



# CAPE COD KENNEL CLUB

## Newsletter

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## **From your Editor**

As I do this edition of the Newsletter I can not believe it's almost summer. In this issue we have some information on our Sanctioned Match. Next month we will have more information, such as judges, etc. Don't forget in a few months is the Cranberry Cluster. In this issue I have enclosed your catalog advertising form. I have also enclosed the flyer for the ABC's of Dog Breeding Seminar by Claudia Orlandi to be held at our dog show.

Enjoy May!

*Cynthia*

## **E-Mail Addresses**

We have been sending e-mail reminders of upcoming meetings and other reminders to all members who have given us their e-mail addresses. I have been receiving a few back as undeliverable. If you have not received an e-mail from me, please send an e-mail to me so I have your e-mail address. If you have blocked any e-mails, please allow any from **capecodkennelclub@verizon.net**.

## **Hunt for Articles**

I am looking for dog-related articles for the newsletter. During this I know you all have them. Here are the requirements:

- They must be dog-related
- I need to be told the source of the article, and for published articles, I need the name and address of the Editor.

## **Upcoming Meetings**

**May 1, 2006**

General Meeting at Im-bii's at 7:00 p.m.

**May 22, 2006**

Board Meeting @ Carol's house at 7:00 p.m.

**June 11, 2006**

CCKC Sanctioned Match (details to follow)

**June 24 & 25, 2006**

S. Windsor Kennel Club will hold an Obedience & Rally seminar.

### **Webmaster**

Donna Martino  
www.capecodkc.org

### **Deadline**

Any articles/brags for the June Newsletter must be received by the Editor by 05/20/06.

## Canine Brags

Jackie Owens' Aussie, Jingles, (Maine-Ly Troubador's Noel CD, FFX-OG, CGC) took first place at the Rhode Island Kennel Club with a 194 on April 16. Jingles placed 4th in NB with a 196.5 on April 1 at the New England Dog Training Club Trial.

Ch. Grampian's Irene Addler, a scottish terrier bred by Charles and Debra Stevens and owned by Patricia Gallatin and Peggy Browne, earned a group 3 on 4/13/06 and a group 2 on 4/14/06 at the Northern California Terrier Association in Sacramento California.

Ch. Dobe's Den Point Becky, a pointer owned by Helyne Medeiros was Group 3 at North County KC on April 1 & Group 3 at Trap Falls KC on April 7.

## Obedience Column

*by Jackie Owens*

Hi All! I am looking forward to writing an Obedience Column for our Newsletter. Having put three CD Titles on dogs but not one Open leg, I am still very much a newbie with volumes to learn. By sharing opinions, concerns, training problems, ideas, pet peeves and positive observations we can make this a lively column. Email your comments to me : [rosehoss@cape.com](mailto:rosehoss@cape.com), please put CCKC in the subject box.

Last spring, after my run in my class, the steward handed me my leash, I took the leash, put my hand under my dog's collar and exited the ring. Whoops, a no, no. But I had no idea. A woman came up to me and explained the rules state you must leash your dog before leaving the ring.

The following fall, I had a run off with a gal and she did the same thing. She was lucky the judge didn't see her do it. I explained the rule to her. She was very thankful, as I had been.

Train with laughter!

## Training Classes

The schedule is as follows:

### SCHEDULE:

6:00 p.m. Basic Obedience—7 weeks

6:30 p.m. Puppy Kindergarten—5 weeks

6:45 p.m. Intermediate Drop-in

7:30 p.m. Attention (6 weeks) Includes theory (how a dog learns), attention games, how to motivate your dog, attention in heel position progressing into attention while moving, introduction to sit stay and down stay, introduction to front.)

