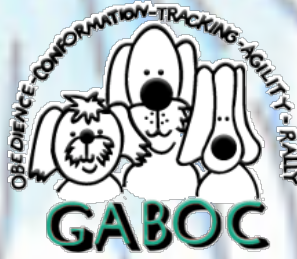


### JANUARY UPCOMING EVENTS

- 1 - New Year's Day
- 9 - Classes Resume

## BARKS



Merry Christmas



Merry Christmas and Happy New Year



## A Note from the President's Article Bag

I can't believe it is five days to Christmas as I write this. How does the time move this fast? So much to do, so little time.

Once again I can report that we have full happy classes, happy students, and dogs who have learned so much. I was speaking with Sandi Stephenson and she has a FULL open class. This reflects the great work all the instructors and students have been doing and the great progress that has been made.

Thank you to our hospitality leader Cany Ellis who worked so hard to create a wonderful Christmas Party. The tables were laden with treats and even fried chicken- wow! There were "ugly" sweaters that actually were pretty darn cute, a lot of ornaments were exchanged, and the Christmas Spirit is alive and well at Glenbard!

**Candy really knows how to throw a party!!!** "Santa Says" Christmas Heeling contest- Oh My! What does Santa need to do???? All the participants were AMAZING! Some of the best heeling I have seen with attentive listening handlers! As the dogs started to pant, the handler's feet were getting sore, and Santa Joan's voice was giving out, we finally had to settle for pick a number between one and twenty as all were so good at the game and Cathy LaBash took home the "major award". What a fun night!

We have had several new members apply and this is so exciting. We have long time members coming back to Glenbard to once again pick up the leash and start fresh! Once again, so exciting! Thank you to Ed Gegenheimer who has volunteered to be a substitute teacher. Thank you to Gail Meyers who has offered to mentor Tyler Dundek as an assistant instructor! Tyler has a cute Cattle Dog Mix Luna (*yippee! A Cattle Dog! Blue is so pleased to see another that looks like him!*) who is super talented and who will be crossing the ring gates for the first time in Novice A at the Champagne Cluster- I can't wait to see this winning team in action! Be sure to thank Gail for passing on her knowledge and congratulate Tyler for giving back to our GABOC students. They are both so inspiring.

We hope these stories will inspire you as we truly could use more substitute and full time instructors. We truly are in need of both so please consider throwing your hat in the ring. I do have an ask if someone would be willing to help two Tuesdays per month (or even one would be great) for ring rental and rally. My son has been involved in archery on Tuesday's since the summer and I have not been able to watch him shoot. Sandi and I have been manning things- some days are slower but some days the two of us are running from ring to ring! Would someone consider taking some Tuesdays?

Another area we really could use as a volunteer is as a Chairperson for our correction matches. I have been managing these with our tried and true volunteer judges and stewards. If someone would be able to focus here to recruit volunteers and promote our matches for the year, I am sure that they would be even more successful than they have been. GABOC has created quite a following for our welcoming and productive matches.

I will again ask if there is a member who would consider assisting the club as DOT. The DOT is an important role that has been empty for some time. Pat Senne has taken up much of these responsibilities but as Registrar, instructor, and main Trial Chair, she has her hands full. DOT makes urgent decisions such as weather cancellations and ordering new equipment which has been delayed simply due to being busy, busy, busy!

Club meetings, board meetings, and correction matches for the year need to be scheduled. I will get to this during the Christmas break. My apologies. (too busy, busy, busy!)

As the year comes to a close and we look forward to 2023, I will again thank all of you who have made our club such an amazing success in 2022. Memberships have INCREASED, classes are FULL, GABOC is teaching children in 4H, and students are LEARNING! What a wonderful year it has been!

I hope all of you have had a joyous Holiday Season and I look forward to classes starting again January 9th!

