

**OCTOBER UPCOMING  
EVENTS**

- 2 - Fun Match
- 13 & 14 - Agility Trial
- 22 - 5:15 Puppy Class Begins
- 22 - CGC Test for Graduates
- 26 - General/Board Meeting
- 28 - TD/TDX/VST Tracking Test

**NOVEMBER**

- 2 - Super Match
- 3 & 4 - Obedience Trial

*change your clocks*

# BARKS



Be a pumpkin

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Hi! I'm Henry...  
Yep, I did that...



## PRESIDENT'S REPORT

by Jim Clarke

The year is winding down and there is so much yet to be done. I've already seen an increase in the number of handlers training their dogs on Monday night. The fall cluster of trials is quickly approaching. It's all good!

Not only do we have regular training in October, we have:

- October 2 - GABOC Match beginning at 7:00. Pre-registration is not required.
- October 13 & 14 - Agility Trial--see GABOC.org for details.
- October 22--5:15, new S.T.A.R Puppy Class begins..
- October 22-- 5:00 Testing for our first CGC exam for the 6:45 CGC Beginner Class.
- October 26--General/Board Meeting 7:00 p.m. Hosting home to be announced.
- October 28 - TD/TDX/VST Tracking--see GABOC.org for details.

**Welcome Darlene Barnard, Donna Hartwig, and Laura Setar** to our Monday-night training team. Darlene has agreed to assist Karen Schlipf in the **6:45 Novice II class**, Donna Hartwig will be assisting Joanie Wisniewski in the **6:00 CGC/Beginner Class**; and, Laura Setar will be assisting Cheri Nicholas in the new **5:15 S.T.A.R. Puppy Class**. All three ladies are very experienced dog trainers and will add so much to our instructional staff.

# TEAM

**When you were at the club this past Monday, did you stop to check out the apparel items we are offering?** The items will be on display at the sign-in table until October 15. If you have any questions regarding an item, don't hesitate to ask Joyce or myself. It has been a number of years since we have offered new jackets, t-shirts, and sweatshirts featuring the GABOC logo. Those of us who regularly wear our apparel do so because we are proud to show off the GABOC logo. The deadline for ordering is Monday, October 15. You can either mail your check and order form to my home (the address is on the form) or hand them to me at the club.

**EXCITING NEWS! THE FIRST GABOC CALENDAR HAS ALREADY BEEN PRINTED!!!** If you were one of the many members who submitted a candid photo of your dog(s), we thank you. **A very special THANK YOU goes to KAREN SCHLIPF** who spent the entire summer arranging and rearranging pictures as well as designing every page of the calendar. **Another Thank You goes to BOB MELKA** who helped Karen with the proofreading and was in charge of printing. Purchasing priority will be given to those members who submitted photos and helped us make our GABOC calendar a reality. **Watch for information regarding the sale of the calendar. Thank you, everyone who participated!**

**The GABOC TRIAL** is right around the corner. The **Pre-trial match** will be held on Friday, November 2; and, our annual **GABOC Trial** is Saturday and Sunday, November 3 & 4. **Donna Eichman** is working diligently to insure that our trial is successful. When you see Donna, be sure to ask her if she needs help. Are you planning to **steward? Please volunteer!**



Speaking of the trial, **Joanie Wisniewski** will be assembling **30 gift bags for the Novice A** entries. If there is anything that you can add to Joanie's bags, please do so. I know Joanie would appreciate whatever contribution you can make.

As I said before, the year is winding down. It's not too late to earn points toward your 2018 Awards. The Awards Form is in Barks and on the website. Don't miss out!





# TRACKING

April 22, 2018

TD/TDX

Secretary is Lisa Foltz

[Avantidogs@comcast.net](mailto:Avantidogs@comcast.net)

708-645-1216

June 9, 2018

Night VST test

Secretary is Heather Royhl

[bigdogsonly73@yahoo.com](mailto:bigdogsonly73@yahoo.com)

630-333-8399

September 30, 2018

VST test

Secretary is Len Johnson

[lenjohnson812@gmail.com](mailto:lenjohnson812@gmail.com)

815-505-7774

October 28, 2018

TD/TDX/VST test

Secretary is Dave Crawford

[tinibubbles@hotmail.com](mailto:tinibubbles@hotmail.com)

630-238-9493





# Member Highlight~ Deborah Sazma

It all started in November 1998 when my mom brought home an American Cocker Spaniel named Brittany. My dad was sick with cancer and the thought of bringing a puppy in the house was just crazy I thought. Well my mom decided I needed a hobby, so training Brittany for obedience was my new hobby. We started out at Ro-Jon's where I was told that I would never get a title on a cocker spaniel. Well I was going to prove them wrong and we sure did. After about 6 months of training there I went to train at Burr Ridge. In September of 1999 my mom and my boyfriend came home with Brandy & Bridgette, so there my mom and I were training all three in Obedience. My mom was training Bridgette doing simple heeling, I turned and looked and there was my mom carrying Bridgette. I asked her why are you carrying her. She said she's tired. That's when mom was expelled from dog training and I went on to train all three. I decided to enter Brittany in our first obedience trial up at Cudahy Kennel Club in 2000 where we got our first leg with a score of 191. I thought this was great, we went on to get our CD at all places IKC. I started showing Brandy and Bridgette in Obedience, Bridgette was my high scoring dog with a 198! Both quickly went on to get their CD's at a show in Lake County. As we continued our training in Obedience we discovered Agility, Brittany just loved her agility. In November 2000 I came home with Becky, yes another cocker spaniel. Becky loved Rally, so we set our goals on getting a RAE.

Burr Ridge shut down, we moved on over to LTDTTC for obedience and All Fours Dog Training for agility. As time went on I introduced LTDTTC to agility and became one of their first agility instructors as well as the first agility trial chairperson and later I became a board member and the club's Secretary. With All Fours I became Dee's assistant.

