



WE TEACH YOU TO TEACH YOUR DOG

## Monthly Meeting

- Sept 15, 2015  
Training Center  
Board Meeting — 6:30PM  
Club Meeting — 7:30PM

## Refreshments

- Sept— Lori Espeland &  
Paul & Rita Heller  
Oct — Jim & Sharon Olson  
Nov — *Still Need Someone*

Thank you to Sue Erickson and Megan Hancock for the wonderful refreshments at the August Meeting!

## Important Dates

- Sept 2 — Cleaning of the TC begins—*see page 2*
- Sept 19 — RDO Day
- Sept 21 — Classes begin



## Dog Training



## RDO Day

Key City Kennel Club will be having a Responsible Dog Ownership (RDO) day at the training facility on September 19<sup>th</sup>, 2015. We will be having informational tables set-up, as well as holding a microchip clinic. Demonstrations will also be held that day. The schedule for the day has not been finalized, but as with all club events, we will need plenty of volunteers. People will be needed to sit at tables, run demonstrations and to help with set-up and take-down. If you would be willing to help out please contact Sharon Olson at her work number: (507-388-5238)

## Your Contributions

Thank you to all the people who sent in pictures and stories!! Please feel free to e-mail your ideas, stories or pictures to me and I will try my best to incorporate them. Lets work together to make this a great newsletter!

[puppypuddlesnews@gmail.com](mailto:puppypuddlesnews@gmail.com)

## Officers

President — Jim Olson  
Secretary — Megan Hancock

Vice President — Pete Otterness  
Treasurer — Lynn Davey

## Cleaning at the Training Center

This is information about the annual cleaning that needs to be done in the Training Center before our RDO day and the start of classes the week of Sept. 21st. Please mark your calendars now for days/times you can be available to help. We all realize this is a "not desirable" job that needs to be done so remember that if you can do just a little bit it's easier for everyone.

Tuesday, Sept. 8 9:30 til noon or we're done

Move/clean crates and get other stuff we're able to move off the training floor

Tuesday, Sept. 8 6/6:30 pm til done

Pull all tape from mats

Pull flag end mats down to other half

Remove plastic & clean floor

Wed. Sept. 9 is a drying day

Thurs. Sept 10 6/6:30 pm til done

Lay plastic on flag end

Pull mats back to approx correct place

Pull desk end mats over flag end mats

Remove plastic & clean floor

Monday, Sept. 14 6/6:30 pm til done

Lay plastic on desk end

Pull mats back

Start taping mats

Tuesday Sept. 14 6/6:30 pm til done

Finish taping mats

Move crates/equipment back onto the training floor

Do anything else needed to prepare for RDO day

## Photos for Website

Looking for photos for the website from the events you attend. If you have questions contact Dawn at email listed. You may submit them to Dawn Blaine via email: [showdoggie@gmail.com](mailto:showdoggie@gmail.com).

## Good Cheer

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

Email: [flapjack@hickorytech.net](mailto:flapjack@hickorytech.net)

