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MEETING NOTICE

AUGUST GENERAL MEETING

Wednesday, August 15, 2018
7:00 p.m.
Nebraska Humane Society
8929 Fort
Omaha, NE

PROGRAM

Discussion of Barn Hunt Practice and Trial

---Members are encouraged to attend,
and guests are always welcome to the meeting—

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DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF MATERIAL FOR SEPTEMBER GROWLER: ***Sept. 7, 2018***

` SECRETARY'S REPORT

NO JULY GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

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AUGUST BOARD MEETING

Wednesday, August 1, 2018
Nebraska Humane Society
8928 Fort Street
Omaha, NE

MINUTES FROM CONSENT AGENDA

Call to Order: 7PM
Approve minutes from previous meeting: Approved

Report of the President – Tim Bourke: would like to look into fundraising & sponsorships for events
Report of the Vice President – Ron Weaks: looking into Aug meeting speaker, Nebraska Canine Commons. Sept is Sheryll Morris and Oct is Dr. Tonya McInlay
Report of the Secretary – Christy Brandt: noting to report
Report of the Treasurer – Barb Hil: see attached report

Committee Reports
No committee reports

Unfinished Business

1. AKC Scent Work Event July 2018 recap: Great Event, made significant profit, Judges were wonderful and event ran very smoothly.
2. Barn Hunt Training, 9-1-2018: sign ups at 9 starts at 10 Straw is coming on Tuesday August 14th at 2PM, need volunteers
3. Barn Hunt Sept 15 & 16, 2018: All set, just need volunteers. Brandt to prepare 2 judge gift baskets.
4. Tracking Test November 11, 2018: Looking at and for different locations. Lifetime Achievement Title added
5. AKC Scent Work Event December 8 & 9, 2018: estimate presented by Norine
6. Fun Match January 2019: Chair needed, will advertise for this position in the Growler.
7. 2019 NKC Dog Show: Contract done. Conformation judges hired, obedience judge search continues & Onofrio negotiation underway.
8. Strategic Planning: nothing to report
9. Constitution Revision: In need of report from Medora

New Business

1. Disposition of straw from Barn Hunt: Motion charge $2/bail to CDC by Nieman seconded by Bradley, Passed
2. Board Emergency Plans: Review Constitution, address cases not covered by constitution, go thru positions individually and come up with a plan.
3. Show dates 2020 & Beyond: Plan on 2020 with Platte Valley, will proceed on going forward with same weekend.
4. Award Plaques: Table by T. Bourke, seconded by Brandt, Passed.
5. Fundraising and Sponsorships: T. Bourke to get ideas from Event Planner

Adjournment
Volkmer moved to Adjourn at 8:40PM Seconded by T. Bourke

Submitted by,
Christy Brandt, Secretary

NEWS & NOTES

CONFORMATION TRAINING CLASSES

WHEN: **Monday**
During the winter months of January, February, and March, if the Omaha Public Schools are closed due to weather, NKC will also cancel conformation training classes.

LOCATION: **Companion Dog Club**
10803 N. 72 Street
Omaha, NE

TIME: Classes begin at 7PM – if no one shows up by 7:15 pm, the trainers will go home.

PRICE: $5.00 for first dog,
$4.00 for all subsequent dogs per evening
$3.00 for Junior handler

DURATION: Recommend 30 minutes or less for puppies. 30 to 60 minutes for adult dogs.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND: Experience and inexperienced dogs and handlers.

CONTENT:
- Table Training
- Group Training
- Individual Gaiting
- Group Gaiting

Breed specific training (you tell us what you need)
- Different patterns typical to conformation ring, i.e. triangle, L pattern, T pattern
- We will go over ring/show etiquette for those new to showing in conformation

Check the NKC website for updates and/or changes – Everyone welcome.
No reservations needed.

Any questions? Contact:
Barb Hill, 402-572-5304 or arabarb@cox.net

Barn Hunt Training
September 1, 2018

Barn Hunt Trial
September 15 – 16, 2018

Tracking Test
November 11, 2018

AKC Scent Trial
December 8 and 9, 2018

GROWLER ADVERTISING RATES

NKC members: *$10.00 per 1/8th of a page,*
$75.00 for a full page

Non-members: *$15.00 per 1/8th of a page*
$112.50 for a full page

Copy cannot change between issues of the Growler. *All ads are subject to NKC Board approval. NKC Members: No charge to advertise the sale of used dog equipment.*

CONTACT THE GROWLER EDITOR

- **If** you have something to contribute for the betterment of the dog fancy that you would like published in the **Growler, please contact the Growler Editor.**
- **If** you have a show win that you would like to brag about, information regarding an upcoming dog event, or poem, etc. to share with others, **please contact the Growler Editor**.
- **If** you are the Chair of an NKC committee and would like to inform the membership of the committee's activities, **please contact the Growler Editor.**
- **If** you have a photo of your dog to put in the **Growler**, **please contact the Growler Editor.**
- **If** you have something for the **Growler**, please contact the **Growler Editor**: **Sharon Bourke, 402-391-5069, or e-mail:** omahasb@aol.com

Barn Hunt Practice and Trials

Nebraska Kennel Club is hosting a **Barn Hunt Practice** on **Saturday, September 1, 2018**, outside at **Companion Dog Club, 10803 No. 72nd Street, Omaha, NE.** Four levels will be available: Barn Hunt Basics, Instinct, Novice, & Open. Instructors will be available to help you. The cost is $8.00 for each level. Registration is from 9:15-9:45 a.m. Barn Hunt Basics level begins at 10:00 a.m. followed by Instinct, Novice, & Open. Pre-registration is encouraged, especially if you plan to run your dog in the later levels.

