own chair.

ORKC TRAINING CENTER

*Behind Girls, Inc. on the
Turnpike.*

1790 Oak Ridge Turnpike
Oak Ridge, TN 37830

**OAK RIDGE KENNEL CLUB
MEMBERSHIP MEETING
November 10, 2011**

Call to Order: President, David Miller called the meeting to order at 7:08 p.m. in the East Building. David welcomed new members and guests.

Minutes of the Last Meeting

Motion to accept minutes as published in the Woofer. Seconded. Minutes accepted.

Treasurer's Report

Joyce Cardwell submitted the October 2011 Report. David Miller reviewed the report in Joyce's absence.

Reports of the Committees

Cleaning Committee: Jean Burdick called a great number of members requesting help. 14 members responded positively to joining this new committee. She thanks them all.

Gardening Committee: Jennifer Banta agreed to chair this new committee.

Training Committee: Richella Veatch reported that holiday classes are underway. She continued that they are in the process of organizing the Training Department.

Building and Grounds: John Byrum reported that mowing season is over. New doors will be installed on the training buildings.

Communications: Barbara Byrum said that Winter Class Schedules have been distributed to vets, pet stores and newspapers. Classes begin 1/9/12. She showed members a copy of the new format of the class schedule that was distributed.

Show

Breed: Donna Burchi received the MB-F contract for 2012. Prices have increased. Donna said MB-F is offering electronic mailing of premium lists as a cost saving feature. There was a motion to sign up for the electronic mailing of the premium lists to those who have email addresses. The motion was seconded and approved. The club will realize a \$450 savings as a result. Electronic premium lists are mailed out the same day as snail mail copies.

The results of the Smoky Mountain Cluster show are unavailable. There are outstanding trophies that have not been paid for yet. All advertising was paid for. Extra catalogs are available. Judith Harville is the new ad chairperson.

Donna asked if members wanted to keep giving pottery as trophies. Members agreed. She'll come up with some other options for trophies for Show #2.

Obedience: Richella Veatch said volunteers worked the whole day. One incident was reported during the TVKC show. Complaints were received on Bulldogs barking excessively and bitches in season.

Unfinished business

Sign: The sign was designed. The sign cannot be seen from

the road in the location we were told it must be located (75 feet from the center of Rte. 95). The Girls, Inc. sign was grand fathered in. There is a possibility the club can request a variance or else consider putting the sign of the same size on the building. David rescinded the motion to the purchase of the sign. Carol Heck will look into getting a variance.

Excess Property For Sale: The lawnmower was sold for \$80.

Agility field/drainage: During excavation the contractor discovered that all the way to the concrete pads was asphalt. He suggested removing all the asphalt and using it as a base for the soil and seed. To do so (including removing the concrete pads) increases the estimate from \$14,500 to \$21,780. Mary Jo Steger motioned and Bonnie Herrell seconded the motion to authorize David Miller to spend up to \$25,000 to fill in the areas where the concrete pads are to be removed, fill in to a depth of four inches with soil, then hydro seed in spring. The motion was unanimously approved.

New business

Christmas Party: Set for Sat., Dec. 10, at Joyce Caldwell's home. The club will provide meat. Quinto will be BBQing. Pot luck. Bring a dish-to-pass. Donna requested \$100 for gifts and decorations. Marge Ellis made a motion the club provide Donna \$100 for gifts and decorations. Seconded by Tina Williford. Approved.

Next meeting: The January meeting will be the second Thursday of the month (Jan. 12) because of holiday traveling.

David Miller made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Seconded. Approved. David adjourned the meeting at 8:23 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Kathy Bloden

ORKC Agility Trial

January 6-8, 2012
Roan State Community College
Harriman, TN

8AM – 2PM each day

Volunteers Needed to Work
No experience necessary just come and
have fun learning all about agility.

More information at available at:
<http://pawsabilitiestn.com>



Member Brags

It's a Hat Trick!



CH Sun-Kiss Uzetta RE, AM/U-CH Sun-Kiss Roxy CD RE NA NAJ NF, and best friend AM/Int./U-CH Jason's High Flying Aviator RAE2 "Ollie" from Ontario, NY all earned their U-R01's together at the Carolina Classic in Hickory, NC.

U-CH Sun-Kiss Xandra earned her BN at the Smoky Mountain Cluster in Knoxville, Thanks to Joyce, Ashley and Becky for preparing us so well!

