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MEETING NOTICE



The **June General Membership Meeting** will be held via a Zoom video conference. The video conference will be Wednesday, June 15, 2022, beginning at 7:00 pm. Nina Gottsch will be sending all NKC Club Members an email with instructions on how to join the video conference.

There will not be a Program.
 The meeting will only cover NKC business.

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DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF MATERIAL FOR July GROWLER: July 8, 2022

SECRETARY'S REPORT

MAY GENERAL MEETING

via Zoom

Wednesday, May 18, 2022

7:00 p.m.

Call to Order - 7:07pm

Attendees: Sheryl Bradbury, Sharon Bourke, Tim Bourke, A. I. (Nina) Gottsch, Melody Falcone, Medora Harper, Barbara Hill, Dianne Krantz, Norine Nieman, Shelly Rehmeier, Jaclyn Spry, Sue Volkmer, Ron Weaks

Motion #1: Approve the 20 April 2022 General Meeting Minutes as printed in the Growler: (Tim Bourke/Sue Volkmer) - Motion passed.

Report of the President – Sheryl Bradbury

A lot of work has gone into planning the 2022 NKC Platte Valley KC dog show in Lincoln this weekend. Nancy Draper has worked very hard to plan and support both clubs so please be sure to thank her when you see her. We will need as many people as we can get to help with set up on Friday as well on Saturday and Sunday. So, if you are at the show and you are idle I know we can find some things to help with. Find me, stop by the club table or find Nancy I am sure she will appreciate any help.

Looking ahead to starting the process to plan for our 100th Anniversary. Please be sure to watch for announcements in the Growler as well on the club Facebook page and website.

Report of the Vice President – Ron Weaks

Nothing to report.

Report of the Treasurer - Barbara Hill

Motion #2: Approve the Treasurer's report to be filed for audit: (Tim Bourke/Shelly Rehmeier) - Motion passed.

Report of the Secretary – Nina Gottsch

Nothing to report.

New Membership Applications:

Motion #3 - Approve Christine Brandt for membership (Norine Nieman/Sheryl Bradbury) - Motion passed.

Motion #4 - Approve Melody Falcone for membership (Barbara Hill/Sheryl Bradbury) - Motion passed.

Motion #5 - Approve Karen Tesarek for membership (Sheryl Bradbury/Nina Gottsch) - Motion passed.

New Membership Applications:

First Reading

Sidney Riley – Sponsors: Sheryl Bradbury and Medora Harper

Unfinished Business

1. NKC Constitution Update – Nothing to report.
2. NKC Fast Cat Tests, 22-24 April 2022 at Banner Park Wrap Up: The event was a success with a profit of \$1800. We had head winds, tail winds and for a while, even a side wind. Ron reported everyone seemed to enjoy the event in spite of the winds and he received no complaints.
3. NKC/PVC Show Cluster, 21-22 May 2022 at the Lancaster Event Center – Everything is ready to go and we have eight vendors. Please check out their booths if you attend the show.
4. NKC Scent Work Trial, 15-17 July 2022 at Iowa Western Community College – Norine Nieman reported that the judges are in order. Sue is working on the facility.
5. Detective Trial, 31 July at Dowell Farm - Norine reported the premiums will be out at the end of May.
6. NKC Fast Cat Tests, 16-18 September at Banner Park – Things are moving forward.
7. NKC Tracking, 13 November at Chalco Hills - Shelly reported the event is up on the AKC Website
8. NKC Scent Work Trial, 9-11 December at Werner Park - Sue working on the two judge's contracts.

9. 2023 NKC 100th Year Anniversary – Ron stated he will be setting up a meeting.
10. 2023 NKC AKC NTI Event - Shelly met with her team and are working on the hotel and park. Things are in the planning stages.

New Business

1. The Growler deadline is 3 June.
2. Ribbon Decorations Classes – Sharon Dowell has offered to conduct three dog show ribbon decoration classes on three Tuesday evenings.
3. Club Picnic – Sheryl will talk to Christy about June 18th.
4. Ron requested that the conformation classes mentioned in the Growler be removed. Ron also mentioned that we update the committee list in the Growler. Sheryl will send Sharon some edits to the committee list.

Motion #3: Adjournment 8:00pm: (Ron Weeks/Tim Bourke) - Motion passed.

Respectfully,
A. I. (Nina) Gottsch

JUNE BOARD MEETING

via Zoom

Wednesday, June 1, 2022

7:00 p.m.

Call to Order – 7:30pm

Attendees: Sheryl Bradbury, A.I. (Nina) Gottsch, Barb Hill, Dianne Krantz, Norine Nieman, Shelly Rehmeier, Ron Weeks.

Motion #1 (Barb/Norine) – Approve the minutes of the 4 May 2022 as printed in the Growler. Motion passed.

Report of the President – Sheryl Bradbury

No report.

Report of the Vice President - Ron Weeks

No report.

Report of the Treasurer – Barb Hill

The Treasurer's report was sent to all the Board members. The tax returns have been completed and filed by CPA. Ron stated that we do not need a motion to file the report for audit.

Report of the Secretary – Nina Gottsch

Nothing to report.

New Membership Applications:

Sidney Riley, Omaha, NE

Sponsors: Sheryl Bradbury and Medora Harper

Unfinished Business

1. NKC Constitution Update - No report.
2. NKC/PVC Show Cluster, 21-22 May 2022 at the Lancaster Event Center Wrap Up – Many good comments were received and having the extra rings made everything easier. It was determined that having outside ring stewards would be very beneficial.
3. NKC Scent Work Trial, 15-17 July 2022 at Iowa Western Community College – Norine announced that entries are now open. Sharee Newman will be the chief ring steward.
4. Detective Trial, 31 July 2022 at Dowell Farm – The premium is up on the website. Dogs must have a Master title to be able to participate in the Detective Trial.

