



**OCTOBER 2008**

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**CHATTANOOGA CHEW CHEW NEWS**

Chattanooga Kennel Club  
P.O. Box 4567  
Chattanooga, TN 37405

**NEXT MEETING OCTOBER 14 AT THE GOLDEN CORRAL**

**GUNBARREL ROAD**

**CHATTANOOGA, TN**

**AT 7:30 PM**

**COME AND ENJOY GREAT FOOD AND LEARN.**

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**Chattanooga Kennel Club**

**Officers and Board 2008**

President: David Gilstrap

Vice President: Norlee Reece

Recording Secretary: Marilyn Harban

Treasurer: Sandra Weigle

Corresponding Secretary: Barbara Kreischer

Bulletin Secretary: Gail Evans

Board Members:

Patricia Hill

Paula Steele

Lisa Asbury

Joe Berryman

Anna Quarles

Jane Price

AKC Delegate: David Gilstrap

**“THANK YOU”**

Thanks to everyone who worked the many hours to make the CKC show a wonderful event. It takes everyone working together to hold a successful show.

Carlene Gilstrap

## **2009 Slate of Officers and Board Members**

From the Nominating Committee: Paula Steele, Jerry Davis, Nancy Pearl

President---Sandra Weigle

Vice President---Jerry Davis

Recording Secretary--Ann Raines

Corresponding Secretary--Mary Menozi

Treasurer--David Gilstrap

Bulletin Secretary--Marilyn Harbin

New Board Members---

Gail Evans

Barbara Kreischer

Carlene Gilstrap

AKC Delegate--Dave Gilstrap

Board Members for Second Term--

Jane Price

Joe Berryman

Paula Steele

## *THANK YOU!*

I would like to thank everyone that helped make the B\_MATCH a wonderful success... with out you guys it would never go as smooth as it did. I have had great feed back from most of the judges . and they where so happy to be part of the match... also the stewards where awesome, again THANKS SO MUCH...

Richard Harper

## WAGS & BRAGS

Donna Coffin

2 Brags

Name & Breed:

M & M Mtn's Not Ur Ordinary Smith, Bernese Mountain Dog.

Handled by: Wendi Cowell

Show date: Friday 8/22/2008

Sawnee KC, Atlanta, Ga.

Brag: Winner Dog Best of Winners Best of Breed over specials

Name & Breed:

M & M Mtn's Not Ur Ordinary Smith, Bernese Mountain Dog.

Lawrenceville KC, Atlanta, Ga.

Show date: Saturday 8/23/2008

Brag: Winner Dog & Best of Winners for 3 Point Major.

## WAGS & BRAGS (cont'')

Aleatha Plott,

Belgian Tervuren puppy girl....at the Lawrenceville KC show in August, in her first weekend out, having just turned 6 mos., she went WB for her first 3 pt major. On Friday, she had gone reserve. On Sunday, at our CKC show, she went BOS for another 3 pt major and it was over a bitch special that was the #1 bitch in the country last year.....YEA!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Sky Acres Blue Ridge Bonanza, aka Bonnie, "came up" through our handling classes in Cleveland, under Jerry's very patient tutelage!

Thanks.



## PROGRAM OF MONTH

This months program  
will be on  
contracts.



Board Meeting Minutes  
Sept 9, 2008

Attending: Norlee Reese, Joe Berryman, Lisa Asbury, Sandra Weigle, Paula Steele, Patricia Hill, Marilyn Harban, Anna Quarles, Jane Price, and Gail Evans. Absent: David Gilstrap, Barbara Kreisler .

Meeting called to order at 6:15 PM by Vice-President Norlee Reese, at Golden Corral Restaurant. (President, David Gilstrap was in NJ at the Delegates meeting.)

M/S/P to approve minutes as printed in Bulletin.

Treasurer: Sandra Weigle distributed the Treasurer's Report to Board. M/S/P to Approve as reported. Report is on file. Thank you was received from American Humane for our Big Rig donation of \$1000.00.

Corresponding Secretary: Absent

Letter read to Board from Houston and Toddy Clarke regarding nominees for AKC Lifetime Achievement Awards.

Show Report:

Lisa reported that Vendors are down this year.

Discussion was held in regards to eligibility qualifications of those nominated for Officers and Board positions.

M/S/P to adjourn at 6:55 PM

Respectfully submitted

Marilyn Harban, Recording Secretary

M/S/P = Motion/Seconded/Passed by Board

General Meeting Minutes  
September 9, 2008

General Membership Attendance List on File with Membership Chairman – 31 members were in attendance with 1 guest

Meeting called to order by Vice-President, Norlee Reece at 7:35 PM, Golden Coral Restaurant

Recording Secretary: M/S/P to accept minutes as printed in Bulletin for August. Board Meeting Minutes were read.

Treasurer's Report was distributed to membership. Treasurer asked for comments. None reported. Report is on file. M/S/P to accept Treasurer's Report.

Corresponding Sec Report: Financial Report from Canine Health Foundation was received.

Treasurer read thank you from American Humane for our donation to their Big Rig.

Show Committee Reports:

- Carlene reported she is pleased with the entry. Set-up starts at 8:00 AM on Friday. Tents go up on Wednesday however there is no set-up under the tent until noon on Friday. We still need gate workers. Micro-chip Clinic also needs help.
- Publicity Chair, Laura Oakley has done a great job setting up publicity. Monday at 12:30 PM she appeared on Don Welsh with Ann Bolus on "This and That". There were other spots on TV and Radio, a spread in the Chattanooga Times Free Press and a reporter will be attending our show.
- Hospitality will provide food for all workers at the show.
- Match – All judges are excited to be doing our Match. Over 50 pre-entries have been received.
- Trophy Committee: Sign-up sheets are being circulated for workers

Training Classes – Three more classes left at Play Dog Excellent. Next session starts in November.

Program – Next month's program will be on Contracts. Ashley would like program ideas for November and next year. Please contact Ashley or bring your idea to the October meeting.

Membership Chair, Jerry Davis introduced our guest, Tina Brandt. She has Great Danes.

Membership voted for 2009 AKC Lifetime Achievement Awards: Robert Smith, Kenneth Buxton, and Mary Jo Trimble received the most votes.

Legislative Chair: Jane Price spoke for Regina Steward, GA Legislative liaison. It is against the law to take a tracking collar off a dog or remove a collar on a dog with an electric fence. If you would like to know breed specific exclusions with Insurance Companies, contact Regina.

Gigi Nash reported on Chattanooga Legislative activity. She feels there needs to be more pro-active dog education for City council. Gigi will address ideas on how we can best do this and report back.

Old Business: Canine Health Conference is now available on CD. If you would like a copy of this 17 hr presentation, contact Marilyn Harban.

New Business:

Christmas banquet will be held at the Sheridan Reed House, December 9. Sign-up sheet will be circulated for the next two months. If you are not able to attend the meetings and would like to come, contact Nancy Pearl.

Kathryn Fuller announced she will no longer do the Award Plaques and needs a volunteer to continue this for our Club Awards. Ashley Watkins has volunteered.

Corrections were made to September Bulletin, Nominations for Officers. Bulletin Secretary nomination is Marilyn Harban.

Braggs!!!!

M/S/P to adjourn 8:20 PM

Respectfully submitted,  
Marilyn Harban, Recording Secretary