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# Greenville Kennel Club News

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Greenville Kennel Club Meetings are held on the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 7:30PM at the Quality Inn at Hwy 385 & Pleasantburg Dr.

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## Membership Committee

*Thecla Tyner*

It's that time again! I will be taking membership renewals at the meetings in both May and June. Membership renewals must be paid before July 1st!

Memberships are \$10 per member, \$20 for husband and wife. Junior members are \$5 each. Checks should be made out to the GKC.

## May Picnic

*Sharon Spiegel*

Our picnic will be held this year at **Butler Springs Park**, 301 Butler Springs Rd., (off E. North St. west of Howell Rd.)

**Tuesday, May 17<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 PM until dark.**

All members and their families are invited and leashed pets are welcome.

We will be grilling hot dogs and hamburgers, provided by the club.

Please bring a side dish, salad, or dessert.

RSVP with number attending & item to share by May 13<sup>th</sup>.

Call Sharon Spiegel at 409-0922

[mrsdogmom@bellsouth.net](mailto:mrsdogmom@bellsouth.net)



## Sunshine Committee

*Becky Ward*


If you hear of a Member that is ill or just in need of a kind word of support, please contact Becky at (864) 288-6206 or email at [wardbk@charter.net](mailto:wardbk@charter.net). Remember, a simple word spoken in kindness can make a world of difference for a friend in need.

## **Members' Brags**

### **Margaret Norkett**

Kemar's Metalmark (Whippet) was BW at the Greater Monroe Kennel Club Show on April 2nd, BOS at the Salisbury Kennel Club show on April 3rd and BOW at the Piedmont Kennel Club Dog Show April 10th.

### **Thecla Tyner**

Makyla King of the Rings, "Java" bred and co-owned by Thecla Tyner and Betty Ann Brown, took senior puppy 1st place on Friday 3/18/2011 under judge Mark Sedgwick, Pascavale Cavaliers, England for 1pt toward his Junior Warrant at the Cavaliers of the South Club in Richmond VA.

And on Sunday 3/20/2011 under judge Veronica Hull, Telvara Cavaliers, UK "Java" took Senior puppy 1st place for 2 Championship pts and 2 Junior Warrant pts!

Unfortunately, mom was too sick to show on Saturday 3/19/2011. However, this was a fun weekend, even though I got food poisoning, since this the very 1st CKCSC USA show for both Java and I!

### **Roger Brown**

Roger Brown and Laura Mauldin's Afghan Hound Zipper, won Winners Dog at the Greater Monroe Kennel Club show, and Winners Dog and Best of Winners, at the Salisbury Kennel Club Show.

### **Kari Hill**

Charhill Scotties had a big winning weekend:

Scottish Terrier Club of Greater Atlanta - April 9th

Charhill Charisma - Winners Bitch for a 4 pt major. Kady is 8 1/2 mos old, it was her first show and she won the major from the Bred by class

Charhill Premier Performance - Reserve Winners Dog and Best of Opposite in Sweepstakes. Digger is 9 mos old

Ch. Charhill Celestial - Best Veteran in Sweeps at 9 years old

GCH Charhill Power Broker - Select Dog and Award of Merit

Piedmont Kennel Club April 10th

Charhill Power Trader - Best of Winners and Winners Dog at 6 mos of age

Charhill Charisma - Winners Bitch

GCH Charhill Power Broker - Best of Breed and Group 2



**Members' Brags** - *Continued*

**Robert and Catherine LeBlond**  
Highveld Rhodesian Ridgebacks

Reign Beau earned her Novice Standard title in agility so she is now BIF FC Highveld's Reign Beau Warrior, SC NAJ RN NA.

**Loretta Anders**

Crufts 2011  
Multi Ch. Jade East Catch Me If You Can  
BOB and one of six pulled for group  
Bred By: Susan Bedingfield & Loretta Anders  
Owned By: Loretta Anders, Karel Nijholt, Esmee Minne



**If** ....

**If** you can start the day without caffeine,

**If** you can always be cheerful, ignoring aches and pains,

**If** you can resist complaining and boring people with your troubles,

**If** you can eat the same food every day and be grateful for it,

**If** you can understand when your loved ones are too busy to give you any time,

**If** you can overlook when those you love take it out on you through no fault of your own,

**If** you can take criticism and blame without resentment,

**If** you can resist treating a rich friend better than a poor friend,

**If** you can face the world without lies and deceit,

**If** you can conquer tension without medical help,

**If** you can relax without liquor,

**If** you can sleep without the aid of drugs,

**If** you can honestly say that deep in your heart you have no prejudice against creed, color, religion, gender preference or politics ....

