

# Waggin' Tales

"A well trained dog is a happy dog"



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## WHO'S NEWS? LEGS AND BRAGS

### From Penny Brcich:

Rosie got her UDX at the Sheltie Specialty with a fourth in Utility B - and it was Penny's birthday! Rosie got her 11th leg at another Sheltie Specialty in April. Rosie has earned 2 Open Agility legs in 3 tries - one with a second place at McCormick place on Easter. Rosie was a complete embarrassment in Agility at the Nationals, but they'll keep trying for that last Open leg! Rachel, UD, HS, HTD1 won the Veteran's class at the Specialty in April with a 197 1/2! She also placed second in Veteran's at the National with another 197 1/2! Penny's been busy, since her Sheltie Club sponsored the Nationals this year and Penny was the Herding Trial Chairman. But she still had time to show her horse, Deacon Creed, at the Midwest Classic Reining Horse Show over Memorial Day weekend, where they placed first and third! We'll be glad to see Penny back at training once she's had a chance to rest up!

### From Marietta Huber:

Marietta and her dogs have sure been busy - I hope I get this all right!  
Popcorn has two new obedience titles and one Agility title:  
UKC CD  
11/16/96 Sta-Lyn-189 1/2  
11/17/96 Sta-Lyn-191 1/2  
4/5/97 Clipper City-192  
AKC CD

1/19/97 Wis. K.C.-191  
2/9/97 Rand Park-189 1/2  
3/17/97 Northwest-191 1/2  
3/18/97 North Shore-189 1/2  
AKC OA  
9/16/96 Lake Shore-100 (2nd)  
2/23/97 Milw. Elkhound -95  
3/15/97 Agility Ability-100 (3rd)

### USDAA Agility:

At the Dog Agility Masters Tournament on 4/25 & 4/26/97

Rainbow:  
Grand Prix Regional - qualified to compete in Ohio in July  
Master's Snooker - qualified

Squiggles:  
Master's Pairs Relay-qualified (2nd)  
Master's Team events- 6th place out of 44  
Master's Standard-1st place  
Master's Snooker-1st place  
Master's Jumpers-3rd place  
Steeplechase event-2nd place (\$50!)  
Grand Prix Regional-1st place-travel award to Ohio in July

At Fun on the Run Agility on 5/3 and 5/4/97

Rainbow:  
Master's Gamblers-3rd  
Grand Prix regional-qualified (3rd time)

Squiggles:  
Master's Standard-qualified - 1st  
Master's Gamblers-qualified-1st

Master's Pairs Relay-qualified-1st  
Grand Prix regional-qualified-1st place-another travel award.

At Milwaukee Dog Training Club on 5/10 & 5/11/97

Rainbow:  
Master's Pairs Relay-qualified  
Master's Gamblers-qualified-3rd  
Master's Jumpers-qualified  
Master's Snooker-qualified

Squiggles:  
Master's Pair Relay-qualified-1st

Popcorn:  
Novice Pairs #1-3rd place  
Novice Pairs #2-2nd place

### From the Editor:

GoFer got her AG-I title on June 8 in three trials. GoFer is not as fast as India, but listens better! India got 2 AG-II legs in 2 trials - India weaves in public!  
Echo got his CGC at the Winnebago Labrador Specialty on June 13. He thought it was great fun!

### NEW ARRIVAL

Michelle Cufu has her new little leader puppy. Pippen is a black lab and as cute as can be! My GoFer has already adopted him - it's the puppy she's been waiting for!

Also, Harper passed his Leader Dog test with an excellent rating!

## From the Editor

Well it's shedding season at our house - you know that 5th season that sometimes lasts thru all the other four. Holli is by far the worst shedder I've ever seen. She sheds as much as my other 5 dogs. Right now she's looking a little like a porcupine. Her hair is standing on end just waiting to jump onto the nearest object. If you've come home from training with strange yellow hairs stuck all over you, you've been too close to Holli. GoFer got up from sits and downs just covered in yellow hair! Needless to say I need to sweep or mop just about every day. I want to know what it is about sweeping up dirt and hair that is so interesting to my dogs. They all want to walk thru the hair, or sniff thru it. I think a whole herd of ducks could walk right in front of them, but if I was sweeping they wouldn't even notice! They have the same response to the vacuum. I guess they want to make sure I don't suck up any of their treasures. I only have carpeting in one room in the house - my bedroom. Vacuuming calls for full attendance, especially since they think the bedroom is the special occasion room. They save the bedroom for special events - like throwing up or eating the best treasures - like mascara or a bottle of cooking oil!