I became aware of Glenbards training at the fairgrounds while stewarding at their obedience and rally trials many years ago, as well as at other trials while talking with GABOC members; so I decided to do some training there. I enjoy the classes and the camaraderie among students and instructors. I feel that I am becoming a better competitor as I am learning from experienced show people.

In 2008 I was introduced to Laura Heidrich my breeder and my good friend who introduced me to the world of conformation and persuaded me to become the secretary to Skyline Cocker Club. In 2009 I decided after the loss of Brittany and Becky it was time to get another pup. Francesca came to live with me on August 2, 2009. She was quite the bundle of fun to train. We started out with Obedience and then Rally and her favorite agility. In the meantime she has done some modeling and just loves being the center of attention. I remember showing her under Mike Carlucci, on the stand for exam she laid down belly up and just lovingly stared into his eyes. This is part of the reason why at 9 she still does not have a CD!

Then in 2013 Laura entrusted me with Stormy, I thought a black cocker, what was I thinking. But this little girl is definitely my "Good Time Girl"! She loves doing it all, but her true love is agility and swimming.

In 2013 is when I started coming to GABOC on a regular basis, I quickly became a member and volunteered to work at the trials.

In July 2014 I was the agility trial chairperson for the American Spaniel Club, this four day event was held at Purina Farms with one day dedicated to Cocker only and three days open to all breed.



STORMY ADDING TO HER  
MANY AGILITY TITLES



In 2015 Emmy, my Parti girl came to live with me. Emmy is my tiniest but mightiest girl! In 2016 we decided to breed Emmy, in November she had a litter of seven. She was the best mommy ever, she would jump in the x pen and let them nurse and snuggle up to her. She loved her babies.

It was in 2002 when I put my last CD on one of my girls and then she surprised me in 2017 at our Nationals she got her BN and I did not hesitate in moving her up, she showed like a winner, got two legs towards her CD, and then her CD in June of 2018. Now we are going to train for Open!

In June of 2017 Alisin came to live with me, Laura said she is a momma's girl. Likes to touch you at all times, has no manners and is a talker. Well, the no manners quickly changed; before I knew it she was holding her stays and the talking limited. Alisin became a mommy in September 2017 to a healthy litter of 5. She couldn't wait to get home and back to her routine. I decided January 2018 was a good time to start showing her in Rally, she knocked out her RN so I thought well we will try obedience. I am happy to say that in July 2018 she got her BN!

In December 2016 I was talking with Jim and Joyce about becoming an instructor with GABOC, I thought maybe starting out as an assistant in Obedience but there was an opening in Rally. So I jumped at the chance. I love teaching rally; the students are fun to work with, I enjoy the challenge of designing courses especially with the introduction of the new signs.

I am looking forward to new adventures at GABOC as a student, trainer and a member.

Deborah Sazma



Brandy and Chesie getting Rally titles



Brittany, Becky, Bridgett and Brandy in the page a day calendar 2015



Chesie rockin the agility tunnel at spaniel nationals 2014



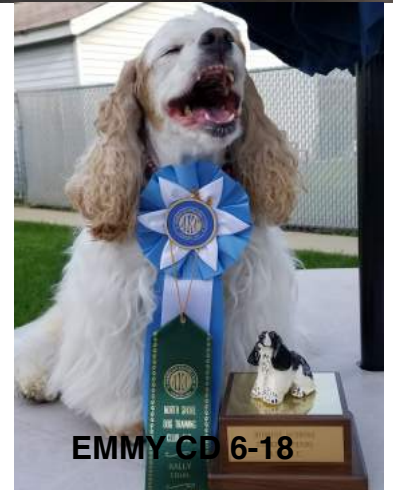
Alisin received her BEGINNER NOVICE 7- 18



Bridgett, Brandy and Chesie getting ready for a swim



Emmy puppies 2016



EMMY CD 6-18



My love for cockers started with Brittany and my heart grew more when Brandy, Bridgette and Becky came along. There isn't a day that goes by that I don't think about my girls, always in my heart.



I don't know much about the artist, just that they were from Massachusetts, it was done down in Perry Georgia at the American Spaniel Club specialty in July 2005.



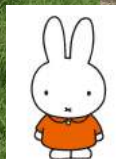




**THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO CAME OUT TO MORTON FOR TAILS ON THE TRAILS.**



**WE HAD WONDERFUL WEATHER AND A WONDERFUL TIME AT THE EVENT.**







BEFORE YOU KNOW IT, THE WEEKEND WILL BE HERE!

**"What weekend!" you ask?**

**The most exciting weekend of the**

**GABOC year**

**OUR ANNUAL**



# **GABOC OBEDIENCE TRIAL !!!!**

**SAVE THE DATES!!!**

**SATURDAY & SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3 & 4**

**Don't miss out on volunteering to steward in**

**Utility, Open, Novice or Rally**

**Your help is needed so please say "Yes" to**

**Chief Ring Steward Chairmen**

**Bette McMillan and Joyce Clarke--**

**If you have been a steward before and have a time/ring preference, tell the ladies. If you have never stewarded before, this is your chance to help your club, learn more about a dog obedience trial, and earn points toward 2017 awards. When Bette or Joyce ask for your help, please say "yes!"**





# B R A G S



Teagan did a nice job today, 9/23 at Forest City dtc. She earned her 2nd leg of her novice title. She spent the day with her friends Joan and Windy.



It was another "Windy" day September 23rd at the Forest City Trial. Little Windy earned her second Open Leg with a 192 and a Third Place. Lovin' those "Windy" days!!



# BRAGS

Field Spaniel National ~ 9/12/18

Purina Farms ~ Gray Summit, MO

“Coach” (GCH CH Kingsbury Run’s Center Field CDX BN RM FDC CA BCAT CGC TKN) won High Combined in Trial in Rally RAE with a perfect score of 200.





**GENERAL MEETING MINUTES  
GLENBARD ALL BREED OBEDIENCE CLUB  
September 7, 2018**

The General Membership meeting was held at the home of Jan Row (Jakubiak) on September 7, 2018. The meeting was called to order at 7:09 p.m.

