

# BARKS

## UPCOMING EVENTS

No Training All July  
No Early Training in August  
4 - Independence Day  
25-29 - DuPage County Fair



Crockett is a Therapy Dog Volunteer at Ronald McDonald House

## PRESIDENT'S REPORT by Jim Clarke

When I was a kid and someone, whom I thought was old but was probably only 50, would say that "Life sure does fly by!" I had no clue what they were talking about. Well, now I do. We are already in the month of July and in the midst of our well deserved July break.

**Thank You and Congratulations to Donna Darland** on another job well done at our June Agility Trial. **Also, Thank you to Donna Eichman, Peggy Covey, and Bette McMillan** for helping Donna and diligently putting in time and effort over the entire June 2 & 3 weekend to insure the trial's success. Your dedication and support to GABOC is always appreciated.

**Welcome new Vice President, Liz Hixon.** At the General Meeting held on June 22, Liz was nominated by the Board, and elected by the general membership, to fill the remainder of Donna Darland's term as Vice President.



**We are sad because our good friend, Dick Schaefer,** has decided to retire as instructor of the 6:00 Novice II class. Dick is best known for telling his students, "If I were the judge I'd take off two points for that crooked sit!" Not only has Dick been instructing our Novice II class for several years; but, he has also played a key role at Monday Early Training by opening the building, giving treats to all the dogs, and assisting anyone asking for help. Even though Dick is retiring from Monday-night instructing, he says he will continue to help with Early Training. **Dick, Thank You so much!** Dick will be replaced by **Sheila Gardner.** Sheila is familiar to many. She has substituted for, and assisted, Peggy Covey in the Pre-Open Class; and, Sheila also instructs the Conformation Class. **Sheila Gardner and Bette McMillan** will make an outstanding team in the Novice II Class.

Good times and good food were once again experienced at the **June Picnic.** **Thank You so much Candy Ellis and Laura Plasketes** for all your planning. You volunteer every year; and, every year the picnic is perfect. Also, what would a picnic be without chefs? **Thank You so much "chefs" James and Debra Wendt.** You two really know your way around a grill!

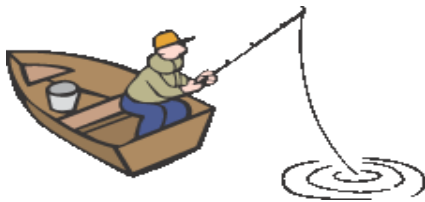
I am very proud to announce the "**new stuff**" that will be happening when we return in **August.** **Thanks to the efforts of Cheri Nicholas,** who is the Puppy Class Instructor, Cheri will be changing the class to comply with the **AKC S.T.A.R. Puppy program.** This program includes introduction to the exercises required to pass the AKC Canine Good Citizen (CGC) exam. In order to teach S.T.A.R. Puppy, Cheri had to become a certified CGC evaluator. **Our S.T.A.R. Puppy Class** begins August. 6.

**Also, Francis Soresi and Tom Stephenson,** who currently teach the 6:45 Beginner Class; and **Joanie Wisniewski,** who teaches the 6:00 Beginner Class, are in the process of revamping Beginner instruction to include CGC materials. The idea is to enable someone who takes our classes to pass the CGC exam and get the official AKC title. At some point we will be offering the Canine Good Citizen exam. **Thank You so much Francis, Tom and Joanie.** The new 6:45 Beginner Class will start on August 6 and the new 6:00 Beginner Class will start on September 17.

**Our regular training classes will resume on Monday, August 6 at 6:00. We are going to dispense with EARLY TRAINING (2:00-5:00) in August, however, Early Training will resume after Labor Day, Monday, September 10.**

While the deadline has passed for you to submit your dog's picture for the 2019 Calendar, we are really excited about the fact that it will go into production in the very near future.. **Thank You Karen Heitz** for chairing the calendar committee. Committee members, **Karen Schlipf and Bob Melka** are now working to create the beautiful **GABOC 2019 Calendar** featuring our own GABOC dogs.

**GABOC APPAREL** will be returning in September. We will once again offer, sweatshirts ,T-shirts hoodies, and jackets. To help you decide what you might want to purchase, sample items will be available at training on Monday, September 10.



Enjoy the rest of your summer. I know I will. Joyce and I are up north of everywhere--Effie, Minnesota. If you need to get in touch, just email me at [jaclarke134@comcast.net](mailto:jaclarke134@comcast.net). We actually have the Internet in the north woods!



1. Dress appropriately

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Hello Fellow club members!

