



CLUB NEWS

Welcome New and Renewing Members... Hallie McGee; Kim Hastings; Cheryl Hull and family; Michelle Casey; Clynda Case and family; Laura Glaiser; Catherine Gitkov; and, Lorraine Thomas and family.

Thanks to Juli Lucky...

for all the work you did as Treasurer and good luck in your new adventures!

And Thanks to Our New Treasurer

Thanks also to Cheri Nienhuis for volunteering to serve as club Treasurer!

Puppy Class Starting

Marty Messick and Linda Shipman will teach a puppy kindergarten class beginning June 30, 7-8pm, Wednesday nights at the Riverbend School covered playground. Please pass the word along to any families you know with three to six month old puppies. Details for the class can be found at the club website. <http://www.ckcoj.org>

Agility Trial Premium Available

The premium list for Juneau's agility trial is ready to go & is on the website at ckcoj. Dates for the trial are July 31 & August 1. Entries will be due by 5PM July 16. Look forward to seeing everyone!

Agility Demo -- Dogs Needed!

Chicory has graciously offered to organize the 4th of July agility demo at Sandy Beach again this year. Last year we had a bit of a disappointing turn out in dogs and handlers, but there was a good audience. This is great PR for the club and a good way for us to pull in new members. Very simple courses were set up (to make the dogs look good) and everything is run in the ball field, with the bulk of the crowd on the other side of the fence (and baby gates lining the rest of the field), so there are few concerns about the dogs taking off. It would be a great opportunity to practice with your dogs in a distracting environment & good practice for the trial. If you are willing/able to participate, contact Chicory at nuggett@gci.net.

Club Library -- on the move....

With the departure of Aaron Felker, the Club no longer has a Librarian. To make the books, videos and other materials more

RALLY-O THANKS AND CONGRATS

Congratulation to those who participated in the Rally Obedience trial last weekend, and a thank-you to the many volunteers and competitors who made the trial a great success!

Special congratulations to the following teams on a successful weekend!

New Rally 1 Titles: Cayenne and Susan Hoffman; Enzo and Gina Vose; Frosty and Pat Kalbaugh; Iris and Perry Shipman; Trevor and Camille Stephens

Rally 2 Titles: Apollo and Chicory Eddy; Cuba and Mary Opp; Iris and Perry Shipman; Tess and Pat Kalbaugh; Minnow and Chris Stockard.

Junior Novice Title: Beamer and Morgan Thomas

Rally 1 - Qualifying Runs: ; Kira and Chris Stockard (2); Minnow and Chris Stockard (1); Tess and Pat Kalbaugh (4)

Rally 2 - Qualifying Runs: Mac and Jill Grose (2); Angel and Perry Shipman (2); Badger and Chicory Eddy (1); Enzo and Gina Vose (2); Kira and Chris Stockard (1); Magpie and Kathy Hocker (1)

Junior Novice - Qualifying Runs: Ginger and Elizabeth Stickel

Also, many, many thanks to the volunteers who helped the trial run smoothly: Ernesta Ballard, Mary Opp, Jill Grose, Donna Leigh, Jill Taylor, Susan Hoffman, Betty Seguin, Barb Deyell, Gaile Haynes, Camille Stephens, and Perry Shipman.

And a special thanks to our trial secretary, Linda Shipman.

Great job, everyone!

-Kathy Hocker

DRAFT AGENDA

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CKCOJ Monthly Board Meeting
Mendenhall (Valley) Library
Thursday, June 10, 6:30-8:30pm

1. Call to order
2. Consent agenda
 - a. Approval of agenda
 - b. Approval of new members
 - c. Approval of March minutes
 - d. Acceptance of Treasurer’s report
3. Action items
4. Discussion items
5. Routine updates
 - a. Correspondence
 - b. Committee Reports
6. Next meeting date (July 15)
7. Adjournment

MINUTES

Minutes for the CKCOJ Monthly Board Meeting Held at the Valley Library, Thursday May 20, 2004

1. **Call to order** (7:20PM) Board members present: Camille Stephens, Gina Vose, Barb Deyell, Marty Messick. Club members present: Cheri Nienhuis
2. **Consent agenda**
 - a. Approval of agenda. Approved by unanimous consent
 - b. Approval of new members. Lorraine Thomas & family, Laura Glaiser, Cathy Gitkov, Michelle Casey, Cheryl Hull & family, Clynda Case & family, Kim Hastings
 - c. Approval of April minutes. Approved by unanimous consent
 - d. Acceptance of Treasurer’s report. Approved through end of April.
3. **Action items**
 - a. Bookcase for library. It has been decided to move the contents of the club library to the storage unit. Barb has offered to donate a bookcase to be used for this purpose. Camille will organize a sign-out sheet & clipboard to keep with the library. A list of who has keys to the storage unit will be assembled and posted on the website.
 - b. Treasurer position. Juli Lucky has resigned from her position of Treasurer as she is leaving Juneau. Motion to appoint Cheri Nienhuis as interim treasurer until the annual general meeting (Marty/Gina). Motion approved. Brief discussion on needing to update signing authority – Camille will look into this and bring info to the next meeting.
 - c. 4th of July Agility Demo. We have been approached by

the 4th of July committee to do an agility demonstration again. Barb will post a call for volunteers on CKCOJ-announce.

