

Nashville Dog Training Club Newsletter



Special points of interest:

- Check building availability using the "[Events Calendar](#)"
- Make ring reservations by calling Bruce Oppenheimer 615-322-6232 or email at: rental@nashvilledog.org
- Next Club Meeting Sept 26th
- Next Board Meeting Oct 3rd



Hurricane Katrina Relief

The Board of the NDTC approved a \$1,000 donation to the Katrina relief efforts of the Nashville Humane Association. There are many outstanding efforts being made on the behalf of those suffering as a result of KATRINA. We encourage you to help in any way possible. Below is a summary of the efforts being made by our Nashville Humane Association.

Monetary Donations will help with expenses for our trip to Lafayette, Louisiana. The first team left early Thursday morning to help American Humane teams with rescue efforts. They will be administering physical exams, vaccinating, and giving any other treatment necessary to the animals. More teams will follow in the upcoming weeks.

For volunteer information, contact Maggie Odle, 354-6345. Please leave name and contact information and your call will be returned as soon as possible.

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Fall Agility Trial

The trial filled on Sat and Sun and has 564 entries for Friday. We have 6 vendors, so club members may want to come out and do some shopping for their 4 legged friends, however we are discouraging folks from bringing their own pets into the building. For those still wanting to volunteer, they need to contact June Johnston or Lynn James. Class instructors should encourage their students to come out and watch or contact June or Lynn about volunteering.

Lynn's email address is kennelmaid@comcast.net

June's email address is junej@esarch.com

Students can be bar setters, scribe sheet runners, leash runners or volunteer to help with lunch. Our greatest need for workers will be on Sunday afternoon and Friday.

Denise McClure

Hurricane Katrina Relief *continued from page 1*

NHA has an urgent need for:

Frontline for Dogs and Cats

K-9 Advantage

Revolution

Pet Shampoo

Heartworm Preventative

Heartguard, Interceptor

Towels and Blankets

Monetary Donations. Please send checks payable to:

Nashville Humane Association

c/o Katrina Relief Efforts

213 Ocoola Ave.

Nashville, TN 37209

Reminder About Membership Dues

Many of you have renewed, but, by the same token, many of you have not, including several long-time supporters. If you feel that your participation is not needed or appreciated, rest assured that the Board is taking measures to make better use of your talents and time this coming year.

In the interest of economy, we will be dropping non-renewals from the membership and email lists starting October 10th.



Mark your calendars!
The annual Christmas
Party will be at Denise
McClure's house on
December 10th



Please Volunteer to Teach
Classes! Contact Jean Ervin at
615-867-9047

Send your brags to:
Cynthia Yancey 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

GSP Club — Katrina Collection Report

From June Johnston:

2 weeks ago when the request went out from LSU for supplies, The German Shorthaired Pointer Club of Middle Tennessee started a drive to carry a load to them, but before the end of the week, the AKC had shipped 1,000 new crates and support south, HSUS had collected \$3.5M and moved in, and LSU had lots of cash coming in. In fact, it was HSUS that responded at the first of last week when I emailed trying to figure out who needed our supplies, with -- give your supplies to someone in Tennessee and send us cash. Since our club had told all the donors from the Maxwell list, NDTC, the Murfreesboro Training Club, the Weim Club, and Missy Neal's East Tennessee contacts that we were taking the supplies south, we were determined to take them south. We located a small animal support group in Baton Rouge and drove the 16 foot stock trailer there.

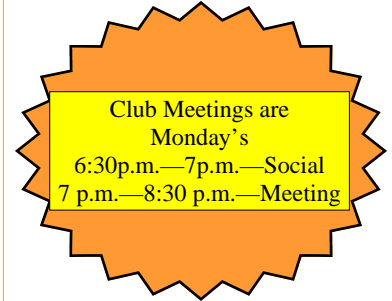
The rural and small groups are getting no supplies as all support is being collected by the more recognized names. There are small groups out there doing their part who are thrilled with any support.

Getting gas was no problem, but it is a very busy place with semis of supplies heavy on the roads, and not a hotel room to be had. Johnny drove until he had to stop and then he and Gary napped for a few hours in the truck before finishing the drive back to Tennessee.

If we can get another load (and now we know how much of the Sadlers' garage & carport are a load), they'll take it south again. If we can't get a full load, we'll deliver what we collect to the Metro Animal Control as hurricane victims with four legs will be heading there soon for adoptions and they are going to need our support too. Below is the email I got from Florence (Baton Rouge) this morning. Another group from Illinois arrived while Johnny and Gary were there with supplies and to pick up a rescue pointer. Johnny said animals and people were coming and going the whole time they were there. Florence was particularly thrilled with all the food.

If anyone has more supply donations they want to contribute contact June Johnston junej@esarch.com as Gary Sadler and Johnny are willing to make the drive south again.

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Member Meetings

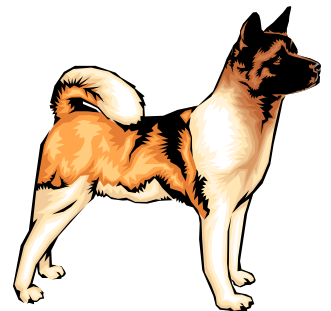
Sept 26
Oct 24
Nov 28
Dec 10

Board Meetings

Oct 3
Nov 7
Dec 5

Thanks for Teachers and Assistants

To thank those club members who have taught or assisted in training classes during the 2005 calendar year, NDTC is hosting a dinner on Wednesday evening, October 5. If you have taught or assisted this year and would like to attend the dinner, please sign up on the list at the Club, call Jean Erwin (867-9047), or email Beth Vorhaus at Vorhaus@aol.com.



Items that were delivered:

Johnny and Gary left this morning at 7:00 a.m. and I would expect them to be there by 4 or 5 p.m. this evening. Hopefully someone can be there to help them unload. They have over 60 crates (metal and plastic - probably half and half), over 800 lbs of dog and cat kibble and over 1000 cans of dog and cat food. There's one double dog carrier for the back of a truck that is filled with trash bags and paper towels.

They also have boxes and bags of bedding and towels, toys, probably 100 rolls of paper towels, plastic and metal buckets, boxes of bowls and water buckets, trash bags, baggies, boxes of iodine and bottles of betadine, baby wipes, spray bottles, sponges, cleaners, dog care products, shampoo, fans and heavy duty extension cords, a new wheel barrel and 4 new shovels, a rake and 2 brooms, pooper scoopers, probably over 50 lbs of dog biscuits and treats such as chew bones, e-collar, muzzles. There's at least 15 litter pans and over 400 lbs of cat litter. There are 18 boxes of heart wormers, a bird cage and 25 lbs of feed, a gerbil cage and 22 lbs of feed, and a box of horse "stuff." The big yellow Pedigree box is full of collars and leashes and there are several other large bags of collars and leashes. That's all I can remember at the moment.

From Florence in Baton Rouge:

Johnny and Gary did get here, I think around 5:00 P.M. The stuff they brought was just wonderful! I will be taking some of these supplies to a vet in Plaquemine Parish. As I talked to the Vet's wife and mentioned some of the things I could bring, she just kept saying, YES! I also just got some other good news. A vet who was rescuing pets from St. Bernard Parish has set up a shelter west of Baton Rouge. Now I know how to get in touch with him and I will be taking some very needed supplies to him. Tomorrow we are headed to a shelter in St. John's Parish, which is just west of N.O. My van is already loaded, and Diane and Emily will come over tomorrow and load theirs so we can make the trip together.

I cannot thank you enough for your generosity. The pets of Louisiana will have a much better chance at life because of it.

The Dixie Recall

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