We went to our specialty on June 13 and June 14 and that was a real treat 'cause there were hair balls blowing around that were the size of small animals. There was one in the ring that both Holli and GoFer ran over to look at during their recall!

GoFer thinks we go to trials so she can visit with all her friends. The new love of her life is a male Golden, Stetson (sorry Chance). When she sees him she just shrieks and throws herself on the floor. Then she does that butt

scootching thing. Stetson moved to St. Louis a few months ago so she only gets to see him when he comes up for trials. She also has a Leonburger friend, Tangi, from Agility. At the Specialty she was trying to get Mocha to play with her to no avail. Best of all, GoFer got to meet Pippen, a little black lab puppy. GoFer just loved her little brothers (when they we little puppies) and so she just adopted Pippen. She kissed him and laid on the floor enticing him to come over and crawl on her and play. She was also very protective - she didn't want any other dog to go near him! Meanwhile, 'Snapper' was entered in Veterans. He is *so* HAPPY in the ring. 'Snap also saw a really cute Chocolate bitch about his age who he really wanted to impress. He stood up really tall and just pranced around her like he was young stud. Echo got to meet his half brother - they just wanted to play. Baker got to meet his dad's owner. Baker really liked Barb, especially since she was eating cookies and was willing to share! Barb just thought Baker was perfect. Gorgeous dark color. Perfect eye color and pigment. Then I told her he was neutered. The only dog who didn't get to go over the 2 days was India. India has never been to the Specialty yet. The last 2 years she had puppies. This year she is 'in-between' her CDX and being ready to show in Utility. Next year she will get to go tho, as they are going to have an Agility Trial.

Best of all, I got to buy lots of good Lab stuff for myself. Since I didn't have any big vet bills recently it was almost like winning the Lotto!

## **Waggin' Tales**

### **Bait Bag**

(bat bag) n. A collection of tidbits.

### **Chiropractic Schedule**

Dr. Hansen will be at training on the following days. 7/3, 7/31, 8/28. If you need an appointment you should call Dr. Hansen directly at (847) 551-1279.

### **HOROSCOPE**

The Cancer Dog  
June 22 - July 22

The Cancer Dog is protective and caring. Woe be to the burglar that chooses the home of a Cancer dog. Cancer dogs are emotional and intuitive; they know what's on their owner's mind even before the owner. Cancer dogs are also sensitive and tender. They're also the most sympathetic of all dogs, intuitively feeling what their owners feel. Unfortunately, the same is not true for the mailperson.

### **RECIPES**

#### Beef Jerky

Partially freeze a round steak (or more expensive steak if you like) so that you can easily slice it into thin slices. Slices just a little thicker than bacon work best. Marinate the strips for an hour or more. Place the marinated strips on a cookie sheet. Place in your oven on the lowest temperature (about 100-150). The lowest marked temperature on my oven is 200, but I can turn it below that - use an oven thermometer if needed. Leave strips in oven overnight or all day or until they are dried and chewy but not crispy. You can also use a dehydrator.

**FOX VALLEY DOG TRAINING CLUB**

Presents:

**Patricia B. McConnell, Ph.D.**

and the

**ADVANCED CANINE BEHAVIOR SEMINAR**

Get the real answers to why dogs do what they do!

Learn to speak "dog" like a native!

Learn how to use both Operant and Classical Conditioning to have the dog you want.

Watch and participate in Hands On Workshops on Diagnosing and Treating  
Aggression-related problems in Dogs.**February 14th and 15th, 1998****Mark your calendars now!****Seminar Curriculum:****Saturday, February 1997**  
**9am to 4:30 pm**

**Canid Ethology:** Saturday morning is devoted to an advanced understanding of who dogs are and why they do what they do. Learn exactly how genetics, in-utero development, early development and environment influence a dog's behavior in any given situation. For example, did you know that a dog's position in the uterus can effect it's behavior toward other dogs as an adult? Did you know that what some people call "socialization" actually should start the day your pup is born? How are dogs different than wolves, and how are they the same? We'll talk about how primates can get in trouble "talking" to canines because they speak different languages!