- d. Club signage. The club needs good signage for outdoor events (agility practices, outdoor trials, agility demo, etc). Motion to investigate options for spending up to \$100 on a durable sign with club info, either sandwich board-type or banner (Marty/Gina). Motion approved.
4. **Discussion items**
 - a. Doggie Dollars. Previous discussion on providing Sue McGregor with Doggie Dollars for attending the dogs on trails committee meetings was clarified to say that doggie dollars will be given for months that meetings are held, and the club would like regular feedback on the outcome of the meetings. Motion to provide these doggie dollars retroactive to October 2003 (Marty/Gina). Motion approved.
To make things easier for the doggie dollars coordinator, event coordinators & trial chairs are asked to give a list of predicted needs to Marty prior to an event. She will then provide the organizer with the doggie dollars to distribute at the time of the event & any unused doggie dollars will be returned to Marty.
 - b. Annual Meeting. Tentatively set for Saturday October 30. Need to decide if there are any amendments to the constitution/bylaws to get ready prior to the meeting.
 - c. Report on Injury Prevention Seminar. Good turnout of 22 people, net profit of \$106.
 - d. Report on Rally. 22 dogs with adults participated, 3 dogs with junior handlers participated. Titles to be published in the newsletter.
 - e. Classes. A suggestion was made by a puppy kindergarten participant to consider a “Puppy Pre-K” class (maybe 2 sessions in one week) to discuss early puppy training issues prior to starting Puppy-K class. Gina will put together a proposal to bring to the next meeting.
5. **Routine Updates**
 - a. Correspondence. None
 - b. Committee Reports. Updates were given on the upcoming agility and obedience trials.
6. **Next meeting date.** (Monday June 14 6:30 PM)
7. **Adjournment.** 8:35PM

Little Dog Bed & Breakfast
“A little dog’s home away from home!”

790-2244

Grooming also available by appointment.
Cheryl Ann Young, Owner/Groomer

DIRECTORY

BOARD MEMBERS

President: Camille Stephens
Vice President: Gina Vose
Secretary: Barb Deyell
Treasurer: Cheri Nienhuis
Member at Large: Marty Messick

OTHER POSITIONS

Facilities Coordinator: Jill Grose
Agility Liaison: Jill Grose
Conformation Liaison: Susan Hoffman
Mt. Jumbo Class Coordinator: Susan Hoffman
Doggie Dollars Coordinator: Marty Messick
Newsletter Editor: Camille Stephens
Premier Sales: Jill Grose
Club Librarian: --
Club Historian: Sue McGregor
Club Webmaster: Barb Deyell

TRIAL COMMITTEE (September 2004 trial)

Trial Chair: TBA
Trial Secretary: Alexis Rippe
Chief Steward: TBA

CLUB CONTACT INFORMATION

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CLUB EMAIL LISTS

ckcoj-announce - General announcements, no discussion.

Post message: ckcoj-announce@yahoogroups.com
Subscribe: ckcoj-announce-subscribe@yahoogroups.com
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List owner: ckcoj-announce-owner@yahoogroups.com

CLUB MEETINGS

Regular Club Meetings are usually held the 3rd Thursday of each month. The location varies and is specified in the draft agenda published in the newsletter each month. All members are encouraged to attend. As members your vote is counted when the Board acts on a motion.

DOG EVENTS CALENDAR

June 2004

19-21 Conformation/Obedience (CKC), Whitehorse
26-27 Conformation/Obedience (AKC), Anchorage

July 2004

9-11 Conformation/Obedience/Agility (AKC), Kenai
31 Agility Trial, Juneau (NADAC)

August 2004

1 Agility Trial, Juneau (NADAC)
6-8 Conformation/Obedience (AKC), Palmer

September

18-19 CKCOJ Obedience Trials (UKC), Juneau
18-19 Herding Trials (ASCA), Chugiak

November 2004

6 Specialties/Obedience (AKC), Palmer
7 Conformation (AKC), Palmer

If you know of an event in Alaska (or Whitehorse) that might be of interest to CKCOJ members, contact Camille at cstephens@gci.net

Newsletter Contributions are Appreciated!

Send your submission to Camille at
cstephens@gci.net

FOR SALE

For sale: citronella bark collar \$50 (paid \$125), citronella remote control collar \$100 (paid \$225), both come with 3 free refill cans (usual cost \$15 each). Collar specifics can be found at : www.animalbehaviorsystems.com Littermaid automatic litter box \$25 (paid \$90). Call or email Chicory if interested: 790-3491, nuggett@gci.net

Road Report:

Great Dog Park in Canmore, Alberta

Submitted by Heather Stockard

Kira, Minnow, Chris, and I are currently in Banff National Park, Alberta - about an hour and a half from Calgary. If you ever get to this area, I have another great dog park to recommend. I stumbled across it by accident, but Kira and Minnow give it a "four paw" rating.

