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WICHITA KENNEL CLUB, INC. NEWS FOR THE DOG FANCIER

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A Word from the Sunflower Cluster Coordinator

Treva Faires

I sincerely want to thank all our members who so graciously gave of their time and worked at our Sunflower Cluster Dog Shows! It takes a team effort to put on a four-day dog show. I appreciate all those who supported our show in any way! Kudos to all!

We are already busy planning for 2023! We hope to bring in more events that will build our Cluster.

If you are available there will be a Zoom Cluster meeting on July 24, 2022. Everyone is invited to attend and participate! It will start promptly at 6:30 PM. More information on the call will be sent out to the membership. I hope to see you there!

Treva



GCHB CH RYDN HI'S
TEMPLETON IT'S TIME
winning Toy Group 1 on
Friday, June 10, at the
Sunflower Cluster

July 2022 Membership Meeting

Presenter: Kim Matzen-Kutilek

Topic: Protection Sports – What they are and what they are not

Time: 7:00 PM

When: Monday, July 11, 2022

Where: Wichita Kennel Club, 3448 North Emporia, Wichita

Wichita Kennel Club General Meeting Minutes

June 13, 2022

Present tonight were 9 members and 2 guests. The guests were Patricia Swearingen and Lee Ann Adkins who have applied to join our club.

Jackie Storrer, President, had a weak voice and asked Mike Williams to chair the meeting.

A motion was made by Stephanie Sexton and seconded by Patricia Holmes to accept last month's meeting minutes as published. The motion passed unanimously.

Mike Williams, Corresponding Secretary – Mike said he had received an arena layout for the Meet the Breeds layout at the Horse Arena at the State Fair Grounds from Becky Ensz.

Mike Williams, Recording Secretary – Nothing to report at this time.

Tom Chase, Treasurer – Tom said there was only insignificant change in the treasurer report since our last monthly general meeting. Tom said we have two prospective members to vote on at next month's general meeting, Lee Ann Adkins and Patricia Swearingen.

Committee Reports:

Show Report:

Tom Chase, WKC Treasurer - Tom said he has not had a chance yet to put together the Wichita Kennel Club Sunflower Cluster of Dog Shows profit/loss statement. Tom said our check from Jack Onofrio Dog Shows was approximately \$600 more than last year. He said that was good considering our show this year was on one of the slower days, Sunday. He said we took in approximately \$4,200 in reserve crating fees this year.

Tom said we made \$829 on our Raffle, and the Eye Clinic brought in \$1,120. At \$40 per dog that would be 28 dogs that got their eyes checked. The eye clinic doctor donated back to our kennel club \$300.

Pat Swearingen, Cluster Pee Wee Chairperson – Pat said the Pee Wee event was successful. We had 20 participants. For next year Pat does not want any online entries and will make her own arm bands, as the participants might want to keep their arm bands for their scrap books. Pat has 16 of the painted picture plaques left but will design something different for 2023. She could still use these 2022 plaques again in the future. Pat sent AKC a full report on our Pee Wee event and sent pictures and video as well.

Stephanie Sexton reported that the Walmart gift cards were difficult to use. Tom said he did not like the cards and is proposing for next year that we give out cash. All in attendance liked the idea of cash trophies.

Leanne Chase, Open Show Chairperson – Leanne reported that our Open show was a successful event and that she would like to see us do it again next year. We had approximately 20 dogs show in the open show. Leanne thanked Garry and Karen Clausing for judging the open shows. Leanne and Sandy Ebarb sponsored the Best in Open Show trophies.

Leanne said we made \$400 on Cluster Catalog sales. We sold the catalogs for \$5. They were cheap enough all could afford them, and the \$5.00 price made giving out change easier. Mike Williams reported there was a box of 42 left over, and that the other two kennel clubs took 8 to 10 catalogs for their clubs to steward train with. WKC took home 12 to train with. The rest were tossed.

June WKC Meeting Minutes Continued

Leanne said she was pleased that the Hutchinson club stepped up and cleaned the rings each evening and morning and kept the trash carried away from the buildings. They really did a nice job on setup, during the show, and tear down.

Leanne Chase, Cluster Treasurer – Leanne recommended that we either purchase a First Aid Kit or find the one in the trailer and update it. We need a first aid kit for scrapes and cuts.

Pretty much everyone in attendance tonight thought we had an excellent show that ran smoothly. There were not any serious problems. There were many nice compliments from exhibitors about our show site and our workers, and Treva Faires, Cluster Coordinator, reports that she has received several nice handwritten notes from our judges complimenting us on our show venue and our workers. Our AKC rep was pleased as well as was our show superintendent.

