



## Club News

### Welcome New Club Members

Barbara Mason  
Orlin and Terrie Harms Family  
Mike and Diana Higgs Family

### New Club Secretary

Please welcome Dee Ann Teseneer as our new Club Secretary. Thanks, Dee Ann for stepping in to fill this important job!

### CGC and Therapy Dog Test

If you are interested in taking the TDI test on Sunday, April 17th, please contact Amanda Neyenhouse at the Humane Society to set up time. Her phone number is 789-0260. You will need to have passed the CGC test in the last 12 months to be able to take the TDI test.

For those of you who asked about taking the CGC test and did not sign up in time, Amanda is going to see if our evaluator may be able to test you on Sunday. Contact Susan Hoffman at [blackice@gci.net](mailto:blackice@gci.net) if you want to be put on the waiting list in case we have cancellations on Saturday and can get you in.

### Dr. Sophia Yin Seminar in May

Dr. Sophia Yin, DVM will be featured at a 2-day seminar in May. She will also hold private consultations and several special topics classes. See the schedule on page 7. More information and a registration form will be published on the club website — [ckcoj.org](http://ckcoj.org) — later in April.

### Instructor Training Policy

At the request of the Board, a special committee has developed a proposed

## Thanks...

...to all of the volunteers who made our March trial a huge success!!!

- Set up/ clean up: Gina Vose, Pete Lind, Vicki McLaughlin, and Mary Opp
- Table Stewards: Perry Shipman and Marty Messick
- Chief Ring Steward: Linda Shipman
- Stewards: Dee Ann Tessner, Jill Taylor, Mary Jackson,
- Konrad Jackson
- Program: Perry Shipman

And a very special thanks to Alexis Rippe for being Secretary and keeping all the paperwork straight with multitudes of changes.

And another special thanks to Bob Shaw for being so easy to work with in terms of the Armory rental.

Club member accomplishments:

- New UCD to Chicory Eddy & Ajax
- 2 new UCD legs to Mary Opp & Cuba
- 1 new UCD leg to Camille Stephens & Trevor; Barb Deyell & Ben

And several qualifying scores to Chris Urata & Charlie in Novice C

Our non-member entries also had success at our trials:

Cindy Leung from Oregon received her 3rd qualifying leg in Utility and a new Utility title on Clara. Roseann Konrad from Whitehorse received her 2nd qualifying leg in Utility with Freya. Patty Kalbaugh qualified with Frosty in Novice and Terry Troll from Anchorage took HIT all four trials with Siren for a new UCD title.

Congratulations to everyone!

Jill

# Agenda

## DRAFT AGENDA

### CKCOJ Monthly Board Meeting

Thursday, April 21, 2005; 6:30-8:30pm

Location: Valley Library

- I. Call to order
- II. Consent agenda
  - A. Approval of agenda
  - B. Approval of new members
  - C. Approval of previous meeting minutes
  - D. Acceptance of Treasurer's report
- III. Action items
- IV. Discussion items
  - A. Policy 011 -- Liability Waiver, need for revision
- V. Routine updates
  - A. Correspondence
  - B. Event Planning Updates
    - 1. Obedience Trial
    - 2. Combined Event
    - 3. TDI
    - 4. Seminars
- VI. Next meeting date: March 17
- VII. Adjournment

- Mason. Approved by unanimous consent.
  - C. Approval of February minutes. Approved by unanimous consent.
  - D. Acceptance of February Treasurer's report. Approved by unanimous consent.
- III. Action items
- A. Website. Our newest webmaster has resigned and Camille will take over for the time being. Camille would like us to look in to other options for webservers as our current host is fairly expensive and cumbersome. Motion to all Camille to pursue alternate webserver providing cost is less than \$14.95/month (Barb/Marty). Approved by unanimous consent.
  - B. New secretary. Dee Ann Teseneer is willing to take on the position of club secretary. Approved by unanimous consent.
  - C. Agility seminar. On the Friday and Monday of the Sandra Katzen seminar in June, Sandra is willing to offer private lessons, using club equipment. Even though this is for independent study, it will be set up as a club event in conjunction with the seminar.
  - D. Rotary fundraiser. Jill suggested the club purchase a brick in the 9/11 memorial to be constructed at Rotary Park. Motion to purchase a 8"x8" brick with the message "In honor of service dogs, Capital Kennel Club of Juneau". (Cherie/Barb). Approved by unanimous consent.
- IV. Discussion items
- A. Waiver on registration forms. No major updates. Grateful dogs recently redid their waiver. We will look at theirs to compare. Also need to discuss creating and alternate waiver for agility to discuss risks to people, etc. Topic tabled for now.
  - B. Funding for instructor training. Barb, Marty, Susan & Vickie presented a proposed policy (Policy 019) and application form for club instructors to attend instructor training courses. Will post on the website and CKCOJ-announce for comments by the next board meeting.
  - C. Rally Obedience. Heather Stockard may be in town in June and may be able to judge a trial. Jill pursuing the possibility of a June trial & will discuss with Heather. Kathy is planning on starting a Rally Obedience class May 10.
  - E. Doggie Dollars. It was discussed that the distribution guidelines may need to be looked at, especially with respect to helpers at trials.
- V. Routine Updates
- A. Correspondence. None of significance.

