

DKC Newsletter
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Scratch a dog and you have
a job for life.

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**Watch for news of
a summer
workshop for
instructors and
assistants.**



Durham Kennel Club Newsletter

Lakeland Terrier Terrier Groups



The Lakeland Terrier was bred to hunt vermin in the rugged shale mountains of the Lake District of northern England. He is a small, workmanlike dog of square, sturdy build. His body is deep and relatively narrow, which allows him to squeeze into rocky dens. His attitude is gay, friendly, and self-confident, but not overly aggressive. He is alert and ready to go.

Background: The Lakeland Terrier was first known as the Patterdale Terrier originating in the Patterdale Lake District. It was bred to hunt fox and otter. In 1871, a Lakeland Terrier is said to have crawled 25 feet under rock in pursuit of game. Freeing the entombed dog took 3 days of blasting.

Approved: January 15, 1991
Effective: February 27, 1991

Show Ring: Height: The ideal height of the mature dog is 14½ inches from the withers to the ground, with up to a one-half inch deviation either way permissible. Bitches may measure as much as one inch less than dogs.. **Weight:** The weight of the well balanced, mature male in hard show condition averages approximately 17 lbs. **Eyes:** Moderately small and somewhat oval in outline. **Ears:** Small, V-shaped. **Bite:** Teeth, which are comparatively large, may meet in either a level, edge to edge bite, or a slightly overlapping scissors bite. **Coat:** Two-ply or double, the *outer coat* is hard and wiry in texture. The *undercoat* is close to the skin and soft and should never overpower the wiry outer coat. The Lakeland is

hand stripped to show his outline.. **Color:** A variety of colors, all of which are equally acceptable. Solid colors include blue, black, liver, red, and wheaten. In saddle marked dogs, the saddle covers the back of the neck, back, sides and up the tail. Grizzle is a blend of red or wheaten intermixed in varying proportions with black, blue or liver. **Feet:** The feet turn neither in nor out.

Breeding and Whelping: An interval between seasons of 12 to 15 months is not rare. First estrus can be as late as 2 years. The average litter is 3 to 4 pups and whelping is generally easy if the bitch is not overweight. Most pups are almost solid black at birth with possible tan points. Dewclaws are removed and tails docked.

Disqualifications: Overshot or undershot bites.

Recognized Problems: Cryptorchidism, possible incidence of **Legg-Perthes** and **Von Willebrand's disease.**

Old Age: Lakeland Terriers remain vigorous into old age, living for 15 years or longer.

From: Ross D. Clark, DVM & Joan R. Stainer. Medical and Genetic Aspects of Purebred Dogs; AKC. The Complete Dog Book (20th ed.) and the AKC web site.

Summer Meetings

The next meeting of the DKC membership will take place on **Monday, September 17th**. Do plan to attend and bring a dish for our potluck dinner.

Dinner will be served at 7:00 p.m. Bring a friend to share at 7 and furry friends are welcome at 7:30.

September Program: The program will be announced.

COMMITTEE CHAIRS

<u>Conformation Classes/</u>
<u>Breeder Referral</u>
Nancy Adams
<u>Obedience Classes</u>
Marge White
<u>Spring Show</u>
Connie Howard
<u>Fall Show</u>
Peggy Schmidt
<u>Agility Trials</u>
Mary Whorton
<u>Obedience Trial</u>
Mary Oppermann
<u>Tracking</u>
Jack Sappenfield
<u>Membership/Newsletter</u>
Terri Toohil
<u>Cheer</u>
Dana Pritchett
<u>Rentals(building/land), Obedience</u>
<u>equipment & Yard Sale</u>
Sharon Pitz
<u>Social</u>
Jeanne Stringall
<u>CGC Program-/Maintenance (outside)</u>
George Beglane
<u>Librarian, Recycling</u>
Denise McDonald
<u>Agility classes</u>
Lisa Roberts
<u>Education</u>
Kirk Ridge
<u>Legislative Liaison, Tail Waggers</u>
Joanne Harrar

May DKC Member Minutes

Durham Kennel Club Membership Meeting –May 21, 2007.
 Following a presentation by DKC Education Chair Kirk Ridge, President Roger Akers called the meeting to order.
 Minutes of the April 16, 2007 meeting, were approved as published.
Treasurer: There was a Financial Report read and is available upon request from the Treasurer. Turn in any income or expenses to the Treasurer as soon as possible.

