TRAP FALLS KENNEL CLUB NEWSLETTER



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MEETING NOTICE

The next meeting will be February 5, 2019 at Apple Rehab/Shelton Lakes at 7:30 p.m. Board meeting at 6:30 p.m.

CALENDAR 2019

February 5- Meeting March 5- Meeting April 7- TFKC Show April 9- Meeting May 7- Meeting June 4- Meeting July- Annual picnic, date to be announced August 6- Meeting (appoint nominating committee) September 3- Meeting September 15- Nominating committee report due) September - RDOD, date to be announced October 1- Meeting (Nominations accepted from the floor) November 5- Meeting (Elections of officers) **December 3- Meeting** (Installation of officers)

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

TFKC annual dues are now due for 2019. Come join with us for another fun year.

Our annual all breed point show - obedience and rally trial will be held on Sunday, April 7th @ the Eastern States Exposition Center. Should be a great show and a lot of fun. If you're new to dog shows and want to find out what they are all about, coming to the show is a great way to start. Our meetings continue to be held the first Tuesday of the month at Apple Rehab in Shelton. Hope to see you all soon! Deb Lindsay

Achievement Awards dinner







Congratulations to STAR Puppy Graduates in December 2018!





FYI

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

This is a request from Apple Rehab.

Brags



January 6, 2019 - Springfield Mass, Merrimack KC "Kaptain" <u>Wilslands Kaptain Von Lutters V Bethany</u> Farms was WD for 2pts.

"Kai" WIIslands Kream of the Krop V Bethany Farms was WB for 2pts and "Driver" <u>CH WIIslands Kurve in</u> <u>the Road V Bethany Farms</u> went BOS for 5 GRCH points under judge Mr. Garry Newton

Driver, Kai and Kaptain are littermates who will be 2yrs old on Feb 7, 2019. Its not often 3 littermates walk into a ring and all 3 of them walk away with the ribbons! **Laura Wells CVT CCRP**



Dry Grass Veloce Diavolo Castellano del Lago CGCA TKI RI, recently began making therapy visits as a newly certified TDI therapy dog. He has made 5 visits in the month of January. Submitted by Chris Sweetwood and Lauren Friedman.



Ch. Drago Castellano of Trollbo MH CD RE THDD JHR CGCA TKP (TDIGOLD, TWT), 2013 AKC ACE Award winner for Therapy, has completed 11 therapy visits and 2 library visits from November 31, 2018 to January 29, 2019

Chris stewarded at the AKC National Championships, on December 15th and 16th and Lauren and Chris judged at Flaherty Field Trial area on December 9, 2018.

Submitted by Chris Sweetwood and Lauren Friedman.



How's this for not liking the cold! "Bogie" all wrapped up in a blanket! Laura Wells CVT CCRP

CHEESE PLEASE HOUND ROUNDS (FOR DOGS)

2 CUPS WHITE FLOUR ¹/₂ CUP SHREDDED LOW FAT CHEDDAR CHEESE ¹/₂ CUP LOW FAT COTTAGE CHEESE 1 TEASPOON CHOPPED CILANTRO LEAVES 1 TEASPOON PARSLEY FLAKES 2 TABLESPOONS VEGETABLE OIL ³/₄ CUP CHOPPED PEANUTS (OPTIONAL) 2/3 CUP OF WATER

PREHEAT OVEN TO 375 DEGREES MIX FLOUR, CHEDDAR AND COTTAGE CHEESE, CILANTRO AND PARSLEY ADD OIL (PEANUTS) AND WATER AND MIX THROUGHLY BREAK OFF GOLF BALL-SIZE PIECES AND SHAPE INTO BALLS PLACE ON GREASED BAKING SHEET AND BAKE FOR 30 MINUTES (CHECK AFTER 20) COOL ON A RACK AND SERVE. STORE IN A SEALED CONTAINER IN THE REFRIGERATOR Cindy R.



Trap Falls Kennel Club is saddened by the death of our friend Jon Nowinski of Emergency Animal Rescue Services (EARS)

Jon was a true animal lover and donated so much to communities with his ambulance and lectures on how to help animals In need.

Jon participated at several of our Responsible Dog Ownership Days and spoke at a couple of our meetings on handling

Emergencies & having a first aid kit to use until you could get your pet to the vet.

He will be greatly missed by everyone that knew of him and his work.

AKC Delegate News

AKC PAC Caricature Fundraiser

At the AKC National Championship in December, the American Kennel Club Political Action Committee (PAC) hosted a fun, new initiative to raise money and awareness of the PAC's efforts to advance dogfriendly public policy. Donors of \$40 or more to the AKC PAC who came by the AKC PAC booth on Saturday or Sunday afternoon got a caricature of themselves and their dog by renowned caricature artist Rafael Diez.

In supporting the AKC PAC, participants are taking an active role helping protect their right to own, exhibit, and breed dogs and ensure that legislators understand that AKC dog club members will hold their legislators responsible for laws impacting dog ownership

The custom drawings were published in *The AKC Gazette* & *PureDogTalk.com*. Select drawings will be featured in Dog News. Sittings went so quickly that the event will be extended to Friday for the 2019 AKC National Championship with additional social media opportunities.



Drago and Chris.

DEADLINE for the March-April newsletter is March 7, 2019

Editors Comments: Please send photos (Photos must be sent as jpeg attachments) directly to me at <u>csweetwood@att.net</u>. Please fully identify the persons in the photo. 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.

Remember to include "TFKC" in the heading or it may never get opened due the high SPAM content these days.