Those present were: Jim Clarke, Donna Eichman, Sheila Gardner, Karen Heitz, Bob Melka, Bette McMillan, Jan Row, Darlene Barnard, John Barnard, Chuck Holtzen, Cheri Nicholas, Dean Nicholas, Ray Heitz, Lee Melka, Carol Moen, and Joyce Clarke.

**SECRETARY'S REPORT**

The minutes of the General Membership Meeting of June 22 were read. A motion was made by Sheila Gardner and seconded by Lee Melka that the minutes be accepted as read. Motion carried.

**PRESIDENT'S REPORT** - None

**VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT** - None

**TREASURER'S REPORT**

Donna Eichman reported that not much goes on during the summer. She had nothing special to report.

**DIRECTOR OF TRAINING**

1. Jim Clarke reported that Darlene Barnard will now be assisting Karen Schlipf during the 6:45 Novice II class and Donna Hartwig will be assisting Joanie Wisniewski during the 6:00 Beginner Class.
2. Cheri Nicholas reported that the new S.T.A.R. Puppy class turned out to be a much bigger class than it should have been. The quality of the class is what is important. There has to be a limit to the numbers. The class needs to peak out at 10.
3. Jim said that since we are not in a financial position to justify another night of training, nor a larger facility, we must limit the number of puppies in the S.T.A.R Puppy class.

**REGISTRAR**

1. Karen Heitz suggested that we have on-line registration for our classes. She suggested DogBizPro.com. If there is on-line registration, people will be able to see if a class is already full.
2. Carol Moen will look into on-line registration.
3. Due to the fact that we have staggered start dates for our Beginner classes, one class is on a ten-week schedule and the other an eight-week schedule. The scheduling of the eight-week class is intended to end just prior to the Christmas break. New classes will start after the holidays.

**MATCHES**

1. Cheri Nicholas reported that she has judges and stewards for the September 11 match.
2. Jim said that at some point we will have to incorporate CGC testing into our curriculum. We might have to take a look at using a match night in order to offer the test.

**AWARDS** - None

**SEMINARS** - None

**PUBLICITY** -

1. Cheri reported that "Tails on the Trails" at the Arboretum is covered for the next day. Jim reported that we ordered bandanas for our dogs to wear when they are representing our club at various venues.
2. Kathy Bianchetti is looking for volunteers to help with the GABOC booth at Pets-A-Palooza on Sunday, September 16.

**WELLNESS** - None

**WEBSITE**

1. Donna Eichman is looking into setting up specific email addresses for certain people in the club, i.e. Registrar, President, DOT, Treasurer, Instructors. The email addresses would be set up through Lunar, there is no cost, and they would be pass-word protected.

**BARKS** - Good

**TRIALS**

1. Agility - Donna Eichman reported that Donna Darland is in charge of our October 13 & 14 Agility Trial. She also reported that the contract for the January trial at Car Dun AI has been signed. Volunteers are needed.
2. Obedience - Donna reported that our trial is only two months away. The premium list is out, Bob Olson is Trial Secretary, Chris Maza is in charge of our Pre-trial Match, Joanie Wisniewski is looking for donations for the Novice A gift bags, and Donna is going to have big-ticket items in the raffle. Kathy Bianchetti and Sheila Gardner will sell tickets.
3. Donna is going to meet with Jim McGuire and the people from the Pet Expo and Gun Show to see if we can come to a parking-arrangement agreement.



## **TRACKING**

1. Darlene Barnard reported that they are all set for the tracking tests to be held the end of September and October.

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**BRAGS** - None

## **OLD BUSINESS**

1. Even though there was confusion regarding the use of professional photos, the calendar has been solidified and is beautiful. Based on the weight of 80# paper at a cost of \$11.41 for each calendar, Bob Melka made a motion that we order 75 copies and charge \$15 each. The motion was seconded by Donna Eichman, Bette McMillan, and Sheila Gardner. Motion carried.
2. Darlene Barnard suggested that those members who submitted pictures be given first chance to purchase a calendar.
3. GABOC apparel will be on display beginning Monday, September 10. The deadline for ordering is October 15.

## **NEW BUSINESS** -

1. Lee Melka reported that Fox Valley will be holding an eye clinic on Thursday, October 3.
2. Jim Clarke asked for volunteers to be on the nominating committee. Even though Sandi Stephenson wasn't at the meeting she had already volunteered. Since there were no other volunteers, Jim will contact several members to see if they might be willing to serve on the nominating committee. The report of the nominating committee will be given at the October 26 meeting.
3. Chuck Holtzen suggested putting a disclaimer on the website and any paperwork regarding photographs that are taken during club activities. People should be informed that, if photographed, their picture could be used on various social media sights.
4. Darlene Barnard said that she has been picking staples up from the floor during the 6:45 Novice II class. Donna Eichman will address the situation. They could be coming from the insulation that is in the ceiling.

## **MOTION TO ADJOURN**

A motion was made by Chuck Holtzen and seconded by Bette McMillan that the meeting be adjourned. The meeting was adjourned at 8:51 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted

Joyce Clarke, Secretary



# **WATCH FOR THE RETURN OF GABOC APPAREL! ORDERING BEGINS IN SEPTEMBER**

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**A**re your old GABOC T-shirts looking worn and dingy? Are you envious because you don't own a GABOC light-weight lined hooded jacket or a Challenger (heavy weight) jacket? Maybe you need a new hoodie to get ready for fall! Coming soon--GABOC APPAREAL!

