## Puppy Puddles News

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## **Monthly Meeting**

November 20th, 2018

## **Benco Building**

Board Meeting — 6:30PM Club Meeting — 7:30PM

### Refreshments

Nov — Megan Hancock & Lori Espeland

Dec — No Meeting

Thank you to Bev and Patty for the wonderful refreshments at the previous meeting!

## **Important Dates**

• Dec 19th—Trophies due



### **Your Contributions**

Please feel free to e-mail your ideas, stories or pictures to me and I will try my best to incorporate them. Let's work together to make this a great newsletter!

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**Newsletter Editor:** 

Megan Hancock

### **Annual Dues Are Due**

It is that time of year again, and club membership dues are due by the end of 2018. The dues are \$15.00/person. Please send dues to:

Lynn Davey, Treasurer 47081 Linden Lane Kasota, MN 56050

Remember if your dues are not paid within a timely manner, your membership will cease and you will have to go through the whole membership application process again.

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## **Officers**

President —

Vice President — Pete Otterness

Secretary — Megan Hancock

Treasurer — Lynn Davey

Board Members: Patty Hooey, Lori Espeland, Melissa Lembke, Alexis Smith, Brian Carstensen

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## **AKC Title Plaques For 2018**

As is custom every year, award plaques will be given out to club member's dogs who earned an AKC title at our winter party.

If your dog qualifies, please fill out the attached form and return it to Bruce Davey by January 10th, 2019. The information may be emailed to Bruce at bdavey122@gmail.com, be sure to include all pertinent information.

Certificates of accomplishment will be given to those dogs earning working dog titles, Canine Good Citizens, NADAC or USDAA titles, or titles from other venues.

More information on the party to come.

## KCKC TITLES EARNED IN 2018 DEADLINE IS JANUARY 10, 2019 Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: Dog's Registered Name: Dog's Call Name: Breed: New Title(s): Special comments about this title, dog, Please send this form to: Bruce Davey at 47081 Linden Lane Kasota, MN 56050 or by email to: bdavey122@gmail.com

### **Good Cheer**

A few members are in need of some good cheer this month. Our hearts and thoughts are with Lori Espeland on the loss of her dog Miss-Ti as well as Ron and Kim Hansen on the loss of their dog Colt. Both will be greatly missed.

If any club member knows of anyone needing Good Cheer please contact Lori at any of the following:

Email: ratflatdogs@gmail.com Cell phone: 507-720-2187

## **Trophies For May Show**

It is time to start thinking about the trophies we sponsor for our May All-Breed Show, Obedience and Rally trials. You can find the form in last months newsletter, or you can e-mail Lori Espeland and she will get you one.

Please note that the deadline is December 19, 2018. Unfortunately, we cannot have any exceptions because of deadlines imposed by Onofrio for printing premium lists. If your trophy information and payment is not received by the deadline, your name will not be included in the premium list. If you have any questions, please contact Lori.

# AKC Outstanding Sportsmanship Award

We need your nominations for this year's AKC Outstanding Sportsmanship Award. This award is presented to an individual who deserves special recognition and has made a difference in the sport of purebred dogs, embodies the AKC Code of Sportsmanship and has been an active and valued member with Key City Kennel Club.

The 2018 recipient will be presented with the award at our annual party held in early 2019. We will vote by secret ballot at the November meeting.

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### **General Meeting Minutes**

#### **Opening:**

The general meeting of the Key City Kennel Club was called to order at 7:41pm on October 16th at the Benco building in Mankato MN by Pete Otterness.

#### **Approval of Minutes**

The minutes of the previous meeting were unanimously approved as distributed.

#### **Reports**

#### Vice President:

 Bruce and Pete did go to the fair board, we will need to have a temp camping permit this year. It will cost \$50. We are still waiting to hear what the rent for the grounds will be, we should be hearing back sometime in November.

#### Secretary:

#### Correspondence --

- The AKC invites us to vote on the lifetime achievement awards by November 2nd
- The AKC is encouraging people to become members of the PAC program. The board has decided not to donate as a club, but members may do so of their own accord.

#### Treasurer/Training:

- All expenses are normal
- Balance: \$59,639.14

#### **Training Report**

• Classes are going well this session

#### **Building Report**

- The board approved a new sign for above the training center door
- There is a lady that will come and certify people in AED and CPR if we would like to do this if there is any interest

#### **Business**

#### **Nominations**

- There were no nominations from the floor
- Patty has withdrawn from the race

#### **Good Sportsmanship Award**

 Nominations are needed for the good sportsmanship award. Those will be gathered in November

#### **Agility Trial**

- A meeting was held about our agility trail. We have lost our October date so we cannot switch back. A judge was found for our next agility trial.
- Lynn will chair the agility trial but will need help from the committee

#### All breed show

- Sharon is willing to chair the show.
- A motion was passed to dedicate the show to Jim Olson

#### **Shirts**

 Megan is going to mock up shirts using vinyl as a more cost effective option

#### **Adjournment:**

- A motion was made by Bruce to adjourn the meeting. It was seconded by Brian
- Meeting was adjourned at 8:24pm . The next general meeting will be at 7:30 on November 20th at the Benco building in Mankato MN.

## AGENDA: BOARD MEETING

- I. Approve minutes of previous meeting
- II. Report of Secretary
  - A. Correspondence
  - B. Applications for membership
- III. Reports of Committees
  - A. Treasurer
  - B. Training
  - C. Building Committee
- IV. Unfinished Business
- V. New Business
- VI. Recess meeting
- I. Adjourn meeting

### AGENDA: GENERAL MEETING

- I. Introduce Guests
- II. Approve minutes of previous meeting
- III. Report of the President
  - A. Board discussion and action
- IV. Report of the Secretary
  - A. Correspondence
  - B. Applications for membership
- V. Good Cheer Fund
- VI. Report of the Treasurer
- VII. Reports of Committees
  - A. AKC Delegate
  - B. Training
- VIII. Unfinished Business
- IX. New Business
- X. Adjourn Meeting

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