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Durham Kennel Club Newsletter

April 2010

Dogs Likely Descended From Middle Eastern Wolf (by Joe Palca, NPR)

(March 18, 2010) Modern dogs are descended from wolves, but the question has been: which wolves? Now, scientists at the University of California, Los Angeles say they have the answer. By comparing the DNA from both dogs and wolves, the UCLA researchers say the first place that domesticated dogs called home was somewhere in the Middle East.

Robert Wayne, who led the research team, says he was somewhat surprised by the result. "Previous papers have suggested it was East Asia," he says. But Wayne says those papers focused on a small subset of DNA called mitochondrial DNA, instead of looking across all 2.4 billion letters that make up the dog genome.

To come up with their results, Wayne and his colleagues studied DNA from more than 200 wild gray wolves. "We looked at wolf populations in Europe, the Middle East and East Asia and from China," he says. In each case, they sought out and found genetic markers that were unique to these different wolf populations. So, for example, there were some markers that were only found in Chinese wolves, and others only found in Middle Eastern wolves.

Then they analyzed DNA from more than 900 dogs from 85 breeds, and looked to see which of the wolf markers dogs most closely resembled. It turns out that most dogs shared markers unique to Middle Eastern wolves, although there were some dog breeds that were closer to other wolf populations.

"Many wolf populations may have contributed to the genomic diversity of dogs, but the dominant signal comes from the Middle East," says Wayne. The new research appears in the journal *Nature*.

"I can't say that I am surprised by the results," says Tamar Dayan, a zoologist at

Tel Aviv University in Israel. "I would have been surprised if they were different."

Dayan says dog skeletons 12,000 or 13,000 years old have been found in what is now northern Israel. "They're found in burials with humans in a very clear human context."

This is probably not the final word on the subject of dog domestication. Some scientists think Wayne and his colleagues are barking up the wrong tree, so to speak. But Wayne plans to gather more genetic data that he hopes will fill in any gaps in the history of dog domestication.



Photograph courtesy of Nadav Perez

DNA analysis showed that most dogs share genetic markers with Middle Eastern gray wolves, like this one photographed in Israel.

April Meeting

The next meeting of the DKC membership will take place on Monday, April 19, 2010. Do plan to attend and bring a dish for our potluck dinner.

Dinner will be served at 7:00 pm. Bring a friend at 7:00 and furry friends are welcome at 7:30 pm.

Program: Kristy Everette, LRT/CTRS from the Duke Medical Center Therapy Dog program, will give us information about this.

A Message from Marge White

As some of you know, the last two years have brought much sadness to my family. First, the terrible motorcycle accident that killed my son, Michael, and then the death of my husband of over 54 years. After Mike's death, Carroll and I had spoken of relocating to be nearer our son, Jim, but Carroll's illness advanced and he became too sick to make a move. I am going ahead with those plans, albeit now by myself. I have purchased a house in Tennessee, which will put me where I want to be, closer to my family.

I have been an enthusiastic and, I hope, contributing member of the Durham Kennel Club for many years, and have had the pleasure of seeing it grow and become one of the premier dog clubs in our country, not only in my opinion, but in others, too. I have been involved with much of that growth and success and, for sure, when I leave here, a part of me will remain with this club and I will also take part of it with me. I am filled with wonderful memories that I will always treasure. I am grateful for my good friends, many of whom I would probably never have known, had it not been for this club.

I should be moved to my new house sometime in the middle of April, but you will not be completely free of me. Some of you will recall that I have a little border collie named "Jet," and she and I have our sights set on at least two more titles, so I'll be around at trials, tests, and wherever dog folks gather... You'll find me there with a little black and white dog and I hope to see some of you there, too.

I wish for this club continued growth and success. Be proud of what has been accomplished in a relatively short period of time: the purchase of the Harris Road property, the club house building itself and all of the equipment in it, and most recently, the property behind the building. It is truly amazing what a group of dog people can do when they put their minds and hearts to it. Thanks for letting me be a part of it.

-- Marge

DUES can be sent in any time now.

The 2 forms are at the end of this newsletter.

A membership will be considered as lapsed and automatically terminated if such member's dues remain unpaid 30 days after JUNE 1st, which is the first day of the DKC fiscal year.