Our June 2018 agility trial is in the books! It was another fun, and busy couple of days! The trial was held at Agility at The Farm in Campton Hills, IL

We were full both days! It was very fun weekend. This is the first time our June trial went to a one ring event. It was a huge success. On Friday, the LaSalle Brittany Club held a one-day trial at the same venue, so exhibitors had an opportunity to show, at the same site, for three days. It is always nice to have this option. The Brittany club always does a nice job and we work very well together. We had the privilege to award two Master Agility Championships (MACH) on Sunday; Saryn Sands and her Sheltie Emma and Charlotte Smith and her rat terrier Dig-it. We also had the very special privilege to award a preferred agility championship (PACH) to one of our own members; Peggy Covey and her Golden Retriever, Redford! It is so special to watch a club member complete a very special title at their own club's show! I had tears! Our judge was Kim Crenshaw from Alabama. She was a dream to work with and had lovely courses. We will ask her back again.

There are so many club members to thank. Donna Eichman and Peggy Covey took on the hospitality position and did a fantastic job! We had lots of complements on the food. They have already agreed to do it again for our October trial. Bette McMillian, Tracy McMahon, and Julie Drmolka all worked very hard to help keep things running smoothly. They pitched in and did whatever was needed to make our trial a success. Candy Ellis came out for a few hours both days as well. Robert Olson was a trial secretary. Bob always does such a nice job.

It was a wonderful two days. THANK-YOU!!!

Next up: Our October Agility Trial - at Agility at the Farm in Campton Hills. October 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup>

Thank You!!!





# SUMMER PET SAFETY TIPS

Beat the heat and keep your pets safe this summer!



Sources:  
<https://suite.io/adrienne-farricelli/6sqw2q5>  
[http://www.akc.org/public\\_education/summer\\_safety.cfm](http://www.akc.org/public_education/summer_safety.cfm)

Want more pet paw-some info?  
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## **Opportunity Knocked...**

A long, long time ago, Gina had an idea...on June 6 it became a reality

We have several members who volunteer with their therapy dogs at Ronald McDonald House in Winfield near CDH. It is so fulfilling to provide comfort to the children receiving treatment and their families.

Ronald McDonald House is a not-for-profit and an all volunteer facility from the staff there to greet and welcome families to housekeeping to meals provided. Ronald McDonald House is a home environment providing support and resources that help keep families together during their times of greatest need.

We were privileged to provide supper for the House. It was so wonderful to see the families come together in the dining room to relax, reflect, connect and enjoy a nice meal. We enjoyed it so much we are doing it again on Friday, October 26 and we invite you to join us!





Dear Therapy Dogs International,  
Thank you so much for donating grilled chicken, potatoes, salads and sides for dinner on Wednesday, June 6, 2018. Like many homes, the kitchen is the heart of our house. We appreciate you providing a comforting meal for our families to share together. Your generosity and support are what makes our house feel like home to our families who are going through a difficult time. Thank you, Ronald McDonald eCott staff

# CONGRATULATIONS BEGINNER GRADUATES!



Bill & Andrea and Isaac Potter

Diane & Bill and Quincy

Geary and Zachery

Alan & Katherine and Lola

Instructors:  
Joanie and Cheri



Gail and Shumani

Karla and Zeppelin

Martha and Tucson

Alfred and Brutus





# July 4th Safety Tip #1:

Keep pets at home if attending parades or fireworks shows. Provide a safe room or place they feel comfortable in (like a crate, carrier, a dog house like Snoopy, under the bed, etc). for them to hide.



 HomeAgain SAFETY TIP

**Did you know July 5th is the busiest day for shelters?**

Keep your pet safe at home this 4th!



 Help us SHARE the word!

# Member Highlight~

## *Laura Plasketes*

We were raised with mixed breeds. Flopsie was a terrier. Lady was Springer/Spitz, and Heidi deMutt (the wonderdog) was Weimaraner/GSP. I think my interest in the Doberman began when I was in high school and I worked at JCPenney at Cermak Plaza in Berwyn. A blind man used to sit in front of the store with his Doberman guide dog. I often stopped to visit, or bring a can of dog food. A co-worker also had a Doberman, and she would let me know when her husband would bring 'Coco' with him when he came to pick her up after work. The dog would greet us at the exit doors. After a Friday 8 a.m. accounting class when I was a freshman at Western Illinois University, I encountered a guy in the hall with a brown puppy. I remarked that it looked like a Doberman, except that it was BROWN. I was told that it WAS a Doberman, and that it was called RED. When I arrived in Fayetteville, Ar in late August of 1975 for graduate school, it took me all of two days to find a newspaper listing for a Doberman litter. I bought the middle red girl for \$150. (In recent years, I credit Heidi for my preference for the reds). The pick of the litter was \$175, and the "runt" was \$125. I had Tandra's ears cropped at Stanton Animal hospital-which is still in Fayetteville. The ear crop cost \$40 which included weekly posting until they stood! Tandra was very smart and loving and loyal to me, and she lived a varied life that could only be experienced with a young person. She moved with me seven times! She was ten when I lost her to cancer.

