

HEEL AND SIT NEWS

Newsletter for The Great Salt Lake Dog Training Club

December 2023



What's Happening...

- Membership renewals due January 1st
- Award Forms Deadline January 2nd
- Banquet January 6th-RSVP By 12/31/2023
- Tuesday Class sign ups January 2nd
- Wednesday Class sign ups January 3rd

Meet The January Instructors...

- Austin Kalfaolv-Trick
- Dan Wheeler-CD/Open
- April Bruce-Rally
- Toni Sjoblom-Scent
- Lori & Lucas Fatheringham-Jr. Handler
- Mary & Quincey Hart-Jr. Handler
- Lance Matticks-Beginning
- Kelly Lytle-Puppy
- Liz Campbell-Intermediate

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MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Club Banquet January 6, 2024-RSVP by December 31st.
Sandy Bicentennial Park
February Club Member Meeting February 26, 2024

JANUARY TRAINING CLASSES SIGN UP



TUESDAY CLASSES

Rally at 7:00 pm
Beginning Rally at 8:00 pm
Beginning Scent at 7:00 pm
Advanced Scent at 8:00 pm

WEDNESDAY CLASSES

Puppy Class at 8:00 pm
Beginning Obedience at 7:45 pm
Intermediate at 8:30 pm
Trick Class at 7:45 pm
Advance/Open Class at 7:00 pm
Advanced Obedience at 8:30 pm
Junior Handler Class Puppy at 7:00 pm
Junior Handler Class Beginning at 7:00 pm

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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

General Meeting Programs: If there are topics you would like covered or experts you know that would be willing to present, please reach out to Betsy Coleman at betsycoleman123@outlook.com.

COOKING

CHRISTMAS COOKIES FOR DOGS



Prep Time: 15 minutes

Cook Time: 25 minutes

Total Time: 40 minutes

Yield: about 48 cookies

INGREDIENTS:

- ½ cup sweet potato (cooked)
- ¾ cup unbleached flour
- ¼ cup quick oats
- 1 Tablespoon raw honey
- 1 large egg

DIRECTIONS:

- Preheat your oven to 350°F.
- Line a baking sheet with parchment paper and set it off to the side.
- You can boil, steam, or bake the sweet potato.

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CANINE CHRISTMAS CAROLING PARODIES

IF DOGS WROTE CHRISTMAS SONGS...

JINGLE BELLS - (SNOW ADVENTURE)

Dashing through the snow, snow up to my chest,
I love rolling down the hill, snow days are the best!
Little ones come over, the play time just begins,
What fun it is to play in snow again and again!

BABY, IT'S COLD OUTSIDE - (MOMMY IT'S COLD OUTSIDE)

"It's time for your walk..."
"But Mommy, it's cold outside."
"But it's your final evening potty..."
"But Mommy, it's cold outside."

HERE COMES SANTA PAWS

Here comes Santa Paws
Here comes Santa Paws
Right down Santa Paws Lane
All our good pups pulling on the sleigh
Bells are ringing, dogs singing
all is merry and bright
So jump in bed and steal your spot
cause Santa Paws comes tonight!
Here comes Santa Paws
Here comes Santa Paws

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OPEN CLASS

AVAILABLE ON WEDNESDAY NIGHTS AT 7 PM

- The class will cover obedience, working with dumb bells, and jumps.
- Dogs are preferred to have passed a minimum CGC test or CGCA and have worked beyond basic obedience or towards a CD title.
- Items needed for class: A proper fitting dumb bell for the dog, 6 ft lead and a, minimum 15 ft lead and proper training collar is required.

TRICK OF THE MONTH

Hoop Jump

Difficulty: Easy

Verbal Cue: Hoop

Preparation: Before teaching your dog to jump through the hoop, remove the beads inside to make it less scary for your dog.

Steps:

1. Position the hoop to allow your dog to walk through. Lure your dog through the hoop with a treat.
2. Once your dog is confident in walking through the hoop raise the hoop off the floor and lure them to go through. If your dog gets tangled in the hoop drop it to the floor and let them get out of it.
3. Raise the hoop in the air and give him a running start. Luring him through the hoop once the dog goes through the hoop toss the treat for the reward.