Agility Classes: We have three more Monday nights left.

Conformation Classes: Doing well. We have new people coming and have Lynn Reagan-Hull and Ann Carter helping.

Obedience Classes: Winding down. Classes end at the end of the month.

Spring Show: Connie was instructed by the Board to change the entry fees to include reducing entry fees for second entries, bred by exhibitor classes and puppy classes. And to Increase the entry fees for Junior Showmanship. Connie feels that we will not increase our entries by doing this and we will take a loss.

The Tarheel Cluster Chair received a letter from AKC's Robert Fisher describing the items that need to be improved on the cluster. These items include: 1) Improve lighting in Jim Graham building, 2) Have clean up personnel around grassy areas, 3) Need for better parking & traffic control around the buildings, 4) Access for handicapped parking needs to be available to the handicapped and 5) Parking of motor homes & box vans on the South side of the building need to be made safer. These items will be talked about at a June Cluster meeting.

Fall Show: Maria Walker is the Obedience Chair and she still needs a few more people to help steward.

Obedience/Rally Trial: Judges have been hired and plans are under way.

Show N' Go's: April 11th, Saturday, is Novice and April 12th, Sunday, is Open and Utility. We need lots of help. Please contact Dana Pritchett or Linda B. Kay if you would like to help with the Show-N-Go's.

Newsletter: Send brags, but please follow the format that is posted on the bulletin board in the lobby.

Membership: The following were voted in for Candidate Membership: Constance L. Steffens and Russell Dillard and for Regular Membership: Barbara M. Dillard. Congratulations.

Building Rental: Going strong.

Yard Sale: The date is June 23rd. Thursday & Friday will be open for sale item drop offs. No clothing. Electrical items in good working order will be accepted. All that you bring will be appreciated.

CGC: This Saturday, the 26th, is our next test. Sign up. Registration starts at 8:30am.

Seminars: We held our first real seminar a couple of weeks ago. It was very successful. All positive feedback. It was the May 12-13, 2007 Carol Pernicka - Tracking seminar. We have some good ones coming up!! The next ones coming up include: June 16-17, 2007 Myra Savant-Harris - Whelping and August 4-5 Debbie Quigley and Judy Ramsey - Training for Multiple Venues. Winston-Salem has them for an instructor seminar the following weekend and if we are interested, we can get a discount, but the checks must all go in together. Contact Jan Gray if you are interested in this. Dates and topics of booked seminars are on the web site. Hard copies of the seminar flyers are on the table in the lobby!!!

Nominating: The Slate for DKC Offices in 2007:

President	Roger Akers
Vice-President	George Beglane
Recording Sec.	Denise McDonald
Corres. Sec.	Ann Carter
Treasurer	Emilie Beglane
Director	Tracy Fletcher
Director	Jan Gray
Director	Linda Kerr
Director	Terri Toohil
AKC Delegate	Linda Wozniak

The slate was voted in by a majority of votes.

Old Business: Fall show Trophy Donations – Please mail to Peggy Schmidt or let Dana Mackonis know of any donations that you have made.

Announcements: Memorials for DKC in memory of Carol Quinlan

– Please let Dana Pritchett know of any ideas for a permanent memorial.

Instructor's Meeting - There will be an Instructors meeting June 6th at 7pm. Come if you are interested. Everyone is welcome and we would love to have your opinions. This is for all areas of teaching. Obedience, Agility, Tracking, Conformation, Rally, etc. We need to look at advertising and ways that we advertised in the past.

