

Greenville Kennel Club
Meetings are held on the
3rd Tuesday of each month
at 7:00PM

Boiling Springs Fire Dept,
Station 15
Training Center
208 Blacks Dr
Greenville, SC 29615

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Newsletter

Greenville Kennel Club News

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March 2022

A Message from our President





Greenville Kennel Club is missing a wonderful member today, one who impacted all of our lives in a positive manner. Blake Roulette joined GKC in 1988 and loved and served our club well over many, many years. Blake served as president for 18 years. He worked along with Bob Vandiver, as our liaison to the sheriff's department, working with the officers of the K9 unit. Blake loved exhibiting his Brittany Spaniels in our shows.

In later years, he could be found at the entrance to the Convention Center welcoming exhibitors and guests, as well as manning the PA system for our shows.

Our love and prayers go out to LouAnn and Boyce during this most difficult time.

Till next time,

Jeanette







March Membership Meeting Tues. March 15th

Hospitality starts at 6:30PM - Meetings start at 7:00PM

Remember we have a New Meeting Location

Boiling Springs Fire Department, Station 15
Training Center
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Jennifer Sigling, from Alliance of Therapy Dogs, will be our guest speaker

Jennifer has been with ATD for 16 years and is a Tester/Observer. She will be bringing her dog Ricky for demonstration and discuss ...

"What it takes to be a Therapy Dog"

See Page 3 for Map & Directions

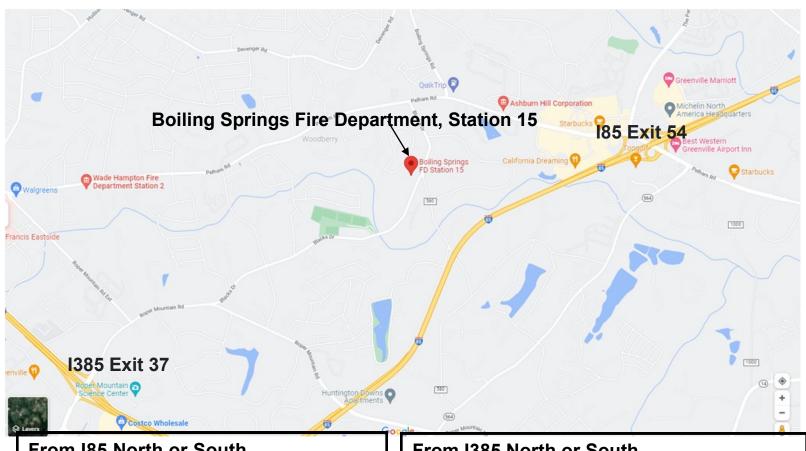


If you have suggestions for meeting programs contact:
Michelle Christian: gcmc4c@bellsouth.net

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New Meeting Location

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From 185 North or South

Take exit 54 for Pelham Rd

From 185 South Turn right onto

Pelham Rd

From I85 North Turn left onto

Pelham Rd

1.3 mi

Turn left onto Blacks Dr

0.4 mi

Turn right to stay on Blacks Dr

135 ft

Turn right onto 1st Driveway

262 ft

Destination will be on the left

From I385 North or South

Take exit 37 for Roper Mountain Rd

From I385 North Use the right 2 lanes

to turn right onto Roper Mountain Rd

From I385South Use the left 2 lanes

to turn left onto Roper Mountain Rd

0.8 mi

Slight left onto Blacks Dr

1.4 mi

Turn left onto 2nd Driveway

262 ft

Destination will be on the left



Sharon Smith

Profession- Timberland Farm Labradors & Florist

Years with GKC- 5 years (I think)

Current Breeds- Labradors



Breeds I've owned- Labrador and Poodle (when I was little)

Favorite dog memory- The day I picked up my first labradors from the airport in Southern California when I was sixteen. They were shipped from Oregon. That was the beginning of my love for this breed.

Hobbies (other than dogs)- collecting tea cups and silver trays

Favorite Movie- Pride and Prejudice

Favorite Food- Mexican

One thing that might surprise you about me- I traveled on a Synchronized Swimming Team for many years.

Happy ST PATRICK'S

Day!



Sunshine Report - Lisa Jumper

Happy St . Patrick Day to everyone!



With heavy heart I share that our own *Blake Roulette* passed away March 5, please keep his family in our thoughts and prayers!

Linda Knorr reports she on the road to recovery along with Jeff Strait who has been recuperating from recent surgery!



Happy Birthday to our March "babies"..., Adele Freeman 3/2, Elliot Simmons 3/2, Beth Crocker 3/7, Debra Ennis 3/8, Nancy Wargas 3/11, Mary Deats 3/15, Elaine Hadden Golladay 3/16, Cheryl Dunham 3/28, Denise Arthurs 3/31 and to anyone else who is not listed in our membership directory.

