

Barks and Tails

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MEETING NOTICE

The next General Membership Meeting is *Wednesday, March 7, 2018, at Kay's Bar-B-Cue, 1552 King St. (SR 520), Cocoa, Florida, at 7:00 pm.* Members wanting dinner please arrive at 6:00. Directions: From I95, take Exit201 (SR 520 toward Cocoa Beach. Travel to Clearlake Road and make a U-turn. Kay's is on the north side of 520. Website: <http://www.kaysbarbque.com>.

2016-2017 CLUB OFFICERS

President	Edna Corney
Vice-President	Leslie Glaze Kovacs
Secretary	Maureen Finch
Acting Treasurer	Catherine Crampton
Directors	Catherine Crampton
	Marsha Dyal
	Donna Lee

PRESIDENT'S CORNER

DUES ARE NOW DUE AND PAYABLE.
PLEASE BRING TO THE MEETING.

Proud mom-mom moment:

Former BKC Jr. member Bishop Corney is now a Jr. post processing engineer. Don't exactly know what it means other than he has a good job and I am so proud of him.

We are working on plans for the RDO-type day with Pam Shia Tales of the Barkery and awaiting okay from AKC for our April Fast CAT.

We sent a basket to Betty and would like to send another. Her favorite thing is apricots. If you see any apricot jelly, canned apricots, or anything apricot, bring it to the meeting and we will include it in the next basket.

Thinking of you cards might be nice too.

See you at the meeting.

Edna

2018 DUES NOTICE

BKC dues are to be paid yearly on or before April 1. They are \$2.50 for a junior member (under age 18), \$5 for an adult member and \$8 for a domestic partnership.

If dues are not paid by April 1, the membership falls into poor standing and the member(s) cannot vote or hold office. Until July 1, membership can be returned to good standing simply by paying the dues.

After July 1 and until October 1, the board of directors may, in meritorious cases, approve acceptance of late dues payment. After October 1, the former member must reapply for membership. Dues may be paid at the General Membership Meeting or mailed to:

Catherine Crampton
3580 Belle Arbor Circle
Titusville, FL 32780.

WELCOME NEW MEMBER: Judy Denny

EMERGENCY MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Wednesday, December 27, 2017

With a quorum being present, an emergency meeting for the members of the Brevard Kennel Club was called to order by acting president, Leslie Kovacs, at 7:00pm.

Members in attendance are on file with the club secretary.

Purpose of the Meeting

Leslie Kovacs – to address a potential change of date and venue for our June Cluster. At this time Leslie turned the meeting over to Brevard Kennel Club's Show Chairperson, Catherine Crampton.

Show Report

Catherine Crampton – it has been brought to the attention of the Brevard Kennel Club Board of Directors that the Central Florida Fairgrounds will be increasing the rent for the June 2018 cluster by \$5,000. In addition, the management for the fairgrounds has scheduled an outdoor concert on the Friday evening of our cluster. The management for the fairgrounds is expecting 10,000 people to attend the concert. They have also told us that RV parking for our event will be restricted.

On behalf of the cluster, Linda Rowell, the Cluster Chairperson, checked into alternate sites which included Tampa, West Volusia and Ocala. Linda's findings:

- Tampa was \$5,000 per day which is too expensive, and there were other issues with the site including the caterer for the facility.
- West Volusia does not permit dogs to stay in the building overnight and they were not sure that our dates would be available.
- Ocala, is an outdoor facility, so the site would not be conducive to a show in June, however, the Greater Ocala Kennel Club would be willing to add us to the front end of their cluster in November. The cost to rent the show grounds, including ancillary items such as golf carts, portable bathrooms and a dumpster for trash, would cost our club approximately \$5,000.

The largest benefit of moving the cluster to Ocala in November is to keep the current make-up of the cluster intact.

After much discussion a motion was made by Brenda Warner and seconded by Lyn Dowling and Tonya Williamson to move the June show date to the first week-end in November for 2018 and change the location of the cluster to the Greater Ocala Dog Show Grounds. With a majority vote in favor of the motion, the motion passes.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned at 7:36 pm.



Que and Dare got there AKC Achiever titles. Smart Aussie boys!

Marv Thrasher

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

January 3, 2018

With a quorum being present, a regularly scheduled meeting of the Brevard Kennel Club was called to order at 7:00pm by Brevard Kennel Club President, Edna Corney.

Attendance – on file with Secretary.

