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

A Message from our President



Ken Walker

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Hope you all had a fantastic 4th.

For those who missed the June membership meeting, our Guest Speaker, Rob Presley, DVM, program "Emergency Procedures for Dogs, was exceptional and plans are in the works, to have Dr. Presley return for another meeting.

It's now time to focus on our show weekend. Everyone has a job. While you are at our shows, take time to welcome & thank our exhibitors and venders for attending the cluster. In addition if you have friends in town for the shows that visit restaurants during the cluster, ask them to be sure to let the management know they are in town for the "Dog Shows".

We also need ALL members to volunteer at least 2 hours to help at Friday's or Sunday's show. There are lots of jobs from the catalog and trophy table to judge's hospitality. We especially need volunteers to steward for Obedience or Rally. This is a fun assignment, and training/orientation will be available for anyone new to obedience or Rally. Taping is planned for Tuesday, July 26th at 4pm. Please sign up for a time slot with Kris Harner or Bev Crosby.

Don't forget that the "AKC Pet Disaster Relief" trailer will be on display from 10am to 4pm each day of the cluster. The Greenville Kennel Club and Palmetto Pembroke Welsh Corgi Club joined together with AKC Reunite, the nation's largest non-profit pet identification and recover service, to donate this life-saving trailer to Greenville County Animal Care. Be sure to invite your friends and neighbors to come out and learn about AKC Reunite.

Looking forward to seeing everyone at Tuesday's membership meeting and at the Cluster.

Ken

Greenville Kennel Club – Membership Meeting Agenda Tuesday July 19, 2016 7:30PM Comfort Inn Millennium 2756 Laurens Rd, Greenville, SC 29607

- Welcome Guests / Roll Call / Brags Ken Walker
- Minutes of June Membership Meeting *Gloria Askins*
- Report of the President Ken Walker
- Report of the Corresponding Secretary Dawn Demauex
- Report of the Treasurer Ken Spiegel
- Report of the AKC Delegate Linda Ayers Turner Knorr

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- Club Hospitality Jeanette Stribling
- Program Necia "Sam" Metzger No program this month due to the show. No program in August possible Annual Meeting. September guest speaker: Dr. Natasha Jaskiewicz, BS, DC, CAC
- Sunshine Becky Ward
- Website & Newsletter Ken Spiegel
- Membership Bev Crosby: Membership Applicants: 2nd reading & vote Jamie Clute (if in attendance). First reading: Trish Mitchell. Sponsors are Sue Dwelley, Kris Harner and myself. Trish is a long time member, and has held multiple officer positions of the Spartanburg Kennel Club, breeds Samoyeds. Her Kennel is Koukla Samoyeds. Trish has produced at least seven champions. She belongs to the national Samoyed parent club, and also the regional Metropolitan Atlanta Samoyed Club where she is a board member. She has a number of longtime friends in GKC. Wants to be involved where needed, committees, trophies, hospitality.
- Training Coordinator Bob Vandiver
- Publicity Bob Vandiver. AKC K-9 award.
- Law Enforcement Blake Roulette
- Historian Ruth Turner
- Report of the Show Chair Kris Harner
- Obedience / Rally Bev Crosby
- Vendors Nancy Vandiver
- Specialties Sue Dwellv
- Trophies & Annual Awards Dawn Demauex:
- Match Jamie Hootman:
- RDO Day Scott Demauex
- Nominating Committee: Ken Spiegel

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

- 1. Constitution & By-Laws Ken Spiegel / Gloria Askins
- 2. New Obedience Equipment Bev Crosby
- 3. AKC PAC donation Ken Spiegel
- 4. Standing rules, policies & Procedures Ken Walker: The board has been formalizing these items throughout the year and updates are being posted to the web site on a regular basis. Members can view and/or print the documents out when they want. If anyone does not have computer access can get a hard copy from Gloria Askins.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Next Board Meeting: Monday, August 8 2016 at 6:30 pm at **Stax Omega 72 Orchard Park Drive, Greenville, SC**. Any member is welcome to attend, however if you have business you would like the Board to address, it must be submitted in writing at least one week prior to the meeting. Meeting minutes are published on the Club's website.