**Canine Learning:** Operant and Classical Conditioning: Saturday afternoon is devoted to an understanding of how learning effects a dog's behavior, and how we can practically apply learning techniques developed in the laboratory to our canine companions. We will carefully describe and define Operant Conditioning, and do lots of hand-on work with demonstration dogs to illustrate some of the most useful (and fun!) methods of Operant Conditioning and Shaping, including Click and Treat Training.

Less understood, but tremendously powerful, the use of Pavlovian Classical Conditioning to change behavior is an essential ingredient in the repertoire of anyone who is serious about understanding and effecting behavior in canids. After an introduction to the process you will participate in designing programs to use Classical conditioning to improve obedience or solve serious behavior problems for demonstration dogs.

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**Sunday, February 15th  
9 am to 4:00 pm**

**Diagnosing and Treating Aggression in Dogs:** This workshop will enhance your ability to understand canine aggression toward people and/or other dogs. The entire day will be devoted to aggression: first, diagnosing why an individual is acting aggressively, and understanding what the triggering stimuli are that elicit the aggression. After a thoughtful evaluation, we will communally develop a treatment plan and implement the initial stages of treatment for each demonstration dog. (Any dogs at risk of causing injury will be muzzled.) These case studies will allow participants to consider each situation in depth and significantly improve their ability to prevent, diagnose and help treat this most serious of behavioral problems.

You'll advance your skills at reading canine visual signals by evaluating videos and slides to determine your dog's internal state by reading his or her external visual signals. Accurately interpreting a dog's visual signals can make the difference between diagnosing or mis-diagnosing a dog's aggressive behavior. Participants at the Association for Professional Dog Trainers Conference in Phoenix called these video's "the best footage of dog behavior in the country" --- don't miss them!

*Any serious student of dog behavior, whether a professional dog trainer, class instructor, veterinarian, veterinary technician, groomer or devoted dog owner will profit from this information packed, hands-on and entertaining seminar. Attend one or both days. Don't miss it!*

About Dr. McConnell:

Dr. Patricia McConnell received her Ph.D. in Zoology from the University of Wisconsin-Madison researching dog behavior and communication between professional trainers and working domestic animals. She is currently the owner of Dog's Best Friend, Ltd., a training and consulting business that offers family dog training classes and diagnosis and treatment for serious behavioral problems in companion animals. She is Assistant Adjunct Professor in Zoology at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, teaching "The Biology and Philosophy of Human/Animal Relationships" in Zoology and Wildlife Ecology, and "Small Animal Ethology" to students of Veterinary Medicine. Co-host of Public Radio International's "Calling All Pets," Dr. McConnell gives advice about behavior problems over many stations across the country. She is Chair of the Issues in Applied Animal Behavior for the Animal Behavior Society of North America. Besides raising and training Border collies in sheep herding competitions, she travels extensively from her farm in Black Earth, Wisconsin, giving speeches and seminars around the country.

**For more information please call:**

Cindy Pakenas            630-377-6250  
Kay Weber                630-406-8348

**Note:** We are still working on a location and the prices. You can attend either or both days. Selected dogs will be worked on with preference being given to Fox Valley members. Dr. McConnell will make the final selections. Watch here for more details. Tell all your dog friends - and your vets! The last time this seminar was offered in the area it was a sellout!

June 3, 1997

TO FVDTC Board Members:

The awards committee has undertaken conducting a survey of members to assess their opinions on the awards given. Although in the past this committee has had the ability to set award levels and actual awards given, we feel that given the amount of "discussion" on all sides surrounding the awards and the money spent, we thought we should ask the members, who we represent, how they want to see their money spent. This committee believes it is our primary responsibility to respond to the members wishes. This letter, along with other attachments, outlines the results of the survey and how the committee plans to proceed to bring the awards in line with the member wishes. The details regarding the actual awards offered will be presented at a later date.

All members were sent the survey and were asked to participate in the survey. Members were also contacted by phone to remind them of the deadline and their opportunity to express their opinions on this subject. Some exceptions to those contacted: members out of state, with no phone number, those who could not be reached. We feel this is a more efficient method than bringing this subject up in an open meeting where there would no doubt be heated discussion which is rarely productive. Many members expressed their reluctance to attend a meeting on this subject, feeling that they could not openly express their opinions without fear of backlash. This method also allowed for participation for the maximum amount of members. Given the sensitive nature of this subject we felt the survey was the best opportunity to poll the members, as well as a more expedient method. Many members stated that they preferred the survey/private vote method and this committee intends to use this method for future discussion.