Fall Show Trophies

The fall show will be on Saturday, September 4, 2010. Trophies this year will be a breed specific night light and rosettes for Best of Breed/Best of Variety only (not BOS, BOW, WD, and WB) and a container (probably a bucket, basket, or bowl) filled with dog-related goodies for 1st place in obedience and rally. I will be donating training tabs for 1st place in obedience and rally to go with the goody basket.

Rosettes will be for WD, WB, BOW, BOS, and BOB for breed classes, and 1st - 4th places for obedience and rally classes. The cost to sponsor an obedience or rally class, or a breed, will be \$35.

The deadline to sponsor an obedience or rally class, or a breed, is April 20, 2010 so we can meet the premium list deadline.

If you want to donate other items, you need to let me know by April 20, 2010 and get the items to me no later than August 15, 2010.

You can contact me at ttoohil13@aol.com or send your check [made out to DKC] and what you want to sponsor to me at Terri Toohil, 5017 Pine Trail Dr., Durham, NC 27712.

Thank you all in advance for sponsoring breeds and/or classes. This club always has more prizes than the other clubs on the circuit. And if you have any questions, please feel free to ask.

-- Terri Toohil



Greetings to the Kennel Club from Vanna Condax, Eclipse, and Iowa!



Pauli Girl

**MACH4 One Ash ST. Pauli Girl
ADHF UD RAE OF OFP MXP MJP3**

5/12/1996 – 03/23/2010

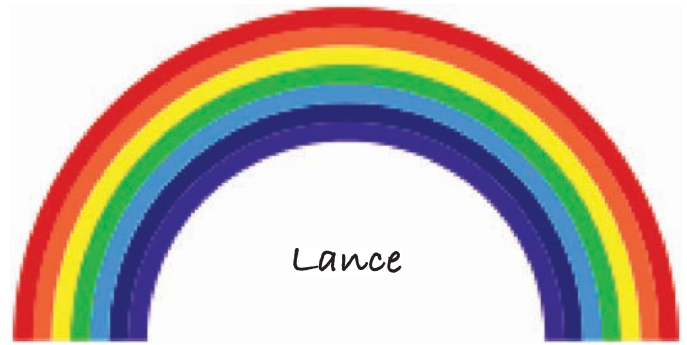
I am overwhelmed at the outpouring of love & support during this saddest of times. It is so difficult for me to put pen to paper... How many "write ups" have I done for Pauli Girl??? So many for awards, brags, ads, titles and etc. Such joy & ease they have always been to write... I am at a loss for words now... Is it the pain? Is it the realization that we are separated? Just like Pauli Girl's knocked bar rate, I can count on both hands how many times we were apart in the last 12 years...!

I can't even remember all the titles she has in so many different organizations & venues... All I remember is the fun, the connection, and the pure joy of life that Pauli Girl exuded and spread!!!!

A few weeks ago, Pauli Girl was at the Charlotte Agility trials visiting with so many of her friends – this was one of her favorite trials. She played, ran and had a great time!! Did she know it was her last trial?? At Pet Therapy, she was the dog who would help patients cross over... I think she somehow knew...

Saturday... she played ball with me... Sunday... she only got up to go outside a few times... Monday... she ate roasted chicken, wagged her tail, lifted her head; but could not get up... So we talked all night & early Tuesday morning Pauli Girl & I took our last ride together... I told her she could FLY OFF all the contacts she wanted to...she could no longer get hurt!!!! I thanked her for allowing me to be her partner.

-- Denise McDonald and Beck



Lance

**Marandon's Sir Lancelot of Orion
CGC RN**

April 1999 - March 2010

Marandon's Sir Lancelot of Orion, CGC RN and overall sweet guy. He passed of hemangiosarcoma that spread to his lungs and brain. We lost him 48 hours after diagnosis.

Lance was born in April '99, he would have been 11 this month. He always walked thru downtown Durham with us and he had a confident swagger and a huge, happy smile on his face. He was always so happy to be with us, we can't tell you how many hundreds of people he made smile over the years on his many downtown walks. He went to work with me every day and always alerted me to a nervous dog (I am a dog groomer) which made a nicer experience for the dog and a safer one for me. Years ago I had asthma pretty bad and he always told me every single time when it was coming...the old nose bump and big eyes, staring intently into my face told me to get my inhaler. He also went camping with his 'dad' every year, it was perhaps his most favorite thing to do.

--Beth Johnston



Proposed Members, April Meeting

The applicants below will be read into membership at the meeting on April 19, 2010:

- Candidate Memberships: Robert Russell, Luann Mack Drinkard, Teddi & Joe Hendrickson.

