



Greenville Kennel Club Meetings are held on the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 7:00PM

Location TBD

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# Greenville Kennel Club News

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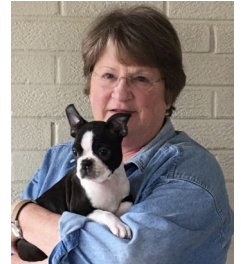
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## December 2021

### A Message from our President

*Jeanette Stribling*



Hi everyone.

Merry Christmas everyone! It was so good seeing everybody at our annual Christmas Party this year. I felt it was the best one I've been to since I became a member. A huge thank you goes out to Sharon Smith and Michele Christian for the beautiful decorations. There were people commenting on them from other parties that night! We are so proud of Junior members O'Malley McGee and Alexis Moore and wish them the best at the AKC National Championship this week. Also, I'm so glad we were able to help with the purchase of another dog for the Sheriff's Department. Their thank-you speeches were the best!!! Last but not least, congratulations to Thecla Tyner for her AKC Outstanding Sportsmanship Award and to Sharon Smith for her Member of the Year Award. Both ladies are very deserving of these 2 awards.

Don't forget the true "reason for the season", the birth of our Savior, Jesus Christ. Please keep this in your hearts as you enjoy these last few weeks of 2021.

Till next time,

Jeanette



**Sunshine Committee**

*Becky Ward*



Happy Holidays to everyone during this joyous month of December 2021. The annual holiday Christmas dinner was delightful and festive, and a great time was had by all who attended!! The Poinsett Club never disappoints serving its delicious culinary delights or its beautiful Christmas ambience throughout the halls.

Please keep your thoughts and prayers for the family of Jackie and Stewart Mathis as Stewart's father suffered a stroke as the family was notified on the eve of our Christmas dinner. Praying that he is healing and resting comfortably .and will be well soon.



Congratulations to all of our Award winners that were announced at our Holiday dinner!! They were all so very very deserving!!! and a big thank you to everyone for taking all of the beautiful Holiday pictures!!!



December is a special time of year to celebrate a Birthday so I would like to wish *Alexandra Elgin Fowler* a Happy Birthday on 12/10, *Danielle Womack* 12/10, *Daniel Dunham* 12/16, *James Holliday* 12/19, *Heather Moran* 12/25 and *Michelle Privette* 12/25, and to anyone else who is not listed in our membership directory.

Starting January 2022, the new Sunshine Committee Chairperson will be Lisa Jumper cell phone # 864) 593-8649 and email is: [LjimpSC@gmail.com](mailto:LjimpSC@gmail.com). Please contact Lisa with any news, celebrations, illnesses or matters of the GKC members that need to be given attention.

I have thoroughly enjoyed all of the years representing the GKC as its Sunshine Chairperson along with the help of Linda Knorr. Paula Ford, Thecla Tyner, Lisa Jumper and all of the members for calling me with news of the club members and their families. I would also like to extend a Big Thank You to Ken Walker as he has come to my rescue many months in helping with the article for the newsletter and to Ken Spiegel " The man holding the money" for the purchases from the Club.



May everyone enjoy this beautiful holiday season with their families, dogs included, and have a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!! See you in 2022!!!

Sincerely, Becky Ward Sunshine Chairperson





**2022 Proposed Officers &  
Board Members At Large**  
*(Election to be held at January 2022 Meeting)*

**Officers:**

**President - Jeanette Stribling**

**Vice President - Sharon Smith**

**Recording Secretary - Jan Clifford**

**Corresponding Secretary - Ashleigh Boudreaux**

**Treasurer - Ken Spiegel**

**AKC Delegate - Gloria Askins**

**Director 3-year term Todd McGahey (2024)**

**Director to fill vacancy created by Sharon Smith - Kris Harner (2022)**

**Director not subject to election Meredith McGee (2023)**



Just a reminder that our yearly dues are payable on *January 1<sup>st</sup>*.

Members who have not paid by *March 1st* will have their membership terminated and will need to re-apply for membership.