# Minutes

## Minutes for the CKCOJ Monthly Board Meeting

Held: March 17, 2005 6:30-8:30 PM

Location: Valley Library

- I. Call to order (6:40 PM). Board members present: Barb Deyell, Marty Messick, Camille Stephens; Club members present: Vickie McLaughlin, Linda Shipman, Dee Ann Teseneer
- II. Consent agenda
  - A. Approval of agenda. Approved by unanimous consent.
  - B. Approval of new members. Orland & Terrie Harms (family), Mike & Diana Higgs (family), Barbara

## B. Event Planning Updates.

1. Combined Event. Kathy submitted a budget for the Rally Obedience portion of the event. Has a few potential judges.
2. Sophia Yin Seminar. The seminar will be held at St. Brendan's Church in the valley. Have received a donation of \$300 from Wee Fishie's and will be soliciting donations from other sources (including vet clinics) to possibly sponsor specific seminar topics. Linda submitted a new schedule and list of topics. Estimate of \$10 per class for non-sponsored classes, \$75 for the entire weekend. Private consultations are available. Registration forms will hopefully be ready for the April newsletter.

VI. Next meeting date. Thursday, April 21, 2005 6:30 PM.  
Valley Library.

VII. Adjournment. 8:07 PM

# Rally-O!

May Class: Rally Obedience (Tuesday evenings from 6-7 pm at Glacier Valley School covered playground. Starts May 10)

Rally Obedience is a sport where handlers and dogs negotiate a numbered course of obedience exercises. It's a lot of fun for dogs and humans alike... a great way to work on positive training methods for a variety of obedience skills.

This class will be an introduction to Rally for all interested handlers. We'll introduce and practice the basic exercises for Rally-O level 1, and do practice courses. Beginners are welcome; if your dog knows sit and down, and you're working on heeling, you're all set!

If you're interested, or have questions, please contact Kathy Hocker at 586-6984 or [alcyon@gci.net](mailto:alcyon@gci.net). You can read more about Rally-O on the Association of Pet Dog Trainers website: [www.apdt.com/rallyo](http://www.apdt.com/rallyo). A registration form is coming soon on the CKCOJ website.

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policy for funding instructor training.

The proposed policy is published in this newsletter for review and comment by the membership. Please submit any comments **no later than April 15** by email to Camille at [cstephens@gci.net](mailto:cstephens@gci.net). Comments will be presented and discussed at the next Board meeting. The Policy may be put up for approval depending on the comments received.

### Whitehorse Trials

Our sister club in Whitehorse will hold their Spring obedience trials April 29 and 30. A copy of the premium list is available on [ckcoj.org](http://ckcoj.org)

### Rally Obedience

Kathy Hocker will teach a beginning Rally-O class beginning in May. See page 6 for more info.

## Wags and Brags

Ajax did very well at our Obedience trial. He went 3 for 3 and earned his U-CD title. Not bad for an 8 month old pup! Since he's so eager to work and the logistics of having 3 dogs in Open is overwhelming, Apollo and Badger are temporarily retired from the Obedience ring. When Ajax moves up to Utility, maybe one of the older boys will return to competition. Ajax is really benefiting from everything I've learned with Apollo and Badger. *(Submitted by Chicory Eddy)*

## Dog Events

### April 2005

2	Conformation (AKC), Anchorage
16-17	CGC Test, Juneau
29-30	Obedience Trials (UKC), Whitehorse

### May 2005

14-15	Dr. Sophia Yin behavior & obedience seminar
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### June 2005

4-5	Agility Seminar with Sandra Katzen
17-19	Conformation/Obedience (CKC), Whitehorse
25-26	Conformation/Obedience (AKC), Anchorage