A big thanks to all who stewarded at the Obedience trial, and to those who offered to help but weren't needed. Emmy Wolters served all day as Table Steward. Ellen Beasley, Brett Winn, Stephanie Spencer and Debra Miller were ring stewards. Debra brought Joyce Falzarano to "shadow" and learn about stewarding because she's very interested in obedience, training her dog and getting involved in DKC. What a great way to get new people involved in the sport. Thank you, stewards!

Unfortunately, entries for both Rally and Obedience were down for this cluster. We can only guess at the reasons -- the poor economy, the location in a busy breed show building, conflicts with agility, the start of spring break. The lack of a reserved crating area for Obedience/Rally exhibitors at the Fall show may also have something to do with it, because many exhibitors complained and vowed to not return. If anyone has suggestions to increase entries for Obedience & Rally at our Spring & Fall shows (even radical ones), please direct them to the DKC Board. We don't want to see Obedience decline further.

-- Lynn Reagan-Hull, Spring Obedience Chair

SUPER POOPER SCOOPERS!

DKC members did an excellent job once again on poop patrol. A big thank you to Greg Dunnegan, Mary Florence, Sharon Pitz, Helen Glenn, Jodi LaBombard, Evyenia Dunlap, Sally & Kirk Ridge for stepping in to do this "glamorous job." Did anyone notice that almost no trash barrels were put out this year by the fairgrounds staff? Therefore people were using the poop buckets for trash...so they filled up even faster...which made our work harder. Thanks again.

-- Lynn Reagan-Hull

Health Clinics

We will be sponsoring health clinics at the DKC building on February 26, 2011. A variety of testing will be available. This will be in addition to the clinics at the fall show, but will give those who are too busy at the shows an opportunity to get their dogs tested. More information will be available soon, but put the date on your calendar and share it with friends. We hope many will take advantage of this opportunity, and we'll need lots of volunteers to help handle paperwork and help with dogs.

-- Jan Gray

Minutes, March 2010 Meeting

The minutes from the March 2010 membership meeting are not available at this time.

Rally at the Spring show was a big success thanks to the hard work of the following stewards: Brenda Vogel, Jodi LaBombard, Wanda Moriarty, Judy Cosler, Susan Baldrige, and Helen Sanderford. Even the judge commented on how smoothly it ran. Also, give a big thanks to Linda Wozniak who, along with me, donated the prizes. Please don't forget Rally when signing up for trophies.

-- Ann Carter, Rally Chair

I want to thank from the bottom of my heart those that helped me with hospitality at our DKC Spring show at the Fairgrounds: MF Davis, Sharon Berthold, Brenda Adams, Irena Pulkstenis, Cindy Swanson, and all the others who came by and gave these volunteers a hand. Like a wedding, the show needs many helping hands to make everything go so smoothly. Thank you for taking the time to help your club!

-- Cathleen Rubens, Hospitality Chair



There are some members who receive a printed copy of this newsletter via the US Mail. If you are on this list but have an email account, PLEASE consider accepting the newsletter as an attachment, or look at it on-line when it is uploaded to the DKC website. You will get it MUCH faster! (It is also formatted for the computer screen rather than print, so it will LOOK better, too! Thank you.

--Cathy Wells

Tuesdays [11:00 - 1:00] & Fridays [10:00 – 12:00]

Open training time is informal and intended only for DKC club members whose dogs are already trained but need the stimulation of working around other dogs. These are fun sessions that allow us to come together for fellowship and training. Since these are not structured situations they do not lend themselves to solving control or aggression issues. DKC offers structured classes in the evenings.

We train a lot, share ideas, reading material, seminar information and laugh at our dogs and ourselves when we are just a bit less than perfect. We are glad you are here and know you will enrich the diversity of our group. We expect reasonable tolerance for casual momentary dog contact, but all owners are expected to maintain the control necessary to guarantee the safety and respect for the needs of others.

