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Special points of interest:

- Check building availability and make ring reservations using the "[Events Calendar](#)"
- Next Club Meeting August 23
- Next Board Meeting September 13
- Make ring reservations by calling Holly Waldrop at work 615-343-6161 or cell 615-243-3257 or email at rental@nashvilledog.org

The next session of classes begins the week of

August 23rd.

Most classes will be running on the same day and time as the previous session.

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Nashville Dog Training Club



FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear NDTC Member:

I want to encourage you to attend our August 23rd Club Meeting. The Board has asked Jo-Anne Bachorowski to investigate ways in which your club can better advocate dogs and dog training in the Nashville community. Jo-Anne will solicit your input and recruit volunteers. As an extra incentive, pizza and drinks will be served, beginning at 6:30 PM. This is the first in a series of programs the Board intends to present this fall.

Outreach into the community is just one of the commitments we have made. Another commitment is long-range planning of our events and for our future. The financial success of recent agility and obedience trials has made it possible to at least consider ideas that, until recently, seemed beyond us. The board has appointed Connie Womack to explore our facility needs and determine the considerations involved in acquiring our own building. Not to worry, we're not jumping over the cliff! In the interim, the board has approved a renewal of our current lease for up to six years and will soon be announcing a day (or two) of clean up and improvements for the fine facility we proudly call home.

In addition to the many regular meetings and training activities our facility will host in the next few months, the club has scheduled two different, but very important seminars. The first of these will be a weekend with Debby Quigley, November 6 & 7. Debby is an accomplished trainer and her workshop is intended to demonstrate training from novice to utility, maintaining drive, enthusiasm and attention, while "Building a 200". We'll also host an AKC Obedience and Rally Seminar on January 8 & 9, 2005. This seminar will be presented by AKC Field Representatives and meets one of the requirements for anyone who might want to be an obedience or rally judge. More importantly, it provides exhibitors an insight into scoring, handling errors, and exercises, from the judge's position. Details on both of these opportunities will be available at the club.

On the horizon is our January combined agility and obedience trial, Jan. 27-30, 2005. A big thank you to Connie Womack and Claudia Dickerson, respectively, for serving as chair for the Agility and obedience trials. This year's combine will also include rally, which becomes an AKC titling event beginning January 1, 2005. Thanks to Debbi Martin and Nola Simmons for teaching our newly added rally training classes.

And finally, we are pleased to announce that the club will host a tracking test on March 6, 2005, again on the beautiful grounds of The Hermitage. Another big thank you to Denise McClure for serving as Trial Chair and Secretary.

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In Memoriam

Rocky A. Franks CDX (2:3 UD) AX AXJ (1:3 NAP) (2:3 NJP)
 ASCA/ CD STDds CGC
 Called Rocky
 April 27, 1992– July 7, 2004
 Called over the Rainbow Bridge after succumbing to Hemangiosarcoma
 Loved by Cindy Franks

Kato's Jester VCD2 (TD CDX OA OAJ) AXP AJP (6:10 MJP) CGC
 Called Kato
 August 25, 1998 –August 6, 2004
 Called over the Rainbow Bridge after battling Malignant Histiocytosis
 Loved by Denise McClure

Yet another recipe....

Satin Balls

This recipe is for folks to use to put weight on a picky or recovering dog.

10 lbs hamburger meat (the cheapest kind, you want the fat)
 1 lg box of Total cereal (or comparable brand)
 1 lg box oatmeal
 1 jar of wheat germ
 1 1/4 cup veg oil
 1 1/4 cup unsulfured molasses
 10 raw eggs
 10 envelopes of unflavored gelatin
 Pinch of salt

Mix all ingredients (like you would a meatloaf), form the mixture into balls, about the size of tennis balls, freeze and thaw each as needed. Feed as much as they want, within reason. Yes, it is served raw.

Compliments of Anne Copeland



A good resource is the ASPCA's Animal Poison Control Center. The main page is:

[Www.asPCA.org/site/PageServer?pagename=apcc](http://www.asPCA.org/site/PageServer?pagename=apcc)

Instructors for week of Aug. 24 thru week of Oct. 12 for the following classes are:

Level 2 –Denise McClure
 Level 3-Pat Thorne
 Level 4-Perry Webb
 Open-Jean Ervin and John Butler

Also being offered are Puppy, Level 1, Utility, and Agility.

Check website for days and times.

www.nashvilledog.org

Send your brags to:
 Connie Womack at membership@nashvilledog.org

Include the following:

1. Your name
2. Dog's full name
3. Dog's call name
4. Your accomplishment
5. Location of event
6. Date that it happened

Club Member Brags

Chris Dungan's Rough Collie, Shouthland's Little Woman CGC HIC (Meg), got her CGC at the club in April and earned her HIC (herding instinct certification) at a clinic at Claudia Dickerson's farm on May 22.

Chris Dungan's Rough Collie, Apple Valley Winter Holiday HIC (Holly) also earned her HIC at the same clinic.

