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### From the President's Desk

Our August general meeting included a demo presentation by Alanna Lowry. She showed how to incorporate tricks into learning the obedience exercises. It was a fun program for us, and terrific fun for her little dog, who got treats & who had no stage fright! Then, Anita Gard presented the AKC awards for trick titles earned by our members. Thanks to Alanna & Anita for showing us how we can do more with tricks and provide our dogs with fun learning tools.

Our September 21st meeting includes a covered dish dinner-always a favorite. We start at 7:30 and, after a brief meeting, we'll share our favorite dishes while we learn about the new additions in Rally. Tom Wiley will show us the new signs & explain the new titles that AKC will begin at trials on November 1st.

We have added many new classes in September: 3 STAR PUPPY classes, Performance Foundations, Rally (in progress but drop ins OK), Agility, Nosework & Utility. Our website gives us details about the classes & instructors.

Diane

### Meetings

Board Meeting –  
Sept. 14, 7:00

General Meeting –  
Sept. 21, 7:30

**COVERED DISH DINNER!**

**LEARN MORE ABOUT RALY**



No training will be allowed on the grounds during the General Meeting

### New Members



**Please Welcome our new Provisional Member:**

Jenny Finland

**And Welcome Back:**

Beth Berry

## Meet Our New K-9 Member and Agility Instructor: Jenny Finland

"I moved here from Illinois. I mostly compete in AKC and ASCA. I was just getting into UKI when I moved. I have competed at EO tryouts but unfortunately my dog was injured the first run and ended up having to retire. I'm hoping in a year or two my young dog will be ready to try out. I'm a nerd and love to keep learning. I try to go to as many camps and seminars as possible to continue learning. As you know everything is constantly changing so it's good to continue learning from new people.

I have been teaching for 3-4 years now. I've taught everything from puppy to masters level classes and everything in between. I have also taught students from basics to competing level. I was putting on seminars to local clubs before I moved. "

### Upcoming Events

#### September

- 09/14 Board Meeting – 7:00 pm
- 09/17 Show & Go! – 9:00 am
- 09/21 General Meeting – 7:30 pm

#### October

- 10/07 Therapy Animal Expo – Offsite
- 10/08 Rally Seminar – 10 am – 3 pm
- 10/08 CCI Service Puppy – 2:00 pm
- 10/12 Trial Set Up – 6:00 pm
- 10/12 Board Meeting – 7:00 pm
- 10/13 OC Match for Obed Competitors – 5:00 pm
- 10/14 AKC Rally and Obedience Trials @ K-9
- 10/15 AKC Rally and Obedience Trials @ K-9
- 10/19 General Meeting – 7:30 pm

#### November

- 11/05 – CCI Service Puppy – 2:00 pm
- 11/09 – Board Meeting – 7:00 pm
- 11/11 – NACSW Nose Work Trial @ Marco Ophthalmic
- 11/12 – NACSW Nose Work Trial @ Marco Ophthalmic
- 11/16 – Irish Setter Club – 8:00 am – 5:00 pm
- 11/17 – General Meeting – 7:30 pm

### New Classes Starting!

- 9/05 Performance Foundations, Shepherd
- 9/06 Novice Class Exercises Class , Cohen, 8 pm
- 9/07 STAR Puppy, Whalen, 9:30 am (Full)
- 9/09 STAR Puppy, Ladendorff, 10 am (Full)
- 9/14 Rally Novice/Intermediate, Wiley, 6:00 pm
- 9/14 Rally Advance/Excellent, Wiley, 7:30 pm

Visit the website for more information on these upcoming classes.

For **Novice Class Exercises** , Contact Diane at 463-2440

For **Rally** classes contact Tom Wiley,  
[tlwiley@bellsouth.net](mailto:tlwiley@bellsouth.net)

For **Performance Foundations**, contact Shannon Shepherd [shannonshepherd@me.com](mailto:shannonshepherd@me.com)

## Show & Go!

Next Show & Go will be Sunday, September 17 at 9 am. Obedience and Rally will be available. Set-up will be at 8:30 am. Volunteers will get a free run-through. Cost for others is \$7 for one obedience or two rally runs. This is a great way to tune up for fall shows!

## RALLY SEMINAR AT K9 ON OCTOBER 8<sup>TH</sup>

On Sunday, October 8th from 10 am-3 pm, K-9 Obedience will sponsor a Rally seminar by Deb Neufeld. Deb is an AKC Obedience and Rally judge who will provide a program explaining the teamwork between the dog and handler in the Rally ring.

There are now 5 levels of Rally competition: Rally Novice, Rally Intermediate, Rally Advanced, Rally Excellent and Rally Masters.

Come learn the differences in these classes, see the new signs and learn about the new titles.

We are delighted Deb could fit us into her schedule before institution of the new Rally signs and titles. We have 15 working spots for \$25 each (include your jump height) and unlimited audit spots at \$20 each. There is a form on the [Events and Activities](#) page of our website to help you include pertinent information.