Awards Application Form

Please use this form to apply for awards for any AKC titles/Certificates you earned in 2023, and to apply for recognition of any non-AKC titles you earned (i.e., ASCA, UKC). Use one form per dog for any and all titles that dog earned. If the title earned is not on the abbreviation list, please write out the title name and the abbreviation. Also, whether it is an AKC, UKC, NAVHDA, etc title.

Please be sure to get this form to Catherine Beattie, 1749 Lyndi Lane, Saratoga Springs, UT 84045, by **January 2, 2024**. You can contact Catherine at 801-450-0804 or mcbride.catherine@gmail.com. **Please Print!**

Your name: _____

Dog's registered name: _____

Dog's call name: _____

Breed of Dog: _____

Title(s) Earned: _____

Title Abbreviations

The AKC offers many titles in several events. Dogs who achieve them are entitled to have them listed on pedigrees, certificates, and in event catalogues. These titles become an official part of a dog's record with the AKC. Listed below are some of the various AKC titles with their abbreviations:

As a Prefix (before the name)

AFC AMATEUR FIELD TRIAL
 CHAMPION:
 CCH BENCH SHOW CHAMPION:
 CFC COONHOUND FIELD CHAMPION:
 CGCH COONHOUND GRAND
 CHAMPION:
 CGF COONHOUND GRAND FIELD
 CHAMPION:
 CGN GRAND NITE CHAMPION:
 CGW GRAND WATER RACE CHAMPION:
 CH CHAMPION:
 CNC NITE CHAMPION:
 CSG SUPREME GRAND CHAMPION:
 CSGF SUPREME GRAND FIELD
 CHAMPION:
 CSGN SUPREME GRAND NITE
 CHAMPION:
 CSGW SUPREME GRAND WATER RACE
 CHAMPION:
 CT CHAMPION TRACKER:
 CWC WATER RACE CHAMPION:
 CWSG WORLD SHOW CHAMPION:
 DC DUAL CHAMPION:
 FC FIELD CHAMPION:
 GCH GRAND CHAMPION:
 GCHB GRAND CHAMPION BRONZE:
 GCHS GRAND CHAMPION SILVER:
 GCHG GRAND CHAMPION GOLD:
 GCHP GRAND CHAMPION PLATINUM:
 GDSC GUN DOG STAKE CHAMPION:
 GAFC GRAND AMATEUR FIELD
 CHAMPION:
 GFC GRAND FIELD CHAMPION:
 HC HERDING CHAMPION:
 MACH MASTER AGILITY CHAMPION:
 NAC NATIONAL AGILITY CHAMPION:
 NAFC NATIONAL AMATEUR FIELD
 CHAMPION:

NAGDC NATIONAL AMATEUR GUNDOG
 CHAMPION:
 NFC NATIONAL FIELD CHAMPION:
 NGDC NATIONAL GUNDOG CHAMPION:
 NOC NATIONAL OBEDIENCE
 CHAMPION:
 NOGDC NATIONAL OPEN GUN DOG
 CHAMPION:
 OTCH OBEDIENCE TRIAL CHAMPION:
 PACH PREFERRED AGILITY CHAMPION:
 PNAC PREFERRED NATIONAL AGILITY
 CHAMPION:
 POC PREFERRED OBEDIENCE
 CHAMPION:
 RGDC RETRIEVING GUN DOG STAKE
 CHAMPION:
 RNC AKC RALLY® NATIONAL
 CHAMPION:
 TC TRIPLE CHAMPION:
 VCCH VERSATILE COMPANION
 CHAMPION:
 WNC WORLD NITE CHAMPION

SUFFIX TITLES (after the name)