Tandra did not have the best temperament, and I decided to take some time finding a new puppy. I was observing puppy classes at a small community center in Downers Grove (the same center where Glenbard would hold its first wellness clinic) when Roberta Whitesides suggested that I talk to Mary Kay Raimondi about finding a puppy. In a twist of fate in March 1986, I ended up taking home Mary Kay's two year old girl, Dart, on a trial basis. I brought her to Debbie Hotze's obedience classes at that same community center, and then enrolled in classes at Lyons Township Dog Training Club, which at that time, trained at St. Joseph's High School about a mile away from my home in Westchester. Dart amazed me, and we earned our first Novice A leg at Wheaton KC in 1987 with a score of 193.5. Our second leg was at Illini DPC, 196.5 first place/second high in trial, behind Nancy DeFiesta with Dart's half sister. Dart completed her CD with a 193 at Goldcoast KC at Triton College in River Grove. A few months later, She had learned all of the open exercises (damn that dumbbell) when she herniated a lower lumbar disc. She recovered well from surgery, but I would not jump her. Lyons would not put her back in novice class because she already had her CD. I wanted her to continue to go to training, because she enjoyed it, and I wanted her life to be as normal as possible following the surgery. At Joanne Bibergall-Edwards' suggestion, I joined Glenbard in 1988. That summer, Dart earned her Canadian CD.







On January 16, 1989, I got home from GABOC and got a phone call about a new Dobe litter. Two days later, I decided I had to have the little red girl from this litter. Pauper and Dart adored each other. Tragically, after just 8 weeks together, I lost my sweet and gentle Dart to Kidney dysplasia at the age of five. Pauper was a handful: fun-loving, creative, mischievous, busy! We trained three times a week, and matched frequently, but she was more interested in creative activities-like making obedience exercises her own. She fetched anything-except her dumbbell. That was a pounce toy. Her nickname was "Pockets" for her numerous

raids. During her era, I was very active at Glenbard. I was Vice President/membership chairperson for a number of years, and served as a board member for additional years. I was trial chair one year. I was an instructor in a beginners' class, and often ran one of the novice classes, too, due to instructor absences/shortages. Back in those days, obedience was HOT, and there were long waiting lists to get into classes, and trial classes filled before the premium list was officially released. My biggest "claim to fame" is that Dave Parison started as my assistant instructor, and when he moved on to his own class, Dawn replaced him. In no way can I take credit for their success, skills, expertise, or talent as trainers or handlers, but I hope and like to think that I contributed to their attraction, involvement, commitment and love of dogs and the sport. I am so proud of them and honored to have been there at their beginning. I also take credit for teaching Dave to carry a drool rag in his back pocket!

Pauper earned her CD in 1992, and creatively earned a couple of legs in Canada. In 1993, she presented the greatest gift, a daughter, A Pauper's Panache. When Panache was a few months old, I packed up Pauper, and we went on retreat, back to Canada to finish her CD. I left her in the hotel room while I went to the pool, and heard her barking the whole time. I brought her out to the hotel yard, where she had the time of her life playing in the water while one of the staff members watered the lovely yard. The next evening while having dinner at the hotel, one of the judges stopped at my table to tell me how much he had enjoyed watching her play in the hose. On the final day of the trial, I was sitting in the bleachers, waiting for ribbons, and another judge came over to tell me that it was a shame that Pauper's enthusiasm for the hose could not be redirected to obedience, and how much he, too, had enjoyed watching her playing in the water. Pauper and I returned to Canada for five open trials, but she was more interested in surfing the stewards' table, watching the curtains move in the breeze, tip-toeing through the broad jump, and bringing her dumbbell to the judge than performing her proper exercises. So, Pauper retired to a life of collecting prizes on our walks, fetching and exploring, playing in any sprinkler or hose, and blowing bubbles in buckets, and only Panache and I would go to training. Panache earned her CD and her Canadian CD with very respectable scores, but was not enthusiastic about training. I was pretty burned out with work, training, more work, and pretty much everything, and we did not continue training.



