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# WICHITA KENNEL CLUB, INC. NEWS FOR THE DOG FANCIER

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## A Word from the President

**Treva Faires**

**Please take the time to volunteer at your Sunflower Cluster. We all have busy schedules in the next few days, but even a couple of hours can make a difference.**

**If you are a Wichita Kennel Club member, it is important to step forward and help.**

**If you have an area you want to volunteer in, let Kim Jennings (316-733-9344) or me (316-733-5855) know. We are only a telephone call away!**

**Our show is one of the highlights of the year, and we can't do it without our member volunteers.**

**Treva**



## ⌘⌘⌘ April 2010 Membership Meeting ⌘⌘⌘

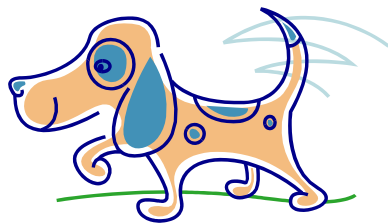
**Topic: Sunflower Cluster Wrap Up**

**Time: 7:30 PM**

**When: Monday, April 12, 2010**

**Where: Wichita Kennel Club, 3448 North Emporia**

**Join in the discussion of this year's Sunflower Cluster show—gossip, news, the good, the bad, and the ugly.**



## EYE CLINIC AT THE SUNFLOWER CLUSTER Sponsored by the Wichita Kennel Club



For members of the Sunflower Cluster Clubs only and only their dogs, the CERF eye clinic will be available Friday afternoon. Dr. Al Quinn (retired OSU) will be our examiner.

Please remember to bring information concerning your dog's AKC number, birth date, microchip, and/or tattoo number with you.

The eye clinic is located at the north end of Pavilion II (where the working and herding breeds and obedience are judged).

Cost: \$10.00 per dog

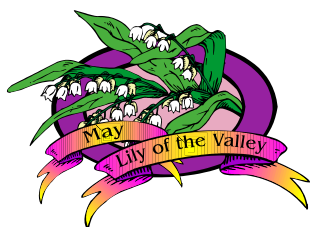
When: Friday, April 9

Time: 3:00 PM

### May General Meeting

**Monday  
May 10th  
7:30 PM**

**Speaker: Dr. Nawrocki  
Topic: Developmental  
Orthopedic Diseases  
Prevalent in Dogs**



### Heit Collie Nationals Brag



We are on our way home from our National Specialty in Pomona, CA. Our smooth puppy dog was Winners Dog and BOS to Best Bred By. Both of our specials were pulled for consideration for Best of Variety. Our bitch special that won the variety last year was BOS to BOV, and our young male special earned an Award of Merit.

Results are on [Colliesonline.com](http://Colliesonline.com), and this year the National Specialty could be viewed via live video across the Internet.

Two others placed in their class. It was a great national for us!

Dale and Roxann Heit  
Timeless Collies

### ◆◆◆ Member Volunteer Opportunity ◆◆◆

If you are able to inside or outside ring steward at least ½ day for Conformation Friday through Sunday, April 9-11, at the **Sunflower Cluster**, lunch is **FREE!**

The meals are provided for workers and judges at the Sunflower Cluster.

Interested?

Please contact Dane Jennings at 316-733-9344 or e-mail [hannakj@roseam.com](mailto:hannakj@roseam.com)

## Wichita Kennel Club General Meeting Minutes March 8, 2010

Meeting called to order by Vice President David Crump at 7:30 PM.

President Treva Faires, Treasurer Tom Chase, Recording Secretary Kim Jennings, and Corresponding Secretary Pat Deshler were absent.

No new or old business was discussed.

Meeting adjourned at 7:35 PM. Beth Erickson presented a program on invisible fencing.

David Crump  
Vice President



### Junior Members' Brags



Anik's Cool Jesse "Mighty" won Best of Breed over two specials at Garden City on March 13, 2010. Mighty was entered as an open dog and handled by Jessica Chavez. He is co-owned by Jessica with his breeders, Nick and Ann Wieland.

That's my Adorabull Renesme, bred by Jane Chavez, won Winner's Bitch on Saturday and Best of Winners on Sunday in the Bred by Class in Garden City. She then showed with Ashlee Goseland in Juniors for first on Saturday and second on Sunday. Not too bad for a ten month old puppy.

### Sunflower Cluster Kids Corner Information and *Volunteers NEEDED*

**If your Club has information about its activities and classes, please feel free to bring that info to the 'Kids Corner,' and we'll hand it out. We're selling catalogs, too!**

**ALSO: If you do rescue, for any breed, that info is much appreciated too. We get lots of people asking about various breeds and try to steer them to rescue as well as reputable breeders. I'd rather someone talked to someone and found out a \_\_\_\_\_ breed of dog wasn't for them before they get a pup and don't want it, as it gets up to 200 pounds, or needs exercise, or isn't good with kids, etc.**

**Kat Farres  
Kids Corner Coordinator Sunflower Cluster  
ozbelgzn@swbell.net**

### **Art Show at the Dog Show Volunteers Needed**

The Art show could use a few volunteers ....

