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Lawrenceville Kennel Club June Newsletter

OFFICERS
PRESIDENT: BOB LABERGE
VICE PRESIDENT: VACANT
TREASURER: SUSAN SAULVESTER
SECRETARY: GAIL LABERGE

BOARD: GEORGE COOPER CASEY KILCULLEN-STEINER JUDY WILSON LIZ HALLSWORTH

MEMBERSHIP: JUDY WILSON WEBSITE: DIANNE RYAN NEWSLETTER: BARBARA REICHENBACH On Friday evening May 14, LKC member Carol Yoklic participated in the Survivor's Lap at the 2016 Gwinnett Relay for Life at the Fairgrounds. The Survivor's Lap was accompanied by Gwinnett County Motorcycle Police and the Archer High School Drum Line and the walkers were cheered

on by 10,000 spectators. By the end of the event at 6:30 AM Saturday the Gwinnet Relay for Life had raised 1.39 million dollars for cancer research. Carol, you are awesome!

Submitted by Susan Saulvester





Board Meeting Minutes

May 17, 2016 BOARD MEETING MINUTES

President Bob LaBerge called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. at the training building.

Present at the meeting were Directors George Cooper, Casey Kilcullen-Steiner, Ouida Blackwelder and Charles Baranowski, and club officers Susan Saulvester, Ruth Baranowski, Don Bush.

Minutes of Meeting: The Board approved the minutes of the April 19, 2016 Board Meetings, as published.

Report of Secretary: No report.

Report of Treasurer: Balance in checking \$49,252.

- . The checking and money market statements were reviewed by the Board.
- . Susan stated she had transferred funds from a CD that was to be renewed, to the money market, per instructions from the Board.
- . Susan also renewed the Treasurer's Bond insurance.
- . Susan will issue a stop payment on a check issued one year ago to Gwinnett Animal Control. The check was issued to Animal Control for purchase of vaccines, but the check was never presented for payment.

Susan stated that if any member wants to view LKC's Liability insurance, Susan will provide the information.

Committees

Show Committee: Ouida has not received the Premium List from MB-F for proofing.

- . The Board discussed adding a Memorial Page to the August Catalog on behalf of Lu Stefanik.
- . The judging panel for February is not complete; however, the show chairs will meet this week to discuss.

Training: Charles stated the next training session will start the week of September 12.

. The CGC for the current session is June 23.

Charles announced that this is his last session as Director of Training.

He will also resign from Puppy and Beginning Obedience training.

Charles has made commitments which will keep him from being available.

The Board will address the need for a Director of Training at a future meeting.

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Old Business

Mats: Bob will initiate delivery by September, if possible. The manufacturer will provide LKC with overruns of current orders, and the mats will be available at that time.

Pawfest: Bob stated this event was a success. Many members were present during the day.

Potluck: Lelslye Pinnell and Heidi Owen have agreed to chair the event on May 24 at the training building.

. Members will be asked to bring side dishes and desserts.

New Business

Programs:

- . In July, Carol Ochs will present a program "Canine Companion Service Dogs."
- . In September, Peggy Watson will present "Dwarfism Genetics."

No other business having come before the Board, the meeting adjourned at 8:50 pm.

Respectfully submitted by, Ruth Baranowski Secretary of LKC

General Weeting Minutes

AWRENCEVILLE KENNEL CLUB INC. May 24, 2016 **GENERAL MEETING MINUTES**

President Bob LaBerge welcomed members to the annual potluck dinner at the training building.

30 members and 4 guests were present.

Members eagerly partook of the bounteous spread and enjoyed social time together.

Bob then briefly called the meeting to order at 8:30 pm.

Guests:

Bob asked each guest to introduce themselves, as follows::

- Tara McDonald, American Staffordshires
- Carla Harbour Australian Terriers Jenny Patrick, American Staffordshires
- Christine Ferguson Labrador Retrievers

Membership: Judy reminded the members that the membership renewal is due by June 1.

If members have not renewed yet, please do so.

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Judy also announced that Dolores Russell has achieved a Lifetime Membership of 25 years. Congratulations, Dolores!

Judy conducted the 1st reading for potential new member Jenny Pat-

Jenny has American Staffordshires.

Sponsors are Barbara Reichenbach and Judy Wilson

Judy then conducted a 2nd reading and secret ballot for Tara McDonald.

Tara also has American Staffordshires

Sponsors are Leslye Pinnell and Judy Wilson

Tara was voted into membership by the members present.

Congratulations and Welcome Tara!

Pawfest: Bob thanked Chairperson Judy Wilson and the many members who volunteered their time to help at this event.

Election: The current fiscal year ends May 31, and the next fiscal year begins June 1.

. Bob recognized and thanked outgoing Vice President Don Bush, and outgoing Directors Ouida Blackwelder and Charles Baranowski.

The following members will continue as Officers and Directors::

President Bob LaBerge

Treasurer Susan Saulvester

Director Casey Kilcullen-Steiner

Director George Cooper

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The following members were nominated for Officer and Director positions:

- . Secretary Gail LaBerge
- . Director Liz Hallsworth
- . Director Judy Wilson

The Board will address the vacant position of Vice President at the next meeting.