When I lost Pauper, Panache got her turn to be an only child. Unlike her mother, she was very laid back, though she did inherit the pocket-picking trait, and was prone to counter-surfing, and squirrels could really get her going. I suspect that she lived to almost 14 because she didn't let much bother her. She was almost nine when Lyric arrived. I had introduced myself to Lyric's breeder, Ann White (Cambria Dobermans), in Phoenix in February of 2001, and talked with her again at our local specialty in June, and again at the Wisconsin Specialty in July. I became the Doberman Pinscher Club of America's Futurity Director in September, and was in the Bay Area working on the backlog of futurity paperwork when I processed Lyric's litter. It piqued my interest, because I had considered the sire of the litter when I had thought about breeding Panache. So, when I saw Ann at the national, I asked about the litter, and on Thanksgiving weekend, I went to the Memphis shows to pick up Lyric-the daughter Panache never had! Lyric was a bundle of energy and the happiest dog in the world. Everything with her was at warp speed. I used to tell her she had "Boxer Butt" because her tail would go so fast her butt would shake and one of her rear legs would start lifting and tapping. I don't think she ever chewed her food. Helen Baloun trained her and put a CD on her because I had orthopedic issues limiting my ability to do so. Lyric was a wonderful house dog and loved to sing, but I always said she checked her brain at the patio door. Or, maybe the squirrels just got the best of her!

Olivia was sent to me from Kentucky by my friend Karin Fox who told me that Olivia would be perfect for me. That was the understatement of a lifetime. In our five years together, there was never a day that I was not thankful for her and amazed by her. Everything about her made me happy and proud. She also brought with her a true sense of family. Karin and I have been friends for over 30 years. Her parents, now in Indiana, are dear friends for almost as long. The owners of both her sire (in Oregon) and dam (in Indiana) are longtime friends. Of course, Karin's husband, Steve is also her breeder. And, the families of Olivia's brothers (in Indiana, Illinois, Iowa and New York) have become friends. We all keep in touch. After 37 years of reds, Olivia was my first black, or as I called her, "Classic". Thank you Cheri, for the beautiful presentation of her memorial in the May BARKS.



When I lost Olivia, Karin did not have anyone to send to me, so I contacted a friend in Wisconsin, because I knew it "got crowded" at her house, and I thought she might have someone to share with me. Elsa, who is now three, arrived in January. She is very affectionate and loving and I am expecting that she will be a good

therapy dog. With the

exception of Tandra, all of my dogs have been involved in therapy work to some degree. We have also been coming to early training on Mondays. Elsa is adapting to the joys of the backyard, and is enjoying life as an only dog, and her chapter is just beginning.





I am a 28 year member of the Doberman Pinscher Club of America (DPCA), 30+ year member of Lyons Township DTC, GABOC, and Illini DPC, and 20 year member of the DPC of Greater Milwaukee. I have served all of these clubs in numerous capacities. Most recently, I do a lot of specialty chairing, and have been Candy Ellis' helper for the GABOC picnic and holiday party. I was also a major/multiple committee chairperson for two of the Gaines/Cycle/Pupperoni Classic events held in the Chicago area in 1989 and 1997 (I think I got those years right!). These invitational events were independently run and funded by local groups under the guidance of the former Illini Obedience Association and corporate sponsors. Before the AKC began holding them around 2000, these were the National Obedience Championship events. They were spectacular social, as well as competitive events, with the competitive portions being held at the Odeum in Villa Park. The 1997 Classic was the first to offer Agility Competition. Old timers like Mike Carlucci, Dick Schaeffer, the Parisons, Pat Berger, Carolyn Kurt or Lynn Heidinger can tell you more about them. I have attended almost 20 DPCA national conventions (favorite was Portland 1995), and used to try to combine business travel or vacations with out of town specialties, particularly in Phoenix, Tucson, Los Angeles, and San Antonio. I am a staunch supporter of health research, as it often benefits not only our dogs, but humanity.



LOVE



It is interesting to see how we remain grounded to our roots. After not seeing or talking to Mary Kay Raimondi-Stercay for many years, I have seen her several times in the past few years. She now has a dog very closely related to Pauper and Panache. And, last year, she got a puppy girl from Karin Fox, Olivia's breeder. I find it interesting that Mary Kay and I have managed to stay in the same tracks. After my first Dobe, I learned how important responsible, selective breeding is, and how important it is to respect the breed standard. A few years ago, when we were saying goodbye to Lyric, my vet who has known me for 30+ years paused, looked at me, and said, "you know, you have been really lucky; you have had some great dogs". He was so right.



# WELCOME NEW MEMBERS



Name: Gail Meyers

Breed: Dalmation and German Shepherd Dog

Names: Shumani

On behalf of GABOC, we would like to extend our warmest welcome. Our club has numerous training levels and many fun events for you, your dog and your whole family to attend. We have many helpful and friendly members who are willing to assist you.





