



**What's Happening...**

- Class Sign Ups 10/1/2024-10/2/2024.
- Next General Meeting is 10/28/2024.
- GSLDTC Obedience/Rally Trials 11/8/2024-11/10/2024.
- Voting Dates for New Logo 11/8/2024-11/10/2024.
- GSLDTC Scent Trial 11/16/2024.

**SIGN-UP FOR OCTOBER CLASSES 10/1/2024 AND 10/2/2024.** Please call 385-256-4097, for class Information.



"I'll only give you the paper if you promise not to let the news upset you."

**Welcome New Members**

- Orla Peck
- Riley Post

**Welcome New Chairpersons**

Maria Sheehan as our Trophy Chairperson.  
 Toni Sjoblom as our Scent Trial Chairperson.

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### GENERAL MEETING 10/28/2024

Our very own AKC Tracking Judge Kristie Rasmussen is presenting about Tracking in our October General meeting. Please join us on 10/28/2024 at 7:00 at the Columbus Center.

The Tracking Test demonstrates the dog's ability to recognize and follow human scent; a skill that is useful in the service of mankind. Tracking by its nature is a vigorous, noncompetitive outdoor sport. Tracking Tests should demonstrate the willingness and enjoyment of the dog in its work and should always represent the best in sportsmanship and camaraderie by the people involved." (Quoted from AKC Tracking Regulations.)  
Ready to get on track with tracking?

**Classes start 11/23/2024 at 9:00 with Jen Adams.** The first class will be at the soccer fields in Draper, address is 12500 S. 550 W. Please leave dogs at home for the first class.

Classes will prepare you and your dog for our May 2025 trial. Sign-up for classes will be \$90-100 for non-members and will be free of cost or at a reduced price for inactive/active members.

The final three new logos will be shared at the meeting.

### 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](mailto:betsycoleman123@outlook.com).
- **Stewards for Obedience and Rally** for our November trial is needed for November 8-10th, 2024. If interested in helping with Obedience, please contact Jodie Hanson at [jodhan801@msn.com](mailto:jodhan801@msn.com). If interested in helping with Rally, please contact Mary Hart at [feistyfangs@gmail.com](mailto:feistyfangs@gmail.com).
- **Donations for the November Obedience and Rally show are needed.** If interested in donating items for the November show for our raffle and silent auction, please contact [Kristie801@aol.com](mailto:Kristie801@aol.com).



## Trick Of the Month Hide and Seek

(The start of Tracking training.)

- Use words at home when you play hide-the-glove that you would use training to track. For example, let's track, find it, sniff, where's the glove, go find, track, smell, etc.
- Play hide-the-glove with your dog at home. Start out making it easy for the dog by hiding the glove and helping your dog find it (it would be useful to use a buckle collar on your dog at this point). As soon as the dog finds the glove, reward your dog. Gradually increase the intensity of hiding the glove. Start hiding the glove first in front of the furniture, making it easy to find. When it becomes easy for the dog to find the glove, make it harder. Hide the glove behind furniture (even try hiding the glove up at a higher level). This is when the dog begins to use their nose. You can increase the dog's training at this time by playing hide-the-glove outside. Hide the glove behind bushes and trees (even try hiding the glove inside bushes). When you start the game outside, put a leash on the dog (go ahead and put the dog's harness on and attach the lead to the harness) and go with the dog to find the glove.





## Obedience and Rally Show Dates

November 8-10, 2024  
Location: Bastian Agricultural Center.  
Address 2051 W 11400 S  
South Jordan, UT.

## Scent Work Trial

November 16, 2024  
Nightmare on 13th Street  
320 W 1300 S Salt Lake City Utah 84115

## COOKING

### Pumpkin & Peanut Butter Dog

#### Ingredients

- 1 cup oats
- ½ cup pure pumpkin, (not pumpkin pie filling)
- ¼ cup natural peanut butter

#### Instructions

1. Preheat your oven to 300F. Line a baking sheet with parchment paper.
2. Add the oats to a food processor and grind until they reach a fine powder.
3. Add in the pumpkin and peanut butter and blend until a sticky dough is formed.
4. Remove from the processor and roll out on a lightly floured surface. Cut out cookies using a small cookie cutter of any shape.
5. Lay the treats on the prepared baking sheet and bake for 25 to 30 minutes, until the treats are dry and hard. Let cool before giving it to your pup and then store it in an airtight container.



## 5 FUN HALLOWEEN ACTIVITIES TO DO WITH YOUR DOG

1. **Bobbing for Tennis Balls**- A canine spin on bobbing for apples. You'll need a large bowl, tub, bucket, or plastic baby pool. Fill the bucket with water and drop tennis balls into the tub. Then, lead dogs one at a time to the tub and encourage them to collect the balls. Set a timer for 3 minutes and see how many balls each dog can collect in time!



2. **Costume Party**-You can plan games and contests, make or serve special treats, decorate, and give out party favors—just as long as you keep the comfort and safety of all dog guests in mind.

3. **Pumpkin Picking**-There are several dog-friendly pumpkin patches near Salt Lake City. Mabey Farms and Wheeler Historic Farm.

4. **Scary Movie Night**- Start a movie marathon with your pup and chill.



5. **Scavenger Hunt**-Hide treats or toys in your house or any fun location for your dog and let them explore and sniff around.



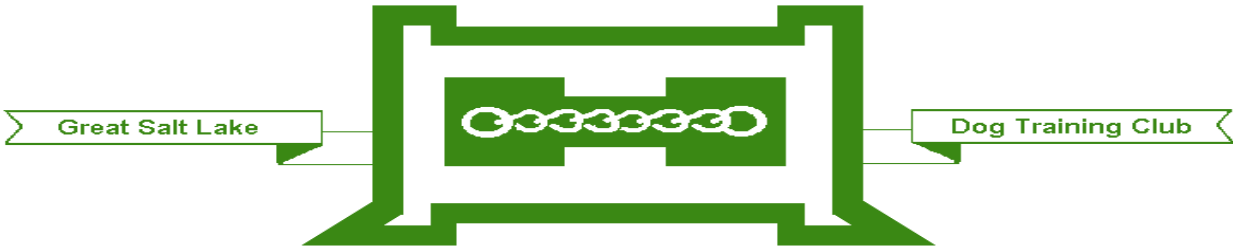
Let's hear from you guys. Tell me your brags or nominate an amazing club member and their dogs.

Thank you to our board members and committees.

President: Catherine Beattie  
Vice President: Betsy Coleman  
Executive Secretary: Jodie Hanson  
Home Secretary: Misty Porter  
Treasurer: Cheri Rieben

Show: Kristie Rasmussen  
Equipment: Tony Hanson  
Rally: Mary Hart  
Training: Penny Morrison  
Hospitality: Michelle Larsen  
Scentwork: Toni Sjoblom

Equipment: Randy Porter  
Obedience: Jodie Hanson  
Training: Austin Kalfaolu  
Trophy (Acting): Maria Sheehan  
Tracking: Jen Adams



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August member meeting was our annual picnic and there were no official minutes.