We'll need a **few empty vans** for sculpture. We'll have the Parks Motors loaned van for the two dimensional works.

**PLEASE let us know if you are providing a van!!!!**

On Wednesday, April 7, at 4 PM we'll start to take the work down at Century II, load it, and go on the City Arts to complete the loading. That means we need a few interested folks to help us get the cardboards down from storage, and get the tags down and the work off the walls. A few people at 3 PM would be wonderful! The more volunteers the better!

If you volunteer a van, we'll ask that you keep the art in your van overnight and bring it to the Coliseum Thursday morning at approximately 9:00 AM. Hopefully the guys who build the Art Show Structure will have it mostly up when we get there.

If you can help or have questions, please call or e-mail Pat Deshler – Phone 744-0057 or 393-0056 or email [wichitapudel@aol.com](mailto:wichitapudel@aol.com)

### **AKC and CHF Breeders' Symposium to be Held in Iowa**

The American Kennel Club and The Canine Health Foundation will be presenting a Canine Breeders' Symposium hosted by Iowa State University – College of Veterinary Medicine in Ames, Iowa on June 5th and 6th. The symposium is open to all breeders, experienced and novice, plus anyone with a true dedication to dogs. This program will include topics relevant to a modern and responsible approach to canine breeding and medicine. The symposium will offer dog breeders a forum to meet, learn and share ideas, concerns and expertise. This special two-day program will consist of talks by Canine Structure and Health authorities, with the second day devoted exclusively to Canine Reproduction. We will have presentations by some of the foremost experts in their fields, speaking on subjects of great interest for all breeders.

The cost of general admission is \$100 for Day 1 only; \$75 for Day 2 only; \$150 for both days; and \$275 for those wanting Continuing Education Credits. The course has been submitted (but not yet approved) for 10 hours of continuing educational credits. The cost includes conference materials, as well as breakfast and lunch.

***The American Kennel Club Registered Handlers Program In Conjunction with the Wichita Kennel Club, Inc. & Purina® is pleased to present:***

***“An Afternoon with the Professionals”***

**Handling Clinic for ALL Exhibitors with a special invitation to New/Novice Exhibitors**

**When: Saturday, April 10, 2010**

**Moderated by AKC Registered Handler Program Coordinators, Assisted by AKC Registered Handlers.**

**ALL exhibitors are invited to attend this Clinic free of charge. This is an opportunity for newer exhibitors with dogs to receive individual handling instruction & ring tips from AKC Registered Handlers & Coordinators.**

**Location & time to be posted at the Superintendent's Desk.**

**PUPPIES, PUPPIES, AND MORE PUPPIES  
WICHITA KENNEL CLUB, INC.  
SANCTIONED B MATCH  
Friday, April 9, 2010**

MATCH TIME 1/2 Hour After Best in Show  
ENTRY FEES \$ 8.00 Pre-Entry, \$10.00 On Site  
PRE-ENTRIES CLOSE Monday, April 5, 2010  
ON-SITE ENTRIES 12:00 pm to 4:00 pm  
CONFORMATION CLASSES 3-6 mos, 6-9 mos, 9-12 mos  
Open, Misc, FSS, Junior Showmanship

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO Wichita Kennel Club, Inc.  
SEND PRE-ENTRIES TO Arleen Berry  
8310 Brookhollow  
Wichita, KS 67206-2308  
INFORMATION Arleen Berry or Cathy Robinson  
(316) 686-8558 or [shilohkennel@yahoo.com](mailto:shilohkennel@yahoo.com)

**NOTE: JUDGES WILL JUDGE ALL BREEDS WITHIN A GROUP, THEN THAT GROUP.  
RIBBONS FOR BIM ADULT, BIM PUPPY AND TOP JUNIOR HANDLER ONLY.**

**PRE-ENTRY**

BREED \_\_\_\_\_ CLASS \_\_\_\_\_ SEX \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_ REG # \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF DOG \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF OWNER \_\_\_\_\_

OWNER'S ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_



## Wichita Kennel Club Officers and Board

Treva Faires,  
President

David Crump, Vice  
President

Tom Chase,  
Treasurer

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Recording Secretary

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Secretary

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AKC Delegate

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We're on the Web!

See us at:

[www.wichitakennelclub.com](http://www.wichitakennelclub.com)

**Reminder:** We have a "personalized ring" on our phone at the WKC building. So if you are at the building and **THE PHONE RINGS TWO SHORT RINGS**, feel free to answer it. The number is: **832-2363**

## Good for Your Dog Good for Your Breed.

The benefits of feeding Purina brand dog foods go beyond great food and nutrition. Now, by simply clipping the weight circles on Purina bags you can support the valuable programs and research projects of the AKC Canine Health Foundation and the annual Art Show at the Dog Show.

You can participate in this valuable program by collecting weight circles and sending them to:

Treva Faires  
244 Fairway Circle  
Andover, KS 67002  
Phone 316/733-5855

Your weight circles will support the AKC Canine Health Foundation and the Art Show at the Dog Show. That means funding for the health of Dogs and supporting the Sunflower Cluster's project, the 24th annual Art Show at the Dog Show.



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