**We will be featuring:**

**Gildan Full-Zip Hooded Sweatshirt**

**Gildan Crew-Neck Sweatshirt**

**Gildan Hooded Pullover Sweatshirt,**

**Gildan Long-Sleeve T-Shirt**

**Gildan Short-Sleeve T-Shirt**

**Challenger (heavy weight) Jacket**

**Sport Tek Full-Zip (light weight) Jacket**



**See the order form in this issue of BARKS. Also, samples will be available to touch and feel Monday, September 10 at GABOC. Order forms available at GABOC, on line (GABOC.org), or in BARKS. Hurry! Be the first in our club to place your order.**



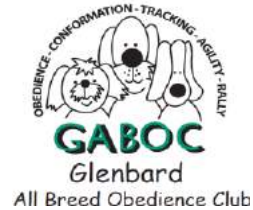


## Glenbard All Breed Obedience Club

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Order Deadline: \_\_\_\_\_

'Please make checks to:  
GABOC



When in doubt order the larger size. All apparel is custom and non-refundable. Orders must be in by  
Any order received after the original order, will incur a \$35.00 charge in addition to the cost of the item.

Indicate Quantity Below

	Color: Please Circle One	Adult XS	Adult Small	Adult Medium	Adult Large	Adult XL	Adult 2XL (ADD \$2.00)	Larger sizes - add \$4 for 3XL, add \$5 for 4XL, 5XL, 6XL	LARGEST SIZE Available. See below	Total Quantity	Price	Total Price
<b>Long Sleeve T-Shirt</b> Logo on Left Chest	Black Forest Green Sport Grey Navy								*		\$ 12.00	
<b>Short Sleeve T-Shirt</b> Logo on Left Chest	Black Forest Green Sport Grey Navy								***		\$ 8.00	
<b>Gildan Full Zip Hooded Sweatshirt</b> Logo on Left Chest and Full Back	Navy Forest Sport Grey								***		\$ 31.00	
<b>Gildan Crew Neck Sweatshirt</b> Logo on Full Front	Black Forest Sport Grey Navy								***		\$ 14.00	
<b>Gildan Hooded Pullover Sweatshirt</b> Logo on Left Chest and Full Back	Green Black Navy Grey								***		\$ 20.00	
<b>Challenger Jacket</b> Logo on Left Chest	Black with Grey trim; Forest Green with Navy Trim								****		\$ 51.00	
<b>Challenger Jacket</b> Logo on Left Chest and Full Back	Black with Grey trim; Forest Green with Navy Trim								****		\$ 52.00	
<b>Sport-Tek Full Zip Jacket</b> Logo on Left Chest	Forest Green Navy								****		\$ 39.00	

\* 3XL Largest size available  
\*\* 4XL Largest size available  
\*\*\* 5XL Largest size available  
\*\*\*\* 6XL Largest size available


Cash \_\_\_\_\_  
Check # \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail check and order form to:  
Jim Clarke  
134 N. Addison Road  
Wood Dale, IL 60191





# Just A Dog



**F**rom time to time people tell me, "Lighten up, it's just a dog," or, "That's a lot of money for just a dog." They don't understand the distance traveled, time spent, or costs involved for "Just a dog." Some of my proudest moments have come about with "Just a dog." Many hours have passed with my only company being "Just a dog," and not once have I felt slighted. Some of my saddest moments were brought about by "Just a dog." In those days of darkness, the gentle touch of "Just a dog" provided comfort and purpose to overcome the day.

If you, too, think its "Just a dog," you will probably understand phrases like "Just a friend," "Just a sunrise," or "Just a promise." "Just a dog" brings into my life the very essence of friendship, trust, and pure unbridled joy. "Just a dog" brings out the compassion and patience that makes me a better person. Because of "Just a dog" I will rise early, take long walks and look longingly to the future.

For me and folks like me, it's not "Just a dog." It's an embodiment of all the hopes and dreams of the future, the fond memories of the past, and the pure joy of the moment. "Just a dog" brings out what's good in me and diverts my thoughts away from myself and the worries of the day.

I hope that someday people can understand it's not "Just a dog." It's the thing that gives me humanity and keeps me from being "Just a man or woman."

So the next time you hear the phrase "Just a dog," smile, because they "Just Don't Understand."

~ Author Unknown

# Halloween Can Be **Scary** for Dogs



How to help a **NERVOUS DOG** cope



Give them a toy



Leave the TV/radio on



Close the drapes



Disconnect the doorbell



No costumes around the pet



Make sure they have ID



Put your dog in their crate



Give them a calming remedy





# AWARDS REQUIREMENTS



Members who choose to receive an award paid for by the club may do so by fulfilling and documenting the requirements on the awards form (available on the club website or at the club) for the year in which the title was earned. *Special circumstances, such as contributing to the club by doing activities not listed in the requirements, will not exempt members from completing all requirements.*

## The following requirements must be met:

- **MEETINGS**

Six general membership meetings are held before board meetings, in February, April, June, August, October, and November. You must attend a general membership or board meeting in two different months. Dates and locations will be announced.

- **MONDAY NIGHT TRAINING and/or SUNDAY TRACKING SESSIONS**

You must train at least twelve Mondays at the GABOC facility, or participate in twelve regular Sunday tracking sessions, or any combination totaling twelve.

- **TRIALS**

You must work a total of four hours at GABOC trials. These hours can be served at our obedience trials, agility trials, tracking tests, or any combination of trials/tests, as long as the accumulated total is four hours. Your service can be to steward, set up, take down, etc., or perform any other duty required to help run the event.

## ELECTIVE REQUIREMENT

In addition to the Meetings, Training/Tracking, and Trials requirements, you must also complete one of the following options:

**Matches:** Serve as a steward or judge at one match without accepting payment.

**Committees/Projects:** Chair or serve on a club committee or club project.

**Additional Training:** Train an additional six Monday nights and/or Sunday tracking sessions.

*Board members, club officers, instructors, and table helpers are exempt from the elective requirement*

## Glenbard All Breed Obedience Club Titles Awards Form

The club will award a GABOC plaque, engraved with the dog's name, to a member when the first AKC title is earned, and will award a gold title plate, (to be attached to the plaque) engraved with the title and date, for all titles earned. A member is eligible for an award from January 1<sup>st</sup> through December 31<sup>st</sup> of the year in which the title was earned. The member must be in good standing with both GABOC and the AKC, as defined by our by-laws.