Following several brags, the meeting was adjourned at 9:07pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Denise McDonald

Durham Kennel Club
Recording Secretary

UPCOMING TRACKING TEST

There will be a TDX Tracking Test at Quail Roost on Sunday, October 21st.

Volunteers are needed on the 20th and 21st. Help at all experience levels is needed. Please call Jack if you can assist in any way.

Jack Sappenfield 919 598-5318

UPCOMING EVENTS

June 23 (Sat.) [DKC]

YARD SALE

Sharon Pitz 919 384-9071

Aug. 11 & 12,

Dec. 8 & 9

(Sat.-Sun.) [DKC]

2007 SHOW-N-GOs

Oct 21 (Sun.) [Quail Roost]]

TDX

Jack Sappenfield 919 598-5318

Carol Quinlan

It is with a sad heart that we report the passing of Carol Quinlan, a very active and long time member of the Durham Kennel Club.

Carol was in charge of organizing our Obedience Classes at the DKC for many years and we could always count on her help.

The family has asked that any donations be made to the Durham Kennel Club.

Carol will be greatly missed.

YARD SALE INFO

SAVE THE DATE...and your goodies.

The DKC Yard Sale is planned for June 23, 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM.

We will be receiving your unwanted, cherished donations Thursday evening from 7 - 9 PM and Friday from 10 AM - 8 PM.

We do not take clothing, but will be happy to have accessories such as scarves, jewelry, purses; and the usual (and unusual) household and yard items.

Books, records, movies, cassettes, furniture, wall hangings, camping and sporting equipment are always popular.

We ask that electrical items be in safe, working order.

Also, if boxes have been in storage, please make sure they are pest free.

We will be happy to price items for you.

If your donations remain at the end of the sale and you want them back, please be at DKC by 10:30 to reclaim your items.

If you want to volunteer to help with set up or break down, please contact Sharon Pitz and leave a call back number @ (919) 384-9071, or

pitz0001@earthlink.net

Please note that donated items will not be sold prior to Saturday.

*Many thanks
to the 70%
of our members who have
sent in their Dues.*

FALL SHOW CATALOG ADS

Have you thought about putting an ad in our Fall show Catalog?

Have fun and help your club!!!

The person to contact regarding Fall Show catalog ads is Donna Schafer.

Hiledge@earthlink.net or
919- 467-1215

AKC Introduces Online Record Keeping

[Tuesday, June 05, 2007] : The American Kennel Club® is pleased to announce that Online Record Keeping, a new service for breeders of AKC® registered litters and dogs, is now available. Any breeder with a My AKC account now has access to this free service, which provides a centralized area to manage and maintain dog and litter records online.

"We are pleased to offer breeders of AKC dogs this new complimentary online feature to help them manage their dog and litter information," said David Roberts, Assistant Vice President of Registration and Customer Service. "Breeders can access their personalized breeding, ownership, and registration records from any computer with internet access at any time. This service is only the beginning of a variety of online features planned for the future."

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CONFIRMATION SHOW REPORT Please Note: **ONLY AKC WINS WITH AKC TITLES ARE LISTED IN SHOW REPORTS.**

OWNER'S NAME	DOG'S NAME (BREED)	SHOW & DATE	CLASS	PT	HIGHEST WIN	SPECIAL MERIT
Sandra Curtis-Powell	Osama (Australian Terrier)	Piedmont KC (4/7)	12-18 mo	4	BOW	Entirely Owner Handled!!!
Vern & Mary Bell	Newbee (Westie)	Fayetteville KC (3/25)	Open Bitch	3	WB, BOW, BOS	Major!!!
Dr. Jacqueline Harris	Chako (Siberian Husky)	Piedmont KC (4/8)	Open		BOB	CH!!!
Dana Mackonis & Diane Hofstetter	Dakota (Belgian Tervuren)	Amer. Bel. Tervuren Speciality (5/4)	Open Dog	5	WD	4th weekend out, 4th Major!!!
Alice Reid	Yazmine (Dobie)	Valdosta KC (4/12)	Open Bk Bitch	4	BOB	
"	"	Augusta KC (4/13)	"	4	WB	CH!!!