5. NKC Fast CAT Events, 16-18 September at Banner Park – No report, everything is in place.
6. NKC Tracking, 13 November at Chalco Hills - Nothing new to report.
7. NKC Scent Work Trial, 9-11 December at Werner Park - Nothing new to report.
8. 2023 NKC 100th Year Anniversary – Committees are being fleshed out and arrangements are being considered for a dog food corporate sponsor.
9. Ribbon Decoration Classes – Five people attended the first class. There are two more classes scheduled.
10. Plaque Committee – Shelly asked to have this placed in Unfinished Business.

New Business

1. Growler deadline is June 4.
2. Website Maintenance - The Board will be considering hiring someone to maintain and update the NKC website.
3. 2022 Club Picnic - Joe Bradley has offered his home for the club picnic. Sheryl will follow up with Joe regarding the date.
4. In-Person Meetings – Ron will contact the Humane Society regarding their auditorium for in-person general meetings.

General Information:

Sheryl will store the defibrillator and will make sure it gets to the required events.

Nina will restock the first aid kit.

Sheryl has some poop buckets with bags and will take them to the storage facility.

Motion #2 (Ron/Norine) - Adjournment at 8:39pm. Motion passed.

Respectfully,

A. I. (Nina) Gottsch

NEWS & NOTES

CANCELLATION NOTICES

Any cancellations or changes to the schedule of NKC events will be posted on the NKC website, placed in the *Growlers Gazette* and also posted on the NKC Facebook page.

To receive Facebook notifications, please “Like” our page!
<https://www.facebook.com/NebraskaKennelClub>



Welcome
TO NEW NKC MEMBERS
 ★Christine Brandt★
 ★Melody Falcone★
 ★Karen Tesarek★

GROWLER ADVERTISING RATES

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

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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.

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- ◆ 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

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Thank you to all of the members of the Nebraska Kennel Club and Platte Valley Kennel Club that supported our

May All Breed Dog Show, May 21 & 22, 2022,
at the Lancaster Event Center by entering, volunteering and visiting.

We had a wonderful show, happy judges and exhibitors and watched some of the top winning dogs in the country compete.

A special thanks to Nancy Draper who gave of her time and talent to manage this show. Nancy did a wonderful job and we are very thankful of her generosity as the show chair!

---Submitted by Sheryl Bradbury

Nebraska Kennel Club

100th Anniversary

The Nebraska Kennel Club will be celebrating 100 years of Purebred dogs in 2023. We have events in 2023 that we will mention our anniversary but the big celebration is the All Breed Dog Show in May 2023.

The NKC Celebrates 100 years of Purebred dogs and plans for the next 100 years of the Sport of dogs.

2023 is right around the corner and will be here before we know it.

We are busy compiling a list of committees and we need your help to plan for our 100th year!

100 Year Committees - all are tentative

Event Planning
Public Relations
Promotional Items
Logo
Banquet/Dinner
Conformation Show
Sponsorship

Events - Tracking, Scentwork, FastCat, Obedience, Rally, as well as other supporting events to celebrate the next 100 years of Dogs

Publicity/Social Media
Advertising/Graphic Design
Memory Presentation
Calling committee

2023 May All Breed Show Committees - All Committees are Tentative

Grooming- reserved and free
Vendors

Catalog Advertising
Raffle
Health Clinic
OPEN SHOW
Agility and other events
Specialties Liaison
Obedience/Rally
Grounds/RV
Event Planner
Advertising/Social Media
Marketing
Judges
Hospitality
Superintendent
Announcer
Trophy

Contact Sheryl Bradbury at Sherylbradbury@windstream.net, or 816-308-2424, if there is a special committee that you would like to be a part of.

---Submitted by Sheryl Bradbury

Save the Date!

MAY 19-21, 2023

**NEBRASKA KENNEL CLUB
CELEBRATES 100 YEARS OF PUREBRED DOGS**



All Breed Shows....Open Shows...Breed & Group Specialties
Junior Showmanship...NOHS...4-6 Month Beginner Puppy (BPUP)

More information to come so stay tuned!
This is one you won't want to miss!!

On the web at
nebraskakennelclub.com

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 [NebraskaKennelClub](https://www.facebook.com/NebraskaKennelClub)

**CELEBRATING THE LAST 100 YEARS AND
LOOKING FORWARD TO THE NEXT 100 YEARS.**

NKC Standing Committees

Obedience & Rally	Ron Weaks
Scent Work Chair	Sue Volkmer
Education	Dona Rosales
Growler Editor	Sharon Bourke
Training Director	Vacancy
Membership Applications	Stephanie Edson
NKC/AKC Legislative Liaison	Sandy Orr
Strategic Planning	Tim Bourke
Meeting Refreshments	Vacancy
Media Director	Vacancy
Event Planning	Vacancy
Fast CAT	Ron Weaks
Centennial	Ron Weaks
Social Events	Vacancy
Obedience	Vacancy
Ways & Means	Vacancy

2022 Calendar of Events



June 15	Membership Meeting
July 6	Board Meeting
July 15-17	Scent Work Trial
August 3	Board Meeting
August 17	Membership Meeting
September 7	Board Meeting
September 16-18	Fast Cat Tests
September 21	General Meeting
October 5	Board Meeting
October 19	General Meeting
November 2	Board Meeting
November 13	Tracking Test
November 16 (Subject to change)	Holiday Party
December 7	Board Meeting
December 10-11	Scent Work Trial

Note: List subject to change

--Sharon Bourke, Editor



*Join the June
General Meeting via
Zoom Video Conference*

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