AM/U-CH Sun-Kiss Roxy CD RE NA NAJ NF and CH Sun-Kiss Uzetta RE earned their U-R01 titles at the Carolina Classic Oct. 7-8. Both girls had the same score, 2 days straight! Thanks to judge Russ Hornfisher.

U-CH Sun-Kiss Xandra and U-CH Sun-Kiss Ulrika also competed in conformation at the Carolina Classic. Xandra took BOB in 4 shows and had 4 Group 1 placements. Ulrika won BOB once.

Still Flying High

Bonnie Herrell's Australian Shepherd "Fairlight" earned 3 Agility Titles at the Greater Kingsport Agility Trial in October. Her new titles are: Novice Standard, Novice JWW, and Novice Fast.

She earned her **35th Title**, Graduate Open, at The Great Smoky Mountain Cluster in Knoxville.

All passes were with First Place Ribbons.



Doc



Tori

Little Dogs, Big Success

Ciregna Ticket To Ride To Dalarno (Miss Tori) took Winner's Bitch Thurs and Fri at the Smokey Mountain Cluster this year!! She took her first point from the 6-9 puppy class!! She also took best puppy and a puppy grp 2 on Friday. Not a bad debut Miss Tori!! Tori is a pembroke welsh corgi owned by Jessica Weaver and Carrie Harris. Ch. Dalarno Thyme To Draw (Owned by Jessica and Michael Weaver) took BOB both days at the Chattanooga shows in September. Doc also took Select Dog all 4 days at the Smokey Mtn Cluster...he is well on his way to getting his GR CH title after getting two majors in Chattanooga.



Member Brags (Cont.)

Litter Announcement



Byrum's In Her Image and GCH Byrum's a Kiss is Just a Kiss Are the proud parents of 3 fawn girls born 10/30/2011 at 10:37 p.m. Rosie and Bogie are French Bulldogs owned by Barb and John Byrum.

She Finally Did It!



Adirondac Hilfy of Fern Hill CDX, ASCA CD, TDI, CGC earned her Companion Dog Excellent title at the Oak Ridge/ Knoxville cluster show on Thursday, November 3, 2011 with Jim Pearce Handling. Hilfy earned her first leg back in June 2009 with Karen Edwards, but then went through a lengthy and inventive period of disqualifications before finishing up in the fall of 2011 following a handler change. She earned a first, a second, and a third in her qualifying runs. Hilfy is 9 1/2 years old and was bred by Joan Kogut of New York state.

Picture is of Jim, Hilfy and judge Russell Hornfisher.



Victory Is Spotted!



Sydney

Coachside Spectacular Bid of Tuckaway~Sidney, Winners Dog, Best Bred By Exhibitor, Non-Sporting Group One~Best Bred By Exhibitor in Show. Huntsville Kennel Club.

Coachside Winning Colors of Tuckaway~Belle, Reserve Winners Bitch (Major). Newnan Kennel Club.



Belle



Member Brags (Cont.)



Rambling Gypsy Rose Lee, RN

"Gypsy," the rescued Rottweiler earned her Rally Novice title at the Smoky Mountain Cluster shows. Additionally, she also placed second place in her class on Saturday and first place in her class on Sunday. I can't wait to get this clever little girl ready for the next level. To celebrate, I bought her new bed in her own size so that she can stop trying to squeeze into the cat's.

Gypsy is the proud owner of Wendy Smith.

Yara Gets a New Title: "Longest Name"

At the Oak Ridge/Knoxville shows November 3-6, Yara received her CD [which qualified her for her AKC VCD1 title]. She is now **CH Ramahills Yur Mama Dont Dance VCD1 CD TD PT OA NAJ NF CA AD, 2006 WRSF Jugend Siegrin, 2008 WRSF Jahres Siegrin, VI, CGC, TDI**. She did this in 3 shows with 4th place every day. I'm very proud of her because I've never really trained for obedience competition. We only practiced 3 times at Oak Ridge Kennel club before the cluster. I had never proofed her or put all the exercises together. I think though I'd better do some training for her CDX.



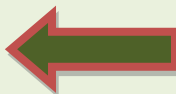
Yara is owned and loved by Linda and Ron Hurst



A Family Affair



On October 15, at the Smoky Mountain Dog Club's Fall UKC show in Athens, Hannah Richardson (daughter of member, Ashley Richardson) was awarded "Best Junior Handler" with her Irish Setter, Ch Vineyard's Heartbreaker, at her very **FIRST** show!



Cahaba Night Prowler, "Tobe", won a three point major in Priceville, AL on 11/11/11 under judge Nathaniel Horn. Tobe is a Flat Coated Retriever owned by Ashley Richardson and Janet Ward.





