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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 7:00PM at The Phoenix Center 130 Industrial Dr. (Turn off Laurens Rd at Fairway Subaru.)

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## A Message from our President



*Jeanette Stribling*

Happy New Year to all! It was great seeing you at the Christmas party. Once again, it was a fabulous night filled with great music, delicious food, wonderful fellowship and lots of awards. What a pleasure it was to present O'Malley McGee with a check for \$500 to use for the upcoming Westminster Dog Show! We are so proud of her accomplishments. We also presented a check for \$7,800 to the Greenville County Sheriff's K9 unit for the purchase of a new dog. Captain Steve Epps presented a plaque to GKC in appreciation. Also, Kris Harner was presented with the AKC Outstanding Sportsmanship Award, an accolade she certainly deserves. And, I was named "Member of the Year" and am truly honored.

One thing I wanted to remind everyone of for 2019 is that no GKC member is on salary. We rely totally on volunteers to keep the club running smoothly (and it does run smoothly). Please choose your words kindly and wisely when interacting with others. Your choice of words and the way that you express yourself can be such a positive reflection on our club. We owe a great deal of gratitude to all of our volunteers and we couldn't be the great club that we are without them. Thank you so much.

Till next time,

*Jeanette*

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## Yearly Dues - Ken Spiegel

Just a reminder that our yearly dues are now due. I mailed everyone an invoice in November. You can pay by mail, online, or at our January meeting.

Dues for 2019 will be \$25 for Individual, \$40 for Family, and \$15 for Associate Members. No dues are charged for Life Members and Junior Members.

**Greenville Kennel Club – Membership Meeting Agenda  
Tuesday, January 15, 2019 7:00PM  
The Phoenix Center 130 Industrial Drive Greenville, SC 29607**

- Welcome Guests / Roll Call / News & Brags - WAHOO CLEMSON!!!! - *Jeanette Stribling*
- Minutes of previous Membership Meeting – 11/20/2018
- Report of Recording Secretary – *Beverly Crosby*
- Report of the Corresponding Secretary – *Paula Ford*
- Report of the Treasurer – *Ken Spiegel*
- Report of the AKC Delegate – *Gloria Askins*

**COMMITTEE REPORTS (final for 2018 chairmen):**

- Club Hospitality - *Sharon Smith*
  - Programs – *Sam Metzger*
  - Sunshine – *Becky Ward*
  - Website & Newsletter – *Ken Spiegel*
  - Social Media – *Jackie Mathis*
  - Membership – *Thecla Tyner*  
1<sup>st</sup> Readings (if in attendance): Tena Kastner, Elaine Hadden Golladay,  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading and Membership Vote (if in attendance): Rhonda Robinson
  - Annual Title Awards – *Thecla Tyner*
  - Publicity/Marketing – *Alison Wyman*
  - Handling/Training – *Bob Vandiver*
  - Law Enforcement – *Blake Roulette*
  - Finance – *Blake Roulette*
  - Obedience – *Ruth Turner/Thecla Tyner*
  - Match – *Ken/Debbie Walker*
  - Legislation - *Beth Crocker*
  - Education - *Trish Mitchell*
  - Historian – *Ruth Turner*
  - RDO – *Drew Deaton*
  - Show – *Kris Harner*
  - Trophies – *Dawn Demauex*
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**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

1. Yappy Hours – Jeanette Stribling, email to membership
2. Status of Committee Chairs attending Board meetings, upcoming schedule – Jeanette Stribling/Paula Ford
3. Program – for February general meeting; Reunite Program presentation (AKC) – Gloria Askins

**NEW BUSINESS:**

1. Vote - 2019 slate of Officers
2. Committee Chair update
3. RDO – Search Committee (John Jackson, Drew Deaton, Blake Roulette) will research a new partner and a new location. Need several other volunteers very familiar with the Greenville area. If you have a recommendation to be considered, send info and contact to one of the search committee.
4. Match 2019 - Ashley Boudreaux, Ken/Debbie Walker, LouAnn McGahey
5. New Entry Fee for July 2019 show – Kris Harner
6. Policy on approval of donations and unbudgeted extraordinary expenses
7. Phoenix Center – contract has been renewed for 2019 – Bev Crosby
8. Seminar/Class - solidifying a date for a seminar (likely to be held at the Phoenix Center), full day, open to other clubs and organizations, Ron Schultz (Vaccination protocols) and Avidog – Debbi Kaplan

**Next Board Meeting: Monday, February 4, 2019 at 6:30 pm at Stax Omega, Orchard Park Rd. Greenville, SC. Any member is welcome to attend, however if you have business you would like the Board to address, it must be submitted in writing at least one week prior to the meeting. Meeting minutes are published on the Club's website. This Board meeting has been moved so as not to conflict with Westminster.**

**Next Membership Meeting: Tuesday, February 19, 2019**

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## **Slate of Candidates**

The Nominating Committee has selected the following slate of officer candidates for 2019: The vote will be taken at the January Meeting.