Title	Title Name
AJP	EXCELLENT AGILITY JUMPERS WITH WEAVES "A" PREFERRED:
AX	AGILITY EXCELLENT:
AXJ	EXCELLENT AGILITY JUMPER:
AXP	AGILITY EXCELLENT "A" PREFERRED:
BN	BEGINNER NOVICE:
CA	COURSING ABILITY:
CAA	COURSING ABILITY ADVANCED:
CAX	COURSING ABILITY EXCELLENT:
CAX2	COURSING ABILITY EXCELLENT 2:
CD	COMPANION DOG:
CDX	COMPANION DOG EXCELLENT:
CGC	CANINE GOOD CITIZEN:
CGCA	AKC COMMUNITY CANINE:

CGCU	CGCU - CANINE GOOD CITIZEN URBAN:
CM	CERTIFICATE OF MERIT:
EE	ENDURANCE EARTHDOG:
FTC	FAST CENTURY:
FTCP	FAST CENTURY PREFERRED:
GN	GRADUATE NOVICE:
GO	GRADUATE OPEN:
HI	HERDING INTERMEDIATE:
HIADSC	HERDING INTERMEDIATE COURSE A (DUCKS, SHEEP, CATTLE):
HIBDSC	HERDING INTERMEDIATE COURSE B (DUCKS, SHEEP, CATTLE):
HICS	HERDING INTERMEDIATE COURSE C (SHEEP):
NHS	HERDING STARTED:
HSADSC	HERDING STARTED COURSE A (DUCKS, SHEEP, CATTLE):
HSBDSC	HERDING STARTED COURSE B (DUCKS, SHEEP, CATTLE):
HSCS	HERDING STARTED COURSE C (SHEEP):
HT	HERDING TESTED:
HX	HERDING EXCELLENT:
HXADSC	HERDING ADVANCED COURSE A (DUCKS, SHEEP, CATTLE):
HXBDSC	HERDING ADVANCED COURSE B (DUCKS, SHEEP, CATTLE):
HXCS	HERDING ADVANCED COURSE C (SHEEP):
JC	JUNIOR COURSER:
JE	JUNIOR EARTHDOG:
JH	JUNIOR HUNTER:
JHA	JUNIOR HUNTER ADVANCED:
JHR	JUNIOR HUNTER RETRIEVER:
JHU	JUNIOR HUNTER UPLAND:
LCX	LURE COURSER EXCELLENT:
MC	MASTER COURSER:
ME	MASTER EARTHDOG:

MFB	MASTER BRONZE FAST:	PREFERRED:	UDX	UTILITY DOG EXCELLENT:	
MFC	MASTER CENTURY FAST:	MXFS	MASTER SILVER AGILITY	VCD1	VERSATILE COMPANION DOG 1:
MFG	MASTER GOLD FAST:	PREFERRED:	VCD2	VERSATILE COMPANION DOG 2:	
MFF	MASTER EXCELLENT FAST	MXS	MASTER SILVER AGILITY:	VCD3	VERSATILE COMPANION DOG 3:
PREFERRED:		NA	NOVICE AGILITY:	VCD4	VERSATILE COMPANION DOG 4:
MFPB	MASTER BRONZE FAST PREFERRED:	NAJ	NOVICE AGILITY JUMPER:	VER	VERSATILITY:
MFFC	MASTER CENTURY FAST	NAP	NOVICE AGILITY PREFERRED:	VST	VARIABLE SURFACE TRACKING:
PREFERRED:		NF	NOVICE FAST:	XF	EXCELLENT FAST:
MFFG	MASTER GOLD FAST PREFERRED:	NFP	NOVICE FAST PREFERRED:	XFP	EXCELLENT FAST PREFERRED:
MFFS	MASTER SILVER FAST PREFERRED:	NJP	NOVICE JUMPERS WITH WEAVES	FDCH	FLYBALL DOG CHAMPION
MFS	MASTER SILVER FAST:	PREFERRED:	FM	FLYBALL MASTER	
MH	MASTER HUNTER:	OA	OPEN AGILITY:	ONYX	ONYX
MHA	MASTER HUNTER ADVANCED	OAJ	OPEN AGILITY JUMPER:	RATN	NOVICE BARN HUNT
MHR	MASTER HUNTER RETRIEVER:	OAP	OPEN AGILITY PREFERRED:	RATO	OPEN BARN HUNT
MHU	MASTER HUNTER UPLAND:	OF	OPEN FAST:	RATS	SENIOR BARN HUNT
MJB	MASTER BRONZE JUMPERS WITH	OFF	OPEN FAST PREFERRED:	RATM	MASTER BARN HUNT
WEAVES:		OGM	OBEDIENCE GRAND MASTER:	RATCH	BARN HUNT CHAMPION
MJC	MASTER CENTURY JUMPERS WITH	QJP	OPEN JUMPERS WITH WEAVES	RATCHX	BARN HUNT MASTER CHAMPION
WEAVES:		PREFERRED:	DN	DOCK NOVICE	
MJG	MASTER GOLD JUMPERS WITH	OM	OBEDIENCE MASTER:	DJ	DOCK JUNIOR
WEAVES:		PAX	PREFERRED AGILITY EXCELLENT:	DS	DOCK SENIOR
MJP	MASTER EXCELLENT JUMPERS	PCD	PREFERRED COMPANION DOG:	DM	DOCK MASTER
WITH WEAVES PREFERRED:		PCDX	PREFERRED COMPANION DOG	DE	DOCK ELITE
MJPB	MASTER BRONZE JUMPER WITH	EXCELLENT:	DNA	DOCK NOVICE ADVANCED	
WEAVES PREFERRED:		PT	PRE-TRIAL TESTED:	DJA	DOCK JUNIOR ADVANCED
MJPC	MASTER CENTURY JUMPER WITH	PUDX	PREFERRED UTILITY DOG	DSA	DOCK SENIOR ADVANCED
WEAVES PREFERRED:		EXCELLENT:	DMA	DOCK MASTER ADVANCED	
MJPG	MASTER GOLD JUMPER WITH	FUTD	PREFERRED UTILITY DOG:	DEA	DOCK ELITE ADVANCED
WEAVES PREFERRED:		RN	AKC RALLY® NOVICE:	DNX	DOCK NOVICE EXCELLENT
MJPS	MASTER SILVER JUMPER WITH	RA	AKC RALLY® ADVANCED:	DJX	DOCK JUNIOR EXCELLENT
WEAVES PREFERRED:		RE	AKC RALLY® EXCELLENT:	DSX	DOCK SENIOR EXCELLENT
MJS	MASTER SILVER JUMPERS WITH	RAE	AKC RALLY® ADVANCED	DMX	DOCK MASTER EXCELLENT
WEAVES:		EXCELLENT:	DEX	DOCK ELITE EXCELLENT	
MNH	MASTER NATIONAL HUNTER:	SC	SENIOR COURSER:	AN	AIR RETRIEVE NOVICE
MX	MASTER AGILITY EXCELLENT:	SE	SENIOR EARTHDOG:	AJ	AIR RETRIEVE JUNIOR
MXB	MASTER BRONZE AGILITY:	SH	SENIOR HUNTER:	AS	AIR RETRIEVE SENIOR
MXC	MASTER CENTURY AGILITY:	SHA	SENIOR HUNTER ADVANCED:	AM	AIR RETRIEVE MASTER
MXF	MASTER EXCELLENT FAST:	SHR	SENIOR HUNTER RETRIEVER:	AE	AIR RETRIEVE ELITE
MXG	MASTER GOLD AGILITY:	SHU	SENIOR HUNTER UPLAND:	ANA	AIR RETRIEVE NOVICE ADVANCED
MXJ	MASTER EXCELLENT JUMPERS	T2B	TIME 2 BEAT	AJA	AIR RETRIEVE JUNIOR ADVANCED
WITH WEAVES:		T2BP	TIME 2 BEAT PREFERRED:	ASA	AIR RETRIEVE SENIOR ADVANCED
MXP	MASTER AGILITY EXCELLENT	TD	TRACKING DOG:	AMA	AIR RETRIEVE MASTER ADVANCED
PREFERRED:		TDU	TRACKING DOG URBAN:	AEA	AIR RETRIEVE ELITE ADVANCED
MXPB	MASTER BRONZE AGILITY	TDX	TRACKING DOG EXCELLENT:	ANX	AIR RETRIEVE NOVICE EXCELLENT
PREFERRED:		THD	THERAPY DOG TITLE:	AJX	AIR RETRIEVE JUNIOR EXCELLENT
MXPC	MASTER CENTURY AGILITY	TQX	TRIPLE Q EXCELLENT:	ASX	AIR RETRIEVE SENIOR EXCELLENT
PREFERRED:		TQXP	TRIPLE Q EXCELLENT PREFERRED:	AMX	AIR RETRIEVE MASTER EXCELLENT
MXPG	MASTER GOLD AGILITY	UD	UTILITY DOG:	AEX	AIR RETRIEVE ELITE EXCELLENT