Minutes

Maureen Finch – The minutes for the December 6, 2017 regularly scheduled membership meeting were accepted as written.

Emergency Meeting Minutes

Maureen Finch – the minutes from the December 27, 2017 emergency membership meeting were accepted as amended.

Membership

Maureen Finch – Judy Denny was voted into membership during our November meeting.

Treasurer Report

Betty Page – the report was accepted as written.

Show Report

Catherine Crampton – the following recommendation was by Catherine to clarify that the members of BKC are not going to have to vote on staying with the cluster at the Greater Ocala Dog Training facility, “as long as everyone in the room understands that Brevard Kennel Club does not have to reaffirm the Greater Ocala Dog Training facility every year.

The application to move the BKC dog show from Orlando in June to November in Ocala has already been submitted, and we are waiting on the Ocala club to sign off on the paperwork.

Catherine received several cards from judges thanking us for our hospitality during the December cluster. The Biewer Terrier Club of America sent a thank you note along with a donation of \$100 to thank us for allowing them to host their first National Specialty at our show. Lyn Dowling made a motion to return the check to the Biewer Terrier Club of America. The motion was seconded by

Brenda Warner, and with all in favor, the motion passed.

Match – No Report.

Fast CAT

Marsha Dyal – we have 93 registrations. We need help with setting up the equipment on Friday at 4:00. Canine Star Academy will provide catering both days. AKC has developed an Excel program to enter the registrants, run times, when people check in, etc., that will ease the recordkeeping process.

Legislative

Brenda Warner – the legislative session started early this year. Any potential bills pertaining to dogs will be at the legislative level; nothing at the local level right now.

Public Relations

Brenda Warner – a recommendation was made, by Brenda, to have Lyn Dowling take over the Public Relations position for the club. Lyn agreed to take the position over from Brenda.

Handling

Edna Corney – please check the club website for current handling class schedule.

Old Business

Edna Corney – Carol Pincheck reported that she spent 14 hours researching the NAIA to find out what their plans are for the legislative push to prevent dogs from being imported in to the United States. Carol was unable to find any information on the NAIA site or in any searches that identified that NAIA is taking on this battle.

Maureen Finch sent an email to Patty Strand, President of NAIA, requesting information on who the lobbying firm was that they hired and what would the plan of action be for the push. To date, Maureen has not heard back from Patty or anyone at NAIA.

(January 3, 2018, Meeting Continued)

No further movement on the disaster trailer. Still waiting on the Sheriff's to complete the grant application.

New Business

Edna Corney – Pam Shaia would like to have an RDO Day program in Cocoa Village sometime in the spring. The members in attendance thought this would be a great idea and would like to participate.

Brenda Warner made a motion to have the Brevard Kennel Club President, Edna Corney, look at appointing a by-laws review committee that would be responsible for reviewing our current by-laws. This same by-law review committee would be charged with putting together a Strategic Planning

Session in June to help the club create a mission statement and the future direction of the club. The motion was seconded by Susan Thibodeaux. With all in favor, the motion carries.

The Board of Directors, at their next regularly scheduled meeting, will discuss the potential formation of a committee to research locations for future dog shows closer to Brevard and Orange Counties.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned at 8:50pm.

Guest in attendance:

Paula Weber, Alan Weber, Melody Gibson, Brice Eck, Heather Bates, and Gary Bates



Carter received an invite to the Rally National. Carter and Murphy were contacted by Milk-Bone. They were asked to pose and post on Instagram to raise awareness for the Dog Bowl the day before the Super Bowl.

Johann Goines

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

February 7, 2018

With notice have been given and a quorum being present, a regularly scheduled meeting of the Brevard Kennel Club was called to order at 7:05pm by Brevard Kennel Club President, Edna Corney.

Attendance – on file with Secretary

Minutes

Maureen Finch – minutes approved as amended.

Treasurer

Catherine Crampton – no report

Show Report

Catherine Crampton – we are currently working on the judging panel for the November show, as well as the December show. Linda Rowel has no problem with club members looking for alternate locations to hold the cluster. Catherine will get the specific requirements for the type of facility we will need out to the members in the next newsletter.

Microchip

Pam Shaia – investigated the possibility of providing microchip scanners to the Police Departments and Sheriff's Department in Brevard County. There is no need for the purchase of scanners, the Police and Deputies would not use them. Pam suggested that the board not fund the project.

