

November 2013

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 Comfort Inn Millennium, 2756 Laurens Rd at I-85.

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A Message from our President

Blake Roulette



It's that time again.

We will have our last meeting of the year if you can believe it. As everyone knows since our last meeting, we have lost one of our bright lights, Sharon. It's a loss that was shocking as all are, but we were not prepared for it.

Before our January meeting, I hope that a member will take over as Club Hospitality Chair. We need a person to take this position. You will not need to personally do each meeting, but can coordinate efforts to make it happen.

I hope all plan to attend and be ready for our Christmas party. As you know Ken is handling the party.

See you soon,

Blake

New Meeting Location

Don't forget about our new meeting location (same as last month):

Comfort Inn Millennium
2756 Laurens Rd, Greenville, SC 29607 (864) 288-6900

Directions:

Traveling North or South Bound on I-85: Take Exit 48B (276 West towards Greenville). Merge onto Laurens Road to take an IMMEDIATE LEFT into the hotel which is located just before the Drive Time Dealership. LOOK FOR THE COMFORT INN SIGN.



November Meeting

Be sure to join us for a demonstration by the Foothills K9 Search and Rescue.

SC Foothills Search & Rescue, Inc. (SCFSAR) is a 501(c)3 non-profit corporation made up of unpaid professionals dedicated to providing the public with trained K-9 search and rescue teams. SCFSAR is located in upstate South Carolina and can travel the region. Our dogs and handlers must be physically fit, to endure weather and terrain conditions night and day. Some of the Foothills SAR team credentials include:

- CPR/AED/First Aid
- First Responder
- EMT
- Paramedic
- SARTECH III
- Land Navigation
- Wilderness Operations & Mgmt
- Search Management
- Radio Communications
- ICS 100, 200, 700, 800
- Dive Team
- Ropes Rescue



Sunshine Committee

Becky Ward

Dear Members,
As many of you know, since our last club meeting October 15, 2013 our Club has suffered a devastating loss in the passing of our Hospitality Chairperson, Mrs. Sharon Spiegel. Sharon was an enthusiastic and gracious hostess and a lady of many talents. She was always ready to help with or organize a project, especially if it involved our dogs and the dog show!!! Her generosity for the betterment of the club and the love of all dogs is unsurpassed. On behalf of myself and ALL members of the club I want to express my deepest sympathies to our member and husband of Sharon, Mr. Ken Spiegel. Thank you so much Ken for all of yours and Sharon's contributions to our club.

With sincere gratitude,
Becky Ward, GKC Sunshine Chairperson

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.



Christmas Party *Ken Spiegel*

As you may already know, I will be taking over handling the reservations for the Christmas Party.

We selected a moderately-priced menu, so everyone can afford to attend. The GKC will be paying for half of each members cost. Spouses, family, and friends will pay the guest fee. The cost is \$17.00 per member and \$34.00 per guest.

The party will be held on **Tuesday, December 10th** at:

The Poinsett Club (Poinsett Room),
807 East Washington Street, Greenville SC
Cocktails at 6:30pm (Cash Bar)
Dinner at 7:00pm

I will need a check when you make your reservation. There will be no collection of money at the party. Checks should be made out to GKC and you can pay me at the Nov. meeting or mail it to my home. Your check must be received by Dec. 6th:

Ken Spiegel
112 Belair Drive
Gray Court, SC 29645

We encourage Festive Holiday dress, men are required to wear a coat & tie, no jeans allowed. The Poinsett Club has a strict dress code and we have to abide by it. No cell phones during dinner or our gift exchange, please.

Bring a wrapped gift (\$10-\$15) dog-related for our fun gift exchange. Maybe someone will steal the gift you chose, and then you will have to pick another one. It is fun.

Vegetarian dinners are available, please let me know if you would like one. Any questions, contact Ken Spiegel news@greenvillekc.org 864-409-0922. Hope to see everyone there.



Members' Brags

Sam Metzger

Joys & Metzgers Harvest Moon, aka Luna, won a four point major at Charlotte last month and Joys & Metzgers Holly Golightly, aka Holly, went Best of Breed on Sunday at Augusta this month.

Kevin Schrum

French Bulldog 17 months. Starcreek's May I Have This Dance finished going BOW in Knoxville. Next day BOB and Group 1.