Let's hear from you guys. Let me know your brags or nominate an amazing club member and their dogs.

Thank you to our board members and committees.

President: Catherine Beattie
Vice President: Betsy Coleman
Executive Secretary: Jodie Hanson
Home Secretary: Misty Porter
Treasurer: Donna Smith

Show: Kristie Rasmussen
Obedience: Donna Smith
Training: Austin Kalfaolv
Equipment: Tony Hanson
Hospitality: Michelle Larsen
Scentwork: Lisa Quibell

Trophy: Lynn Conger
Rally: Mary Hart
Training: Penny Morrison
Equipment: Randy Porter
Tracking: Dan Wheeler



The Great Salt Lake Dog Training Club
Club Meeting Minutes Board
11/27/2023

Start time: 7:05

End time: 7:55

Next Event January 6th, 2024.

President-

- General meetings for 2024 will be every other month on even months.
- Columbus Center changed the way to reserve rooms we now need to put in the request every 3 months.
- We are working on getting our insurance renewal.

Vice President-

- Nothing to report.
- Ideas for program.
- Thank you to Michelle for doing CGC and CGCA testing tonight.

Executive Secretary-

- Working on getting judges for next year Sept-November.
- May judges are from the beehive cluster.

Home Secretary-

- Next club newsletter will be by December. Call for recognition 2023.
- Jasmine Toledo to be voted in she paid a 1 ½ years ago and we do not have a card.
- Thank you, Misty, for the cookies.
- Club renewals are coming up. Forms will be emailed to members and mailed to those who do not have an active email.
- Misty will send in the AKC Club documents for the members.

Treasure-

- Donna reports the accounts are balanced. Balance sheet attached.
- Donna needs to get the statement for dues.
- Audit Committee-Catherine, Donna, Kristie, WD. Misty motion the committee, Betsy 2nd the motion was approved.

Show-

- Kristie would like her to thank you on FB. Michelle will post it.
- QR codes for Venmo to be posted next year for our raffle in November.

Training-

- Michelle has forms to fill out for shirts.
- The training committee was approved members are Shirley, Toni, April and Hannah.
- Signatures for Armory to save the space.

Hospitality-

- Michelle is the new Chairperson. Kristie motioned, Donna 2nd.
- Hospitality committee for the banquet is-Catherine, Betsy, Michelle
- January 6th Banquet the club is looking to cater. Catherine has been getting quotes.
- Shirts to be given at the banquet.

Trophy-

- Nothing to report.

Equipment-

- Nothing to report.

Advertising-

- Nothing to report.
- Working on Facebook page.

Obedience/Rally-

- Donna and Penny could not make it to the show, but everything worked out.

Tracking-

- The first class was on Saturday.
- Has not heard from BLM.
- Waiting for insurance card.
- 30" flag is needed, and the Tractor Supply Store has them.
- Pics will be sent to Misty and Michelle to post on FB and our Website.
- We need to pay a yearly fee for BLM.

Scent Work-

- Great trial, went smooth, Had 7 detective runs.
- Nightmare Sat. Sun. interior in May.

Donna motioned the meeting to be closed, Penny seconded. Everyone approved of closing.