# Fourth of July Safety Tips for Dogs



**1** Find a safe and secure spot for your pet inside the home during celebrations.

**3** Don't take your dog to a public fireworks display.

**2** Make sure your dog is wearing proper identification with your current contact information.

**4** Keep fireworks, sparklers, lighters, charcoal and glow sticks far from curious canines.



# Five Summer Dangers for Pets

Spending time outdoors this summer? Keep these safety tips in mind to ensure your furry friends are comfortable.



## Sun & Heat



Pets can become dehydrated quickly. **Know the signs of overheating** (excessive panting, increased heart rate and weakness) and make sure your pet has access to fresh water and a shady or air conditioned place.

## Fireworks & Thunderstorms



One in five pets goes missing after being scared by loud noises, so keep them in a quiet, secure area at home. If your pet does go missing, **download the ASPCA app** for a free step-by-step toolkit to help find your pet: [ASPCAapp.org](http://ASPCAapp.org)

## Parties & Barbecues



**Make sure your pet can't get into human food** (especially grapes, onion, avocado and chocolate) or alcoholic drinks.

## Hot Cars



Don't leave your pet in the car! Even with the windows cracked, a car's temperature can reach 100° in 10 minutes on an 85° day. Sign our hot car pledge at [aspca.org/hotcars](http://aspca.org/hotcars)

## Toxic Chemicals



Insecticides, insect repellents, sunscreen, citronella products and glow sticks are toxic, so keep them away from your pet.

I love fireworks!!  
Said no dog ever.



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# More Pets Go Missing on July 4th Than Any Other Day Of The Year!

Share these great tips to provide a safe Independence Day for your canine household!

Take your dog for a long walk before the festivities begin. This will allow them to potty before the noise begins and it tires them out.



Never use fireworks around your dog. The noise can spook them into taking off, or they can accidentally get burned by the fireworks.

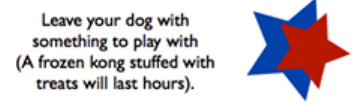
Make sure your dog is wearing an ID collar with your current contact info. Collars can come off, so microchip your dog as well (and be sure to register it).



Loud, crowded fireworks displays are no fun for dogs. Resist the urge to bring your dog with you to the festivities.



Leave your dog at home with all the windows securely closed and all shades drawn. Turn on some music to drown out noise from fireworks.



Leave your dog with something to play with (A frozen kong stuffed with treats will last hours).



Consider staying home with your dogs to insure they remain safe, especially if they have anxiety.



If your dog is extremely anxious, consult with your vet about giving a mild sedative to help calm your dog.



## 4th of July Pet Safety Tips

Fireworks scare pets!  
Here's how to help:

1. Keep pets inside your home
2. Turn on the radio or TV to muffle noise
3. Have proper identification on your pet
4. Distract your pet by playing with them



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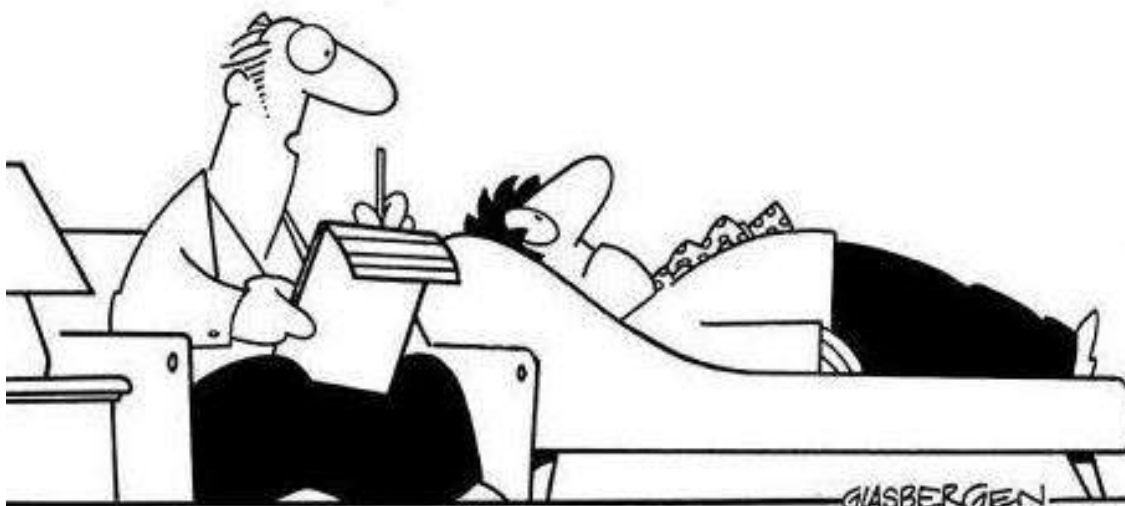
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# Are you ready for the 4th of July?