Beth Vorhaus' Lab, Oliver CDX, earned the first two legs of his CDX at Maury County and Birmingham and his last leg in Murfreesboro.

Bill and Sandra Edson's Standard Poodle, Sancrest Luckenbach CD AX AXJ CGC (Luke), Participated in his first USDAA trial at K9 Sports of TN on June 19th, earning a qualifying score and 1st place in Starter's Standard, a qualifying leg and 3rd place in Starter's Snooker and a 2nd place in Starter's Jumpers.

Cindy Franks Aussies were ranked in the ASCA rankings for 2003-2004, due to their great work in March in GA.

Callie placed #16 in Started Cattle.

Captain placed #13 in Started Cattle and #20 in Started Sheep.

Connie Womack's Irish Setter, Rowdy CD AX MXJ CGC, earned his CD title last month at the Greenville, SC cluster shows. He did not place in class, but still earned a respectable 194, 193.5, and 192 scores all in one weekend. What a surprise!

Claudia Dickerson reports that she received an AKC title in the mail she did not realize she had earned yet. Claudia's Belgian Sheepdog, Timex, completed her CDX title. Claudia was sure she needed one more leg. Don't look a gift horse in the mouth!

Looking for information about when the best time to spay your female dog? These websites may be of some interest:

<http://www.meijer.com/pet/dogs/spay.aspanimalforum.com/gwhyspay.htm>

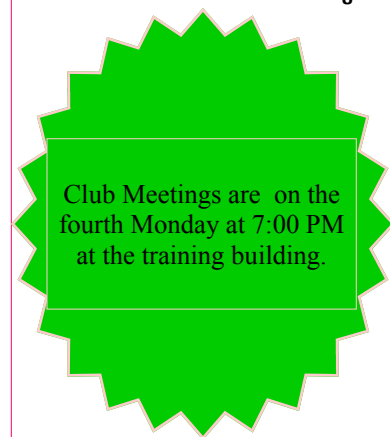
<http://www.paw-rescue.org/PAW/PETTIPS/DogTipSpayDay.php>

<http://www.irishdogs.ie?Information/vet/Reproduction%20-%20When%20to%20Spay.htm>

<http://vetmedicine.about.com/cd/dogdiseases/a/spaying.htm>

Have you forgotten?

Membership renewals were due July 1. If you have forgotten, please get your form in to Connie Womack so she can finalize the 2004-2005 membership directory.



New Members

Club Meeting Dates

August 23
September 27
October 25
November 22
December 11
(Xmas Party)

Editors Note

The Dixie Recall will be distributed by the 20th of each month, therefore any articles you wish to be considered must be received by the editor no later than the 10th .

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The Nashville Dog Training Club
is proud to present

DEBBY QUIGLEY

“BUILDING A 200”

**November 6 and 7, 2004
Nashville, Tennessee**

Join us for a weekend with Debby Quigley. Debby is active in obedience, herding, agility, retriever hunt tests, freestyle and tracking. and has over 17 years of dog training experience with Border Collies, Shelties, Siberian Huskies, and Golden Retrievers.

Debby’s accomplishments include four OTCHs; over fifty HITs and High Combineds, over twelve 200 scores; three placements at the AKC Invitational, 4th in Novice at the 1995 Gaines Central Regional, 1st in Novice at the 1998 Pupperoni Classic; #1 Border Collie in 1998, 2nd in Super Dog at the 1999 Pupperoni Regional; 1st in Utility at the Detroit World Series, and High Super at the 2000 Pupperoni Classic.

Debby, along with her associate, Judy Ramsey, mix up pieces of all of the exercises, demonstrating how these pieces blend together to achieve the perfect finished product. Debby's and Judy’s presentation will demonstrate how to train a new puppy from Novice through Utility and how to build drive, enthusiasm, and attention while maintaining accuracy and precision.

SEMINAR FEE: Working (both days): \$150
Observer (both days): \$75
Observer (one day): \$40

FOR MORE INFORMATION: go to www.nashvilledog.org or contact Holly Waldrop at vp@nashvilledog.org or 615-243-3257

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COMPLETE SECTION BELOW. PLEASE PRINT

Name: _____

Street: _____

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Home: _____ Work: _____ Email: _____

Please check the appropriate boxes: Working Observer (Circle one: Both Days - Only Sat - Only Sun)

Enclosed is: \$_____ Payable to: NDTC • Seminar details will be forwarded later.

The Combined 2005 Agility and Obedience Trial committee is looking for a member who would like to volunteer to handle the vendors for this year's trial. This would entail contact with interested vendors, assigning areas, recruiting donations for worker raffles from vendors and all necessary contacts with the Ag Center to ensure a happy and continuous relationship with our friends and our show site.

Please contact Connie Womack at cgwreddogs@aol.com or call at home, 794-7752.



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For all the names mentioned here, there are plenty more members deserving of our club's gratitude, because we are fortunate to have a great group of volunteers. Thanks to each of you. See you at the club!

David W. Haddock
President

The Dixie Recall

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