### July 2005

TBA	Conformation/Obedience (AKC), Kenai
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If you know of an event in Alaska (or Whitehorse) that might be of interest to CKCOJ members, contact Camille at [cstephens@gci.net](mailto:cstephens@gci.net)

## Dr. Sophia Yin, Animal Behaviorist, offers Juneau Seminars

### St. Brendan's Episcopal Church

The Capital Kennel Club of Juneau and Grateful Dogs of Juneau, Inc. are proud to announce their support in bringing Dr. Sophia Yin of Davis, California, to Juneau this spring to provide lectures and workshops on animal behavior, especially as it pertains to dogs. The basic principles she will be teaching may also be applied to cats, horses, rats, ferrets, rabbits and other small animals. For more information, visit [www.ckcoj.org](http://www.ckcoj.org) or contact Linda Shipman at [Linda.Shipman@chezor.com](mailto:Linda.Shipman@chezor.com)

#### May 13, Friday

- 3:30-4pm KTOO's *Juneau Afternoon* with Susan Fitzgerald  
4:30-6:30pm Two hours of private sessions available  
Private consultation \$200, with written report. 2 hours.  
Private lessons, \$75, without written report. 1 hour.

#### May 14, Saturday

- 10am-noon How to change behavior in your dog, cat, horse, rat or other small animals...  
1-2pm Barking in Dogs: Noise or communication?  
2-3pm Positive solutions to barking in dogs  
3-4pm Fearful Fidos: Why dogs bite people, part 1  
4-5pm Dominance Aggression: Why dogs bite people, including family members, part 2

#### May 15, Sunday

- 10am-noon Two hours of private sessions available  
Private consultation, \$200, with written report. 2 hours.  
Private lessons, \$75, without written report. 1 hour.  
1-2pm Three Techniques for Keeping Fido out of Trouble  
2-3:00pm Demo of techniques with owner dogs +/- coaching owners are part of the demo.  
3-4:00pm Training Pups to Love their Vet Visits  
4-5pm Treat & Train professional dog training system: tips on training gleaned from research  
5-6pm Competitive Obedience Ring heeling: Capital Kennel Club members only

#### Monday 16, Monday

- 10:00a-noon Two hours of private sessions available  
Private consultation, \$200, with written report. 2 hours.  
Private lessons, \$75, without written report. 1 hour.

#### Tuesday 17, Tuesday

- 4pm-6pm Two hours of private sessions available  
Private consultation, \$200, with written report. 2 hours.  
Private lessons, \$75, without written report. 1 hour.  
7-8:30pm Canine/Human Trail Etiquette class (includes dog-dog and dog-human communication)  
Book signing



# Spring Agility Classes

## Levels/ Cost/Dates

Practice/class \$40 **Beginners \$50**  
**May 1, 8, 15, 22 and June 12 & 19, 2005**

**Time:** The sequence of classes will be Advanced, Beginner & Intermediate. Exact times will be announced after the deadline..

Deadline is April 24, 2005.

Contact Jill at 789-3239 or [jillg@gci.net](mailto:jillg@gci.net) for any questions.  
 People in the advanced class are encouraged to make suggestions on exercises.

## Registration Form

<b>Name</b>		
<b>Mailing Address</b>		
<b>email</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<i>Days Evenings</i>

Dog's Name	Class (check one)			Cost
	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/> Beginners	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/> Beginners	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/> Beginners	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/> Beginners	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	

<b>PAYMENT AND MAILING INSTRUCTIONS</b> Make check payable to <b>Capital Kennel Club of Juneau</b> Please enclose Doggie Dollars or other credit vouchers with your registration Mail to: Jill Grose, 9174 Glacierwood Dr., Juneau, Alaska 99801	<b>Subtotal</b>	
	<b>Subtract Discounts and Credits</b>	
	<b>Payment Enclosed</b>	

### CAPITAL KENNEL CLUB OF JUNEAU WAIVER OF LIABILITY

I hereby release the Capital Kennel Club of Juneau, the City and Borough of Juneau, and any associated entity of any and all responsibility for damage or personal injury that may occur as a result of attending this activity. I also certify and represent that the registered is not a hazard to other dogs or persons, is current on all vaccinations, including rabies, is clean and in good health.