Please don't hesitate to get in touch with me if you should need anything or know of someone that does.

Lisa



Welcome New Members

Ashlyn Navis, Kari Pillsbury, Anna Hillman with Membership Chair, Michele Mangum







Remembering **Blake Roulette**











Title Awards

Maureen McKowen

This is just a friendly reminder. Did you obtain a title from AKC during the past year?

Go to the Greenville Kennel Club <u>website</u> and look to the right on the home page. There is a list of Board and Committee Chairs.

Scroll down to Annual Title Awards: <u>Maureen McKowen</u> and click my name. This will take you to the page with the Annual Title Awards form. Fill this out and remember to include all relevant information.

These are for Greenville Kennel Club members whose dogs earned AKC titles over the last year. For instance, my Sassy got started last year—*Liberty Lionswatch Mo Nighean* earned her CGC, RN, and BN—I filled out the form including Sassy's registered name and titles. **Don't forget to include if you want this information engraved on a pewter cup or a crate tag.**

For those of you who have the pewter cup that you want additional titles added, please remember to get those to me.

Cups and form need to be to me no later than March 31, 2022.



For those of you who cannot access the form, please let me know by emailing GKCtitleawards@gmail.com or contact me @ 864-607-2871.

Members' Brags



Minta "Mike" Williquette



2022 Lifetime Achievement Award Nominees

I was honored to be nominated for the AKC Lifetime Achievement Award in the Companion events category.



Ashlyn Navis



My 5 month old golden "Rue" received her TKN, VHMP, and is working towards her RN and CGC!

I can't wait to start junior showmanship, dock diving, and agility with her.

Roger Brown

Sharja Singapore Majestic, "Asia", now has 3 majors and a breed from the puppy class.

At the Carolina Afghan Hound Club Specialties, she was WB, BW, BOS and Best Puppy under Gill Ullom and WB, BOS, and Best Puppy under Karen DeVon.

Asia is owned by Linda Shipley, Ken Amos, and myself.



Daniel Dunham

Look what Leo got in the mail Friday





Ken & Debbie Walker O'Malley McGee Meredith McGee

"Mimi & Papa", "Mama" Meredith & "Big Sis" O'Malley wanted to share that *Christian Wall* was awarded his third Novice 1st place in Junior Showmanship at the February Atlanta shows.

The following day he was awarded 1st place in his first Open competition.

Big thanks to O'Malley, Meredith, & Beth for sharing "Olivia" with Christian.







Bob & Karen Cate

We are pleased to announce that our WPG "Jess"
VC GCHS Southern Jes A Lit'l Hunting Sensation JH CGC TKI
passed the International Therapy Dog Test
and has now qualified to do therapy visitation.



Jess and Cloud Runner also attained their AKC Temperament Test titles.



We also received official recognition of our 7th Grand Champion GCH CH Southern Fire's Savannah Rose



Southern Fire also received another NAVHDA Natural Ability Breeder Award for our CH Southern Fire's Brown Eyed Girl BCAT CA litter.

We are very thankful to have our hard work recognized by the AKC and NAVHDA.



Beth Crocker

My Boykins earned a few rally titles at the Carolina Irish Setter Club Trials.

Gin earned her 2nd Master Title, and Bodhi and Miller earned their Novice titles.





Also, the following weekend, Bodhi earned his Junior Hunter upland title at the Wateree Spaniel Club.

Paula Ford



Bainwood's Snap Crackle 'N Pop (Bitzi)
took major wins at the Collie Club of New England in February,
and then this past weekend at the
Piedmont Collie Club Specialties in North Carolina,
Bitzi also earned 3 Major Reserves during these weekend
shows.



Beverly and Tony Childs and the StoneHouseHounds

It's been a busy number of months at the *StoneHouseHounds*. We decided to keep two puppies out of the Willi Nelson litter (at least for the short while) and they both seem promising.

StoneHouse CrepuVisage Whiskey River –
Pompette (Tipsy (Tri)
- and StoneHouse CrepuVisage Yesterday's Wine –

Saveur (orange and white)
got their <u>Trick Dog Novice</u> <u>Titles</u> <u>at 14 weeks of age</u>.





Mom Willi (GCHB CH Crepu Visage Aged To Perfection At Stonehouse SCN SIN PCMH CGCA CGCU TKN) has her Master Hunter and received her Parent Club Junior Hunter Excellent title in February.



The Dog Show Roadie Tony handles Willi at the hunt trials and he will now be handling her at the Scentwork trials

Mom Bev has two puppies to train!

Oh and Flirt
(HiCotton She's A Heart Breaker SCA SBA
SIN CGCA CGCU)
turned 14 on March 4th!



