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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,

It's dog show time again!

I hope everyone has made arrangements to work for a few hours at the show. Please contact Bob Vandiver or any board member to sign up to work.

Please work for the Club and make this one of our best shows ever. I look forward to seeing everyone on Wednesday during setup or Saturday at the show.

Be careful and take care of your dogs.

Blake

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

Lynn Cone
Raelyn Wheatens

Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier, Raelyn's Oscar After Party at Sandycove, 'Halle"
Daytona Kennel Club January 8, 2012
Judge Frank Sabella
WB/BOS



Janet Philips

I am delighted to report that Shannon Down I Like To Move It JC, RA received her last leg at the Clemson show for her Rally Excellent title.

Roger Brown

Roger Brown and Laura Mauldin's Afghan Hound, Zipper, was Select Dog at the Clemson Kennel Club Show.



Members' Brags -Continued**Tim and Lana Dorn**

Bahari Siberians

Our dog, Snofyre- Bahari's "Book'em, Danno" won WD/ BOW at Lawrenceville KC for a 5 point major. This was his second 5 point major. The 1st was at our Greenville show in July. He only needs 2 singles to finish his AKC championship. Fingers crossed, we finish him at our home shows this coming weekend.

Good Luck to all who went to Westminster and at the Greenville Shows.

Thecla Tyner

Vizsla, CH Ky's Cj Watch'N Me Wynn JH (Jenny) Owned, Bred and Handled by Thecla Tyner, was bred to BISS GrCH Vizcaya's Fantasy Finsh (Folsom) and she is expecting the 1st week of March.

Bobbie Fairbanks

Rough Collies

It's new Ch. Azalea Hill's Encore RN for us. Encore was WD both days in Clemson (1 was a major) , BoV both days in Charleston and Group 4 one day, then in Atlanta he was WD for 2 more majors to finish. Encore was trained at our handling classes at Speedy Paws. Thanks to all who helped.



Details from Your Delegate

Linda Knorr



Chairman's Report February 2011

-- 2012 AKC Pointing Breed Gun Dog Championship Attracts Best in Bird Dogs --

New York, NY – Later this month, the 2012 AKC Pointing Breed Gun Dog Championship will take place at the Ames Plantation near Grand Junction, Tennessee. The event has drawn an entry of 124 dogs, which includes 105 Field Champions. This is the largest number of AKC Pointing Breed Field Champions ever assembled for a single event. Field Champions from all nine of the major pointing breeds will be competing including many that placed in their breeds National Championship in 2011.

Grand Junction is rich in bird dog history. The town is home to the National Bird Dog Museum, which houses exhibits depicting the history of field trials as well as portraits and sculptures of some of the most famous bird dogs over the last 100 years. The first organized field trial in the United States was held near Memphis (just 60 miles from Grand Junction) in 1874 and the American Field National Championship has been held on the Ames Plantation since 1915. The AKC's 2012 Championship will run from February 27th through March 10th over the Plantation's 18,400 beautiful acres.

The trial will be one non-retrieving Championship stake consisting of two series and will run on wild quail. Each series will be one hour in length and six braces will run per day – three in the morning and three in the afternoon.

I encourage you to join the 2012 AKC Pointing Breed Gun Dog Championship Facebook group for the latest on the event. "Dogs of the Day" will be posted there once the event starts. We'll also keep you up to date on event coverage and photos at www.akc.org/events/field_trials/pointing_breeds/gun_dog_championships/. We hope you enjoy the Championship!

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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, **Margaret Norkett**,
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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
February 21, 2012**

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