

TRAP FALLS KENNEL CLUB NEWSLETTER



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MEETING NOTICE

The next meeting will be August 6, 2019 at Apple Rehab/Shelton Lakes at 7:30 p.m. Board meeting at 6:30 p.m.

CALENDAR 2019

July 20- Annual picnic.
August 6- Meeting
(appoint nominating committee)
September 3- Meeting
September 14- RDOD,
September 15- Nominating committee report due)
October 1- Meeting
(Nominations accepted from the floor)
November 5- Meeting
(Elections of officers)
December 3- Meeting
(Installation of officers)

FYI

Anyone who attends a meeting with their dog MUST have a copy of the dog's Rabies Certificate with them each time.

This is a request from Apple Rehab.

Summer Picnic

Please join us for our summer picnic on Saturday, July 20, 2019 from 12-4 pm. Our hosts are the Daniel family in Trumbull. Amanda, Melissa, Bob and Tyler live at 683 Booth Hill Road.

The picnic is free to club members and families. The club pays for all the meat. Members are asked to bring an appetizer, side dish or dessert.

Please RSVP so we can plan appropriately. It will be lots of fun. Let's sit back and talk about our dogs!

Let me know what you plan to bring so we can make sure we have everything covered!

Cindy Richardson

Braggs



Dry Grass Veloce Diavolo Castellano del Lago CGCA TKI RI BN THDN, earned his second leg toward his CD on June 6th at the Spinone Club of America National Specialty, winning the High in Trial Award.

Chris and Lauren judged four AKC Hunting Test on June 1 and 2 in Loveland, CO.



On June 4th Lauren and Chris conducted field training for new exhibitors called Bird Dog 101/201 and Lauren held a Trick Dog workshop at the Spinone Club Nationals.

obedience and won Best of Breed at the Farmington Valley Kennel Club Show.



On July 7th Veloce won Best of Opposite and placed 2nd in the Novice B obedience class.

On June 15, Chris and Lauren judged the Hunting Test at Flaherty Field for Nutmeg GSP club. Chris was interviewed for inclusion in the new AKC Junior Hunting Test introduction video.



Dry Grass Veloce Diavolo Castellano del Lago CGCA CD TKI RI BN THDN, earned his CD on July 6 at the Holyoke Kennel Club Trial, placing 4th in Novice B



Ch. Drago Castellano of Trollbo MH CD RE THDD JHR CGCA TKP (TDIGOLD, TWT), 2013 AKC ACE

Award winner for Therapy, continues to do his therapy work along with Veloce. Submitted by Chris Sweetwood and Lauren Friedman.

"Pedigree indicates what the animal should be. Conformation indicates what the animal appears to be. But performance indicates what the animal actually is."

Anonymous

AKC Delegate News

THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB TO HELP POTENTIAL PUPPY OWNERS WITH NEW SERVICE "AKC PUPPYVISOR™"

Customers can receive one-on-one help to find their new dog.

New York, NY – The American Kennel Club has launched AKC PuppyVisor™, a personalized dog concierge service to help potential dog owners find their new best friend. Whether looking for a puppy or to give an older dog a good home, the service is designed to walk customers through each stage of the process.

AKC PuppyVisor™ helps dog owners in search of that perfect pup to add to their family by providing one-on-one service with an AKC Expert. The expert will assist a potential buyer in finding the right breed to fit their lifestyle, or if they are already set on a specific breed, help them find an AKC National Breed Club and navigate AKC Marketplace to find a responsible breeder that may have puppies available. Customers looking to rescue a dog will find help through access to breed rescues and breeders who have older dogs they are looking to re-home through the AKC Rescue Network.

"Owning a dog can be a wonderful experience. However, buying or rescuing a dog from a responsible source can sometimes be more of a process than a potential owner has anticipated," said Mark Dunn, Executive Vice President of the AKC. "The AKC can assist with our specific expertise in working with breeders and rescues, as well as providing information that owners can use to become responsible dog owners. We want customers to have a positive experience when getting their new canine family member and form a beautiful bond for many years to come."

With AKC PuppyVisor™ customers get over 100 years of combined experience from experts who are breeders, trainers and dog owners through live telephone support. AKC PuppyVisor™ experts can also help with locating events where owners can see different breeds and meet breeders in person. Customers who purchase the service also receive preparation for conversations with breeders, helpful information for bringing the new puppy/dog home, a lifetime subscription to AKC GoodDog! Helpline and AKC Vetline™.

AKC PuppyVisor™ is available for \$249 at www.akc.org/puppyvisor

DEADLINE for the September- October newsletter is September 7, 2019

Editors Comments: Please send photos (Photos **must be sent as jpeg attachments**) directly to me at csweetwood@att.net. **Please fully identify the persons in the photo, date taken and location.** Articles should be in MS Word or simply written in your e-mail **upon receipt I will send you a confirmation receipt that I received your email. If you do not received one, please resend it.**

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