62 members have responded out of about 100 training members. The non-training members who did respond (7) are still active in Club activities or were very active when they were training members. The most recent members (6) did not receive the survey (they joined after it went out) and most members who joined in 1997 (or after 1996 dues) did not respond (18). Several training members (8) did not respond because they did not have an interest in the awards program for several reasons, including they only belong to have a different place to train, or have pets and will not be showing. Many members listed as training members have not participated in any club functions in the last 2 years (28). The number of respondents clearly exceed the number of members who would attend a meeting on this subject.

#### **AKC AWARDS**

The members are happy with the amount they think we are spending on the AKC awards, with the exception of the OTCH which they think is too high. For AKC Agility the members think the amount we spend is just right, yet the members overwhelmingly want to offer AKC Agility awards and at the same level as AKC Obedience.

The members want to offer the CT at the same level as the OTCH. (But we need to lower the amount for this level)

We will try to bring the AKC awards more in line with what the members want to spend and work out some way to include Agility awards. This issue will likely be brought to the members again.

#### **CKC AWARDS**

The members think we spend too much on CKC (with the exception of the CD and CH which they think is the right amount).

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**UKC AWARDS**

The members want to offer awards for UKC Obedience and Agility. There is a split between offering this at CKC level versus just certificates.

The committee has a proposal for CKC and UKC awards.

**REQUIREMENTS**

The members overwhelmingly agree that we are asking for the right amount of meetings and work credits to be eligible for awards. The members also overwhelmingly agree that in order to be eligible for awards a member must train at the club at least 12 times or more per year. This would not include match nights. In order to allow for "start up" and pro-rating we would like to require the members attend training at least 5 times during the remaining portion of 1997 in order to be eligible for awards. This would become effective July 3, 1997 (in the meantime we would put out flyers and publish the details in Waggin' Tales). The Awards Committee along with the Statistician have worked out a system for keeping track of member attendance.

**AWARDS CATEGORIES**

The members would like to see category levels for awards. The awards committee will work on setting up levels for each title and designating those awards in each level. We will offer the members the opportunity to chose from any lower level as well as "buy up" to a higher level.

**ALDYTHE COMSTOCK**

The members want to reinstate the Aldythe Comstock award as it was (TD & TDX)

The Awards Committee:  
Heather King & Kay Weber - co-chairs  
Michelle Cufu  
Barb Erskine  
Gerry Erskine  
Cindee Ehrhart-Malnar  
Michelle Richter

Enclosed attachments:

Survey summary

Survey comments

Actual awards expenditures

**Follow up notes:** Several members (3) submitted their suveys after the deadline and so their surveys were not in this summary. Their answers will be looked at by the committee, but do not change the results.

The board **did** not want to re-instate the training requirement.

A couple items we want you to know about: Tracking "classes" are being held every Sunday morning - all members are invited - it was written on the board at training when classes started in May. There are several new members participating. There are also smaller groups going out at other times. See a tracking person for details - or Wally O'Brien. Perhaps instructors need to tell their classes about this. I had an instructor refer someone to me who wanted to track. Also, regarding UKC, there are many members who show in UKC. There are many obedience and agility trials in this area. Most times there are two obedience trials in one day and two agility trials in one weekend. UKC will let mixed breeds compete in obedience and agility and earn titles as well as placements. Perhaps this would be of interest to those individuals in our classes who have mixed breeds?

