



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

**Boiling Springs Fire Dept,
Station 15
Training Center
208 Blacks Dr
Greenville, SC 29615**

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Greenville Kennel Club News

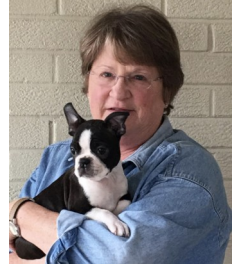
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April 2022

A Message from our President

Jeanette Stribling



Happy Spring everyone! I'm sure you and your dogs have been enjoying the beautiful weather we've been having here lately. My dogs are actually enjoying the back porch rather than the couch and don't seem to mind the yellowish tinge to their coats!

The board is about finished with updating the by-laws and will be starting to update our policies soon. Please take a minute to thank a board member for the work that is ongoing behind the scenes to make us a better club. I am continually amazed at not only the board, but every member and their contributions to GKC.

Hope to see you Tuesday. Our speaker will be Gail LaBerge, and will be speaking about how we can be more active in both our State and local legislative processes.

Have a joyful Easter!

Till next time,

Jeanette



April Membership Meeting

Tues. April 19th

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

Remember we have a New Meeting Location

**Boiling Springs Fire Department, Station 15
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April Program

Gail LaBerge will help us understand how we can be more active in our State and local legislative process.



Gail was the recipient of the AKC Community Achievement Award for her efforts defending and protecting the interests of the canine community as a board member and volunteer in the Georgia Canine Coalition.

Gail is considered a superstar in AKC circles for her years working with Georgia officials to make sure that the interests of purebred dog owners are well represented.

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If you have suggestions for meeting programs contact: Michelle Christian: gcmc4c@bellsouth.net



Plan to attend ...

Annual Picnic and Celebration of Life for Blake Roulette

Tuesday, May 17, 2022

6:00pm

Butler Springs Park

301 Butler Springs Rd, Greenville, SC 29615

New Meeting Location

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Boiling Springs Fire Department, Station 15

I85 Exit 54

I385 Exit 37

**From I85 North or South
Take exit 54 for Pelham Rd
From I85 South Turn right onto
Pelham Rd
From I85 North Turn left onto
Pelham Rd**
1.3 mi
Turn left onto Blacks Dr
0.4 mi
Turn right to stay on Blacks Dr
135 ft
Turn right onto 1st Driveway
262 ft
Destination will be on the left

**From I385 North or South
Take exit 37 for Roper Mountain Rd
From I385 North Use the right 2 lanes
to turn right onto Roper Mountain Rd
From I385 South Use the left 2 lanes
to turn left onto Roper Mountain Rd**
0.8 mi
Slight left onto Blacks Dr
1.4 mi
Turn left onto 2nd Driveway
262 ft
Destination will be on the left



Margaret (Meg) Peifer



Profession- *Retired Interior/Kitchen/Bath Designer*

Years with GKC- *less than 1 year*

Current Breeds- *Papillon*

Breeds I've owned- *Doberman Pincher, Anatolian Shepherd, Papillon*

Favorite dog memory-

Winning Bred by Exhibitor class at the Papillon National Speciality

Hobbies (other than dogs)-

Jewelry Design and Creation, Target shooting (22 caliber pistol)

Favorite Movie- *West Side Story (George Chakaris, Rita Moreno, Natalie Wood and Russ Tamblyn -not the 2021 picture)*

Favorite Food- *rare Prime Rib*

One thing that might surprise you about me-

I have been a Green Bay Packer fan since 1960, although I grew up less than an hour from Soldiers Fields in Chicago. I did live 90 miles from Lambeau Field in Green Bay, WI for 30 years





Sunshine Report - Lisa Jumper

Hope everyone has a wonderful Easter

Please keep *Maureen McKowen* in are prayer for a speedy recovery from knee surgery! She would also like to thank the club for the wonderful food we sent her!



Happy Birthday to all our April members!

Samantha Nyhus 4/4, **Bobbie Fairbanks** 4/9, **O'Malley McGee** 4/19, **Mike Smith** 4/28, **Ken Walker** 4/29, **Kathryn Baughman** 4/30 and to anyone else who is not listed in our membership directory.

Please reach out to me if you need anything: I would greatly appreciate it !!