Members who choose to earn awards may do so by fulfilling and documenting the requirements on page two for the year in which the title was earned. *Special circumstances, such as contributing to the club by doing activities not listed in the requirements, will not exempt members from completing all requirements.* **All requirements must be met.** This form will keep track of your requirements throughout the year. Please use a separate form for each dog – print CLEARLY.

Member's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Dog's AKC name (no titles) \_\_\_\_\_

Dog's call name \_\_\_\_\_

Has this dog already earned a GABOC plaque? \_\_\_\_\_

Title earned \_\_\_\_\_ Organization (AKC, CKC, UKC) \_\_\_\_\_ Date earned \_\_\_\_\_

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Title earned \_\_\_\_\_ Organization (AKC, CKC, UKC) \_\_\_\_\_ Date earned \_\_\_\_\_

Have any obedience titles listed on this form already been earned with another organization (UKC, CKC)? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, which title \_\_\_\_\_

Awards will be distributed at the awards banquet in the year following the year in which the titles were earned. Please return the completed form by January 15 of the banquet year to:

Jim Clarke  
134 N. Addison Road  
Wood Dale, IL 60191

**MEETINGS**

Six general membership meetings are held before board meetings, in the months listed. You must attend a general membership or board meeting in two different months and record the dates below. Dates and locations will be announced.

	<b>February</b>	<b>April</b>	<b>June</b>	<b>August</b>	<b>October</b>	<b>November</b>
<b>General</b>						
<b>Board</b>						

**MONDAY NIGHT TRAINING and/or SUNDAY TRACKING SESSIONS**

You must train at least twelve Mondays at the GABOC facility, or participate in twelve regular Sunday tracking sessions, or any combination totaling twelve, and record the dates below.

<b>Required</b>						<b>Optional</b>		

**TRIALS**

You must work a total of four hours at GABOC trials. These hours can be served at our obedience trials, agility trials, or tracking tests, or any combination of trials/duties, as long as the accumulated total is four hours. The service can be as stewards, set up, take down, etc., or any duty required in running the event.

	<b>Obedience</b>	<b>Agility</b>	<b>Tracking Test</b>
<b>Date</b>			
<b>Hours</b>			
<b>Duty</b>			

**ELECTIVE REQUIREMENT** (Board members, club officers, instructors, and table helpers are exempt from the elective requirement)

In addition to the Meetings, Training/Tracking, and Trials requirements, you must also complete one of the following options:

**MATCHES:** Serve as a steward or judge at one match without accepting payment.

	<b>March</b>	<b>April</b>	<b>May</b>	<b>June</b>	<b>Sept.</b>	<b>Oct.</b>	<b>Nov.</b>
<b>Steward</b>							
<b>Judge</b>							

**COMMITTEES/PROJECTS:** Chair or serve on a club committee or club project. Validity of participation is to be verified by committee/project chairperson.

Committee/Project \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDITIONAL TRAINING:** Train an additional six Monday nights and/or Sunday tracking sessions and record the dates on the Training chart above.



# HALLOWEEN

## Pet Safety Tips



### NO SWEETS FOR YOUR SWEETIE

Keep your pets away from candy (especially chocolate); avoid placing bowls on the ground.



### KEEP PUMPKIN AWAY FROM THE PUMPKIN

Decorative plants can be toxic; candle-lit jack-o-lanterns are fire hazards if tipped over.



### COSTUMES ARE OPTIONAL

Don't force on an unwanted costume. Most pets prefer birthday suits.



### NO TRICK OR TREATER GREETERS

The front door is a high traffic area. Doorbells and knocks can upset even the friendliest pets.



### MUST SHOW I.D.

Spooked pets can get lost. Microchip and tag them in case they get out.



### PARTY POOPERS ARE OK

Some pets are happier in a quiet room away from the party.



REVIEW PREVIOUS EXERCISES.  
WATCH, SIT, DOWN, WALKING AND "ATTENTION" EXERCISE, STAND, RELEASE WORD, RELIABLE RECALL, STAY, TARGET, DOWN STAY, SIT STAY, ABOUT TURN, & RECALL WITH DISTRACTIONS

PACE CHANGES  
1. MAKE SURE YOU HAVE THE PUPPY'S ATTENTION  
2. WE ARE GOING TO USE THE WORD 'FAST' TO DOUBLE YOUR PACE.  
3. WE ARE GOING TO USE THE WORD 'SLOW' TO CUT THE PACE IN HALF.  
WE ARE NEVER GOING TO GO FROM SLOW TO FAST, FAST TO SLOW. THERE WILL ALWAYS BE A PERIOD OF NORMAL IN BETWEEN.

SIT STAYS & DOWN STAYS  
ARE YOU AT A 1 MINUTE STAY?  
1. REMEMBER THE 3 'D'S' OF DISTRACTION STAY?  
2. ADDING IN DURATION OF STAY. SUCCESS MEANS WE HAVE TO DECREASE DISTANCE OF DISTRACTION

PUPPY ON THE LEFT  
THE EXCEPTION TO THIS WILL BE WORKING WITH STACLES. YOU WILL BE WORKING FROM BOTH SIDES.



THE DOG  
(THE REALLY CUTE, SWEET, INNOCENT PUPPY)  
ATE MY HOMEWORK



# GLENBARD

## ALL BREED OBEDIENCE CLUB, INC.



### ALL-BREED OBEDIENCE FUN MATCH 2018 MATCH SCHEDULE:

TUESDAYS

March 6, 2018---April 3, 2018---May 1, 2018---June 5, 2018---September 11, 2018---October 2, 2018

WATCH FOR DETAILS ON OUR SPECIAL PRETRIAL MATCH FRIDAY, November 2, 2018\*

**Location:** DuPage County Fairgrounds, Science Building, Wheaton, Illinois

**Member Fee:** \$4.00 for first entry/\$3.00 for second entry of same dog

**Non Member Fee:** \$6.00 for first entry/\$4.00 for second entry of same dog

**\*Special Price**

**Checks payable to:** GABOC

**MAIL ENTRIES TO:** Laura Setar  
2107 Kentucky Court  
Wheaton, IL 60189  
(No phone calls accepted) [SetarL@sbcglobal.net](mailto:SetarL@sbcglobal.net)