1. On the rare occasions when there is an encounter between dogs, it usually occurs when we are somewhat relaxed rather than when we are actively training. If you are sitting on the side lines or visiting with friends, keep your dog in a quiet, controlled sit/down stay, on a short leash.
2. Avoid congregating at the entrance, and make room for dogs and trainers to use the door or steps.
3. If you are working through any type of issue, work your dog far enough from others that the other dogs are unaware of you and your dog.
4. If there is any chance that your dog will disengage from your voice control during active training, keep him on leash. Do not allow your dog to rush up to other dogs. Even if your dog is just being friendly, such behavior can precipitate dog aggression and hard feelings between owners.
5. If you want your dog to socialize with other dogs, be sure to ask the other owners first.
6. We pick up our dog's poop and put it the dumpster outside the kitchen area.
7. In addition to the paper towels in the kitchen and restrooms, there are two rolls and spray bottles on the back wall for clean up. Blot, then clean with the solution.
8. If your dog lifts his leg on the porch area, wash down the soiled area.
9. Try to clean up the stray treats you may drop during training; clean up any food you may place on the ring gate stanchions; pick up your targets and chutes.

Although many of our regulars have been training dogs between 30 and 50 years, we all remember getting started and are delighted to welcome people new to training or just new to our club. Not only will you find our training group to be friendly and helpful, you will find an extraordinarily high degree of expertise and diversity of methods. Some of us use free shaping exclusively, others use prong collars with pop & praise. We have field trainers, MACH and OTCH trainers. Many of our trainers excel in several venues with the same dog. Several of our dogs have had conformation group placings, high in trials, TDXs. We have too many breed champions, agility titles, and dogs with UDs to count, but many of our dogs had to work through a shyness or aggression problem before they could earn that first title. We help each other when we can, but most of all we encourage, support, and enjoy each other regardless of our training goals or venues. If you need a baggie for poop, more treats than you brought or a long line for a dog that's not as ready to be off lead as you thought, just ask. If you need a patient helper to work through a desensitization challenge with a breed or obedience stand for examination, someone to scent your articles or if you need someone to play with their dog while you are proofing your dog's heeling, weave poles or signals, you are in the right place: just ask.

--Gwen Millner



June Yard Sale

The DKC Yard Sale is posted and scheduled for June 26, 2010 .

Please start to go through your "treasured items" you no longer want or need, and save them for the sale. As a reminder, **we don't take clothes**, but these items are welcomed:

- Accessories and jewelry;
- Electrical items (in safe working order, boxes free of crawling critters);
- Puzzles, toys, childrens games, books, audiobooks, CDs;
- Household items and furniture;
- Garden tools or gardening items;
- Dog / any animal supplies, equipment, crates, agility items are always popular;
- Linens, blankets, tablecloths, craft items, Christmas and holiday items;
- Exercise equipment;
- Auto supplies;
- Almost anything (legal) is needed!

If you see good items in your neighborhood out for grabs, be brave and ask if you can have them for our sale. They may be something someone has been looking for!

Watch for further information about dates for collection of the items and volunteering to help with set up and clean-up/ breakdown. Thanks.

-- Sharon Pitz



Judges and qualifying teams from the tracking trial on March 21, 2010. Congrats to all!

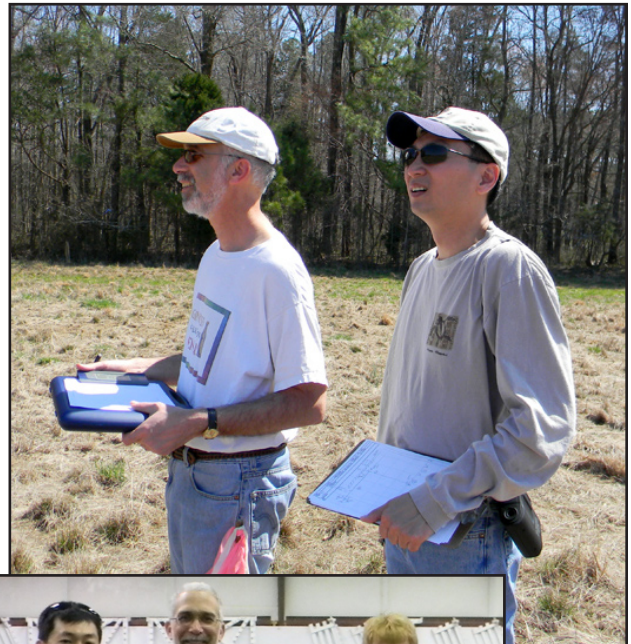


Dog Friendly Travel

Did you know? A website, www.dogfriendly.com, is about traveling with your dog all over the United States and even internationally. It gives a breakdown, by city and state, of dog-friendly accommodations, restaurants, RV parks, beaches, parks, and other sight-seeing locations. There are travel guides for various regions, etiquette tips, etc. Check it out! (And ask Terri Toohil about her recent trip to Wilmington with Sam!)