Show Chair Report - Kris Harner



Its SHOW TIME: Where did the year go? Here we are the meeting before the shows, our entries are 1880 on Friday and 2110 for Sunday. So just shy of last year's numbers. The judging program should be complete by the meeting. I will bring a copy of the breed times to the meeting and will be signing up our volunteers. This year you will be given a time and place to work, based on your conflicts and our needs. Each day will be assigned. This year we moved everything an hour later, so exhibitors will not be allowed in the building until 11:00am on Wed. Taping will be Tuesday at 4:00pm. This allows the PKC folks to get home at a decent time. All of you who offer and work any part of the shows, know I couldn't do my job if it wasn't for all the great help we have in this club. Our shows are always well attended and hopefully we will get to share all we do for the community by showing our AKC Disaster relief trailer, and AKC K9 officer certificate of appreciation, will be given to the dog we paid for and officer. The AKC booth will also be at our shows this year. Please, take time to share this with your friends, veterinarians, and family, so we can show the community all we do. Thank you all for making our shows be the best they can. As always, if you see things that seem to go really well or things we need to improve, maybe you hear from fellow exhibitors, please let me know. Some things we can make better and some we can't.

Hope to see your Tuesday at the meeting, if you cannot attend and would like to sign up, email me or call me.

Kris



Yearly Dues Ken Spiegel

Don't forget, to pay your yearly dues. All members should have received an invoice in the mail. You can pay in person at Tuesday's meeting, mail them in the return envelope provided, or pay online at our website. If you did not receive your invoice, please let me know. kspiegel@greenvillekc.org or call: 864-409-0922

Members' Brags

Thecla Tyner

Ky's Vizslas

I am so excited and proud of my Newest Champion! This puppy was placed as a Stud Fee puppy! (Which in itself was an awesome accomplishment). Pending AKC Approval: Ky's Wynn The Gold, "Nike", owned by Paula & Travis Murphy bred by Thecla Tyner, finished his Championship in Maryland this past weekend, July 8 - 10 by getting his 2nd major on Friday 3 pts WD/BW and needing 4 single points to finish, was awarded a 4 pt Major on Sunday! Finishing with 3 majors. This is the 8th Champion of my breedings and I will now be finishing the paperwork as a breed mentor for the Vizsla Club of America. I have worked hard to reach this goal, and I am so thankful for all the support I have been given along the way, both Friends, Family and God. I am truly blessed.



Bev Crosby

"Whisper" is now CH. Calisun Best Kept Secret, finishing her championship with three majors, the last being Winners Bitch at the poodle specialty recently in Oklahoma City! Handled to perfection by Sarah Perchick. I'm very happy to say she will be coming home soon to rejoin the rest of the Calisun crew!



Members' Brags - Continued

Glenn & Sandra Amorosia

Avalon Wheatens

A great Specialty weekend for Shanty, & last weekend his brother Cooper went Best of Winners last weekend in CA.



Best of all he got a new favorite toy!



Members' Brags - Continued

Paula Ford

Bainwood Collies started off July with a bang with the arrival of 2 litters of Collie puppies!

The first litter was born July 4th with 9 puppies, and the second litter was born July 6th with 7 puppies!!





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Details from Your Delegate

Linda Knorr

AKC Reunite Trailer Launch Committee Socializing at Green Valley Country Club













Sunshine Committee

Becky Ward



Happy Birthday to Janine Strait and all of our members born in the joyous month of July!!

It was fantastic seeing Janine (and husband Jeff) recently and we are so happy to report that Janine is healing and improving from her back surgery. It has been a long road but she is a fighter and determined to get out on the dance floor again real soon!!!!

Wishing good health to everyone and looking forward to a fun filled and successful show weekend coming soon!! Sincerely, Becky Ward. Sunshine Committee

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.

The next meeting of the GKC is on July 19, 2016

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For more information on our meetings or scheduled programs, please contact the Recording Secretary, **Gloria Askins**, askgja@gmail.com

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

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