PERFORMANCE SHOW REPORT: OBEDIENCE, TRACKING, HERDING, FIELD TRIALS, LURE COURSING AND AGILITY, ETC.

OWNER'S NAME	DOG'S NAME (BREED)	SHOW & DATE	CLASS	SCORE	LEG	PLACEMENT	TITLES & AWARDS
OBEDIENCE							
Stacy Garvin	Shadow (Belgian Sheepdog)	BSCA (4/25)	Veterans	195		1	
"	"	BSCA (4/26)	Veterans	190		3	
Rhonda Morin	Jesse (Sheltie)	Alamance KC (3/22)	Nov B	187.5	1		
"	"	Durham KC (3/23)	Nov B	188.5	2	4	
"	"	Raleigh KC (3/24)	Nov B	192.5	3	4	CD!!!
Lynn Reagan-Hull	Moseley (Westie)	Columbia Terr. Assoc. (4/20)	Open B	197		1	HIT!!! 2 more OTCH pts.
Dana Pritchett	Scout (Cavalier KC Spaniel)	WS DTC (3/03)	Nov B	189.5	1		
"	"	FKC (3/25)	Nov B	184.5	2		
"	"	RDOB (4/15)	Nov B	185	3	3	CD!!!
Tammy Abernethy	Skye (Labrador Retriever)	Beckley WV KC (4/29)	Utility A		1	1	
RALLY							
Stacy Garvin	Bond (Belgian Sheepdog)	BSCA (4/25)	Exc B	98	1st	1	
"	"	BSCA (4/25)	Adv B	98	RAE	2	
"	"	BSCA (4/26)	Exc B	100	2nd	3	
"	"	BSCA (4/26)	Adv B	100	RAE	4	
Maria Walker	Dax (Rottweiler)	Carolina DTC (3/17)	Nov B	98	1	4	
"	"	Merrimac DTC (4/28)	Nov B	96	2	3	
"	"	Merrimac DTC (4/29)	Nov B	86	3		RN!!!
AGILITY							
Stacy Garvin	Bond (Belgian Sheepdog)	BSCA (4/25)	Ex B Std		2	1	Reserve HIT!
Emilie Beglane	Keira (Lab. Retriever)	Durham Kennel Club (4/21)	Nov STD Pref	95	1	3	
"	"	Durham Kennel Club (4/21)	Nov JWW Pref	100	1	1	
"	"	Durham Kennel Club (4/22)	Nov STD Pref	100	2	1	
"	"	Durham Kennel Club (4/22)	Nov JWW Pref	95	2	3	
George Beglane	Bentley (Lab. Retriever)	DOTC Lynchburg (4/29)	Ex B JWW	100	5		
Amanda Stipe	Weaver (Beagle)	DKC (4/20)	Ex A Std	100	1	1	

		DKC (4/22)	Ex A Std	100	2	1
Ken Nelson	Squirt (Border Terrier)	DKC	Ex A		3	1
"	Tiger (Border Terrier)	DKC	Nov V JWW		1	1
EARTHDOG						
Ken Nelson	Squirt (Border Terrier)	PRTC of America (5/19)	Sr. Earthdog	Q		SE!!!
"	"	PRTC of America (5/19)	Master Earthdog	Q	1	
"	Tiger (Border Terrier)	PRTC of America (5/19)	Sr. Earthdog	Q		SE!!!
"	"	PRTC of America (5/19)	Master Earthdog	Q	1	
MF Davis	Kate (Border Terrier)	Palmyra, VA (5/12)	Sr. Earthdog		3	SE!!!
"	"	Palmyra, VA (5/13)	Sr. Earthdog		4	Extra leg!

