

Key City Kennel Club

PUPPY PUDDLES NEWS



No Monthly Meeting In December

Important Dates:

- January 6 — Classes begin at KCKC
- January 20th —KCKC Meeting
- January 31 — KCKC holiday party

Officers & Board 2015

President — Jim Olson

Vice President — Pete Otterness

Secretary — Megan Hancock

Treasurer — Lynn Davey

Board: Sue Erickson, Melissa Lembke, Lori Espeland, Patty Hooey, and Brian Carstensen

For Sale

- Dog Brick Interactive Game. New never been out of the box. \$12
- 1 pair medium Aussie boots. Slightly worn. Free

Contact Linda Ulman for details

Annual Dues Are Due

Club membership dues are due by the end of 2014. The dues are \$15.00/person. Please send dues to:

Lynn Davey, Treasurer
47081 Linden Lane
Kasota, MN 56050

RDO Day Report

Our second annual RDO day was held Saturday September 20th 2014 at our training center. The hours this year were from 9am-1pm.

Joey and Brad Heilman went out on Thursday to scrub down and generally clean the bay area with bleach. It works so well to have the bay area for this event. It gives us much more room and when the weather is nice we can open up the overhead doors, which we did. Joey came out with me on Friday to help with the set up.

I used \$625.91 of the \$900 budget. Eighty four dollars of that cost was used to rent tables for the event. I didn't think of RDO day when the trailer was loaded for the agility trial and of course, the tables were buried. Next year we won't load the trailer until after RDO day.

We did 19 chips and 10 toenails this year. This was not counting the toenails of two dogs that I did for free. This was even more than last year.

We again had demonstrations in agility, obedience and rally. This year we didn't advertise times for these demo's with the instructors just doing what they wanted. This seemed to work much better.

Megan Hancock not only jazzed up my RDO day flyer for me

but was our official photographer. This allowed me to focus on other things. We were very fortunate to have a reporter from the Free Press come to check us out. The article that Nate Gotlieb wrote gave the club some real nice publicity.

New this year was our pet costume competition for kids. Avery Lembke won the competition, along with a trophy, with Avery dressed for basketball and her dog Hunk dressed as a referee. He even had a whistle around his neck.

In addition to committee members Dawn Blaine, Melissa Lembke and Dave Johnson ; Gladys Berlin, Elaine Carstensen, Lynn Davey, Roxey Eaton , Sue Erickson, Lori Espeland and Megan Hancock all worked real hard to both coordinate and help the public to try the various demos. Other club members that helped us with demos, sat at informational tables and generally did whatever was needed were Brian Carstensen, Penny Helgerson, DeAnna Kuhl, Avery Lembke, Joey Heilman, Rita and Paul Heller, Lynne Hoimgren, Jim Olson, Pat Hooey, Mary Schroeder, Lee Schulz, Linda Ulman. It speaks volume that we had this many club members that supported this event. They all seemed to enjoy the day. It's a lot of work but an great deal of fun!

Respectfully submitted,
Sharon Olson
RDO day Chair