BE AWARE! You got an email with a link to this article earlier, but this is a reminder that tick season is in full bloom right now, so be careful. If you find a tick on you, please make a note of the date, just in case...

<http://www.newsobserver.com/2010/03/18/394678/lyme-disease-found-in-wake.html>



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George Beglane

Vice President

Dee Wallis

Treasurer

Roger Akers

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Ann Carter

Recording Secretary

Peggy Schmidt

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Nancy Adams

Director

Lisa Roberts

Director

Thomas Givens

Director

Terri Toohil

Director

Jan Gray

AKC Delegate

Linda Wozniak

Membership

Terri Toohil

Mark Your Calendars

April 23-25, 2010

Spring Agility Trials

Harris Road, Rougemont

May 15-16, 2010

Carol Pernicka Seminar

Danville, VA

June 19-21, 2010

Celeste Meade Seminar

Durham, NC

July 10-11, 2010

Tracking Regulations

Graham, NC

July 17-18, 2010

Chris Zink Seminar

Durham, NC

Proposed New Officers

Proposed Slate of Officers for 2010 - 2012

Office	Present	Proposed
Recording Secretary	Peggy Schmidt	Amanda Stipe
Corresponding Secretary	Ann Carter	Ann Carter
AKC Delegate	Linda Wozniak	Linda Wozniak
Board Member	Terri Toohil	Paulette Hicks
Board Member	Jan Gray	Maria Walker

The Election Committee has proposed the slate of officers for the 2010 thru 2012 term.

Remember that the by-laws were changed such that the candidates serve a two-year term .

Each candidate is limited to serve no more than two consecutive terms in a given position with the exception of the AKC delegate.

At the April meeting, nominations will be accepted from the floor; the nominee must accept at the meeting or provide a letter accepting the nomination.

The remaining offices will be up for election in 2011.

Upcoming Seminars

- TDX seminar by Carol Pernicka on May 15-16, 2010; all levels welcome
- Open and Utility seminar by Celeste Meade on June 19-21, 2010
- Tracking Regulations seminar by the AKC on July 10-11, 2010
- Chris Zink seminar on July 17-18, 2010 (see flyer for details)

Information on the above seminars is available in the DKC lobby and on the DKC website. DKC members who have done at least 2 services can take 15% off the registration fee. Please write your 2 services on your registration form. The discount must be taken at the time of registration.

Seminars scheduled for 2011 and 2012 (more may be scheduled) include:

- Obedience and Rally Rules by the AKC on June 18-19, 2011
- Obedience seminar by Janice Gunn on July 16-17, 2011
- Structure, Movement, and More by Pat Hastings and Debbie Gross Saunders on August 27-28, 2011; great for breed and performance dogs
- Obedience seminar by Betsy Scapicchio and Linda Brennan on January 21-22, 2012
- Handling seminar by Corky Vroom on August 25-26, 2012

Information on 2011 and 2012 seminars will be available later.

Committee Chairs

Agility Classes

Mary Whorton

Agility Trials

Tracy Fletcher

Breeder Referral

Nancy Adams

CGC Program/Outside

Maintenance

George Beglane

Cheer

Carolyn Wolfe

Conformation Classes

Nancy Adams

Dog Legislation

Jan Gray,

Linda Wozniak

Education

Kirk Ridge

Fall Show

Cathy Rubens

Legislative Liaison/ Tail Waggers

Joanne Harrar

Librarian/Recycling

Denise McDonald

Membership

Terri Toohil

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Cathy Wells

Obedience Classes

Mary Florence

Obedience Equipment/ Yard Sale

Sharon Pitz

Obedience Trial

Jan Gray

Rentals (building/land)

