



The Waving Girl

Newsletter of the Savannah Kennel Club

JANUARY 2012



NEXT MEETING: January 23rd 7:30 pm (arrive earlier to eat)
Logan's Roadhouse; 11301 Abercorn Street; Savannah, Georgia 912-921-1510



HUGE congratulations and thank you to all who worked hard on the RDO Day. The SKC won an award for our efforts in making it such a success. We are so very proud of our great members and community supporters!

January is our time to set up committees. Please review the committees and see where you can best help (no experience needed!!) the club be a success.

Club Committees:

- ADVERTISING/PUBLICITY - Post information locally about SKC events
- AWARDS - Collect owner & dog info & have awards made for Xmas Party
- BREEDER REFERRAL - Advertise the service w/cards @ Vet & Groomers etc & provide info to people seeking Responsible Breeders
- HISTORIAN - Collect Club records & make sure they are stored safely
- LEGISLATION - Keep up with all local & state proposed changes to laws affecting purebred dogs & dog showing & Breed specific laws
- MEETING PROGRAMS - Arrange for guest speakers at meetings on subjects of interest.
- MEMBERSHIP - Greet guests, notify when to vote in new memb. maintain Memb. list, & send form in Nov. to update list & collect dues
- NEWSLETTER - Collect info to produce & distribute Newsletter, each month
- PUBLIC EDUCATION - Arrange dog programs in schools, etc & Info tables at local events
- PUREBRED RESCUE - produce list of purebred dog rescue groups & work w/ local shelters to rescue purebred dogs
- SUNSHINE - send get well, sympathy, etc cards to club members
- WEB SITE - maintain & update web site & facebook page

Special Event Committees:

- ART SHOW - arrange a School Dog Safety program, collect the art work, order AKC coloring books, buy ribbons & gift cards for prizes.
- DOGGIE DERBY - Contact Humane Society re details, buy ribbons & get cash prizes, seek volunteers, get megaphone, whistle, SKC banner, make rule signs
- EASTER EGG HUNT - set date & arrange site, seek donations for prizes, fill eggs w/dog treats, print entry forms, arrange volunteers. Plan extra event, E. Bonnet Contest or games
- HALLOWEEN COSTUME. - Set date & arrange site, seek donations for prizes, print entry forms, get judges & judges gifts, find volunteers
- HANDLING CLASSES - Set dates & site, contact judges, also OB ring & judge have a disclaimer on sign-in sheet. Need Grooming Table
- MEET-A-BREED - (needs to be w/another event) set date & site, contact club members to bring dogs, produce breed info cards, arrange OB/Agility demo print entry/sign-in w/disclaimer
- RDO DAY - Set Date & arrange site, Notify AKC & order supplies, arrange for advertising chair, rescue contact chair, plan for activities to be held at the event.

President: Kelly Meyer **Vice-President:** Eileen Jones **Secretary:** Debbie Anderson **Treasurer:** Chris Simon
Board Members: Lisa Harmon, Eduardo Rivas, Sandy Simon, Rachel Peeples, Joyce Whittal

B/OB/RO Match:

MATCH CHAIR - Arrange Date & Site, AKC application, seek Judges (4) Produce Poster & Match Flyer, print & send out. seek volunteers, order ribbons, armbands, entry forms. produce Judges books. judges gifts, take entries; mark Judges books, get stewards, hire security

OB CHAIR - manage OB ring, get stewards

RALLY CHAIR - manage Rally ring, get stewards

TREASURER - collect entry fees, pay bills

Dog Show:

SHOW CHAIR - Contract w/superintendent & w/site, Make Application to AKC, Produce Prem. list info. & j. program info Contract Photographer, Stewards, Parking , Equip. Security, Vet & EMT. Must be on site during show hrs. Plan out site. Follow up on all Committee chairs

JUDGES CHAIR -(MAY NOT HANDLE IN BREED) Select judges panel, contact judges for availability, make contracts, assign breeds & classes, produce AKC judges forms. Make Motel arrangements, work w/Judges Transportation chair. Special needs. Letter to judges re arrangements

JUDGES HOSPITALITY - (MAY NOT HANDLE IN BREED) contract caterer for 20 meals a day, Inventory & purchase supplies. Set up ring boxes, prepare site & keep clean. Maintain snacks & beverages all day. Make rounds of the rings often.

JUDGES TRANSPORTATION -(MAY NOT HANDLE IN BREED) work with J. chair, produce schedule for transporting J. from motel to show & back. Get volunteers.

OB CHAIR - Run ring, make poster, find stewards, maintain prizes

RALLY CHAIR - Run ring, get & handout prizes, find stewards

TREASURER - Be on site to collect & count all cash, pay bills. Produce Show report

TROPHY CHAIR - decide on trophies & cost, seek donations, club first, then others (vet, groomers etc) Produce Trophy sheets for Prem. list, order Trophies, bill & collect donations, produce Trophy cards, 1 set goes w/prize, 2nd set goes to rings (must be signed w/# of winning dog) when prize claimed. Display trophies (1/2 hr before start of judging), hand out to winners.

EYE CLINIC CHAIR - Contact Eye Dr. set up volunteers & collect fees get change & cash box

GHOST TOUR CHAIR - Contract Trolley & Dinner site. Be available to go on tour.

VENDOR CHAIR - contact vendors, produce & collect contracts & deposits, plan & mark off vendors space

Upcoming Events:

- * January 21st - Run-thrus (AB/Rly/O) at Pawsitive Obedience
- * **January 23rd - SKC Meeting, Logan's Roadhouse, 7:30 pm
Elections, Committee selection, etc- please come!**
- * January 28 & 29 - Ladsen, SC , AB/Rly/OB
- * February 2-5 - Atlanta, GA - AB/Rly/OB
- * February 10-12 - Mobile, AL - AG
- * February 17-20 - Lakeland, FL - AB/Rly/O
- * February 17-19 - Greenville, SC - AB/Rly/O
- * February 17-19 - Savannah, GA - AG
- * February 23-26 - Hattiesburg, MS - AB/Rly/O
- * February 24-26 - Decatur, AL - AG
- * **February 27th - SKC Meeting, Logan's Roadhouse, 7:30 pm**



Congratulations to Susan Daly's Anka for her recent successes in the show ring (Savannah and Clemson)!!

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ON GROUP REALIGNMENT:

<http://www.infodog.com/surveys/dssagroupsurv.htm>