Cell phone: 507- 327-5616

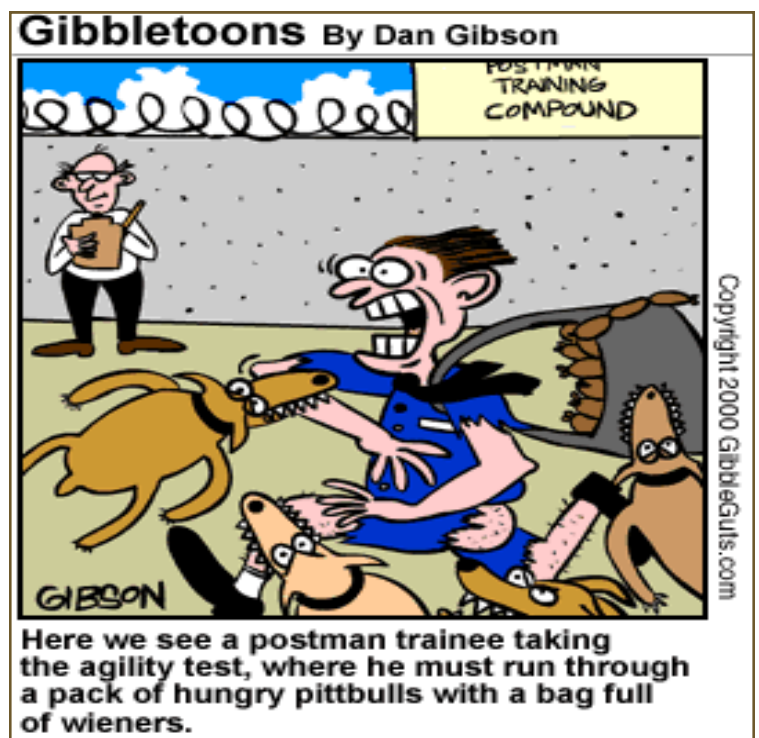
Home phone: 507-546-3629

Address: 53001 174th Lane Garden City, MN 56034

## 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. Please clip out the sign up sheet and along with your money or donation (such as a toy), send it to Lori Espeland at the address listed. Please note that the deadline is December 19, 2015.

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 at 507-720-2187 or [lespeland@frontiernet.net](mailto:lespeland@frontiernet.net)



## Agility Trial 2015 Wrap-up Report

Another year in the books and what a fun year it has been. We have so many wonderful club members that come out and help the Club put on an awesome Agility Trial every year. Was VERY different this year being in shorts and t-shirts instead of our standard hats, mittens, and gloves. We all had a wonderful time together and I believe all our competitors enjoyed themselves.

Thursday - ring set-up went smoothly and we were all dry this year.

Friday - looked like it was going to be VERY WET, but the Agility Gods smiled on Key City Kennel Club and the rain stopped by 9 am and stayed just to the south and east of the Fair Grounds ALL DAY. Was a little windy late in the day, but all in all a very successful day.

Saturday - was cloudy and cool all day, but not too cool. Just right for running dogs and not getting anyone to warm.

Sunday - was again cloudy and cool in the morning then the sun came out and was nice for the last hour. Wrapped up the last run around 12:30 pm.

The two rings one judge worked really well. Very smooth going from ring to ring. Exhibitors were able to run in one ring and then go walk their next course to be ready to run in the other ring. We had plenty of Volunteers to work the rings. There was a small increase in entries this year. Hopefully better next year. Received many good suggestions and will work on implementing some of them.

Thank you to my Trial Committee who helped me plan and execute another successful trial. Thank you to all the Key City Kennel Club members who came out and helped in the rings, in the secretaries building, in the kitchen, THANK YOU!! Our Trial would not be the same without all the teamwork of our Members. THANK YOU!!

**TROPHIES FOR 2016 KCKC SHOW**

ABSOLUTE DEADLINE IS DECEMBER 19, 2015

Please choose the day/days you would like to donate for: Saturday Sunday

**CONFORMATION:**

BREED OF DOG \_\_\_\_\_

Donation Group: \$20.00 \_\_\_ BOB \$10.00 \_\_\_ BOW \$10.00 \_\_\_ BOS \$10.00 \_\_\_ WD \$5.00 \_\_\_ WB \$5.00 \_\_\_

Donated By: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Donation: \_\_\_\_\_

**JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP:**

There are no specific amounts dedicated to these classes. Classes are as follows:

Novice Junior      Novice Intermediate      Novice Senior      Open Junior

Open Intermediate      Open Senior      Master Class      Best Jr Handler      Reserve Junior Handler

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Please choose the day/days you would like to donate for: Friday Saturday Sunday

**OBEDIENCE:**

OBEDIENCE and/or RALLY BREED PRIZES: \$10.00 (Specific Breeds, High Scoring)

Breed \_\_\_\_\_

For First in each Regular class: \$20.00

Novice A \_\_\_ Novice B \_\_\_ Open A \_\_\_ Open B \_\_\_ Utility A \_\_\_ Utility B \_\_\_

Donated By: \_\_\_\_\_

**RALLY:**

For First in each Regular class: \$20.00

Nov. A \_\_\_ Nov. B \_\_\_ Adv. A \_\_\_ Adv. B \_\_\_ Exc. A \_\_\_ Exc. B \_\_\_ High Combined \_\_\_

Donated By: \_\_\_\_\_

If you wish, please indicate which class/classes you would like to sponsor and how much you would like to donate.  
Please send this form along with your payment to:

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Truman, MN. 56088  
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