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Greenville Kennel Club News

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Greenville Kennel Club Meetings are held on the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 7:30PM at the Quality Inn at Hwy 385 & Pleasantburg Dr.

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A message from our President

Blake Roulette



Dear Members, Hope this finds everyone well. Another year has come and gone and it's time for our May picnic at Man's Best Friend. I would like to thank Kari and Tom Hill for hosting this event again. This is month of non business and a time of fellowship with fellow club members and guests, a time catch up on the success of the past month. This will be a fun time for all people and dogs.

I encourage everyone to plan to attend the picnic and have good night of great food and fellowship.

Be safe; be there and plan on a good time

Blake

May Picnic

Sharon Spiegel

Don't forget we will be having our annual picnic on May 18 at 7:00 p.m. At: Man's Best Friend Pet Resort 8100 Augusta Road (US 25). One block South of Hwy 86



Sunshine Committee

Becky Ward



If you hear of a Member that is ill or just in need of a kind word of support, please contact Becky at (864) 288-6206 or email at wardbk@charter.net. Remember, a simple word spoken in kindness can make a world of difference for a friend in need.

Members' Brags



Ch. Azalea Hill's Portrait

Bobbie Fairbanks

Ch. Azalea Hill's Portrait (Nina) was Group 1 at Columbia.

The following week her brother, Ch. Azalea Hill's Gallion, qualified in herding at North Georgia trial in Watkinsville, Ga.

Members' Brags

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Nikki – Ableaim Nikki's Not Naughty (Much) (Whippet) was WB/BOW under Howard Yost at the Columbia KC shows and Wesann Never Doubt Me For A Minute (Toy Fox Terrier) was BOB both days at the Columbia KC shows.



Afghan Hound, CH Aljazhir-Candida X-Huberance, bred by Roger Brown and Suzanne Culbertson, won BOB and Group 4, Saturday at the Columbia KC show. He also won BOB on Sunday.

Sam Metzger

"CH Metzger's Mover & Shaker (French Bulldog) began his show career at Moncton, New Brunswick, Canada on May 8th. That day he went WD, BOB (over a top raked Canadian CH) and then took a Group 3. The next day he again went WD and BOB for a total of 5 points and one major, making him half way to his Canadian title".

Corrine Johnson

On April 24 my bitch got her first point from the 9-12 puppy class. It's all the sweeter when you bred the puppy.

Kari Hill

Charthill Midnight Silver (Paloma) was Reserve Winners bitch at the National Specialty. Then the next day that the Scottish Terrier Club of Greater Houston she was Winners Bitch, this finished her championship.



This past weekend she was Best of Breed both days that the Oconee River Kennel Club.

Charthill Inspiration (Cecily) started her show career in April:

Winners Bitch at the Terrier Club of Michigan

Winners Bitch at the Progressive Kennel Club

Winners Bitch both days at the Oconee River Kennel Club

Ch. Charthill Empire Maker (Alexander) children had some great wins this past month:

Charthill Locksley World Shaker (Lucas) finished his championship. This is Alexander's 4th champion for 2010!

Charthill Grace of Monaco (Gracie) was Best of Winners at the New York Scottie Club specialty at Bucks and Trenton.

Charthill Power Broker (Trump) was Reserve Winners Dog at the National Specialty and then Best of Winners both days at the Oconee River Kennel Club.

Charthill Play for Keeps (Camilla) was Winners Bitch and Best of Opposite Sex at the Scottish Terrier Club of Greater Dayton.

Members' Brags - Continued



Charthill Play for Keeps



Charthill Power Broker



Charthill Midnight Silver

Details from Your Delegate Linda Knorr



Chairman's Report May 2010

-- Join Us for AKC Responsible Dog Ownership Days This September --

Planning is under way for our 8th annual AKC Responsible Dog Ownership Days, sponsored by Invisible Fence® Brand and ADT. We invite you to join us in celebrating responsible owners everywhere this September by hosting an event in your area. Nearly 600 clubs and other dog-related organizations hosted an AKC RDO Day in 2009 and we expect even more to participate this year. Our flagship event will be held in Raleigh, North Carolina on September 25, 2010.

These entertaining and interactive local events range from small efforts to large-scale fairs, including everything from demonstrations of AKC Rally®, Agility, Obedience and Herding; appearances by Law Enforcement K-9s and Military Working Dogs; Meet the Breeds; and AKC Canine Good Citizen® testing; to educational Q&A sessions; Safety Around Dogs presentations; and games and activities for kids. The first 500 clubs to sign up will receive a free kit filled with educational materials and other handouts for your event.

The importance of AKC RDO Days is twofold: not only are we building a groundswell of support for responsible dog ownership, but we're also discouraging restrictive dog legislation – all this while providing both new and long-time dog owners with basics on training, grooming, microchipping, dog events, and more. The event establishes your club as a resource in your community for local legislators. The AKC often touts "deed, not breed" in its dealings with legislators and most bad "deeds" can be prevented by the kind of education and information disseminated at AKC RDO Days events.

This year AKC Canine Partners enrollees will play a key role in RDO Days. Although mixed breeds have always been welcome at these events, now that all dogs are competing in AKC Companion Events, your club could potentially draw an entirely new audience to your event by including mixed breeds in your dog sport demos, which may attract new membership to your training club! The AKC Canine Partners brochure will be included in the AKC RDO Days resource kits along with enrollment forms, allowing you to reach out to more dog lovers than ever before this year.

Take advantage of social media to promote your AKC RDO Day event as well. Event invites and reminders on Facebook are a great way to promote your event and get the word out to club members, friends and others in your area. We encourage you to share your AKC RDO Days ideas, event recaps and any media coverage with us by posting on AKC's Facebook page or messaging us on Twitter at @akcdoglovers. Send us pictures and videos from your event and we'll post them on AKC's Flickr and YouTube pages. If your club is posting regularly about your event on any social media site, let us know and we will follow you!

Much is happening this year – allowing us to promote responsible dog ownership as never before! We urge you to get involved – sign-up only takes a few minutes at http://www.akc.org/clubs/rdod/ and you'll join hundreds of other clubs dedicated to the AKC's important responsible dog ownership message.

Sincerely,

Ron Menaker Chairman

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Established in 1939 Greenville Kennel Club An AKC Member Club

The Greenville Kennel Club meets every 3rd Tuesday of the month at the Quality Inn at Hwy 291 and I-385. Meetings start at 7:30PM. The Board of Directors meets every other month.

For more information on our meetings or scheduled programs, please contact the Recording Secretary, **Sheri Rose**: sheri 29621@yahoo.com

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The next meeting of the GKC is on June 15, 2010

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