## Checklist for Dog Safety

- \_ Dogs (and cats) inside 🐾
- \_ ID tags on - microchips registered 🐾
- \_ blinds/curtains closed (windows closed too, so dog doesn't go through screen) 🐾
- \_ tv or music on loud 🐾
- \_ If dog is very distraught, consider confining in small interior room, also consider staying home with him/her if you were going out 🐾
- \_ Frozen stuffed Kong, or other long lasting treat, on which for dogs to work 🐾
- \_ calming oils, sprays, pheromone diffusers, white noise, or other calming measures in place, if you have them 🐾
- \_ thundershirt or other anxiety-relief wrap on dog 🐾
- \_ dog goes outside on-leash only, with SLIP-PROOF collar or harness 🐾
- \_ dogs exercised early and tired out by fireworks time 🐾
- \_ leave dog home if you are going out to see fireworks 🐾

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“Go home and let your dog lick your face. Dog saliva is the most effective antidepressant you can get without a prescription.”

# Thank you

## FOR YOUR SUPPORT

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We genuinely appreciate your support and photographs submitted to the

[The First Glenbard Calendar Project](#)

Your cooperation will help make our project something to be enjoyed by our members for many years.

The open submission portion of our project is officially closed and the artistic portion will begin.

Our team will be using high quality professional equipment to enhance the photographs and create memorable collages.

Thank you again for taking the time to share your favorite pet memories with

Your Glenbard Family

From one dog lover to another, have an awesome summer!

See you in August.

The Calendar Team: Karen, Joyce, Bob, and Karen



# HEAT PET SAFETY!

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## SHADE & WATER

Protect your pets from the sun's rays and keep them hydrated.



## NO CARS

Never leave a pet in the car, not even with the window cracked.



## HEAT STROKE

Excessive panting, discolored gums, and mobility problems are signs. Seek veterinary attention immediately!



## NO ASPHALT

If it's too hot for bare feet, it's too hot for bare paws.



## LIMIT EXERCISE

Don't let playful pets over exert themselves in the heat.

Happy Independence Day. Or as it's known to your dog, the annual end-of-the-world extravaganza.



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Open Position

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Open Position

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Jim Clarke

### BARKS EDITOR

Cheri Nicholas

## CLASS SCHEDULE

### 6:00 BEGINNER CLASS

Sept 17 - Nov 19

Dec 3 - Feb 18

### 6:45 BEGINNER CLASS

Aug 6 - Oct 8

Oct 15 - Dec 17

### 7:30 PUPPY CLASS

Aug 6 - Sept 30

Oct 1 - Nov 26

### EARLY TRAINING

2P - Rally Run Thrus

Independent

3:00 - 5:00 P

### RALLY RUN THRUS

Starts at 7:30 PM

### CONFORMATION

Starts at 8:15 PM

### UTILITY RING GUIDELINES

Starts at 8:15 PM

10 minute ring time limit

Dog must have a CDX, if not, must be able to do a Utility run thru

Utility slots are for run thrus, not a teaching class

Handlers may return to the ring on their own after everyone else is finished to work on problem areas as long as the building is open with other classes



# Fireworks Frighten Animals!



- ☼ Keep pets inside during fireworks times, they can feel and hear the loud noises from miles away
- ☼ Do not leave pets chained or caged outside
- ☼ Leave a TV or radio playing at normal volume to drown out the noise, and give them their favorite toy to distract them
- ☼ Make sure pets are wearing ID tags with up-to-date contact information, in case they become lost



"My plans for the Fourth aren't finalized yet, but I'm either covering under the bed or digging a hole through the tub ... And you?"





# TRACKING

April 22, 2018

TD/TDX

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June 9, 2018

Night VST test

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September 30, 2018

VST test

Secretary is Donna Eichman

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630-673-1284

October 28, 2018

TD/TDX/VST test

Secretary is Dave Crawford

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## DOG BREEDS THAT ARE AT HIGH RISK OF OVER HEATING



# NEW TITLE HOLDERS

# 2017



**PACH** Goldbullion N Goldberrys The Natural UD,  
**PAX, MXPB, MXPS, MXP3, MXP4, MXP5,**  
**MXP6, MJPB, MJPS, MJP3, MJP4, MJP5, MJP6**  
"Redford"

Handled / Trained / Owned by: Peggy Covey  
Co-Owned by: Karin Boullion



Davisdane's Pretty  
Remarkable **RE**, CGC  
"Rhoda"  
Owned/Trained by: Nada  
Johnson



MVP's Dy-No-Mite **BN**  
"JJ"