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Question	Totals	%	Question	Totals	%	Question	Totals	%
AKC CH	10	17.5439	AKC AX	2	8	at CKC Level	15	53.5714286
\$15	15	26.3158	\$5	23	46	offer certificates	13	46.4285714
About right	32	56.1404	About right	25	50	UKC Agility award	28	100
	57	100		50	104		27	56.25
AKC CD	8	13.3333	AKC MX	2	7.69230769		21	43.75
\$25	3	5	\$5	22	44	at UKC obedience	15	50
About right	49	81.6667	About right	26	52	only certificates	15	50
	60	100		50	103.692308		30	100
AKC TD	22	38.5965	CKC CH	20	38.4615385	Tracking (CT)	27	52.9411765
\$40	0	0	\$10	9	17.3076923	OTCH	13	25.4901961
About right	35	61.4035	About right	23	44.2307692	UDX	11	21.5686275
	57	100		52	100	Other	51	100
AKC CDX	13	21.6667	CKC CD	20	36.3636364	Requirements		
\$45	3	5	\$20	7	12.7272727	Meetings	52	86.6666667
About right	44	73.3333	About right	28	50.9090909	right amount	3	8.33333333
	60	100		55	100	too many	5	95
AKC TDX	20	35.7143	CKC TD	26	48.1481481	not enough	60	95
\$55	1	1.78571	\$25	3	5.55555556	Credits	47	79.6610169
About right	35	62.5	About right	25	46.2962963	right amount	4	6.77966102
	56	100		54	100	too many	8	13.559322
AKC UD	16	26.6667	CKC CDX	24	44.4444444	not enough	59	100
\$60	4	6.66667	\$30	8	14.8148148	Training	15	25.862069
About right	40	66.6667	About right	22	40.7407407	listed only	43	74.137931
	60	100		54	100	must train	58	100
AKC UDX	17	29.8246	CKC UD	24	42.8571429	6 or more times	7	17.0731707
\$65	12	21.0526	\$40	9	16.0714286	12 or more times	31	75.6097561
About right	28	49.1228	About right	23	41.0714286	times?	3	7.31707317
	57	100		56	100	category levels	41	100
AKC VST	26	47.2727	CKC TDX	28	50.9090909	good idea	39	82.9787234
\$65	2	3.63636	\$40	5	9.09090909	bad idea	8	17.0212766
About right	27	49.0909	About right	22	40		47	100
	55	100		55	100	Aldyth's Comstock	30	60
AKC OTCH	34	57.6271	AKC Agility award			offer for TD/TDX	20	40
\$150	1	1.69492		14	24.5614035	for another title	50	100
About right	24	40.678		43	75.4385965	change award to	4	
	59	100		57	100			
AKC NA	2	7.69231	level	28	84.8484848			
\$5	2	4.4	AKC	5	15.1515152			
About right	26	52	CKC	33	100			
	50	103.692		35	67.3076923			
AKC OA	2	7.69231	Offer obedience	yes	35	67.3076923		
\$5	23	45.098		no	17	32.6923077		
About right	26	50.9804		52	100			
	51	103.771						

Fox Valley Dog Training Club, Inc.  
Statement of Revenue, Support, and Expenses  
by Activity  
For the Twelve Months Ended December 31, 1996

	General & Administrative	Trial	Matches	Awards Banquet	Tracking	Training Classes	Totals
<b>Revenue and Support</b>							
Equipment Rental	\$ 1,065.00	\$ 240.00 <sup>②</sup>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 1,305.00
Membership Dues	8,445.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	8,445.50
Match/Trial Fees	0.00	5,914.50	2,677.00	0.00	755.00	0.00	9,346.50
Training Fees	1,250.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	13,238.25	14,488.30
Fund Raising	161.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	161.00
Club Logo Items	92.51	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	92.51
Donations	0.00	765.00 <sup>③</sup>	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	765.00
Guest fees & catalogs	0.00	227.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	227.15
Awards Banquet	0.00	0.00	0.00	906.50	0.00	0.00	906.50
Kitchen	0.00	278.34	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	278.34
Other Income	104.00 <sup>④</sup>	425.00 <sup>④</sup>	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00 <sup>⑤</sup>	554.00
Interest	1,547.33	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,547.33
<b>Total Revenue and Support</b>	<b>\$ 12,665.39</b>	<b>\$ 7,849.99</b>	<b>\$ 2,677.00</b>	<b>\$ 906.50</b>	<b>\$ 755.00</b>	<b>\$ 13,263.25</b>	<b>\$ 38,117.13</b>
<b>Expenses</b>							
Advertising	\$ 0.00	\$ 131.25	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 466.57	\$ 597.82
Awards	0.00	1,362.79	17.00	2,633.38	0.00	32.17	4,045.34
Collars	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	837.03	837.03
Donations	5.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	5.00
Food	0.00	437.18	0.00	883.20	18.45	0.00	1,338.83
Front & Finish Ad	733.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	733.26
Insurance	666.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	666.00
Judging Fees	0.00	740.00	690.00	0.00	415.00	0.00	1,845.00
Judges Expenses	0.00	1,454.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,454.03
Licenses, Permits & Fees	8.00	138.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	146.50
Miscellaneous	155.91	29.44	12.62	0.00	54.43	167.05	419.45
Postage	257.61	143.99	10.78	0.00	17.92	51.20	481.50
Printing	440.78	30.83	0.62	50.86	28.51	83.51	635.11
Rent	14,300.00	1,335.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	15,635.00
Set Up/Take Down	3,537.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,537.20
Sunshine	157.88	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	157.88
Superintendent	0.00	2,439.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,439.06
Telephone	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	15.00	15.00
Utilities	0.00	180.42	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	180.42
Waggin' Tales	1,766.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,766.01
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>22,027.65</b>	<b>8,422.49</b>	<b>731.02</b>	<b>3,567.44</b>	<b>534.31</b>	<b>1,652.53</b>	<b>36,935.44</b>
<b>Excess (Deficiency) of Revenue and Support over Expenses</b>	<b>\$ (9,362.26)</b>	<b>\$ (572.50)</b>	<b>\$ 1,945.98</b>	<b>\$ (2,660.94)</b>	<b>\$ 220.69</b>	<b>\$ 11,610.72</b>	<b>\$ 1,181.69</b>