Joan and Her Pack of Three

# CHRISTMAS WORD SCRAMBLE



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## Windy's Mom Says- Be CAREFUL on Winter Walks

As I have noted plenty, I walk, walk, walk my dogs. With winter, we have done pretty well up to now. My trusty dogPacer doggie treadmill comes in handy to get Windy and Mars some relief and helps them keep fit. Sadly, I don't have sidewalks in my neighborhood and my streets are ENCRUSTED with salt. Please consider your dogs soft pads and how salt eats away at ice, it will do the same for their feet.

Moreover though, as I was making my way home these past weeks in my van, there have been so many dog walkers that are simply not visible. No reflective clothing, lights, or anything and seeing the dogs and persons in the roadway is a challenge. Many wear black coats. This week there was a jogger at 9:00 p.m. at 15 degrees at night with their dog! (seriously, not good for the dog people!) I am careful so no close calls but it is startling as so many drivers who do not own dogs may not be looking out for them.

I look pretty crazy when I walk at dusk or in the dark hours. Just ask Pat Senne but she does the same!! Headlamps, utility workers coat, a body light, and each dog has a reflective coat and neck light plus I manage to hold a strong flashlight while holding the three leashes. I have been told that the group of us looks like a UFO coming down the street! However, drivers who have stopped to talk to me thank me for being so cautious and providing them less stress. They noticeably slow down and use care. It takes the surprise away from coming up fast on a person and the adrenaline rush a driver has when finding a team in the roadway.

Consider how you and your dog look in these winter months to drivers and be CAREFUL!  
Happy Walking!

Joan





## IT'S RENEWAL TIME AGAIN!!!

Please fill out the membership renewal form below and send it with your check to:

**Karen Schlipf**  
**21W115 Blackhawk Drive**  
**Wheaton, IL 60189**

Renewal forms MUST be received by December 31, 2021  
\$20.00 Single; \$25.00 Family

NOTE: Barks is sent via email only.

Please make check out to **GABOC**

**Membership Dues:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Donation to help offset the Obedience Trial cost:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total enclosed:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### GABOC MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL FORM

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_ **CITY/STATE/ZIP** \_\_\_\_\_

**PHONE NUMBER** \_\_\_\_\_ **EMAIL** \_\_\_\_\_

**DOG(S) NAMES:** \_\_\_\_\_

**BREED(S):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Print Names of Dogs?** \_\_\_\_\_ **Yes** \_\_\_\_\_ **No**      **Print Breeds of Dogs?** \_\_\_\_\_ **Yes** \_\_\_\_\_ **No**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Instructor**    \_\_\_\_\_ **Board Member**    \_\_\_\_\_ **Trial Committee**    \_\_\_\_\_ **DOT**    \_\_\_\_\_ **Registrar**    \_\_\_\_\_ **Other**

**Comments, questions, suggestions?** \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: I agree to grant to this club permission to photograph and/or video pictures of my participation. I further agree that any of the recordings may be used in club publications, or on social media to promote GABOC, and further that such use shall be without payment of fees, royalties, special credit or other compensation.



# Glenbard All Breed Obedience Club Titles Award Form 2022

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.

To earn their awards the member has to have attended at least 1 membership meeting and has to have contributed to the club by participating in at least one of our events such as agility and obedience trials, stewarding or judging matches, instructing, board member, or volunteering for CGC or in any other way to support GABOC to earn awards.

Members Name \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

Has this dog already earned a GABOC plaque? Yes No (please circle)

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

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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 May 2023. Please return the completed form by January 31, 2023 to:

Candy Ellis  
27W359 Beecher Ave.  
Winfield, IL 60190





## Novice Class Plays Tic Tac Toe

All work, and no play is no fun! Our novice class members Laura and Stacy had a great idea to play tic tac toe with our dogs in sit in downs stays. We made a board using tape on the floor and the winner was the team that could get their dogs to stay in a row playing the game as you would with our dogs- team sit, won the game! What fun! Way to go Novice class! So proud of all of you!