Owned and Trained by:  
Donna Hartwig



**MACH** Starfalls Gamblers Last  
Play **UD, RE, BN, MXB, MJB,**  
**NF, CGC**  
"Ace"

Handled / Trained / Owned by:  
Bette McMillan



**OTCH** Four Seasons Double  
Double Toil And Trouble UDX,  
**OM2**  
"Preston"

Handled / Trained / Owned by:  
Dave Parison



Player's Girl Just Wants to Have Fun CD,  
BN, **RA, RN, THDN, TKN,** TDI, TD,  
**CGC, CGCA**  
"Gabby"

Owned By: Carol Schmidt and Al  
Rodriguez  
Handled and Trained By: Carol Schmidt

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High Times A Splash of Sauce,  
**VCD1, CD, BN, AX, OA,**  
**MXJ, AXJ**  
 “Splash”

Handled / Trained / Owned by:  
 Tracy McMahon



(Left) **OTCH** Four Seasons I found a Gold Nugget  
 UDX4, OM6, GO  
 “Nugget”

(Right) Four Seasons Man in the Moon **UD**  
 “Hombre”

Handled / Trained / Owned by: Richard Schaefer



**CH** Goldberry Bullion Don't Stop Believing  
**CDX, OA, AXJ**  
 “Journey”

Handled in Performance / Trained / Owned  
 by: Peggy Covey  
 Conformation Handlers: Nikki Ryan, Eileen  
 Hackett, Chris Jones  
 Co-Owned by: Karin Boullion



Pippi **NE**, UKI Beg. SS  
 “Pippi”

Handled / Trained / Owned by:  
 Cris Ballenger



Grandgables Wild And Going Ape  
**UDX, OMI**  
 “Ramar”

Handle by: Dave Parison  
 Owned by: Lynn Weis



Riverside Rhyme and Reason  
**RN**  
 “Kian”

Owned and Handled by:  
 Cathy Haake



Celtic Brae DP's Buddy  
 Bear **THDN, CGC, TKN**  
 “Buddy”

Handled / Trained /  
 Owned by: Pam Munn



Jesse's Girl BN, CDX, AX,  
AXJ, OE, NE, CA, THDA,  
CGC  
"Jesse"  
Handled / Trained / Owned by:  
Cris Ballenger



Ballenger's Levi BN, CD, CA, RE,  
RATS, RATM, UKI NN  
"Levi"  
Handled / Trained / Owned by: Cris  
Ballenger



NC, NE, NI UACHX Smack-  
Dab's Americal CD, BN, RN,  
OA, OAJ, NAP, NJP, NACSW,  
NW2  
"Cal"  
Handled / Trained/ Owned by:  
Merry Lee Hritsuk



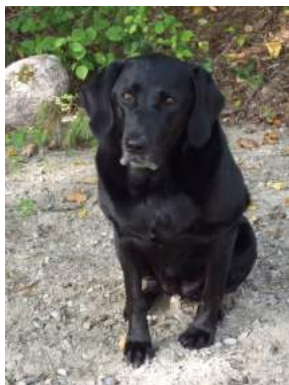
NN Smack-Dab's Tails of  
Derring-Do NACSW, NI  
"Derry"  
Handled / Trained / Owned  
by: Merry Lee Hritsuk



AN Smack-Dab's Sunrise  
Melody NACSW, NI  
"Melody"  
Handled / Trained /  
Owned by: Merry Lee  
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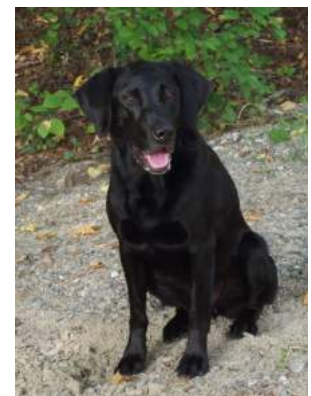
GCH CH Kingsbury Run's  
Center Field CD, BN, RE,  
RA, FDC, CA, CGC  
"Coach"  
Owned / Handled / Trained  
by: Bill Abraham



Ganderland Sophie UDX3,  
VER, THD  
"Sophie"  
Owned and Handled by: Joyce  
Clarke



Kibri-Lincoln FairOaks At Last  
RA, RN  
"Jillian"  
Owned/Trained by: Nada Johnson



Rebecca of Ganderland Labs  
CDX, PCDX, RE, RA, RN,  
TDI  
"Becca"  
Owned and Handled by: Jim  
Clarke



IntCH, **GCH**, CH, UKC CH,  
UCD Bergerie's Deja Vu CD  
**(HIT)**, BN, CAA, CGC  
"Chanel"  
Owned by: Michelle Molloy