/Show & Go

Dana Pritchett

Social

Jeanne Stringall

Spring Show

Connie Howard

Tracking

Jack Sappenfield

SHOW REPORTS

Please Note: Only AKC wins with AKC titles are listed in show reports

Conformation Shows

OWNER'S NAME	CALL NAME	BREED	DATE	SHOW	CLASS	PTS	HIGHEST WIN	SPECIAL MERIT
Angie Taverna & Sharon Lyons	Kyra	Dalmation	3/24/10	Salisbury KC	12-18 mo	1	WB, BOS	
Angie Taverna & Sharon Lyons	Kyra	Dalmation	3/25/10	Alamance KC	12-18 mo	1	WB, BOS	to finish
Vern & Mary Bell	Emily	Westie	4/11/10	Piedmont KC	Bred-by Exhibitor Bitch	1	WB, BOS	
Lynn Reagan-Hull	Nick	Westie	3/24/10	Salisbury KC		1	WD, BOW	Owner-handled
Lynn Reagan-Hull	Nick	Westie	3/35/10	Alamance KC		1	WD, BOW	"
Lynn Reagan-Hull	Nick	Westie	3/27/10	Raleigh KC		1	WD, BOW	"
Lynn Reagan-Hull	Nick	Westie	3/28/10	Fayetteville KC		1	WD, BOW	" Champion
Betsy & Buddy Amos	Sinjin	Weimeraner	3/25/10	Alamance KC		1	WD	
Betsy & Buddy Amos	Sinjin	Weimeraner	3/27/10	Raleigh KC	Weim Club Swpstakes		win	
Betsy & Buddy Amos	Sinjin	Weimeraner	3/28/10	Fayetteville KC		3	WD	3-pt Major

Performance Shows (Agility, Field Trials, Herding, Lure Coursing, Obedience, Rally, Tracking, etc.)

OWNER'S NAME	CALL NAME	BREED	DATE	SHOW	CLASS	SCORE	LEG	PLACE	TITLES & AWARDS
AGILITY									
Maria Walker	Boch	Rottweiler	3/12/10	Charlotte	Nov Fast P	62	3	2	NFP
Maria Walker	Boch	Rottweiler	3/12/10	Charlotte	Exc B P	100		1	QQ
Maria Walker	Boch	Rottweiler	3/13/10	Charlotte	Open Fast P	72	1	1	
Maria Walker	Boch	Rottweiler	3/14/10	Charlotte	Exc B P	100		1	QQ
Maria Walker	Boch	Rottweiler	3/21/10	Danville	Exc B P JWW	100	10	2	MJP2
Maria Walker	Boch	Rottweiler	3/21/10	Danville	Exc B P Std	100	8	1	
Maria Walker	Boch	Rottweiler	3/26/10	YAC	OFP	72	2	1	
Maria Walker	Boch	Rottweiler	3/28/10	YAC	OFP	79	3	1	OFP!!
Beth Johnston	Gwennie	Std Poodle	3/27/10	YAC	Open Std		3	2	OA
Beth Johnston	Gwennie	Std Poodle	3/27/10	YAC	Open JWW		3	1	OAJ
Beth Johnston	Gwennie	Std Poodle	3/27/10	YAC	Open Fast		3	2	OF
Anne Fitzgibbon	Kenna	Border Collie	3/20/10	Danville KC	Exc B				20th QQ; MACH!
Tammy Abernethy	Skye	Laborador Retriever	3/26/10	YAC	Nov A Fast		2	1	
Tammy Abernethy	Skye	Laborador Retriever	3/26/10	YAC	Nov A Std	95	2	1	
Tammy Abernethy	Skye	Laborador Retriever	3/28/10	YAC	Nov A JWW	100	3	1	NAJ

DISCLAIMER: These show reports are presented with the information you send. Obvious typos will be corrected, but missing information is...missing.

Please send show results to Cathy Wells (msmillerunc@gmail.com)

Performance Shows (cont.)