There were no contested positions in this election; therefore, Secretary Ruth Baranowski cast her vote for the nominations above.

Training Director:: Bob announced that Charles Baranowski is resigning from the position of LKC Director of Training. Charles is also resigning from the position of trainer of Puppies and Beginner Obedience, effective after the current session. The Board will discuss filling these positions at the next meeting.

Future Meetings: Bob announced there is no general meeting in June.

- . The July general meeting will take place at Kroger in Snellville, with a Program on Canine Companion Independence service dogs
- . There is no August general meeting.
- . The September general meeting program will be on DNA Testing and Research.

Following "Brags," the meeting adjourned at 8:45 pm.

Respectfully submitted by, Ruth Baranowski Secretary of LKC



Bob and Gail LaBerge's brags:

Wirehaired Dachshund, Hodge, CH Hathor Farm's Hobson's Choice SW, SE, earned his CGC and his first leg in Rally Novice at the DCMA specialty.

Wirehaired Dachshund, Heloise, Hathor Farms Hell-On-Wheels SW, RN, BN, TD, earned her CGCA and her first leg in Rally Advanced at the DCMA specialty.

Lynda McKee's brags:

Pembroke Welsh Corgis, Tifflyn Summer Nights (Lyric) earned her CGC award while brother Tifflyn Night On The Town (Kermit) finished his championship with three majors at two days past his first birthday, giving their sire his Register of Merit award. Their mother Tifflyn Lustigleben Moonlight Sonata TD PT NA CGC (Natalie) finished her Novice FAST title. Natalie's uncle GCh Lustigleben Tifflyn Firesong CD BN RN TD PT OA OAJ NF recieved an Award of Merit after winning the Veteran Dog class at the Atlanta specialty.

Caryn Goodin's brag:

Trey (Apple Valley Third Time's A Charm) celebrated his 5th birthday Saturday, May 28th at the Blue Ridge Classic of the Carolinas by going WD (Winners Dog) under j. Liz Bianchi for his first major win.





Continued

Liz Hallsworth's brags:

I have had a wonderful run of winning and I am very thankful to all the judges that saw the beauty and conformation in my dogs.

At the Watkinsville show:

McCormick's Lad O' My Dreams earned his Championship He is owned and shown exclusive by a newbie to the show ring, this is her first Champion and she did it in style earning his championship with 4, 4 point Majors. I am very Happy for Vivian and proud of her hard work finishing a boy that I bred.

At the same show McCormick's Redwood Dream earned WB both day and the second day earned a 4 point major at the ripe old age of 9 months, she is co-owned by me with Abby Vines (junior handler).

Abby earned Best Junior in show on Saturday in Watkinsville.

Abby's special, McCormick's Dream Catcher earned select dog earning 2 majors towards his Grand Championship. We had a great weekend in Watkinsville I did something I never thought possible, I had three dogs I bred in the ring earn points. Chief earning a select major, Laddie earning WD and BW to finish his championship and Hope earning WB.

The next weekend Abby and I went to Perry and were joined by a friend from Florida who I co-bred with.

Abby and Chief won Reserve Best In Show Owner Handle!!!!

Abby also earned another Best Junior showing Chief one of the four days she showed.

Chief earned 4 more majors towards his grand championship and earned bred one of the days.

My boy Cast who I co-own and bred with Karen Abhalter and Nanette Cowgill , McCormick's Coralrocks Heaven Sent O'Podauri, won WD and BW earning two Majors

Additional my best friends girl won WB 2 of the days earning a Major one of them.

This means my boy Chase had three dogs he sired as winners in the ring one of the days for WD, WB, and Bred. They all three had different Dams so it is really a credit to him and the Cairns of Redwood Kennel in Colorado, I am very blessed that Sue Angelo blessed me with Chase.

I also showed my newest girl Peace in the 4-6 month old puppy class and admittedly she had the upper hand and needs classes, so George I'm bringing a wild one!

So it is time to take a rest and enjoy my newest litter from Dirty Harry, CH Brigadoon's McCormick Dirty Harry and Dam Dixie, CH McCormick's Southern Dream and , 2 girls and 3 boys My niece says I should call them my Pasta litter so I did, So here is the pasta kids, pictured left to right is Ziti, Bowtie, Penne, Noodles and Ravioli





Wishing a very Happy Birthday to:

Dianne	Ryan	6/15
James	Finley	6/19
Carol	Ochs	6/20



Wishing a very Happy Anniversary to:

Richard	Haney	6/1	
Cindy	Flanary	6/12	
Robyn & Joe	Huff	6/13	
Keith & Edie	Thomas	6/14	
Rick	Parker	6/20	



Symptoms and Treatment of Canine Leptospirosis







How to stay safe from ticks



4Paws Agility is accepting entries for their upcoming obedience and rally trial at the Gwinnett County Fairgrounds, June 24-26th. The judges are Susan Emerson, Connie Parrish, Elise Merkin, and Minta Williquette. Online entries are accepted at the below address. Entries close June 8th.



June 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14 Flag Day	<i>15</i>	16	17	18
	20	Board Meeting 7:30	22	23	24	25
26	27	28 No General Meeting	29	30		