It's called Quarry Lakes leash-free dog area and it's on the road up to the Nordic Training Centre in Canmore, Alberta - just outside the Banff National Park boundaries. Although it is fenced, the area is so large that you don't even notice the fences. There are two huge grassy areas, some woods between them, the "dog puddle" swimming hole, and a circular trail that connects all the areas. Plenty of "poop bags" are available along with "animal waste only" dumpsters to dispose of them. The area is large enough that folks can be training dogs in one area without being distracted by dogs romping in the other areas.

It was great to see so many of you while we were in Juneau. Thanks for all your hospitality and to the wonderful team of volunteers that put on the rally trial. Great job everyone!

Heather Stockard

The Lewiston Shows

Submitted by Gaile Haynes

Was the trip to Lewiston worth a possible one point a day for four days, with the only chance of doing better taking first in group? Well, considering that Copper took three of the four and now needs only six points and a major, yes.

It was a good show site for the pleasant days we enjoyed, but a fairground with unheated buildings might have been uncomfortable in bad (i.e. Juneau-rainy) weather. We flew into Seattle and then had a five-hour wait to catch a little tiny Horizon plane to Lewiston.

I made good use of the wait time, as I was helping select a dog to be trained as a service dog. I had recommended a Doberman as the right breed and Marti Yoing of Doberman Rescue in Olympia brought a young dog whom she thought would meet our needs. From Marti's description, I did too, and she brought him to the airport and took us to a nearby area where I could "interview" him. He passed with flying colors, so she delivered him to me at the airport on my way home and "Midas" is now halfway through my basic class, and doing well. (Note: service dogs travel free on Alaska Air whether or not they are actually working. Cheers to Alaska Air and hearty boos to people who take advantage of this.

Instead of renting a car, I took advantage of the motel's shuttle service to get to and from the show grounds. That in turn resulted in my eating most of my meals either at the motel or the show, since there was nothing but fast food places in walking distance. (Warning, warning, warning: Do NOT eat seafood out of sight of the sea!) Nevertheless, the lack of a car saved looking (and paying) for parking at the show, and door-to-door service made getting my gear around easy.

What made the show suspenseful was that the handler of Copper's competition kept threatening to pull his dog as he "knew it didn't have a chance." I therefore spent a lot of time "making nice" to him to prevent this -- biting my tongue at his saying that he was only keeping the dog in to be nice to the little old lady who had come clear down from Alaska -- and was almost relieved to have him take the point the final day.

On the whole the show placings seemed more political than I have noticed so far, although at one time I rode to the show in the van with three of the judges, and their conversation about the dogs was all based on quality, not who was on the other end of the leash. Would I go back? Only if there was something I knew would be worth going for.



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accessible to members, the Board has decided to house the collection at our heated storage unit in the Lemon Creek area. Items will be checked out on the honor system. There will be a clipboard to sign out items you borrow and sign in when you've returned them. It's not quite set up yet, but should be within the next week or two. A listing of the library holdings is on the club website in the Members Only section.

Annual Meeting -- Advance Planning

Although it's still a few months away, we've started planning for the Annual Club Meeting, Potluck and Awards. The Board has tentatively set a date -- Saturday, October 30. **Pending confirmation of availability**, the location will be the same as last year's,

Summer Agility class session

Beginners II- For dogs who have taken the first 6 week class.
Teeter and beginning handling.

Novice Agility- For dogs who have taken the first 2- 6 week sessions.
Dog(s) has had instruction on all equipment but not necessarily proficient.

Intermediate class- will focus on weave poles, sending, front, rear & blind crosses, some short courses (3-5 obstacles) beginning handling problems and 1-2 full courses.

Advanced-will work on skills with short courses during 6 week session.

Will be held on the following dates and fields: June 27 Melvin Park #1, July 11 & 18 Cope Park, Aug. 8, 15 & 22 Melvin Park #1

July 25 Run through Melvin Park, \$7 per dog for the day.

July 31 & Aug. 1 Agility trial at Melvin Park *more TBA*

Cost is \$40 for all classes other than Beginners II which is \$50.

Deadline for entry is June 9, 2004

Class times will be determined by class size. You will be notified via email after the 9th.

Name _____

Email _____

Phone _____

Dog(s) _____ Run Thru _____ #of dogs _____

Make check payable to CKCOJ and Mail to

Jill D. Grose

9174 Glacierwood Dr.

Juneau, AK 99801

Questions ? please email jillg@gci.net or call 789-3239

Agility Trial Run Through July 25 Melvin Park!!!! Anyone can participate whether you're entered in the trial or not.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

June

10 Regular Monthly Meeting, Location Mendenhall Library, 6:30-8:30pm

July

15 Regular Monthly Meeting, Location TBA 6:30-8:30pm

August

19 Regular Monthly Meeting, Location TBA, 6:30-8:30pm

September

16 Regular Monthly Meeting, Location Mendenhall Library, 6:30-8:30pm

18-19 Obedience Trials

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Congratulations

RALLY-O TRIALERS!



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