**BISS**, IntCH, **GCH**, CH,  
UKC CH, UCD Bergerie's  
Double Down on Eleven  
CD, PCD, BN, CAA, CGC  
"Chauncey"  
Owned by: Michelle Molloy  
and Stephen Finney



Lycinan's Mighty Quinn  
**AX, OA, OAJ, OE, NE, BN**  
"Quinn"  
Handled / Trained / Owned  
by: Betty Smith



Argo's Spirit Of Life CDX,  
**PCDX, RAE, OAP, NJP, NFP,**  
CCA  
"Teddy"  
Handled / Trained by: Bob  
Melka  
Owned by: Bob & Lee Melka &  
Sandra Cummings



**CH** Bilgay's Windy City Speakeasy  
**CD, RA**  
"Roxie"  
Handled / Trained by: Debra Wendt  
Owned by: James & Debra Wendt



Sundown's Hidden Gem **CD,**  
**AXP, AJP, OAP, OJP, NFP**  
"Hide"  
Handled / Trained by: Lee &  
Bob Melka  
Owned by: Lee & Bob Melka &  
Pat James

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Magic Shades Wisniewski Niles **BN**  
"Niles"  
Handled / Trained / Owned by: Joanie  
Wisniewski



Ciel Brae Kickin It Into Third **UD,** RN,  
BN  
"Tattoo"  
Handled / Trained / Owned by: Laura  
Setar



1/1/2009-1/26/2018

Toyland's Big Love **CD,** BN, AXP, AJP  
"Poly"  
Handled / Trained by: Sandi Stephenson  
Owned by: Tom and Sandi Stephenson



GCHS CH Herr Sergeant of Glenwood IV  
 CDX, BN, RAE, CGCA, TDI, HIC, NTD,  
**ITD, ATD, TKN, Achiever Dog**  
 "Sarge"

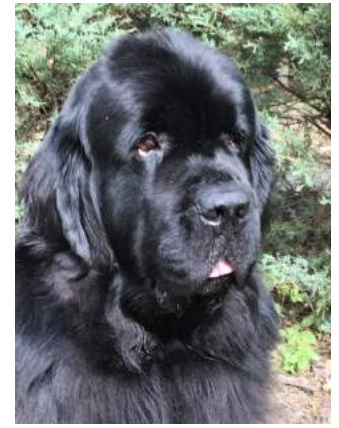
Owned and Trained by: Marytherese Marosits  
 Handler: John Benoit

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Ch. Avanti's Unusual  
 Discovery CD, BN, **TD**,  
 RN, CGCA  
 "Disco"

Handled / Trained /  
 Owned by: Lisa Foltz



Shadrack's Lets Go  
 Surfing CD, **RN, TKN**,  
 TDI, DD, **WRD**, WD,  
 CGC

"What's Up"  
 Handled / Trained /  
 Owned by: Cheri  
 Nicholas



Edmonds Bel Air Rides Like the Wind **CD, RN**  
 "Windy"

Loved, Owned, and Handled by: Joan Mazat



Blue-Dog CDX, **RE**, CGCA  
 "Blue"

"Loved, Owned, and Handled by Joan  
 Mazat



5/3/2006 – 11/27/2017

Vandura's Fly Away CD, **THDN**, TDI, CGC  
 "Olivia"

Beloved partner of Laura Plasketes

Photo Credit: Bill Rock



7/20/2010 – 8/30/2017

Devon A New Beginning CD, BN, RN, **TKN**, CGCA  
 "Devon"

Handled / Trained / Owned by: Carole Moel & Bill Rock

Photo Credit: Bill Rock

Return to:

Candy Ellis  
27W359 Beecher Av  
Winfield, IL 60190



Goldberry Bullion Believe  
And Reach For The Sun  
**CDX**, BN, GN, CGC  
“Believe”  
Handled / Trained / Owned  
by: Candy Ellis

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CH Haznow's Victoria's  
Secret **BN**  
“Secret”  
Handled / Trained / Owned  
by: Tom and Sandi  
Stephenson



GRCH, CH Lake Effects Spanx is  
my Friend **CDX**, BN, **NA**, **NAJ**,  
CGC  
“Spanx”  
Handled / Trained / Owned by:  
Sandi and Tom Stephenson



Ebb Tide's Qaatja Pure and  
Bright CD, **TKI**, **TKN**, TDI,  
WD, CGC  
“Qaatja”  
Handled by Karen Schlipf  
Owned by Pinny Wendell



Water's Edge Totally  
Tubular **TKN**  
“Gnarly”  
Handled / Trained /  
Owned by: Cheri  
Nicholas