Please send the completed form and your check payable to K-9 Obedience Club to: Diane Cohen, 2828 Wood Valley Ct., Jacksonville, FL 32217.

We will provide sandwiches and chips for lunch.

## September Heroes

Kudos to those who helped us with our show & go: Tom, Ginny, John, Terri, Beth, and Betsy. Ann & Art took a day off to help make our garden look beautiful.

Here are the instructors who prepare for classes, teach the students, and stay afterwards to give more help: Marnie, Marcia, Anita, Shannon, Alanna, Colleen, Jenny and Tom.

Thank these people when you see them. If you don't know them, you need to be in a class!

## AKC Obedience & Rally Trials October 14 & 15, 2017

K-9's Fall Obedience and Rally Trial will be held on the weekend of October 14 and 15 at the K9 facility on Powers Avenue, **not in Daytona**.

Two obedience trials and two rally trials will be held on Saturday, and two rally trials and one obedience trial on Sunday. An obedience "C" Match will also be held Friday afternoon. Please see the Premium for details.

As always, we are in need of ring and table stewards for both Saturday and Sunday. If you are showing, please help out for a couple of hours if you can. If you aren't showing this time, please consider volunteering some time to our club. Spouses and significant others are welcome to join us as well!

Lunch, snacks and beverages will be provided, and don't forget about our great workers-only drawing! **This is also a great opportunity for all our provisional members to see first hand how trials are run and to get your cards signed toward full membership!**

Please email Tom Wiley at [twiley@bellsouth.net](mailto:twiley@bellsouth.net) with your availability and assignment preference so we can begin making a schedule and place you where you want to be.

Thanks so much!

## OFFICIAL NACSW™ K9 NOSE WORK® Trial November 11 & 12, 2017

K9 has been approved to host a NW2 trial on 11/11 and an Element Specialty Trial Level 2 Containers and Level 2 interiors on 11/12. The trial will be held at Marco Ophthalmic in Jacksonville, FL.

The premium is available on the NACSW Trial Premium page <http://www.k9obedienceclub.org/nacsw-trial-premium.html>

Trial entry will open on Monday, Sept. 18 at 12:00 PM Eastern Time

**Visit the NACSW Trial Premium page and sign up to volunteer!**



## ***Congratulations!***

### **Elaine Nabors and Lycan (Belgian Tervuren)**

K9 Obedience Club of Jacksonville (July)

Canine Good Citizen Award

TKN – *NEW TITLE!!*

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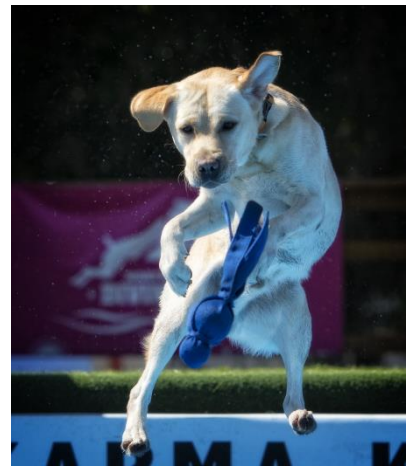
### **Jennifer Gorman with Bogie**

Karma K9 Summer Blowout Jacksonville

PB of 18.3

Earned Dock Senior Advanced, DSA

Receive invite to Nationals in Dock Diving / Open



### **Jennifer Gorman and Bogie**

Karma K9 Summer Blast Off, Jacksonville August 2017:

Earned Air Retrieve Junior title and a PR.

Came in first; Air Retrieve Junior division earning him an invite to Nationals.

**Send your Brags and pictures to Melissa Hess**

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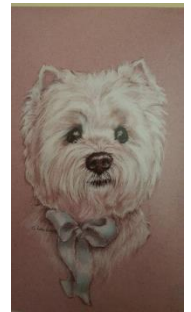
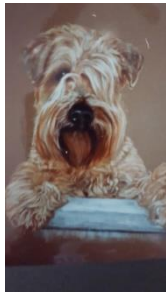
## Personal Notes

**Our condolences go out to Alison and Dennis Nelson on the loss of their yellow labrador, Emmy Lou on August 23rd.** From Alison : "Renloz'Santa Fe Emmy Lou RAE, CDX, GO is the first dog I trained for competition and I just want the members to know-I am so lucky to have found K-9 and thank all the great instructors and training friends that coached me with Emmy. It was a blast!"



Sending positive thoughts to Marnie White, Irma Schwartz, Gary Childers, Greg Sickinger (Lynn's husband) as they recover from surgeries.

Artist Carol Ann Lanzarotta creates amazing personalized pet portraits that truly capture the personality of her subject. She specializes in dog portraits and is now offering K-9 Obedience Club members a 10% discount. Prices depend on the medium (pastels, colored pencils, etc.) and portrait size requested. Please send inquiries to: [carolannie101.aol.com](mailto:carolannie101.aol.com) and be sure to visit her shop on the Etsy website called carolannieArt to see more examples of her artwork.



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