OWNER'S NAME	CALL NAME	BREED	DATE	SHOW	CLASS	SCORE	LEG	PLACE	TITLES & AWARDS
EARTHDOG									
Deborah Kodros	Martin	Border Terrier	3/13-14/10	Furniture City DC	Sr E'dog	Q	3		SE
Lynn Reagan-Hull	Honor	Westie	3/13/10	Furniture City DC	Sr E'dog	Q	2		
Lynn Reagan-Hull	Honor	Westie	3/14/10	Furniture City DC	Sr E'dog	Q	3		SE
Lynn Reagan-Hull	Nick	Westie	3/13/10	Furniture City DC	Sr E'dog	Q	1		
Lynn Reagan-Hull	Nick	Westie	3/14/10	Furniture City DC	Sr E'dog	Q	2		
Lynn Reagan-Hull	Nigel	Westie	3/14/10	Furniture City DC	Sr E'dog	Q			
Lynn Reagan-Hull	Nigel	Westie	3/14/10	Furniture City DC	Mstr E'dog	Q			Endurance Earthdog
OBEDIENCE									
Susan Evenson	Eli	Border Collie	3/28/10	Fayetteville KC	Open B	198		1	HIT
Susan Evenson	Eli	Border Collie	3/28/10	Fayetteville KC	Util B	195		2	High Combined
Mary Whorton	Emmy	Border Collie	3/25/10	Alamance KC	Nov B	199.5		1	High in Trial
Mary Whorton	Emmy	Border Collie	3/26/10	Durham KC	Nov B	198.5		1	High in Trial
Susan Evenson	Jed	Border Collie	3/25/10	Durham KC	Util A	191	2	1	
Ellen Beasley	Luna	Aust Cattle Dog	3/25/10	Durham KC	Util B			1	
Ellen Beasley	Luna	Aust Cattle Dog	3/28/10	Fayetteville KC	Util B			1	
Terri Toohil	Sam	Border Collie	4/10/10	Lumberton DTC	Grad Nov	178.5	1	2	
RALLY									
Beth Johnston	Gwennie	Std Poodle	3/20/10		Exc		2	1	
Angie & Glenn Taverna	Jake	Labrador Retriever	3/27/10	Raleigh KC	Nov B	96	3		RN
Terri Toohil	Sam	Border Collie	3/25/10	Alamance KC	Exc B	88	3	3	RE
Sue McKinney	Smudge	Border Collie	3/25/10	Alamance KC	Exc A	97	2	1	
Sue McKinney	Smudge	Border Collie	3/26/10	Durham KC	Exc A	93	3	1	RE
Sue McKinney	Smudge	Border Collie	3/28/10	Fayetteville KC	Exc B	93		2nd	
Brian Stringall	Topaz	Golden Retriever	3/20/10	Carolina Dog Trng	Nov B	96	1	3	
Brian Stringall	Topaz	Golden Retriever	3/26/10	Durham KC	Nov B	89	2		
Brian Stringall	Topaz	Golden Retriever	3/28/10	Fayetteville KC	Nov B	96	3		RN
TRACKING									
Susan Evenson	Eli	Border Collie	3/28/10	Fayetteville KC	Util B	195		second	High Combined

Durham Kennel Club Membership Renewal June 1 - May 31

[Please fill both of the following pages.]

DEADLINE: JUNE 1 ST !!!

NAME: _____

MEMBERSHIP TYPE: RM RF CM CF J LM

[Call me if there is a question. Phone # below.]

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

BREED(S): _____

PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTION:

1. 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: 9194718303
Email: ttoohil13@aol.com

Membership Levels and Fees

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) ---- NO COST

DKC Volunteer Opportunities June 1 - May 31

DEADLINE: JUNE 1ST !!!

Name: _____
 Phone: _____
 Email: _____

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.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Fall show/obedience trial (September) many helpers needed	<input type="checkbox"/> Clinic/workshop/seminar planning
<input type="checkbox"/> Spring show/obedience trial (March) many helpers needed	<input type="checkbox"/> Cheer (to respond to illness and losses within DKC)
<input type="checkbox"/> Fall agility trial (September)	<input type="checkbox"/> Outside building projects (painting, building repairs, brush clearing, trimming, land cleanup, etc.)
<input type="checkbox"/> Spring agility trial (April)	<input type="checkbox"/> Inside building projects (painting, repairs, etc.)
<input type="checkbox"/> Obedience trial (December)	<input type="checkbox"/> Social committee (setup/cleanup for club meetings)
<input type="checkbox"/> Obedience show & go's (setup, judging, stewarding)	<input type="checkbox"/> Public education programs
<input type="checkbox"/> CGC tests	<input type="checkbox"/> Library
<input type="checkbox"/> Tracking tests (test secretary, tracklaying, coordinating lunch)	<input type="checkbox"/> Program
<input type="checkbox"/> Obedience classes (instructors, assistants, organization)	<input type="checkbox"/> Recycling
<input type="checkbox"/> Rally classes (instructors, assistants, organization)	<input type="checkbox"/> Building rental
<input type="checkbox"/> Agility classes (instructors, assistants, organization)	<input type="checkbox"/> Awards committee
<input type="checkbox"/> Show handling (instructors, assistants, organization)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yard sale (setup/cleanup, staffing)
<input type="checkbox"/> Finance committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Special skills, training, or experience

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