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MEETING NOTICE

JUNE GENERAL MEETING AND PICNIC

Wednesday, June 20, 2018

Picnic will start at 6:30 p.m.

--Meeting will follow picnic--

Jenni Toebben
4041 S. 224 Circle
Elkhorn, NE

(See page 7 for more de "tails")

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

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DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF MATERIAL FOR JULY GROWLER: ***July 6, 2018***

` SECRETARY'S REPORT

MAY GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Wednesday, May 16, 2018
Nebraska Humane Society
8929 Fort
Omaha, NE

After discussion about the upcoming show the meeting was called to order at 7:20
12 members in attendance

Report of the President - Tim Bourke, nothing to report
Report of the Vice President – Ron Weaks, Hotel reservations made for Barn hunt Judges
Report of the Secretary – Christy Brandt, Nominations for AKC liefetime Achievement Awards needed
Report of the Treasurer – Barb Hill, financial report attached, motion to audit made by Rehmeier seconded by Volkmer

Committee Reports

Education-	**Dona Rosales, absent**
Growler Editor-	**Sharon Bourke, Growler deadline June 8th**
Training Director-	**Barb Hill, nothing to report**
Membership Chair-	**Alycia Noble, absent**
NKC/AKC Legislative Liaison	**Sandy Orr, absent**
Tracking-	**Shelly Rehmeier, nothing to report**
Strategic Planning-	**Tim Bourke, Strategic Planning suggestions & planning**
Media Director-	**Joe Bradley, nothing to report**
Event Planning-	**Sue Volkmer, Picnic June 20**

Unfinished Business

1. 2018 NKC Dog Show, Obedience & Rally (May 19 & 20, 2018) **This weekend**
2. AKC Scent Work Event – July 6, 7, & 9, 2018 & December 8 & 9, 2018-Premium went out 5014. Application approved for the Dec. trial
3. Barn Hunt Training-September 1, 2018
4. Barn Hunt – September 15 & 16, 2018
5. Tracking Test – November 11, 2018
6. Fun Match – January

New Business

1. open-Brandt suggested manning booth at the Pet Expo July 14 & 15 and also at the IABCA show on June 30 & July 1 to recruit new members

2. Barb Hill shared information about Doctor Dogish, affordable vet cling

Motion for adjournment @ 8pm made by Brandt seconded by Reba

Submitted by
Christy Brandt, Secretary

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JUNE BOARD MEETING

Wednesday, June 6, 2018
Nebraska Humane Society
8929 Fort
Omaha, NE

Called to order at 7PM
Tim motioned to Approve Minutes of Previous Meeting, Sue Seconded

Report of the President – Tim Bourke, Tim briefed board on the Consent Agenda
Report of the Vice President – Ron Weaks, nothing to report
Report of the Secretary – Christy Brandt, AKC event close out forms were received
Report of the Treasurer – Barb Hill, see attached financial reports

Committee Reports

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Growler Editor-	**Sharon Bourke**	
Training Director-	**Barb Hill,**	
Membership Chair-	**Alycia Noble**	
NKC/AKC Legislative Liaison	**Sandy Orr**	**No Committee reports**
Tracking-	**Shelly Rehmeier**	
Strategic Planning-	**Tim Bourke**	
Media Director-	**Joe Bradley**	
Event Planning-	**Sue Volkmer**	

Unfinished Business

1. 2018 NKC Dog Show, Obedience & Rally (May 19 & 20, 2018 Vendors were good, reported positive sales and want to return next year. More waste barrels are needed on the West end. Onofrio needs NKC's new logo. Shelly received compliments on how well the show ran and that everyone liked the trophies. Ron requests that there are bathing facilities available at future shows. Would like to see a worker raffle in the future and more manpower is necessary. Various ideas were presented to showcase rally and obedience, announcing when high in trial is being awarded over the sound system.
2. AKC Scent Work Event – July 6, 7, & 8, 2018 & December 8 & 9, 2018 On Schedule
3. Barn Hunt Training-September 1, 2018 On Schedule
4. Barn Hunt – September 15 &16, 2018 On Schedule

5. Tracking Test – November 11, 2018 On Schedule
6. Fun Match – January 2019 Need Chairperson
7. 2019 NKC Dog Show Barb moved to get a contract with the Lancaster Event Center, Norine seconded, Motion passed.

New Business

1. Ron presented info about plaques and awards for the annual meeting to recognize member accomplishments. Barb motioned to table until August board meeting, Sue seconded, Motion passed.
2. Sue moved to spend funds, not to exceed $100 for the entire and supplies for the picnic on June 20, 2018, Joe seconded. Motion passed.
3. Joe moved to hire judges for a 2020 show with the escape clause in case the show does not happen. Barb Seconded. Motion passed.