Mike Williams asked if there was any unfinished business to come before the general meeting. There being no unfinished business or new business Mike Williams asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting. Leanne Chase moved and Stephanie Sexton seconded to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,
Mike Williams
Recording Secretary

TOTAL DOG DAY @ THE KANSAS STATE FAIR

There is going to be a zoom meeting to cover the Kansas State Fair Total Dog Day (Meet the Breeds for us in WKC) Tuesday, July 12, night at 7:00 PM. It would be a good opportunity to ask questions and find out about Meet the Breeds. This event is to be held at the Horse Arena at the Fair Grounds on Wednesday, Sept. 14, 2022.

WKC, SKC & HKC will all be helping to introduce Scent Work at the Hutchinson State Fair on Wednesday, September 14!

Becky Ensz has submitted a schedule for publication to the State Fair, and we will have a scent work table in the Expo area with information on scent work and on each club along with Meet the Breeds, Agility demos, FAST demos, a groomer, and other activities.

Charlotte Norris would like a list of people that would be willing to come and put themselves and their dogs on the line to demonstrate scent work at different levels to the public! There are slots to fill from morning until 5:00 PM, and we would like to be able to demonstrate runs from Novice up through Detective level skills! SKC & HKC will also have some demo dogs there.

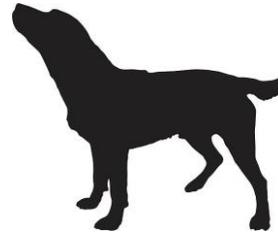
REMEMBER THAT THIS IS A DEMONSTRATION OF SW ABILITY TO THE PUBLIC! If your dog is nervous about noise, crowds, or other dogs, please do not over-face yourself or your dog - you don't want to fix either your dog's confidence or your own!

If you are interested, please contact Charlotte Norris and let her know what level you would like to demo, if you have a particular element you would like to demo (or an element you would prefer NOT to demo), and if your dog has a problem with heat. We are under cover and have outlets for fans, but this is mid-September in Kansas, so it could be pretty toasty!

Contact Charlotte Norris at 316-775-7878 or email charlotte.norrisnot64@gmail.com

Save the Date!

**GOING SNIFFIN'!
In Wichita, Kansas
November 11-13, 2022**



**Join the Wichita Kennel Club at S & P Sports Complex,
3601 N. St. Francis, Wichita**

All Elements, All Classes, Including Detective!

Fantastic Judges:

**Ellen Heavner – Dallas, TX
Jonette Ulch – Belle Plaine, IA**

**Deanna Butler – Huntsville, AR
Khara Schuetzner – Shawnee, OK**

Inside Crating in Heated Building

🏆🏆🏆 WKC Member's Brag 🏆🏆🏆

From Pam Gates: Rydn Hi's 2022 Silky Terrier Specialty results: Templeton won the prestigious TOP 20 event. He also garnered an Award of Merit in the National Specialty. His agility runs were great, but he popped out of the weaves.

Sugar finished her Rally Intermediate title and received the obedience High in Trial award. She also Q'd 3/4 times in Scent Work.

Milly passed her CGC test. She also Q'd 3/4 times in Scent Work earning 1st - 3rd placements. She was an agility Rock Star.

Ivory won the agility JWW High in Trial! Alyssa's daughter, Addy, also won her first BEST Junior award with Ivory at the end of the lead.

Templeton's puppy girls were fabulous - showed great and won their class several times! Leanne's River went on to win Best Puppy in Show on Saturday and Q'd 4/4 times in Novice Scent Work at her very first trial. What great owners!



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If members have any brags for the newsletter, please send them to Leanne at blackmagicbrt@aol.com

🏆🏆🏆 **WKC Member's Brag** 🏆🏆🏆

From Charlotte Norris: Brags from the OKC Summer Canine Olympics-- Tyche finished her Rat Open (RATO) and got her first 2 legs of Senior (RATS) with one High in Class (same as HIT) and one second place! She also got her BCat title.

Indy smoked his SW Master Interior trial on Sunday and did a beautiful job on HD on Saturday. IN FAST, he completed his DCat title. He still doesn't much bother with the lure, but averages over 28 mph just running to me. Indy also pulled a triple Rally run on Saturday, completed his RAE title (we quit after RM), and in Barn Hunt he finished his RATCHX and his Platinum Crazy8, with a 100 point run! He was Reserve Grand Champion twice and won the Judge's Choice award!



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Kim Matzen-Kutilek

A highly successful professional trainer for dogs with dangerous aggression issues!

She has trained everything from pet dogs to service dogs. She also raises French Bulldogs and trains Protection Sport Dogs.

Kim will be speaking to us about
Protection Sports!

What they are and what they are not!

Location: WKC

Date: July 11th

Time: 7pm

Snacks and Drink Provided