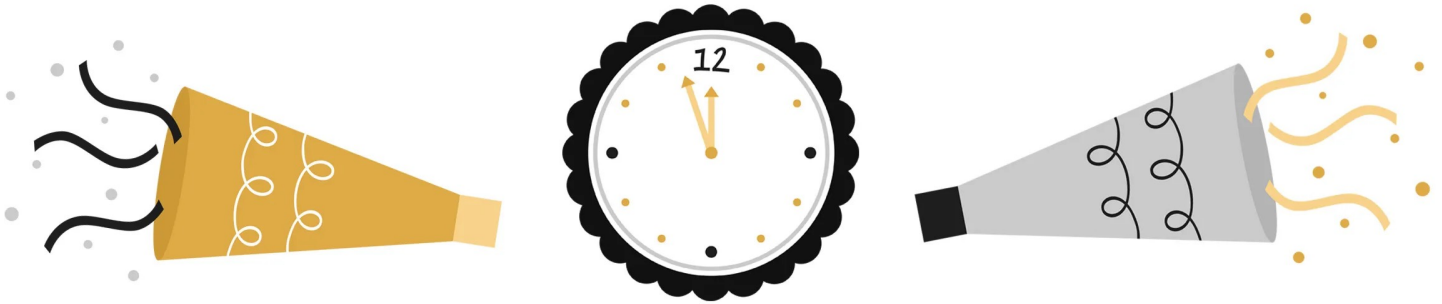


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# HAPPY NEW YEAR!



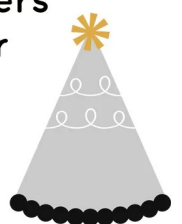
Countdown  
Confetti  
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Balloons

Celebration  
Fireworks  
January  
Happy



New Year  
Clock  
Cheers  
Goals

Party Poppers  
Noisemaker  
Resolution  
Sparklers





# GABOC 2021 NEW TITLE HOLDERS



**UCD** Goldberry Bullion Believe And Reach For  
The Sun UD, BN, GN, GO, CGC.  
“Believe”  
Trained / Handled / Loved by: Candy Ellis



Fraulein Sergeant Rose Of Glenwood II **CD**,  
**PCD**, **BN**, **RI**, **RN**, **CGC**  
“Rosie”  
Owned & Trained by: Marytherese Marosits



**RACH3**, Riverside Rhyme and Reason **CDX**,  
**PCD**, **PCDX**, **GN** BN, **RM6**, **RM5**, **RAE6**,  
**RAE5**  
“Kian”  
Handled / Trained / Owned by: Cathy Haake



CH Haznow's Victoria's Secret, **UD**, BN  
“Secret”  
Owned by: Sandi & Tom Stephenson

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## GABOC 2021 NEW TITLE HOLDERS



Lando N' Rockets Footloose n' Fancy Free BN,  
RI, RA, TKI  
 "Gracie"  
 Handled / Trained / Owned by: Pat Senne



Shadrack's Surfing The Motion Of the Ocean  
TKN, S.T.A.R. Puppy, CGC  
 "Swell"  
 Loved and Trained by: Cheri Nicholas



Prairie Hill's It's All About The Smoke CD, BN,  
OA, OAJ, RE, TKI  
 "Smokey"  
 Handled / Trained / Owned by: Pat Senne



PACH5 Goldbullion N Goldberrys The Natural  
 UD, PAX7, MXPB3, MXPS2, MXPG2, **MXPC2**,  
**MXP21**, **MXP22**, MJPB3, MJPS2, MJPG2,  
**MJPC2**, **MJP21**  
 "Redford"  
 Owned by: Peggy Covey  
 Co-Owned by: Karin Boullion