**OUR JUDGES ARE  
HAPPY TO  
ACCOMMODATE  
RUN-THRUS FOR  
REGULAR AND  
OPTIONAL AKC  
TITLING CLASSES  
AND ALSO  
UKC CLASSES**

Doors open at 6: 30P M; no entries accepted after 7:30 PM,  
Judging begins at 7:00 PM

No bitches in season No grooming Limited crate space available STEWARDS WANTED

For more information contact: Joan Mazat at [bgirls.mazat7@gmail.com](mailto:bgirls.mazat7@gmail.com)

Please print or type:

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY \_\_\_\_\_  
BREED \_\_\_\_\_  
CLASS \_\_\_\_\_  
JUMP HEIGHTS: HIGH \_\_\_\_\_  
E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Member/Nonmember (Circle one)  
PHONE \_\_\_\_\_  
MATCH DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
ADD'L CLASS \_\_\_\_\_  
BROAD \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to indemnify and hold harmless Glenbard All Breed Obedience Club, Inc. and its officers, directors, employees and members against any and all claims or actions that may at any time be made or instituted against them or any of them by any person for the purpose of enforcing any cause of action growing out of or connected with my attendance or my dog's attendance at any event or class conducted by Glenbard All Breed Obedience Club, Inc.

Signed:

Dated:



# DATES TO REMEMBER

## BEGINNER CLASSES

6P

Sep 17 - Nov 19

Dec 3 - Feb 18

## BEGINNER CLASSES

6:45

Aug 6 - Oct 15

Oct 22 - Dec 17

## PUPPY CLASSES

7:30P

Aug 6 - Oct 1

Oct 8 - Dec 3

## NO TRAINING 2018

ENTIRE MONTH OF JULY

SEPTEMBER 3

NOVEMBER 5

DECEMBER 24

DECEMBER 31

## SUPER MATCH

NOVEMBER 2

## GABOC OBEDIENCE TRIAL

NOVEMBER 3 & 4

## CORRECTION MATCHES

MARCH 6

APRIL 3

MAY 1

JUNE 11

SEPTEMBER 11

OCTOBER 2

## AGILITY TRIAL DATES

JAN 27 & 28

JUNE 2 & 3

OCT 13 & 14

## TRACKING TEST

APR 22 - TD/TDX

JUN 9 - NIGHT VST

SEP 30 - VST

OCT 28 - TD/TDX/VST

SUBMISSIONS FOR  
BARKS DUE BY THE 25TH

# 2018

# 8 TIPS TO KEEP YOUR DOG SAFE & STRESS-FREE THIS HALLOWEEN

**1** CANDY (ESPECIALLY CHOCOLATE) CAN BE VERY DANGEROUS FOR DOGS. Many sugar free candies contain an artificial sweetener called XYLITOL which is toxic to dogs. IF FYDO EATS SOMETHING DANGEROUS CALL YOUR VET OR THE ASPCA POISON CENTER (888 426 4435) IMMEDIATELY.

**2** CANDY WRAPPERS, PARTY SUPPLIES, TIN FOIL AND CELLOPHANE CAN BE VERY DANGEROUS IF SWALLOWED. KEEP WELL OUT OF REACH!

**3** EATING DECORATIVE PUMPKINS OR CORN IS NOT TOXIC BUT CAN PRODUCE A VERY UPSET STOMACH.

**4** KEEP WIRES AND CORDS FROM DECORATIVE LIGHTS OUT OF REACH!

**5** BE CAREFUL WITH LIT PUMPKINS!

IF CHEWED YOUR BELOVED COULD SUFFER CUTS, BURNS AND EVEN A LIFE THREATENING SHOCK!

THEY CAN EASILY BE KNOCKED OVER BY A CURIOUS CREATURE AND CAUSE A FIRE!

**6** UNLESS YOUR DOG IS SUPER SOCIAL KEEP THEM IN A SEPARATE ROOM AWAY FROM THE CHAOS OF THE TRICK-OR-TREATERS WHO COME TO YOUR DOOR.

TOO MANY STRANGERS CAN OVERWHELM YOUR DOG AND CAUSE THEM TO BE UNUSUALLY PROTECTIVE OR AGGRESSIVE.

**7** SOME DOGS LOVE BEING DRESSED IN COSTUME BUT MANY DO NOT. ONLY DRESS THEM UP IF YOU KNOW THEY LOVE IT AND IT DOES NOT CAUSE THEM STRESS.

**8** IF YOU DO DRESS YOUR DOG IN COSTUME MAKE SURE IT'S SAFE AND TRY IT ON THE DAY BEFORE THE BIG EVENT. IT SHOULD NOT CONSTRICT BREATHING OR BARKING, OR IMPEDE HEARING, VISION OR MOVEMENT.

BEWARE OF SMALL DANGLING OR EASILY CHEWED OFF PIECES OF MATERIAL THAT COULD BECOME CHOKING HAZARDS. ALSO, WATCH FOR ANY SIGNS OF ALLERGIC REACTIONS TO COSTUMES.

HAVE A TAIL WAGGING GOOD TIME THIS HALLOWEEN!