President  
Jeanette Stribling

Vice President  
Blake Roulette

Corresponding Secretary  
Paula Ford

Recording Secretary  
Bev Crosby

Treasurer  
Ken Spiegel

AKC Delegate  
Gloria Askins

Director at Large (3-year term)  
Thecla Tyner

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**At the Christmas Party**



*Presenting junior handler (and GKC member) O'Malley McGee a check for her trip to Westminster (with Representative Jason Elliott)*



*GKC Presenting GCSO K9 unit with a check for purchase of new dog, "Patton"*



*GKC Member of the Year, Jennette Stribling*



*Kris Harner receives Outstanding Sportsmanship Award*



*GCSO K-9 Unit with GKC Members and Rep. Jason Elliott*



## Members' Brags

### John Jackson and Cassie Wolfe Jackson



Here is some news on our Airedale Terrier, Dixie, AKC registered as Bajanaire's Dixie Anna Dale Takes Walk.:

On August 18 in Greensboro NC at the Carolina Cluster Show and Carolina Terrier Association -- Dixie at 17 months took Winners Bitch and SEL to earn her Champion status--judged by Ms. Judith White.

Just 2 months later at 19 months, on October 21 in Atlanta, GA at the Georgia Classic/ Nenan Kennel Club --Dixie took SEL to earn her Grand Champion status--judged by Mr. Desmond J Murphy.

We thank the GKC for training us in the world of Conformation Shows and especially Bob Vandiver!!

### Trish Mitchell

Koukla Samoyeds - Ch.White Gold's Bizzy Body @ Koukla won BOB at the Clemson KC shows on Jan.5 & 6,2019. We also won OH Group 1 on Jan.6. Bizzy just turned 1 year old on Dec.13,2017 and earned her championship at 8 months old. Trish Mitchell is loved, owned and trained by Bizzy!

### Beverly Childs

Stone House Hounds

The StoneHouseHounds are excited to have a new Champion and this beautiful and mischievous girl as part of our pack. CH Crepu Visage Aged To Perfection At StoneHouse CGC CGCA CGCU TKN HC ~ WILLETT finished her championship with 17 points at 12 months of age. We were so excited to have Breeder Judge Ms. Mary Anne Brocious appreciate our naughty and much-loved girl in a major lineup of bitches. Willett finished with four majors - two of those majors under breeder judges Ms. Barbara Goodkind Pepper (3 points) and in Orlando at the Brevard Kennel Club under Judge Brocious (3 points.) Other majors were awarded by Judge Mr. Elliott B. Weiss (4 points) and Judge Mr. Luc Boileau (3 points.)

Willett will hang out and hunt for the rest of the winter. She has one leg on her Junior PBGVCA hunting title. Hopefully before spring we can put a hunting title at the end of her name. Willi is not just a show dog - she loves the mud, digging and is not afraid to go into cover in briars. Unfortunately, Willi is not a fan of grooming:(

Willett is out of GCH Crepu Visage & Sutton's Get The Party Started ~ PINK owned by Sandy Bustin and by CH McRudge Centerstage Fun Times in Rio @ Morganmills ~ RIO, owned by Patti Whitlock. Willi is owned by Beverly and Tony Childs and handled and adored by her mom. Co-Owner and Breeder is Sandy Bustin.

## Members' Brags - Continued

### Beth Crocker

On Saturday at the Clemson Kennel Club show, my Boykin Spaniel, Gin, earned a 3rd placement in Novice Obedience and on the same day she earned her 2nd Major towards her championship!

### Debbi McLees

"Monica", Shadow Hill South There Are No Rules, was WB for her first pt at Clemson KC Jan 6, this was her first weekend out as an adult.

"Blake", Shadow Hill South A Guy With A Girl, was BOW for 4 pt major at the Shetland Sheepdog Club of SE FL on Jan 5.

Congratulations to **O'Malley McGee** for winning Clemson Kennel Club's BEST OF THE BEST \$500.00 COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP on Sunday, January 6. The award is presented to the Junior chosen between the Best Junior Showmanship winners competing over the two days of shows.



*Judge Linda Ayers Turner Knorr, O'Malley McGee and Gene Hinson, CKC Show Chairman*

*Photo courtesy of Robert J. Skibinski Photography*

# Sunshine Committee

Becky Ward



Happy New Year to all members and I hope that everyone had a very happy holiday season with your loved ones. Here's wishing all of our members born in the month of January a very Happy Birthday including **Barbara Andreassen** (1/25) **Roger Brown** (1/17) and myself (1/14)!

Let's all make this year a very prosperous and rewarding one for our club and our spectacular Dog Show in July! Sincerely, Becky Ward, Sunshine Chair.

If you hear of a Member that is ill or just in need of a kind word of support, please contact Becky at (864) 905-1230 (Cell), (864) 288-6206 (Home) and leave a message if no answer or email at [wardbk50@yahoo.com](mailto:wardbk50@yahoo.com).

Remember, a simple word spoken in kindness can make a world of difference for a friend in need.

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

The next meeting of the GKC is on January 15, 2019

The Greenville Kennel Club meets every 3rd Tuesday of the month at the Phoenix Center, 130 Industrial Drive. (Off Laurens road near Haywood Road)

Meetings start at 7:00PM

For more information on our meetings or scheduled programs, please contact the Recording Secretary, **Bev Crosby**, [poshpoos@gmail.com](mailto:poshpoos@gmail.com)

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

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