Adjournment: 9:19 moved by Barb seconded by Shelly

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

June General Membership Meeting and Annual Picnic
Wednesday, June 20, 2018
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AKC Scent Trial
July 6 – 8, 2018

Barn Hunt Training
September 1, 2018

Barn Hunt Trial
September 15 – 16, 2018

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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

Items Needed for Scent Work Trial

NKC is in need of a wide variety of containers and objects for our upcoming July 6-8, 2018, Scent Work Trials. These items can include bags, flower pots, briefcases, small luggage, backpacks, storage bins, purses, old shoes, or any odor-permeable containers/objects. If you have some old containers/objects you would be willing to part with, NKC would love to have them.

Please bring your items to the June general meeting (picnic) or you may make arrangements to give them to Sue Volkmer (402-651-0884) or Norine Nieman (402-697-7006).

Thank you for assisting us in finding items for our trials.

---Submitted by Norine Nieman

TROPHY ROOM

Lexey – Grand Basset Griffon Vendeen
Owner: Ron Weeks
May 20, 2018 Nebraska Kennel Club BOS, WB 3 pts.

---Submitted by Ron Weaks

Congratulations!!

LABS REMAINED THE NUMBER ONE AKC REGISTERED DOG IN 2017

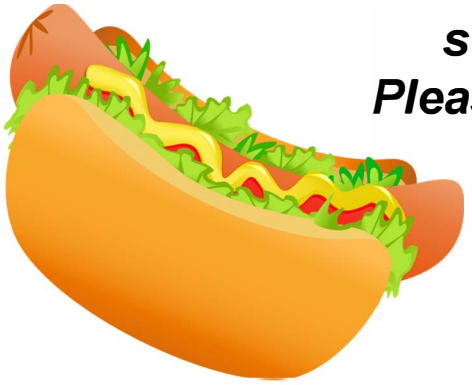
BREED	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
Labrador Retrievers	1	1	1	1	1
German Shepherd Dogs	2	2	2	2	2
Golden Retrievers	3	3	3	3	3
French Bulldogs	4	6	6	9	11
Bulldogs	5	4	4	4	5
Beagles	6	5	5	5	4
Poodles	7	7	8	7	8
Rottweilers	8	8	9	10	9
Yorkshire Terriers	9	9	7	6	6
Pointers (German Shorthaired)	10	11	11	12	13

---AKC Website

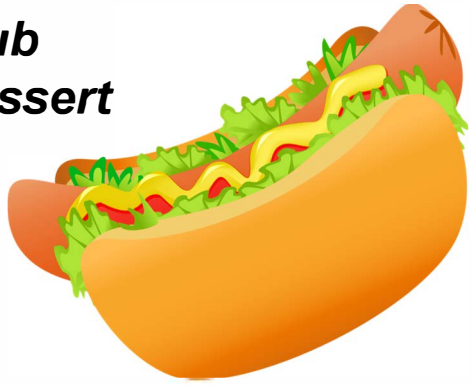
Nebraska Kennel Club Picnic

Wednesday, June 20, 2018
Jenni Toebben's House
4041 South 224th Circle.

Fun starts at 6:30 p.m.
Bring Your Swimming Suit – Jenni has a pool!!!!



Main Entrée, tea, water, and dinner service provided by the club
Please bring a side dish or dessert
Guests are welcome!!
(No Dogs, please)



Directions to Jenni's House
DON'T USE GPS

1) Dodge to 204th Street / Highway 6 / Highway 31 exit and go south.
2) Turn right on Center / Highway 275 (going west).
3) Turn left onto 222nd St at blinking yellow light (Google maps sometimes incorrectly identifies 222nd St as Skyline Dr)
4) The Farm (a housing subdivision) is on the right after about a mile and a quarter.
5) Turn into The Farm and follow Homestead to the first left, 224th Circle. 4041 is at the bottom of the cul de sac.

Need help with directions?

RSVP to Sue Volkmer
402.651.0884
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Meeting Refreshments	Vacancy
Media Master	Joe Bradley
Event Planning	Sue Volkmer
Ways & Means	Vacancy
Obedience	Vacancy
Scent Work	Norine Nieman

NKC
2018 Calendar of Events

June 20	General Meeting & Picnic
July 6 – 8	AKC Scent Trial
August 1	Board Meeting
August 15	General Meeting
September 1	Barn Hunt Training
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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