AKC Introduces Online Record Keeping (CONTINUED FROM PAGE 3)

With the new Online Record Keeping service, breeders can record mating and birth information for litters and view official AKC litter registration information including dog registration status for all puppies in a litter.

There is also a handy address book function that gives breeders an easy place to store contact information for co-owners and puppy buyers. And the AKC's secure, password protected breeder record service keeps your information secure and private.

In addition to being able to record and view information, breeders can also quickly print AKC Dog Ownership, Breeding, and Litter records. If the breeder completes the necessary fields in the record-keeping system, all of the information required for AKC record-keeping rules and regulations will be pre-populated on these forms.

This new service also allows a breeder to record sale and ownership information for the puppies and to manage puppy records by adding notes about breeding and whelping. For those breeders that have already taken advantage of online dog registration to record sale and new ownership information for their puppies, this information has been moved to the Online Record Keeping section of *My AKC* for easier access.

If you have an authenticated *My AKC* account (or want to start one - just go to the home page on the upper right hand box and start the quick process), maintaining your dog and litter records online is just a click away.

Follow these easy steps to get started:

1. Login to your **My AKC** account.
2. Sign up for **Online Record Keeping** services from the main page.
3. Go to the **My Dogs and Litters** section.
4. Click **Breeder Records** to view, create and maintain breeder records, view AKC litter and puppy registration information, and manage puppy records.

For more information go to: http://www.akc.org/services/breeder_records.cfm

DURHAM KENNEL CLUB

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

JUNE 1, 2007 – MAY 31, 2008

DEADLINE: JUNE 1ST !!!!!

NAME: _____

MEMBERSHIP TYPE: _____ [Call me if there is a question. Phone # below.]

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

E-MAIL: _____

BREED(S): _____

PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:

1. Are you able to receive your DKC newsletter as a PDF e-mail attachment? YES NO
[Note; The PDF e-mail attachment and the download from the DKC website get to you about a week before the hard copy.]

2. Do you wish to have your name on the DKC web site mailing list? YES NO

Please make your checks payable to DKC and mail to:

**Terri Toohil
DKC Membership Chair
5017 Pine Trail Dr.
Durham, NC 27712**

**Questions?
Phone: 919-471-8303
E-mail: ttoohil13@aol.com**

<u>Membership Levels and Fees</u>	
Regular Member (RM)	----\$20
Regular Family (RF)	----- \$30
Candidate Member (CM)	- \$10
Candidate Family (CF)	---- \$15
Junior (under age 18) (J)	- \$ 1
Life Member (LM)	- -- <u>NO COST</u>

Durham Kennel Club

Volunteer Opportunities

Please check areas where you might be interested in volunteering during the coming year. Also list any special skills, training or experience you might have. This will allow committee chairs to know who to contact when help is needed. Thank you.

Fall show/obedience trial (September)
many helpers needed

Cheer (to respond to illness and losses within DKC)

Spring show/obedience trial (March)
many helpers needed

Outside building projects (painting, building repairs, brush clearing, trimming, land cleanup, etc.)

Fall agility trial (September)

Inside building projects (painting, repairs, etc.)

Spring agility trial (April)

Obedience trial (December)

Social committee (setup/cleanup for club meetings)

Obedience show & go's (setup, judging, stewarding)

Public education programs

CGC tests

Library

Tracking tests (test secretary, tracklaying, coordinating lunch)

Program

Obedience classes (instructors, assistants, organization)

Recycling

Building rental

Rally classes (instructors, assistants, organization)

Awards committee

Agility classes (instructors, assistants, organization)

Yard sale (setup/cleanup, staffing)

Show handling (instructors, assistants, organization)

Special skills, training, or experience

Finance committee

Clinic/workshop/seminar planning

Name: _____

Phone: _____ e-mail: _____

Please return completed form to Terri Toohil with your Dues Form (Address is on Dues Form)