8:15 p.m. Show Handling Drop-In

### AGILITY:

Imbi's Dog Friends Co-op, West Yarmouth

6:30 p.m. Foundation 1 – 6 weeks

7:45 p.m. Foundation 2 – 6 weeks

Sea Horse Farm, Harwich

6:30 p.m. Teamwork 1 – 6 weeks

6:30 p.m. Handling Skills – 6 weeks

7:45 p.m. Teamwork 2 – 6 weeks

7:45 p.m. Course Skills – 6 weeks

### COST:

Agility @ Imbi's: \$95 non-members/\$90 members

Agility @ Sea Horse Farm: \$90 non-members/\$85 members

### Next class starting dates:

Agility @ Imbi's 05/25/06

Agility @ Sea Horse Farm: 05/16/06

## Member's Pictures Wanted!

We are busy updating the CCKC web site and creating slide presentations for future meetings, and we'd like to include as many member photo's as possible. Please submit your favorite pictures of you and your dogs (not just show pictures). You can bring them to the next meeting, email them to [cckc@comcast.net](mailto:cckc@comcast.net) or mail them to: Donna Martino, 232 Skunknet Rd, Centerville, MA 02632. All printed photo's will be scanned and promptly returned. Please be sure to identify the subjects, and feel free to include a quip or quote!

### **AKC Canine Ambassadors and Public Education Coordinators**

Calling all AKC Canine Ambassadors and Public Education Coordinators, (PECs), to a summer of fun and service to your community. The summer is a great time to get involved with the youth groups in your community. The opportunities may present themselves in a number of ways; 4-H events, scouts' activities, summer camps, library reading programs, and day-care and other youth group programs. The important thing is to get involved!

Many of you are already planning summer education programs and we encourage you to let us know what you're doing so we can share your ideas with others. Also, please remember that the AKC Public Education department can help you with your programs by supplying educational materials, including kits featuring lesson plans and DVDs about "Safety Around Dogs" and "Best Friends," (how to be a responsible dog owner).

For more information please contact the AKC Public Education department at [publiced@akc.org](mailto:publiced@akc.org) or Larry Sorenson, AKC Director of Public Education, at (919) 816-3722. And if your AKC club has not appointed a PEC or Canine Ambassador, don't hesitate to contact us and we can get you started. We look forward to working with you!

***If anyone is interested, please contact John at [forecastlabs@verizon.net](mailto:forecastlabs@verizon.net) or Helyne at [seasydehm@aol.com](mailto:seasydehm@aol.com).***

### **AKC Community Achievement Award to Highlight AKC Responsible Dog Ownership Day**

*- \$1,000 Presented to AKC Affiliated Clubs Hosting Exceptional AKC RDO Day Events—*

The American Kennel Club announced today that the fourth quarter Community Achievement Awards will solely honor AKC clubs hosting exceptional AKC Responsible Dog Ownership Day (AKC RDO Day) events in September 2006. AKC RDO aims to educate first-time dog owners about the responsibilities of dog ownership and help current owners enhance their relationships with their pets.

For the fourth quarter only, any AKC-affiliated clubs, AKC-recognized federations and their members who host an AKC RDO Day event in their community are eligible for nomination. Nominations for the AKC Community Achievement Awards are accepted year-round. Up to three honorees are named each quarter. Award recipients will receive a certificate and a check for \$1,000 payable to the club or federation's public education and canine legislation efforts.

All AKC-affiliated dog clubs are encouraged to participate in AKC RDO Day by holding public events in their communities anytime during the month of September. Last year, more than 350 local events were held around the country with activities such as micro-chipping. "AKC Meet the Breeds", "Safety around Dogs for Kids" presentations, AKC Canine Good Citizen testing and agility, training, therapy and police k-9 demonstrations.

The AKC Community Achievement Awards have traditionally honored those who have successfully promoted purebred dogs and responsible dog ownership within their communities or who have successfully introduced, monitored and responded to legislative issues affecting dog ownership.

The deadline for entry is October 31, 2006. Winners will be announced at the Delegates meeting immediately following the AKC/Eukanuba National Championship in Long Beach, Calif. On December 5, 2006. Along with a nomination form, a picture of the AKC RDO Day event with club members must be submitted. Self-nominations are permitted. For more information and to download the entry form visit our Community Achievement Award section.

To learn more about AKC Responsible Dog Ownership Day, sign up to hold an event or view photos and information about previous years' events, please visit or AKC RDO Day section

### **CCKC Sanctioned Match**

Our Sanctioned Match will be June 11, 2006 at the Upper Cape Regional Technical School. For those prospective members, please note that helping on the match satisfies one of the meeting requirements for full membership. Anyone who would like to help can contact Meb Stanton (508) 548-8766, Leslie Little (508) 548-8537 or Marie Hannah (508) 385-8116. We need help in all areas.