



Upcoming Events

February 2012

New Classes & Events for February

- 02/09 -- Board Meeting, 7:00 PM
- 02/11 -- Puppy K & 1, 9:30 AM, Satur
- 02/12 -- Show-n-Go, 4:00 p.m.**
- 02/14 -- Clicker Foundations, 6:15 & 7:30 PM, Rogers
- 02/16 -- General Meeting 7:30 PM
- 02/18 -- Freestyle Guild meets 10 AM, Nabors
- 02/19 -- Show and Go, 4:00 PM
- 02/24 -- Puppy K & 1, 6:30 PM, Whalen
- 02/27 -- *Rally - New Rules & Signs, All Levels 7:00 PM, Whalen
- 02/28 -- CGC Test, 7:30 PM, \$10
- 02/29 -- STAR Puppy, 6:30 PM, Whalen

*This Rally class is for students that are competing and will cover all the new 2012 rules and signs. A Rally Intro for Beginners will be taught in a couple of months. Colleen Whalen

Weekly Classes for February

Mondays

- 7:00 Pet Therapy, Ennis
- 7:00 Basic Obedience PLUS, Gard & Mallory

Tuesdays

- 6:45 Practical Clicker Skills, Mallory
- 7:00 Basic Obedience/CGC, Billinge & Carstens
- 8:00 Advanced Obedience, Carstens
- 8:00 Agility, Cohen

Wednesdays

- 6:30 Puppy K & 1, Whalen
- 6:30 Novic/Beginner Novice, Gard
- 6:15 Clicker Foundations, Rogers
- 7:30 Conformation, Mello
- 7:30 Clicker Foundations, Rogers
- 7:45 Open FUNdamentals, Gard

Thursdays

- 6:15 Focus & Control, Lowry**
- 7:00 Freestyle (1 class per mth), Nabors

Fridays

- 6:30 Puppy K & 1, Satur

SaturdayMornings

- 9:30 Puppy K & 1, Satur
- 10:00 Freestyle Group, 3rd week only
- 10:30 Puppy K & 1, Whalen
- 11:45 Puppy K & 1, Whalen

Meetings

Board Meeting – February 9, 2012, 7:00

General Meeting – February 16, 2012, 7:30

There will be no training allowed on the grounds during the General Meeting.

From the Editor

A huge apology for the state of the Tails this month. My computer crashed after 10 years of faithful service and I'm putting the bare bones of club news together on my work computer.

Please re-send your brags and later I will have Connie send out a request for all members with email to send me an email so I can re-build my address book.

Thank you for your patience! - Ginny

FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK.... The April trials are fast approaching and it's time to think about where you can help out. Any suggestions as to food and concessions? We always need stewards (see Ken Stevens), or how about helping put things away on Sunday afternoon? If you are showing that weekend, how about stopping in the clubhouse and grabbing a bag of trash and throw in the dumpster on your way out? Every little bit helps make the event run smoothly. The trial committee begins work on the trials often months in advance, work from start to finish all weekend, and often, still get left with a lot of the clean-up. Just a small amount of your time is needed to make these trials a success. A list will be posted showing the odd chores that need to be done. Which one will you choose? Our trials have gained a great reputation for our facilities, and especially our hospitality to our guests.

The clubhouse is usually running low on paper towels and toilet paper, so keep us in mind if you see a good sale on these paper goods. Drinks are always appreciated as well.

The gate lock will soon be changed. I've attached another key request form. Please remember to include a Self Addressed Stamped envelope with payment and completed signed form. There should be a form attached with newsletter. Keys are limited to those members reaching full membership status.

This month's meeting is our Birthday and Awards meeting. Please come and congratulate your fellow members on their accomplishments this year. If you are receiving an award this year, please be sure and attend the meeting to pick up your award. I often receive complaints that rewards were not received, only to find out that they were never picked up and are still at the clubhouse.

Hope to see everyone on the 16th! -Laurie

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(Yes, this is the K-9 Newsletter!)