

July 2015

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


Greetings

It's that time again. Our meeting and our show. The next two weeks will be very busy and I am asking each of you to make commitments to help with both. We need some of you to step up

and help with the club and our show. There will be sign-up sheets at the meeting so make a commitment to work some at the show.

Your club. Your show. Let's make it the best. Many activities and many guests.

Don't forget, our meeting has been moved up to July 14th. Have a great day and see you on Tuesday.

Blake

Yearly Dues

Ken Spiegel


If you haven't paid your yearly dues yet, please pay them at Tuesday's meeting or mail them in the return envelope provided, ASAP.

Members who have not paid by July 1st are not eligible to vote at our meetings. Members who have not paid by September 1st will have their membership terminated and will need to re-apply for membership.

If you did not receive your invoice, please let me know. kspiegel@greenvillekc.org or 864-409-0922. Note that new members who joined after Jan 1, 2015 will not have to pay dues for this year.

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 wardbk50@yahoo.com. Remember, a simple word spoken in kindness can make a world of difference for a friend in need.

Show Chair Report *Kris Harner*



Well its time, the show is a little over a week away. I really appreciate all of you that have volunteered to work at the show and at taping. I will bring the signup sheets again, and hopefully I will have a draft of the judging program by the meeting. If you have not already signed up to work, please send me an email, when you can work Fri and/or Sun, and the time of day you think you will be available. All reserved grooming spaces have sold, I believe we could sell more, but I would rather have free grooming. I do get a lot of folks asking if we will still have power for the non-reserved, of course we always do. So if you ever get questions that we take for granted, spread the word, or send them to me.

Taping will begin at 5 on Tuesday, July 21.

If you signed up to work, I will have parking passes for you at the next meeting, Your names will also be on a list so they can verify you actually can park. If the club lot fills, I have made arrangement to allow you to park in the RV lot, but this is for only those on the list for each day you signed up to work.

We currently only have 14 signed up for each day to work, so please, offer at least a couple of hours. The club table and education table needs volunteers, even if it's only to let them stretch their legs, go check out vendors, eat, and bathroom breaks. Just stop by and offer to take over. Of course, please stop by the obedience/rally area to see if they need a relief too.

If you are not showing and working at least 4hrs, you will be able to eat in the judges' room, otherwise, a lunch voucher will be available to workers. You will need to see me or the club table for a voucher each day that you work.

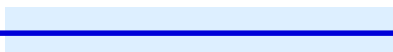
I hope to see all of you at the meeting

My contact info: Text: 864-350-3445 Email: kharter@carolina-networks.com

Members' Brags

Bob and Nancy Vandiver

Bob and Nancy Vandiver's Doberman Special, GCH Mistel's Can Can, was ranked number 6 Doberman in all breed points and number 10 in breed points in the most recent ratings published.



Slate of Officers – *Thecla Tyner*



Please refer to the Nominations section of our GKC By-laws Article V section 4 for information on nominations. Elections to be held at the August meeting.

This is notification of the Nominating Committee's proposed slate of officers. Thanks to our Nomination Committee for their work.

Bob Vandiver, Chair
Dawn Demauex
Ken Walker
Ann Maltby

Bob Vandiver has respectfully submitted the following: The official slate has been nominated and each has accepted the nomination.

President	Ken Walker
First Vice President	Blake Roulette
Second Vice President	Bob Vandiver
Recording Secretary	Gloria Askins
Corresponding Secretary	Dawn Demauex
Treasurer	Ken Spiegel
AKC Delegate	Linda Knorr

If anyone else is interested in being nominated for an office please refer to Article V section 4 of the Bylaws:

c) Additional nominations may be made at the annual meeting by any member in attendance provided that the person so nominated does not decline when his name is proposed, and provided further that if the proposed candidate is not in attendance at this meeting, his proposer shall present to the Corresponding Secretary a written statement from the proposed candidate signifying his willingness to be a candidate. Except for the position of Delegate to The American Kennel Club, no person may be a candidate for more than one position, and the additional nominations which are provided for herein may be made only from among those members who have not accepted a nomination of the Nominating Committee.

d) Nominations cannot be made at the Annual Meeting in any manner other than as provided in this Section.

Sincerely,
Thecla Tyner
GKC Corresponding Secretary



Details from Your Delegate

Linda Knorr



Among the wonderful benefits of being a sponsor for new club members is developing new friends. In case you are not aware, for each new club member one of their sponsors is required to have visited the home of the prospective new member prior to signing their sponsor form. If you are not following through on this responsibility not only are you breaking club policy, you are missing out on the best reward, the social aspect of friendship.

I was late arriving for our last meeting. Seated beside me was Jeanette Stribling a first time visitor. Following the meeting a fun conversation began including Gloria Askins. Jeannette expressed her interest in joining GKC and becoming involved in confirmation. After telling Jeanette about our policy of a visit she became excited to proceed. Gloria and I offered to be her sponsors.

Thought it would be wonderful to have lunch first and then follow Jeannette home to help with her application. So Gloria, Jeannette and Cheryl Garrison joined me for lunch at Green Valley Country Club. Cheryl is not involved in AKC sports, but I knew she would be a perfect fit as she has other exciting interests that would generate great conversation.

Our mouths fell open in delight as we drove up to Jeanette's home.....a magazine perfect setting with acreage and mountain views.....we were like little girls at play!!! Three of the most precious Boston a Terriers welcomed us! They also accompanied us to the barn to greet the most beautiful chickens of different unusual varieties. I was thrilled when the two horses joined in along with the loving Great Pyrenees who runs the show.

Jeannette had lots of questions. As I was playing with the dogs, I looked up and Gloria had the Boston on the grooming table teaching Jeanette how to grind nails. After gathering around the table to complete Jeanette's Membership forms, we couldn't stop talking about getting together again.

Another blessing.....each of us left with big smiling faces as we carried out a dozen eggs from the Stribling's hens!!!

Don't miss out! Grow our membership creating lifelong memories along the way!



Gloria Askins, Linda Knorr, Jeanette Stribling and Cheryl Garrison



Jeanette is now busy working on the training techniques she is learning from Kris Harner at our Handling Classes.

Greenville Kennel Club, Inc
Friday, July 24 and Sunday, July 26, 2015

These events are Dedicated to the memory of Thomas Carroll James and in honor of Mary James



Becky Ward, Linda Knorr wishing Happy Birthday to Lisa Jumper

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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 Comfort Inn Millennium, 2756 Laurens Rd. at I-85. 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
July 14, 2015**

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