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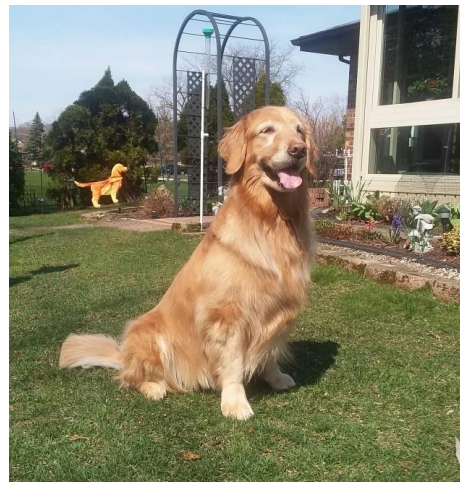
Esmonds Bel Air Rides Like the Wind **UD**,  
**PUTD**, **PCDX**, **RE**, **CGC**  
"Windy"  
Love, Owned, & Handled by Joan Mazat



Mondenkind's Majestic Phaze **UD**, **CDX**, RA,  
**CGC**, TKN, S.T.A.R. Puppy  
"Mars"  
Love, Owned, and Handled by Joan Mazat



Blue-Dog UD, BN, RE, CGCA, **RM**  
"Blue"  
Loved, Owned and Handled by Joan Mazat



Sundown's Hidden Gem CD, **MXPB**, **MXP2**,  
MJPB, **MJP3**, **OFP**  
"Hidee"  
Handled / Trained by: Bob Melka  
Owned by: Lee & Bob Melka & Pat James

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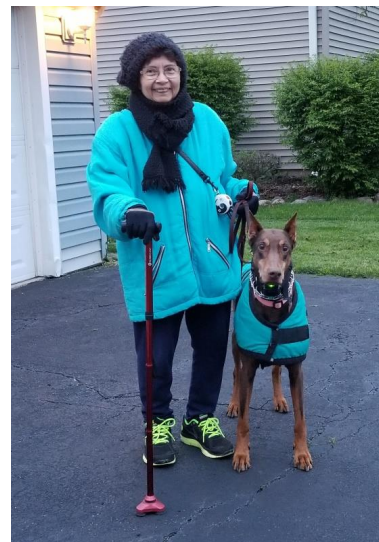
Believe's Winning Ways CD, **AX**, **AXJ**, **MXF**  
 "Winston"  
 Loved / Trained / Handled by Betty Smith



Jake A New Beginning **BN**, CGC, **CGCA**, **TKN**,  
**VHMA**  
 "Jake"  
 Owned and trained by Carole Moen/Bill Rock



Lycinan's Mighty Quinn CD, BN, MX, **MXB**,  
**MXJ**, XF  
 "Quinn"  
 Loved / Trained / Handled by Betty Smith



Jenna A New Beginning CD, BN, RI, RN,  
 CGCA, TKN, **VHMA**  
 "Jenna"  
 Owned and trained by Carole Moen/Bill Rock

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## GABOC 2021 NEW TITLE HOLDERS



Diva Vom Alten Flakturm **CDX RA** FDC ACT2 **SWN**  
**SCA SIA SBA** CGCA CGCU TKI **SEN SCN SIN SBN**  
**NW3**

Trained, Handled & Owned by Nancy DiMenza



Feuer Bombe Vom Landschaft (aka Bubba) CD BN  
**RA** NA NAJ **SWE SCM** CGCA CGCU TKP **SCA**  
**SEA SWA SCE SIE SBA SEE SIA SBE ELT1**

Trained, Handled & Owned by Nancy DiMenza

## GABOC 2021 NEW TITLE HOLDERS



RACH Player's Girl Just Wants to Have Fun **VCD2**, **VCD1**, **CDX**,  
BN, RM2, RAE2, **TD**, **PT**, **FDC**, **MXP**, **MJP**, BCAT, TT, CS, CI,  
THD, OSD, CGCA, CGCU, TKP, **ATT**, TDI  
"Gabby"

Loves and Loved By: Carol Schmidt and Al Rodriguez

# CONGRATULATIONS NEW TITLE HOLDERS



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