Member Brags (Cont.)

Zinger Finishes A Title Every Weekend!



Tim Snow's sheltie, "Zinger," completed her very first title at the Greater Kingsport KC Agility Trail in Gray, TN. On October 28, she finished her Novice Jumpers Preferred Agility title. On November 3, she Fished her first Rally Obedience Title (RN) at the Oak Ridge Kennel Club obedience trail in Knoxville. And on November 13, she earned her first obedience title (BN) at the Asheville Obedience Club trial. Congratulations to Tim and Stonerhaven Midnight Zinger, NJP, RN, BN! Way to go!

2012 Winter Training Classes – Beginning 1/9/2012

MONDAY NIGHTS

East Building

7:00 - Novice Obedience – Joyce Cardwell

West Building

6:00 - Household Manners – Jean Burdick – **6 weeks**

7:00 - Trick Training Class – Ashley Richardson

8:00 - ASCA Rally Class – Pat Doan – **4 weeks**

TUESDAY NIGHTS

East Building

6:00 - Puppy Class - Mary Jo Steger (A & B - **4 weeks**)

7:00 - Advanced Open Obedience Class – Tim Snow

8:00 - Introduction to Open Obedience Class – Tim Snow

West Building

5:00 - Super Puppy Class – Becky Malivuk and Stephanie Wesloh – **5 weeks**

6:00 - Beginner Class – Marg Ellis, Carol Jeffery, and Bonnie Herrell

7:00 – Canine Good Citizen Class – Karen Service and Linda Sample

8:00 - Utility Class – John Ambrosia

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS

East Building

7:00 - Conformation Drop -in Class – David Miller

West Building

7:00 to 8:30 - Rally Class – Richella Veatch

SATURDAY AFTERNOONS

East Building

1:00 - Beginner Conformation – Sandra Voina

1790 Oak Ridge Turnpike

Oak Ridge, TN 37830

For Class Registration contact: Jean Burdick @ jeanjeff@live.com or the ORKC website @www.discoveret.org/orkc



Oak Ridge Kennel Club Membership Application

Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

O.R.K.C. website: www.discoveret.org/orkc/

ORKC's Newsletter, *The Woofers*, provides members with official notification of meetings, events and other club business. It is either emailed (free) or mailed to you (for \$20/year extra for postage/printing costs). Please indicate your preference by circling one of the options below. AKC requires your signature if you wish an email copy.

I agree to E-mail or **I prefer the US Mail** Signature: _____

Areas in which I am willing to help (Check all that apply):

As members of the O.R.K.C., your participation in the club is vitally important. Please volunteer your time by helping at club events. It takes all of us to run a successful club!

Teaching Telephone Working at club activities Library Hospitality

Photography Fund Raising Club Management Housekeeping

Gardening/Landscaping Other : _____

My Interests:

Breed of Dog(s): _____ Conformation Rally Breeding Obedience
Training Agility Tracking Other (please describe): _____

Dues

Membership: \$15/person (1 vote)
The Woofers by mail, an additional \$20
Donation to Trophy fund (Any amount!) _____¹

Make check payable to: Oak Ridge Kennel Club
Mail form & payment to: Mary Jo Steger,
1007 Buck Creek Road, Kingston, TN 37763

Membership runs from January 1 to December 31 of each year. Please pay your dues **each year** before January 31. No individual renewal notice will be sent to you. If you have not renewed before March 31, you will be dropped from membership rolls. Membership gives you the opportunity to have a voice in club operations and entitles you to priority registration for training classes and reduced fees for classes. **Note: New members, and members who rejoin after being dropped for late payment of dues, must pay non-member rates for classes until they have been a member continuously for a full 12 months or have paid for 3 8-week classes at the nonmember rates, whichever occurs sooner.**

In consideration of my acceptance into membership in this Club, I understand that the Club needs my participation in Club activities and I will commit myself to help when available. Also, I agree not to hold the Club, its Officers, Directors, Training Instructors, nor the owner(s) of the property and building(s) where Club events are held, liable for any loss or damage that may occur to my person, family, or property as a result of my participation in Club activities.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

11/10

¹ We appreciate any donations to our trophy fund, to help ORKC pay for trophies for our various shows and competitions.

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Knoxville, TN 37920

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ORKC WINTER 2011/12 CALENDAR

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- Jan. 6-8** ~ ORKC Agility Trial
- Jan. 12** ~ Membership Meeting

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