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## CLASS SCHEDULE

### 5:15 PUPPY CLASS

Oct 22 - Dec 17

### 6:00 BEGINNER CLASS

Sept 17 - Nov 19

Dec 3 - Feb 18

### 6:45 BEGINNER CLASS

Aug 6 - Oct 8

Oct 22 - Dec 17

### 7:30 PUPPY CLASS

Aug 6 - Sept 30

Oct 8 - Nov 26

### EARLY TRAINING

2P - Rally Run Thrus

Independent

3:00 - 5:00 P

### RALLY RUN THRUS

Starts at 7:30 PM

### CONFORMATION

Starts at 8:15 PM

### UTILITY RING GUIDELINES

Starts at 8:15 PM

10 minute ring time limit

Dog must have a CDX, if not, must be able to do a Utility run thru

Utility slots are for run thrus, not a teaching class

Handlers may return to the ring on their own after everyone else is finished to work on problem areas as long as the building is open with other classes



# NEW TITLE HOLDERS

# 2017



**PACH** Goldbullion N Goldberrys The Natural UD,  
**PAX, MXPB, MXPS, MXP3, MXP4, MXP5,**  
**MXP6, MJPB, MJPS, MJP3, MJP4, MJP5, MJP6**  
"Redford"

Handled / Trained / Owned by: Peggy Covey  
Co-Owned by: Karin Boullion



MVP's Dy-No-Mite **BN**  
"JJ"

Owned and Trained by:  
Donna Hartwig



**MACH** Starfalls Gamblers Last  
Play **UD, RE, BN, MXB, MJB,**  
**NF, CGC**  
"Ace"

Handled / Trained / Owned by:  
Bette McMillan



Davisdane's Pretty  
Remarkable **RE**, CGC  
"Rhoda"  
Owned/Trained by: Nada  
Johnson



**QTCH** Four Seasons Double  
Double Toil And Trouble UDX,  
**OM2**  
"Preston"

Handled / Trained / Owned by:  
Dave Parison



Player's Girl Just Wants to Have Fun CD,  
BN, **RA, RN, THDN, TKN,** TDI, TD,  
CGC, CGCA

"Gabby"  
Owned By: Carol Schmidt and Al  
Rodriguez  
Handled and Trained By: Carol Schmidt

Photo Credit: Dave Sutton Studios



High Times A Splash of Sauce,  
VCDI, CD, BN, AX, OA,  
MXJ, AXJ  
 “Splash”  
 Handled / Trained / Owned by:  
 Tracy McMahon



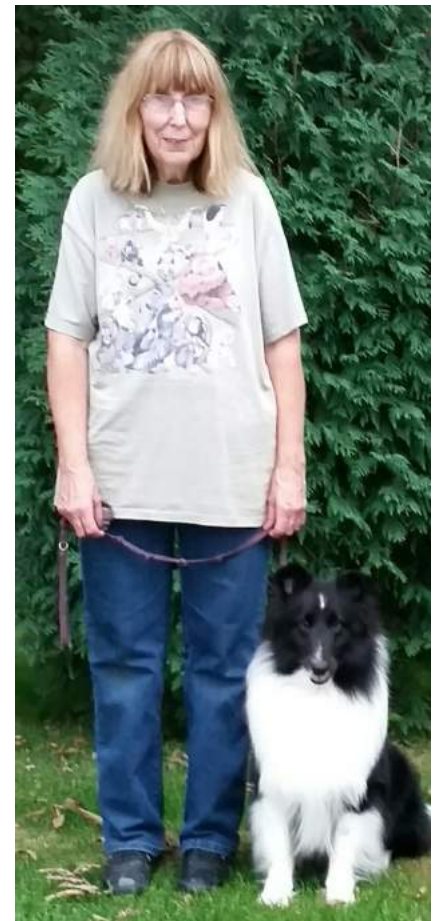
(Left) **OTCH** Four Seasons I found a Gold Nugget  
 UDX4, OM6, GO  
 “Nugget”  
 (Right) Four Seasons Man in the Moon **UD**  
 “Hombre”  
 Handled / Trained / Owned by: Richard Schaefer



**CH** Goldberry Bullion Don't Stop Believing  
CDX, OA, AXJ  
 “Journey”  
 Handled in Performance / Trained / Owned  
 by: Peggy Covey  
 Conformation Handlers: Nikki Ryan, Eileen  
 Hackett, Chris Jones  
 Co-Owned by: Karin Boullion



Pippi **NE**, UKI Beg. SS  
 “Pippi”  
 Handled / Trained / Owned by:  
 Cris Ballenger



Grandgables Wild And Going Ape  
UDX, OMI  
 “Ramar”  
 Handle by: Dave Parison  
 Owned by: Lynn Weis



Riverside Rhyme and Reason  
**RN**  
 “Kian”  
 Owned and Handled by:  
 Cathy Haake



Celtic Brae DP's Buddy  
 Bear **THDN, CGC, TKN**  
 “Buddy”  
 Handled / Trained /  
 Owned by: Pam Munn





Jesse's Girl BN, CDX, AX,  
AXJ, OE, NE, CA, THDA,  
CGC  
"Jesse"  
Handled / Trained / Owned by:  
Cris Ballenger



Ballenger's Levi BN, CD, CA, RE,  
RATS, RATM, UKI NN  
"Levi"  
Handled / Trained / Owned by: Cris  
Ballenger



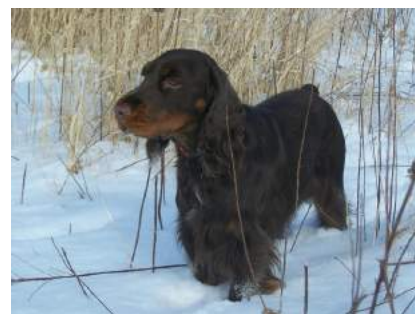
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Dab's Americal CD, BN, RN,  
OA, OAJ, NAP, NJP, NACSW,  
NW2  
"Cal"  
Handled / Trained/ Owned by:  
Merry Lee Hritsuk



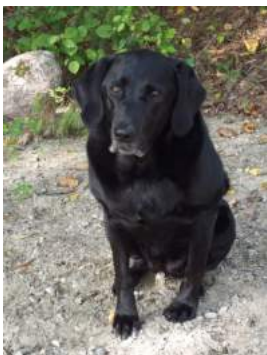
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Derring-Do NACSW, NI  
"Derry"  
Handled / Trained / Owned  
by: Merry Lee Hritsuk



AN Smack-Dab's Sunrise  
Melody NACSW, NI  
"Melody"  
Handled / Trained /  
Owned by: Merry Lee  
Hritsuk