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Date

Any handler under age 18 must have the permission and signature of a parent or guardian. Capital Kennel Club reserves the right to reschedule or adjust any class without notice. However, every attempt will be made to contact you in this event

## Proposed CKCOJ Policy on Funding for Instructor Training

**019. Funding for instructor training:** In order to encourage and facilitate continuing education for regular CKCOJ instructors, the club will provide limited funding strictly for seminars and classes oriented towards instructors and improving their abilities.

Applications are to be submitted as soon as possible prior to the event. Applications for funding can be submitted up to 90 days after a seminar has taken place. Applications will not be approved if CKCOJ's bank account balance will fall below \$7,500 as a result of funding an instructor training request.

A maximum of \$250 per seminar registration will be awarded. The club may fund a maximum of \$1000 per fiscal year. Applications will be approved on a first-come, first serve basis.

Applications will be scored out of a maximum of 100 points. Only those applications earning 85 points or more will be approved. Applications are to be submitted (electronically or paper) directly to the club president for distribution to board members at least ten (10) days before the next board meeting. The application will be reviewed and scored at the next board meeting. If the club member requesting the funding is not present at the meeting, the club president will contact the applicant following the meeting with the board's decision.

Club members who are awarded CKCOJ funding using this program must commit to teaching a class in the same genre as the seminar within six (6) months of the funded seminar.

### Criteria for funding:

1. **25 Points - Member in good standing.** A member in good standing will be current with their membership dues and follow the club's code of ethics. A member in good standing will have a history of taking good care of club equipment, have all equipment returned on time, and have a history of keeping rented facilities clean. A good member will have lived up to all previous agreements made with the club. Any failure of the above requirements will be given a 25-point deduction.
2. **35 Points - Previous instruction.** 35 points will be awarded if the applicant has been the main instructor for at least one six-week class in the same genre as the seminar within the previous twelve (12) months.
3. **30 Points - Summary of what the instructor anticipates learning and what will be brought back to the club.**
  - A. 10 points - What is your interest in taking this course?
  - B. 10 points - How do you anticipate applying what you learned to your teaching?
  - C. 10 points - How do you see this seminar benefiting the club?
4. **5 Points - Copy of course description or flyer.** Applicant will be awarded 5 points for including promotional material and class description with their application.
5. **5 Points - Commitment to providing a synopsis within 60 days of the seminar.** Applicant will be awarded points for committing to presenting a synopsis of what they learned at the seminar. This synopsis will be open to all club members and is not to be held in conjunction with the club's regular board meeting. The applicant is responsible for setting up the date, time and location for the synopsis as well as providing the meeting information to the newsletter editor and club webmaster for publishing.

# Capital Kennel Club of Juneau

## Application for Funding for Instructor Training Seminars/Classes

Club member name: \_\_\_\_\_

Seminar/Instructor: \_\_\_\_\_

Date(s) of seminar: \_\_\_\_\_

*Applications are scored out of a maximum of 100 points. Only those applications receiving 85 points or more will be approved. See the CKCOJ policies for scoring criteria.*

	Points Avail- able	Points Awarded
<b>Member in good standing</b>	<b>25</b>	
<b>Previous instruction</b> <i>List classes taught within the previous 12 months</i>	<b>35</b>	
_____		
_____		
<b>Summary of what will be brought back</b> <i>(Include extra pages if needed)</i>		
<i>What is your interest in taking this course?</i> _____	<b>10</b>	
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<i>How do you anticipate applying what you learn to your teaching?</i> _____	<b>10</b>	
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<i>How do you see this seminar benefiting the club?</i> _____	<b>10</b>	
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_____		
<b>Copy of course description or flyer</b> <i>Include a copy of course description</i>	<b>5</b>	
<b>Commitment to providing a synopsis</b> <i>Provide tentative details</i>	<b>5</b>	
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Total number  
of points

All club members awarded funding are expected to teach a class for CKCOJ in the same subject as the application within 6 months of the instructor-training seminar. Failure to follow through on this will affect future eligibility for funding.

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

### April

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- 16-17 Canine Good Citizen Test, DZ Middle School  
21 Monthly business meeting, Valley Library, 6:30-8:30 pm  
29-30 UKC Obedience Trials, Whitehorse, YT, Canada

### May

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- 14-15 Dr. Sophia Yin behavior & obedience seminar  
19 Monthly business meeting

### June

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- 4-5 Agility Seminar with Sandra Katzen  
16 Monthly business meeting

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**Congratulations to all the qualifiers in  
the Spring Trials!**

*Special thanks to CKCOJ "CHAMPION" members for their generous support:*

*Marie and Ann Lam*



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