Please go to Nebraska Kennel Club's website for the more information and entry form.

Nebraska Kennel Club is pleased to offer another official Barn Hunt Event on September 15-16, 2018. Three Barn Hunt Trials will be held in the Companion Dog Club building in Omaha, Nebraska.

We will be offering all the regular classes plus Crazy 8s.

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Remember: in order to take part in the actual trial your dog must be registered with the Barn Hunt Association. Registration is done online and you receive your number within 48 hours.

Please go to Nebraska Kennel Club's website for the premium and entry information.

If you have questions, please contact Ron Weaks (rweaks@centurylink.net) or Norine Nieman (papillonsrule@cox.net).

Barn Hunt Help Wanted

September 14th: 5 pm for set-up
September 15th: all day to run the trial
September 16th: all day to run the trial and also clean-up

If you are willing to help at any of these events, please contact Shelly Rehmeier at shellyrehmeier@cox.net.

---Submitted by Norine Nieman and Ron Weaks

NKC All Breed Conformation/Obedience/Rally Event

May 18, 2019

Looking for a volunteer to be
Trophy Chairman
The trophy information must be typed and submitted to the Show Chair, Barbara Hill, no later than December 1, 2018
For more information, please contact Barbara Hill, Show Chair
arabarb@cox.net or 402-572-5304

Please send your suggestions for obedience/rally judges to Barbara Hill, arabarb@cox.net
no later than Thursday, July 20, 2017.

Also, suggestions are needed for conformation judges for 2020. Our past 2 all breed shows drew a conformation entry around 400. When submitting names for consideration, please only submit names of judges who can do a minimum of 4 groups. Please the name, state where the judges lives. This is needed to obtain the judge's contact information from the AKC Judge Directory.

Please email your suggestions to
Barb Hill, arabarb@cox.net no later than September 1, 2018

---Submitted by Barb Hill

TROPHY ROOM

Lexey – Grand Basset Griffon Vendeen

Owner: Ron Weeks

June 30, 2018 – July 1, 2018 International All Breed Canine Association, Inc.

Lexey earned 4 level 1 ratings and Best of Breeds from 4 International judges

She aslo earned 2 group 3rds and a second.

July 6 - 8, 2018 NKC Scent Work Trial Judge: Chris Eblen

She went 7 for 9 qualifying runs:

3 qualifying scores in Interior search and her Scent Work Interior Novice Ememt title (SIN)

2 qualifying scores in Exterior search

2 qualifying scoreds in Buried search

Razz – Border Terrier

Owner: Ron Weaks

July 6 – 8, 2018 NKC Scent Work Trial

Razz earned Scent Work Container Novice Element (SCN) title with 3 qualifying scores.

---Submitted by Ron Weaks

Congratulations!!

A Hunt For Hidden Words About Dogs

DOGGONE FUN WORD FIND

S	E	B	A	R	K	Z	S	C	O	L	L	I	E	P	D	E	S
L	T	H	L	E	C	H	T	O	R	A	K	I	T	A	O	X	L
E	A	A	D	T	N	S	A	A	A	B	A	Y	A	L	P	T	E
I	R	L	A	R	N	U	Y	T	D	R	R	I	E	R	E	N	D
N	C	Z	C	I	C	R	H	F	R	A	F	R	A	O	R	A	D
A	N	S	H	E	L	B	U	L	L	D	O	G	S	A	M	P	O
P	A	I	S	V	T	H	N	K	B	O	N	E	H	D	A	U	G
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R	T	E	U	R	E	P	A	W	S	Q	W	P	U	L	I	R	E
E	A	T	N	L	R	D	R	O	O	L	L	A	H	N	C	O	Y
T	M	B	D	E	T	A	I	L	D	O	H	R	L	S	D	W	H
T	L	I	C	A	R	D	T	F	P	C	F	W	D	K	I	L	O
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S	D	L	B	E	G	O	P	S	H	E	P	H	E	R	D	O	N
M	A	S	T	I	F	F	S	D	O	G	A	C	H	A	S	E	D

Are your eyes sharp enough to find hidden words as well as your dog finds a hidden bone or treat with its nose? Test your hunting skills by finding ***ALL*** the words tucked away in this word find.

Collie	Poodle	Sled Dog
Coat	Wolf	Greyhound
Pug	Food	Dalmation
Hound	Bark	Dachshund
Howl	Kennel	Labrador
Bulldog	Pant	Doberman
Mastiff	Growl	Grooming
Vet Bills	Heel	Shepard
Lead	Bone	Retriever
Treat	Puli	Sit
Vizsla	Chow	Stay
Brush	Play	Beg
Tail	Chase	Boxer
Walk	Hunt	Drool
Woof	Spot	Crate
Paws	Dog	Spaniel
Flea	Akita	Setter
		Arf Arf

Submitted by Sheryl Bradbury

NKC Standing Committees

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Ways & Means	Vacancy
Obedience	Vacancy
Scent Work	Norine Nieman
2019 Show Chair	Barb Hill

NKC
2018 Calendar of Events

August 15	General Meeting
September 1	Barn Hunt Practice
September 5	Board Meeting
September 15 – 16	Barn Hunt Trial
September 19	General Meeting
October 3	Board Meeting
October 17	General Meeting
November 7	Board Meeting
November 11	Tracking Test
November 21	General Meeting
December 5	Board Meeting
December 8 and 9	AKC Scent Trial

Note: List subject to change *--Sharon Bourke, Editor*

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