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Greenville Kennel Club – Membership Meeting Agenda Tuesday, March 15, 2022 at 7:00PM Refreshments at 6:30 PM Boiling Springs Fire Dept, Station 15 Training Center 208 Blacks Dr Greenville, SC 29615

(In accordance with CDC recommendations for all indoor meetings, and for the safety and health of all of our members, PLEASE MASK, WHETHER VACCINATED OR NOT.)

CALL TO ORDER, Welcome, Brags -Jeanette Stribling
**Announcement of Blake Roulette's passing
ROLL CALL – PLEASE SIGN IN ON THE ATTENDANCE SHEET
APPROVAL OF MINUTES,
as posted on website-November 2021 NOT POSTED YET -no approval done -February 2022
REPORT OF THE RECORDING SECRETARY -Jan Clifford - no report
REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY – Ashliegh Boudreaux—no report

Jennifer Sigling, from Alliance of Therapy Dogs, will be our guest speaker.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER – Ken Spiegel

- Income & Expense Report for February 2022 A hard copy of the report given by Ken Spiegel is attached to these minutes in the Secretary's book and is available to view upon request.
- New laptops to be purchased

AKC DELEGATE REPORT -Gloria Askins

COMMITTEE CHAIR CHATS -Jeanette Stribling—done during Board Meetings. March chats were with:

- Programs-Michelle Christian
- Match-Debbie/Ken Walker & Ashliegh Boudreaux

COMMITTEES THAT HAD REPORTS:

Committee Reports- Jeanette Stribling-

REMINDER THAT REPORTS NEED TO BE SENT PRIOR TO GENERAL MEETING

- Law Enforcement Chair -Jeanette Stribling—vacancy due to Blake Roulette's passing
- Membership Committee Michele Mangum
 - New applicants eligible for introduction and first reading:
 - Has sponsors but not here for first reading:
 - New applicants with sponsors ready for 2nd reading and vote:

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^{**}Reminder – for anyone to be considered for reading or vote, applicants must be present at the meeting as long as we are meeting in person.

Membership Meeting Agenda cont

- Trophy Chair -Sharon Smith -collection of any awards members brought
- **JUNIORS** -Meredith McGee -Peewee goodie bags for July 2022 show need donations. Need for approximately 25 different bags. Bring to Meredith-Collection if anyone has any
- Fit dog/Events -Emily Barnett -New events listed on club website
- Sunshine Committee -Lisa Jumper-send her any concerns or folks that need to be called on. UPDATES ON MEMBERS
- Trial Update- Lou Ann McGahey new software purchase
- **Finance** –Robert Vandiver –budget being put together & committees are to get back with Finance so that overall budget can be put together. Chairs need to report to Robert as soon as possible.

OLD/UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

- Bylaw updating -Gloria Askins
- Member voting -per Constitution -secret vote -UPDATE possible new procedures being explored -Michele Mangum/Ken Spiegel-explanation done to membership
- **Text blast -communication platform -** Ken Spiegel/Todd McGahey-UPDATE Will be looking at a communication committee to work on communication platform & secret voting ballot platform.

NEW BUSINESS:

AKC Lifetime Achievement Awards-Gloria Askins-3 nominees

Adjourn - There being no further business,	the meeting	g was adjourned:
Motion -seconded by		APPROVED.

Respectfully submitted,

Jan Clifford, Recording Secretary



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Next Board Meeting - Tuesday, April 5, 2022 7PM, *via Zoom video conference*. Any member is welcome to attend; however, if you have business for the Board to address, it must be submitted in writing to a Board member at least one week prior to the meeting. Minutes will be published to the Club website.



Board of Directors

President: Jeanette Stribling jcstribling@bellsouth.net

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Thecla53@gmail.com

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Membership Chair:

Michele Mangum
michelesmangum@gmail.com

Next General Meeting



Tuesday, April 19, 2022

Hospitality starts at 6:30PM - Meeting starts at 7:00PM

Boiling Springs Fire Dept, Station 15 Training Center

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Our responsibility as a club is to provide the safest environment for our members, applicants, and guests for our meetings.

PLEASE WEAR MASKS, WHETHER OR NOT YOU ARE VACCINATED —

CDC recommendations will continue to be followed along with State rules.

We will advise everyone if there are changes - be safe!

Thank you for your cooperation.

For more information on our meetings or scheduled programs, please contact the Recording Secretary,

Jan Clifford, cliff36@aol.com



If any member knows of any members that need to be called upon or recognized due to illness, accomplishments, deaths or any other challenges in one's family please call or email: Lisa Jumper @864-593-8649. Lijmpsc@gmail.com

You may also contact **Paula Ford** @864-895-6837 with any news that the Club needs to be informed about.



All items to be included in the NEWSLETTER are due on the Wednesday before our monthly meeting.

Send brags, news, photos, articles, and any information to:

Ken Walker, kenwalkergkc@bellsouth.net

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