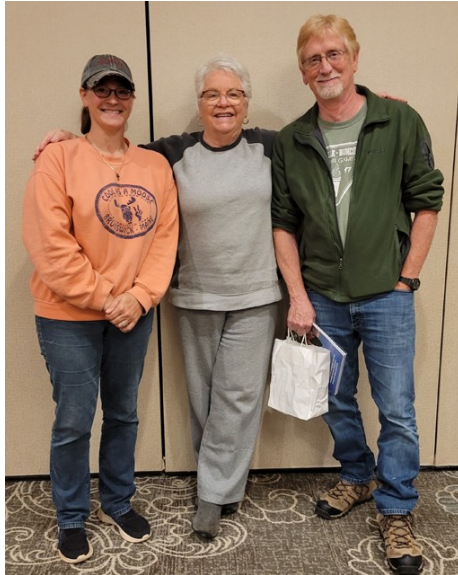
The direct link to pay dues online: <https://www.greenvillekc.org/index.php/dues>

If you are a new member and were voted-in at the September, October, or November Meeting, you will not owe dues until January 2023.





## **Welcome New Members**



**Tamara McElyea and Ron Nelson  
with Bev Crosby, Membership Chair**

**Tom & Debra Ellis**

***We look forward to having you as part of our club!***



**GKC is happy to support  
and encourage  
the future of our club!**

**Alexis Moore & O'Malley McGee  
qualified to compete in  
Junior Showmanship at the  
AKC National Championships  
in Orlando, FL.**

**2021 AKC Sportsmanshp Award**



***Congratulations Thecla Tyner***

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**2021 Greenville Kennel Club Presidents Award**



***Congratulations  
Sharon Smith***

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**Supporting the  
Greenville County  
Sheriffs Department  
Canine Unit**











*Happy Holidays*





Members' Brags



Karen Cate



Bob and Karen Cate are pleased to announce that their *Hudson* has finished both his Champion and Senior Hunter titles.

Presenting *CH Southern Fire's River of Dreams CGC RE TKN DN SH.*



Also *Jaxx, CH Southern Fire's Secret Storm* earned a NAVHDA Utility Preparatory Test Prize 3.



Plus our *Scout, Southern Fire's Benelli Scout* earned a NAVHDA Natural Ability Prize 2. Scout is the 32nd Southern Fire puppy to pass the North American Versatile Hunting Dog Association Natural Ability test.

We are very thankful.



**Members' Brags - cont.**



**Beverly and Tony Childs and the StoneHouseHounds**



**After finishing as the #1 Owner Handled PBGV for 2021 Willi took time off to collaborate on a Willie Nelson project.**



**Production ended on November 18<sup>th</sup> with three beautiful girls who we hope will find their way to the top of the charts in the future.**

**The sire is our Rowdy's son Nelson –  
BISS BIS GCHG Talus StoneHouse I'm a Travelin' Man.**



**Willett is a wonderful mom and we are having so much fun with our first litter at StoneHouseHounds.**

**We have gone from controlled chaos to total chaos and know in the weeks to come it will get even more crazy.**

**Merry Christmas everyone!**





**Next Board Meeting** - Tuesday, January 4, 2022 – last Board meeting for currently standing Board prior to election of new officers/directors. 7PM, via Zoom video conference. Any member is welcome to attend; however if you have business for the Board to address, it must be submitted in writing to a Board member at least one week prior to the meeting. Minutes will be published to the Club website.



## Next General Meeting

**Tuesday, January 18, 2022**

**Hospitality starts at 6:30PM - Meetings start at 7:00PM**

**Location—TBD**



*Our responsibility as a club is to provide the safest environment for our members, applicants and guests for our meetings. Please wear masks – We will continue to follow current CDC and State rules for covid protocol. We will advise everyone if there are changes - be safe! Thank you for your cooperation.*

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

If any member knows of any members that need to be called upon or recognized due to illness, accomplishments, deaths or any other challenges in one's family please call or email **Lisa Jumper @864-593-8649**, [LjimpSC@gmail.com](mailto:LjimpSC@gmail.com).

You may also contact **Paula Ford @864-895-6837** with any news that the Club needs to be informed about.

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

**Send brags, news, photos, articles, and any information to:**  
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