**Then....** You have reached the same level of development as your dog.

*Submitted by Kari Hill*



*Submitted by Bev Crosby*

## Details from Your Delegate

Linda Knorr



### Chairman's Report April 2011

-- *Veteran Show Dogs Eligible for AKC/Eukanuba National Championship –*  
-- *Juniors Competition in Obedience and Agility Added --*

We are pleased to add a new way to qualify for the 2011 AKC/Eukanuba National Championship (AENC) – Veteran dog status! As a way to celebrate our older stars who made a mark in the show world during their career, any dog or bitch between seven and twelve years of age as of the first day of the show that has won an All-Breed Best in Show, National Specialty or was once ranked in the top five of their breed according to AKC breed points, will be invited to compete for Best of Breed, and if eligible, for the Best Bred-By-Exhibitor Award.

After May 1st, the [AKC website](#) will show a list of dogs who meet the above criteria. The Veterans must be intact since they are eligible to advance to compete in Group and Best in Show competition. We thank everyone who contacted us and asked us to include our Veterans in the competition. It will be a treat to see some of these great older dogs enter the ring at the National Championship.

### More Juniors Competition Added

Additionally, for the first time ever, we'll also have Juniors-specific competition within each event. Joining the AENC Junior Showmanship competition will be a Juniors competition in the AKC National Obedience Invitational (NOI) as well as the AKC Agility Invitational. The Juniors Obedience Competition will take place Saturday, December 17, 2011 and offer Beginner Novice and Novice classes. Entries will open July 25, 2011. For additional information and a list of full eligibility requirements, visit [here](#). For questions, please contact Trial Secretary Lisa Strickland at 919-816-3816 or [lms2@akc.org](mailto:lms2@akc.org)

The Juniors Agility Competition, open to children up to 18 years old on the day of the event, will take place on Friday, December 16, 2011 and consist of two rounds – a Standard course and a Jumpers with Weaves course. Stay tuned to the [Agility webpage](#) for upcoming news and updates. For questions, please contact Carrie DeYoung at 818-886-8212 or [cx2@akc.org](mailto:cx2@akc.org).

As a reminder, the AENC qualification period ends October 11, 2011. As in past years, our automatic qualifiers include dogs ranked in the top 25 of their breed (by AKC breed points only), All-Breed BIS winners, National Specialty winners, Grand Champions that completed the title during the qualifying period, Bred-By-Exhibitor champions (2-Year qualification window), Amateur-Owner-Handler class champions (2-Year qualification window), and the seven top breed winning dogs from over sixty International Registries and the Best of Breed and Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed winners from Crufts (2-Year window). As always, check [www.akc.org/invitational/2011](http://www.akc.org/invitational/2011) regularly for full details and updates.

For both the NOI and the Agility Invitational, the qualification period runs until June 30th, 2011. The top 25 Obedience dogs as well as the top three dogs of each breed will be invited to the NOI based on Obedience Trial Championship (OTCH) points. The top five dogs from each breed will be invited to compete in the AKC Agility Invitational based on the Top MACH Dog formula (Double Q's x 10) + MACH (Master Agility Championship) points that dogs have earned during the qualifying period.

We look forward to seeing everyone who qualifies in Orlando, Florida. With state-of-the-art facilities and 600,000 square feet of space at the Orange County Convention Center, this year's AKC/Eukanuba National Championship will be bigger and better than ever. There will also be plenty to enjoy in the city itself, as the Center is located in the heart of Orlando's tourism district. Start planning your trip and stay tuned for more updates and information in the coming months.

Sincerely,

Ron Menaker  
Chairman

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**Established in 1939 Greenville Kennel Club An AKC Member Club**

The Greenville Kennel Club meets every 3rd Tuesday of the month at the Quality Inn at Hwy 291 and I-385. Meetings start at 7:30PM. The Board of Directors meets every other month.

For more information on our meetings or scheduled programs, please contact the Recording Secretary, **Carol Morgan:**  
[HerdinDogz@yahoo.com](mailto:HerdinDogz@yahoo.com)

All items to be included in the newsletter are due on the Wednesday before our monthly meeting.

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**The next meeting of the GKC  
is on  
April 19, 2011**

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