Roger Brown

Roger Brown and Linda Shipley's Afghan Hound, Vanner, at the North Georgia Hound Association Specialty Show, won Winners Dog, and Best of Winners. At the Saturday Kennesaw Kennel Club Show, he won Winners Dog, and Best of Winners. At the Sunday Kennesaw Kennel Club Show, he won Winners Dog, and Best of Winners, and Best of Breed, over Special. He then won Owner Handler Hound Group 1.



Lynn Cone

Raelyn Wheatens

Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier

New GCH Ch Raelyn J'Adore " Doree"

Judge Judy Webb 11/08

Pontiac Kennel Club

Select

Judge Elliot Weiss 11/9

Best of Breed

Pontiac Kennel Club

Judge Jon Cole 11/10

Pontiac Kennel Club

Ch Raelyn Simple Twist of Fate "Paisley"

Hernando Kennel Club

11/09

Judge Dawn Hansen

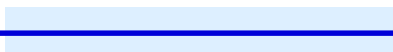
Select

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Hernando Kennel Club

Judge Alvin Krause

Best of Opposite



Members' Brags *-Continued*

Bev Crosby

Summer, Legend's Summer Storm at Calisun, went Winner's Bitch two weeks in a row in Ohio an Illinois, majors at both shows, so she's got both her majors behind her and just needs 2 pts. to finish her championship!



Andrea Hagen



CH NORTHWINDS JUST JACK
at the 2013 ES National in Huron, Ohio



Just Jack finally home after being away for months! Taking a well deserved rest and sporting his favorite color purple!!!



Members' Brags - Continued

Loretta Anders

CSPCA National Specialty Sept 26-27 Albuquerque NM

Breeder/Owner: Loretta Anders, Karel Nijholt, Esmee Minne

Grand Futurity Winner: Jade East Mission Into Space

Grand Maturity Winner: Ch. Jade East Dancing Through The Milky Way

Winners Dog, Best Opposite Puppy, Best Futurity Puppy: Jade East Diamonds On My Windshield



GCh. Jade East Do You Know The Way To San Jose
First and only Chinese Shar-Pei Platinum Grand Champion

#1 Chinese Shar-Pei All Systems (October 31 2013)

Top 25 Invitational Winner CSPCA National Specialty Sept 2013

BIS Mississippi State Kennel Club

BIS Cen-Tex Kennel Club

BIS Travis Country Kennel Club



Details from Your Delegate

Linda Knorr



Highlights from the October 2013 AKC Delegate and Board Meetings

- New York, NY – Highlights from the October 28-29, 2013 meeting of the AKC Board of Directors are as follows. Full details on these actions, as well as other actions taken, are included in the minutes for the meetings, which will be posted on the AKC website.
 - The Board voted unanimously to designate the AKC Board Room as the Walter F. Goodman Memorial Board Room, which will be commemorated with a brass plaque.
 - The Board approved the 2014 budget.
 - The Board adopted a new policy regarding the granting of group judging eligibility with the effective date to be set at the December 2013 Board Meeting.
 - An AKC judge approved to judge breeds comprising 80% of the entries in a group the previous year could be approved for the group after passing the breed standard tests and submitting a \$25 non-refundable processing fee per breed for the remaining breeds in that group.
 - The group approval would be for no more than three years, dating from the first group assignment.
 - The judge may not be assigned breeds not currently approved on either regular or permit basis constituting the balance of the group.
 - Group status would be removed after three years if a judge has failed to gain approval for the balance of the breeds within the group.
 - Effective January 1, 2014, Basset Hounds and Bulldogs are to be judged on a ramp in Group and Best in Show competition.
 - Effective January 1, 2014, Miniature Poodles will be eligible to compete in AKC Hunting Tests for Retrievers.
 - Several amendments were made to the Obedience and Rally Regulations, effective January 1, 2014, affecting the size of premium lists, refunds for bitches in season, wait lists to fill openings created by withdrawn entries, and determining the size of Rally rings. The complete changes are in the minutes of the October 2013 meeting.
 - Several amendments were made to the Agility Regulations at the request of the 2013 Agility Advisory Committee. They affect such areas as two trials in a day for breed clubs, refunds for bitches in season, determining overloads, correcting entries after closing, using video to determine the running order, when courses may be built, limits on walk-throughs, and clarifying what identifying information may be worn in the ring. The complete changes are in the minutes of the October 2013 meeting.
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Established in 1939 Greenville Kennel Club An AKC Member Club

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For more information on our meetings or scheduled programs, please contact the Recording Secretary, **Margaret Norkett**,
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**The next meeting of the GKC
is on
November 19, 2013**

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