GCH CH Kingsbury Run's  
Center Field CD, BN, RE,  
RA, FDC, CA, CGC  
"Coach"  
Owned / Handled / Trained  
by: Bill Abraham



Ganderland Sophie UDX3,  
VER, THD  
"Sophie"  
Owned and Handled by: Joyce  
Clarke



Kibri-Lincoln FairOaks At Last  
RA, RN  
"Jillian"  
Owned/Trained by: Nada Johnson



Rebecca of Ganderland Labs  
CDX, PCDX, RE, RA, RN,  
TDI  
"Becca"  
Owned and Handled by: Jim  
Clarke





IntCH, **GCH**, CH, UKC CH,  
UCD Bergerie's Deja Vu CD  
**(HIT)**, BN, CAA, CGC  
"Chanel"  
Owned by: Michelle Molloy



**BISS**, IntCH, **GCH**, CH,  
UKC CH, UCD Bergerie's  
Double Down on Eleven  
CD, PCD, BN, CAA, CGC  
"Chauncey"  
Owned by: Michelle Molloy  
and Stephen Finney



Lycinan's Mighty Quinn  
**AX, OA, OAJ, OE, NE, BN**  
"Quinn"  
Handled / Trained / Owned  
by: Betty Smith



Argo's Spirit Of Life CDX,  
**PCDX, RAE, OAP, NJP, NFP,**  
CCA  
"Teddy"  
Handled / Trained by: Bob  
Melka  
Owned by: Bob & Lee Melka &  
Sandra Cummings



**CH** Bilgay's Windy City Speakeasy  
**CD, RA**  
"Roxie"  
Handled / Trained by: Debra Wendt  
Owned by: James & Debra Wendt



Sundown's Hidden Gem **CD,**  
**AXP, AJP, OAP, OJP, NFP**  
"Hidee"  
Handled / Trained by: Lee &  
Bob Melka  
Owned by: Lee & Bob Melka &  
Pat James

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Magic Shades Wisniewski Niles **BN**  
"Niles"  
Handled / Trained / Owned by: Joanie  
Wisniewski



Ciel Brae Kickin It Into Third **UD,** RN,  
BN  
"Tattoo"  
Handled / Trained / Owned by: Laura  
Setar



1/1/2009-1/26/2018

Toyland's Big Love **CD,** BN, AXP, AJP  
"Poly"  
Handled / Trained by: Sandi Stephenson  
Owned by: Tom and Sandi Stephenson



GCHS CH Herr Sergeant of Glenwood IV  
 CDX, BN, RAE, CGCA, TDI, HIC, NTD,  
**ITD, ATD, TKN, Achiever Dog**  
 "Sarge"

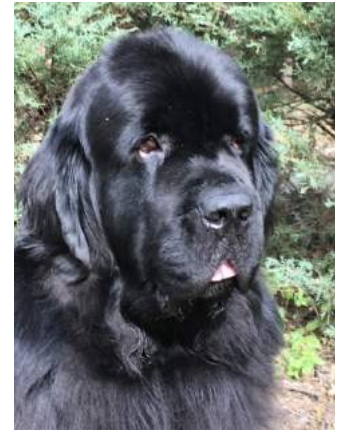
Owned and Trained by: Marytherese Marosits  
 Handler: John Benoit

Photo Credit: Booth Photography



Ch. Avanti's Unusual  
 Discovery CD, BN, **TD**,  
 RN, CGCA  
 "Disco"

Handled / Trained /  
 Owned by: Lisa Foltz



Shadrack's Lets Go  
 Surfing CD, **RN, TKN**,  
 TDI, DD, **WRD**, WD,  
 CGC

"What's Up"  
 Handled / Trained /  
 Owned by: Cheri  
 Nicholas



Edmonds Bel Air Rides Like the Wind **CD, RN**  
 "Windy"

Loved, Owned, and Handled by: Joan Mazat



Blue-Dog CDX, **RE**, CGCA  
 "Blue"

"Loved, Owned, and Handled by Joan  
 Mazat



5/3/2006 – 11/27/2017

Vandura's Fly Away CD, **THDN**, TDI, CGC  
 "Olivia"

Beloved partner of Laura Plasketes

Photo Credit: Bill Rock



7/20/2010 – 8/30/2017

Devon A New Beginning CD, BN, RN, **TKN**, CGCA  
 "Devon"

Handled / Trained / Owned by: Carole Moel & Bill Rock

Photo Credit: Bill Rock



Return to:

Candy Ellis  
27W359 Beecher Av  
Winfield, IL 60190



Goldberry Bullion Believe  
And Reach For The Sun  
**CDX**, BN, GN, CGC  
“Believe”  
Handled / Trained / Owned  
by: Candy Ellis

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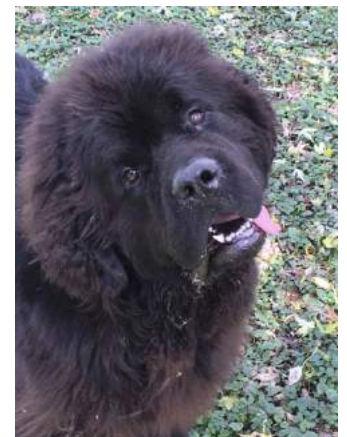
CH Haznow's Victoria's  
Secret **BN**  
“Secret”  
Handled / Trained / Owned  
by: Tom and Sandi  
Stephenson



GRCH, CH Lake Effects Spanx is  
my Friend CDX, BN, **NA**, **NAJ**,  
CGC  
“Spanx”  
Handled / Trained / Owned by:  
Sandi and Tom Stephenson



Ebb Tide's Qaatja Pure and  
Bright CD, **TKI**, **TKN**, TDI,  
WD, CGC  
“Qaatja”  
Handled by Karen Schlipf  
Owned by Pinny Wendell



Water's Edge Totally  
Tubular **TKN**  
“Gnarly”  
Handled / Trained /  
Owned by: Cheri  
Nicholas