- ① MAT SALE
- ② BOOTH RENTAL
- ③ TROPHY FUND
- ④ CATALOG ADS
- ⑤ COLLARS

MAT PURCHASE <7,000->  
NET LOSS <5,818.31>



**FOX VALLEY DOG TRAINING CLUB  
SECOND AND FINAL DUES AND TRAINING FEE  
NOTICE**

DUES FOR THE 1997-98 MEMBERSHIP YEAR ARE DUE BY JUNE 30, 1997.  
IF YOU ARE PLANNING TO APPLY FOR AN AWARD AT NEXT YEAR'S  
BANQUET, BE SURE THAT YOU ARE A CURRENT TRAINING MEMBER.

RETURN THE FORM BELOW NOTING ANY CHANGES THAT NEED TO BE  
ADDED TO THE ROSTER ALONG WITH YOUR CHECK PAYABLE TO:  
"FOX VALLEY DOG TRAINING CLUB"

**JUDY ANDERSON MEMBERSHIP  
6 N 213 WILLOW DRIVE  
ST. CHARLES, IL. 60175 6338**

NOTE: YOUR NAME WILL BE OMITTED FROM THE 1997-98 ROSTER AND  
THIS WILL BE YOUR LAST ISSUE OF WAGGIN TALES UNLESS YOUR DUES  
ARE RECEIVED BY 7-9-97.  
IN ACCORDANCE WITH OUR BY-LAWS A \$5.00 REINSTATEMENT FEE WILL  
BE CHARGED FOR DUES NOT RECEIVED BY 7-9-97.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
STREET ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE CIRCLE MEMBERSHIP TYPE:  
REGULAR TRAINING \$90.00  
REGULAR NONTRAINING \$45.00  
LIFETIME OR BOARD TRAINING \$45.00  
LIFETIME OR BOARD NONTRAINING FREE

INSTRUCTORS:  
EARN ¼ CREDIT TOWARDS DUES PER QUARTER OR CLASS TAUGHT  
(MAX.4)  
MUST HAVE D.O.T. VERIFICATION  
AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \_\_\_\_\_

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_

DO YOU WANT A MEMBERSHIP ROSTER? YES NO

DO YOU WANT TO RECEIVE WAGGIN TAILS? YES NO

THE \$90.00 MEMBERSHIP FEE MAY BE PAID IN TWO INSTALLMENTS WITH  
THE LAST ONE DUE BY SEPTEMBER 1, 1997

# ANNUAL PICNIC



## MEETING

SUN., 7/20/97 at KANDSAK K-9

TRAINING. Noon - on -

SIGN-UP sheets for dish to pass  
& maps will be at training 6/26/97,  
7/3, & 7/10/97. MEETING & GAMES  
to follow lunch. Anyone wanting  
work credits for assisting that  
day should contact Cindy Pakenas,  
630-377-6250. Hope to see  
you, dogs, lawn chairs, water bowls,  
& dish to pass there!



