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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



Hello Everyone, It's time to plan on attending our October meeting. There was a great turnout for September and I hope this continues. I expect a lot of brags from the members. Only one more meeting before the holiday season begins, which means our Christmas Party. I know Sharon has been working on it and I'm sure it will be special.

A special thanks to all who worked and came to the match. A good time was had by all that were there. Our brag is that Boyce auditioned for and was chosen to be part of the annual Anderson All-County Orchestra.

Until Tuesday, God Bless and have great week,

Blake

Hospitality Committee Sharon Spiegel

Sharon Spiegel has announced that she has booked our GKC Holiday Party at the City Range on Haywood Rd. for Tuesday, December 14th, at 6:00 p.m. They have a nice party room, good food, and good prices for us. More details to follow. Please plan to attend and celebrate with your fellow club members. Don't forget the fun gift exchange too.

Bev Crosby is new Obedience Chair

Bev Crosby has accepted the position of Obedience Chairman. As you may know, Bev was the Obedience Chair of the Spartanburg Club. Bev says that she will be "beating up on our members to volunteer as obedience stewards".



Welcome New Member Thecla Tyner-Membership Chair

GKC welcomes our newest member, **Steve Burrus**. Steve lives in Simpsonville and competes in obedience with his AKC Canine Partners listed mixed breed dog.





Sheri Rose

Tin-Man Tibetan Spaniels

"Jekyll" Ambrier's Tin-Man My Jekyll Doesn't Hyde at TuQute

08/29/10 Conyers KC - Winners Dog / Best of Winners for a 4 point major (3rd major)

09/05/10 Salisbury KC - Winners Dog / Best of OS for 1 point

10/02/10 Greater Murfreesboro KC - Winners Dog / Best of Winners for a 3 pt major (4th major)

10/03/10 Greater Murfreesboro KC - Winners Dog / Best of Winners for a 3 pt major (5th major)

This finished Jekyll's championship at 10 months with all wins from the BBE class - my first Bred-By Champion!

"Desiree" Ambrier's Tin-Man Feel My Desire

09/04/10 Durham KC - Winners Bitch / Best of Winners for 2 pts

09/05/10 Salisbury KC - Winner Bitch / Best of Winners for 1 pt

09/06/10 Raleigh KC - Winners Bitch / Best of Winners for 1 pt

10/02/10 Greater Murfreesboro KC - Winners Bitch / Best of OS for 2 pts

All wins from BBE class



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.

Details from Your Delegate

Linda Knorr



-- Recognition Program Celebrates & Rewards Dedicated Breeders --

The American Kennel Club® (AKC®) announced the launch of the Breeder of Merit program, a new initiative designed to recognize AKC's core breeders.

"The Breeder of Merit program allows the American Kennel Club to celebrate our dedicated, passionate breeders who truly are the backbone of the sport and the foundation of our organization," said AKC's Chief Operating Officer John Lyons. "Our Breeders of Merit are committed to both improving their breed through health testing and selective breeding programs, and proving their breed through achievements in the show ring. They are special and will be emulated by new breeders entering the sport. Being a successful breeder in the Fancy does not come easy. Years of hard work, vision, and a willingness to do the right thing are required to be successful. Our Breeders of Merit have these qualities and deserve to be recognized."

To achieve the Breeder of Merit designation, breeders should:

- Certify that applicable health screens are performed on the sire and dam as recommended by the Parent Club.
- Hold membership in an AKC club.
- Have a history of at least 5 years involvement with AKC events.
- Earn Conformation, Companion and/or Performance titles on at least 4 dogs they have bred/co-bred.
- Demonstrate their commitment to ensuring 100% of the puppies they produce are AKC registered.

As part of the Breeder of Merit program, breeders will receive:

- Complimentary access to \$20.00 value per month for free online reports in the AKC online store.
- Access to the AKC Direct toll free number.
- Online Record support to ensure that their records are accurate, complete and easily accessible.
- A frameable certificate of distinction.
- Free Online Breeder Classified listings along with a special Breeder of Merit designation.
- Acknowledgement on a special page of the AKC website and in the AKC Gazette.
- Free or discounted fees on all secondary transactions such as duplicate registration applications, revoke limited status applications, etc.
- Breeder of Merit web banner for display on their website.
- Breeder of Merit lapel pin.
- Breeder of Merit designation and gold border on registration applications and certificates for dogs bred by the Breeder of Merit.
- There are many easy registration options available to the Breeder of Merit, including Full Litter, Full Litter
 Offspring, Full Litter PLUS and Full Litter Offspring PLUS. Learn more at http://www.akc.org/sixeasyways/.

To learn more or apply for the Breeder of Merit program, visit http://www.akc.org/breederofmerit or contact Tina Yuhl at 919-816-3932 or txy@akc.org.

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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, **Carol Morgan**: HerdinDogz@yahoo.com

All items to be included in the newsletter are due on the Wednesday before our monthly meeting.

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The next meeting of the GKC is on October 19, 2010

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