Match

Edna Corney – we will not host a match in 2018. Catherine checked on the programs we have completed to date, and we have met our AKC compliance requirements.

Publicity

Lyn Dowling – no report.

Fast CAT

Edna Corney – we would like to hold another Fast CAT before the weather gets too warm. Marsha Dyal will investigate hosting a Fast CAT on April 28 and 29 at the property on SR 524.

A Day with Your Dog

Pam Shaia – will be held on April 15 in Cocoa Village. Brevard Kennel Club would like to host a lure chase for fun to introduce dog owners to fun things they can do with their dogs. In addition, we will host a Meet the Breeds area. We are going to need volunteers to help with this event.

Disaster Trailer

Edna Corney – Sheriff is working on the paperwork.

Handling Class

Edna Corney – the set of Happy Feet we purchased have arrived and are at the training club. Please check the Brevard Kennel Club website for potential changes to the handling class schedule. If we continue to have classes of 15 or more dogs, we will request an additional 30 minutes of time from Canine Star, so we can split the handling class up between large dogs and little dogs.

Legislation

Catherine Crampton – Sheriff Ivey did a wonderful job addressing the County Commission on the new version of the animal welfare legislation in Brevard County.

By-Laws

Edna Corney – a copy of the club by-laws will be sent out with the next newsletter.

New Business

Edna Corney – Brenda is looking for a location to view the Westminster Kennel Club Dog Show. Brenda also requested donations on behalf of Mike Gowen and his bitch Emmie, who were attending Westminster but were short on funds.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned at 8:20pm.

Guests:

Melody Gibson, Paula Weber, Alan Weber, Kim Davis, Brice Eck, Heather Bates, Sherry Hatfield, Tamytha Jenkins.



Ricky- GCH Darkside's Walker Stalker was BOB at the Progressive Dog Club's Toy Show and Select at Westminster. Ricky is owned by Susan Thibodeaux and co-owned and bred by Madonna Lee.



Blaze took WD on Sunday at the Lakeland shows this past weekend.

Scott Armstrong



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A Day With Your



Sunday, April 15, 2018
11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Riverfront Park
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ACTIVITIES

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Brevard Kennel Club

Fast Coursing Ability Test (Fast CAT)

2 Runs each day: 9AM and 1:00PM

Saturday, April 28, 2018
Sunday, April 29, 2018

6071 Route 524
Cocoa, FL 32926

Contact Kristin Halkovic (halk@cfl.rr.com) or visit our Website, www.brevardkc.org for the Premium List, and our Facebook Page for more information.

Pre-Entries: \$20

Close April 15, 2018 at 5 PM

Day of Test: \$25



**Watch
them fly!**



Structure, Movement & Pedigree Analysis With Dr. Carmen Battaglia

A must attend All-Breed seminar for the novice and serious breeder alike!

Dr. Battaglia is a renowned breeder, author, AKC Delegate and Professor. His vast knowledge in areas of genetics, breeding, competition, structure, movement, and pedigree analysis have been published in a number of reputable veterinary and animal journals. The Sunshine State Papillon Club is pleased to have him present this wonderful seminar.

Date - Sunday – June 3rd 2018

Time - 12:00pm-4:00pm

Location- Park Inn By Radisson - 3011 Maingate Lane, Kissimmee, FL 34747

Seminar Contents:

Principles of structure and movement

Understand between the faults of conformation and the aesthetic flaws

How to code structure the faults and virtues in pedigrees

****Dr. Battaglia's book, *Breeding Dogs to Win*, will only be available as part of the registration fee and is offered at a discounted rate of \$23.00 – this is a 20% savings of the list price! ****

[NOTE: Registration form is included as an attachment to the newsletter.]

Let's Coach Scent Work! A Two-Day Event in Florida with Robert Hewings - UK Scent College

When: 20 Oct 2018 9:00 AM, EDT

Where: 9122 Kenton Road, Wesley Chapel, Florida

- Auditor – \$180.00 — This registration enables you to attend the full two day workshop and learn from Rob across the workshop curriculum.
- Working Spot – \$300.00 — This registration enables you to bring your dog and work directly with Rob Hewings

This two day seminar will follow a journey from conditioning scent-identification through to understanding the tacit knowledge of search. We will examine how we can problem solve and progress our training, incorporating scent-work within other aspects of dog training.

For Information: <https://www.diagnosticscareercenter.com/event-2827076>

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