**NEW MEMBERS**

<b>CUNNINGHAM</b> 1324 BLUEBELL LN. BATAVIA	JOHN & SONYA IL 60510	630-879-8481 REGULAR TRAINING	WESTIE
<b>DENNISON</b> 34W COURIER AVE. ST. CHARLES	MICHAEL & LISA IL 60174	847-608-7435 REGULAR TRAINING	ROTTWEILER
<b>JOKERST</b> 1216 DANFORTH DR. BATAVIA	JOHN & MELANIE IL 60510	630-879-0927 REGULAR TRAINING	LABRADOR
<b>KLAMMER</b> 38679 NORRIS AURORA	KATHY IL 60506	630-466-7335 REGULAR TRAINING	ROTTWEILER
<b>SIMMONS</b> 1310 GEORGETOWN DR BATAVIA	BRIAN & DEBORAH IL 60510	630-406-8625 REGULAR TRAINING	GSD
<b>WOOLBRIGHT</b> 16711 S. 1ST. ST. DE KALB	CARLOS & SANDRA IL 60115	815-748-4169 REGULAR TRAINING	ROTTWEILER

**IN MEMORY**



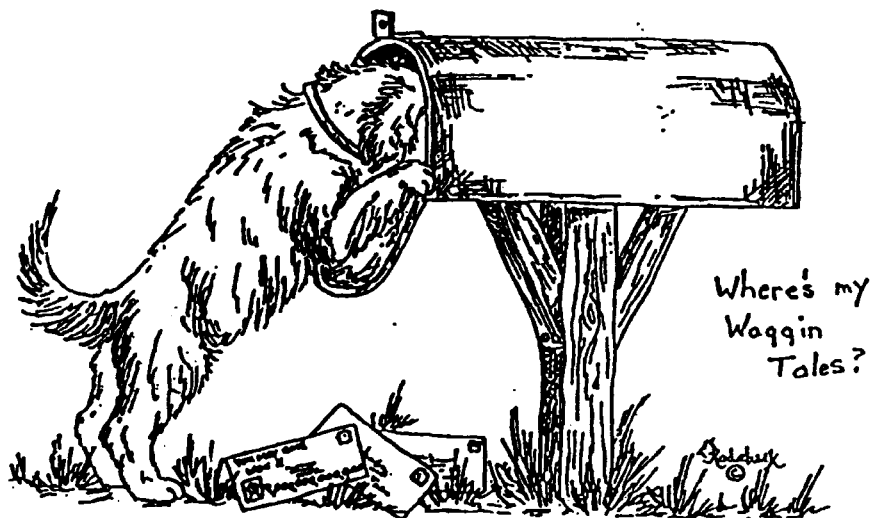
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Can. OTCH. Mydramagic ToBe - TT, CDX, Can. UD

ToBe was an inspiration for many of my "Enameled Pup" jewelry designs and our logo. ToBe was the first dog since I started showing in 1965 to earn a UD. ToBe was a professional model for Mycodex - "Glamour Girl", and also earned one AKC UD leg, was the dam of Dual Ring son Topas, grandma of Dual Ring granddaughter Tiara, and great grandma of Tiara's daughters, Tresor and Snowflake. - **Terri Sidell**

Also, **Donna Stahelin** lost her 14 year old Newfoundland, Tasha, recently.

**Waggin' Tales**  
 Kay Weber  
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 Batavia, IL. 60510



### Dog Rhymes

These are the answers to last months rhymes:

1. Altered cross-bred=fixed mix
2. Discovered group dog=found hound
3. Happier group dog=merrier terrier
4. Male group dog=boy toy
5. Person who cuts a sporting dog's tail=cocker docker
6. Damper sporting dog=wetter setter
7. Sloppy sporting dog=messy chessie
8. Licensed hound=legal beagle
9. Valuable hound=bassett asset
10. Cup for a toy=pug mug
11. Seven days for a toy=peke week
12. Spanish house for a non-sporting dog=lhasa casa
13. Principal working dog=main dane
14. Funny looking working dog=goofy newfie
15. Southern home for a non-sporting dog=dalimation plantation

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- 6/28 Teacher's meeting
- 7/17 **NO TRAINING**
- 7/20 Picnic/Membership Meeting
- 7/21 Waggin' Tales deadline