Till next time!

Lisa



Welcome New Members

Keith Butler, Lochlynn Chastain
(Junior Member)

with Membership Chair, **Michele Mangum**



Did you know?

We have added the role of MENTORS to our membership process and application.

Please read below and let me know, at jcstribling@bell.south.net, if you are interested in becoming a mentor.

Thank you, Jeanette

The Role of Sponsors and Mentors

An applicant does not need to have sponsors in advance before applying for membership in the Greenville Kennel Club. It's helpful, but not mandatory. If the applicant does not know any member of the club, he/she will be assigned a mentor to start the process.

The mentor will contact the applicant via phone call, or personally, and get to know them and their goals in joining the club. It is recommended that the applicant attend several meetings to get to know some of the members as well. If the mentor is satisfied that GKC is a good fit, then he/she will help in finding two appropriate sponsors who will take over the process in more depth.

A sponsor's role is to meet with or converse with applicants and determine their areas of interest, their areas of expertise, which then in turn helps them find their niche in the club's activities, and allows the sponsor to direct you to members who can best help you with your own interests and training. It is also the sponsor's role to be a resource for the applicant to answer questions about a particular activity, about the club's policies on any particular item, about how anything works within the club, to simply be a sounding board for the applicant until that is no longer seriously needed.

Become a friend in the club! Sponsors, mentors, and indeed the entire membership, serve as guides for new members and are there to help and provide support, guidance, information or advice whenever needed.

Members' Brags



Silver Entrekin

My very first APC Nationals with exciting news!

What an amazing experience my first time at American Pomeranian Nationals in Louisville, Kentucky



3/13/2022 under Judge Lee-Ann Lambert my very first bred by Puppy took 4th place in 3-6 month old sanctioned puppy match.

Silver's Reigning Heir Victorious Secret (Vikki)

Sire: Silver's Reigning Heir Glory Luster (Tank)

Dam: Reigning's As The Storm Rages Irma

Bred by: Silver Landin Entrekin, Gail Bertrand, Bill Bertrand

Owned and handled By: Silver Landin Entrekin

3/15/2022 , my boy took first place in American bred under judge Curtiss Smith



Silver's Reigning Heir Glory Luster (Tank)

Sire: Carlang Simply Stellar

Dam: Ch Reigning's Ready For It Taylor

Bred by: Gail Bertrand

Handled by: Deanne Hood

Owned by: Silver Landin Entrekin



3/16/2022 he went on to take Best American Bred under Judge Curtiss Smith

Members' Brags - cont.



Tamara McElyea "McElyea's McSchnauzers"

The first champion of my breeding from my St. Patrick's Day litter earned his final points for his championship on St. Patrick's Day.

CH. McElyea's McSchnauzers' Leprechaun Mischief.



Tom & Debra Ennis



In Lawrenceville GA on March 30th our little class dog, Ollie, *finished his championship* by winning over two grand champions.

So proud of our little man, and ecstatic that our breeder, Beverly Krautler was there to witness it.

A special thanks to Meg Pfeifer for all of her guidance.

Debbi Kaplan "Shadow Hill South Shelties"

Sawnee Mountain KC April 2nd
young Heath (*Shadow Hill The Influencer*)
was *Best of Winners* for another point
thank you judge, John Wade

Members' Brags - cont.



Meg Peifer



New Grand Champion - GRCH Cherish Charming Elan (Minnie) finished her Grand Championship in 7 consecutive shows, ALL MAJORS.

Bred by Brenda Matherly and Jenny Widing, owned by Meg Peifer and Brenda Matherly.

Gloria Askins

GCHS Legacy's Sharp Shooter, JH received a NOHS Platinum Level of achievement Certificate & Pin from AKC and once again was invited to compete in the Irish Setter Club of America Top 20. The Top 20 Competition will be in Greeley CO in June.

Gunner is Bred, Owned & Loved by Gloria Askins - Legacy Irish Setters.



Beth Crocker

My Boykins, Gin and Ty, each earned a Judges Award of Merit (JAM) at the CBSRC Field Trial in Winnsboro, SC on March 26 & 27.

Ty is the son of Gin, so the apple doesn't fall far from the tree.



Members' Brags - cont.



Kathryn Baughman



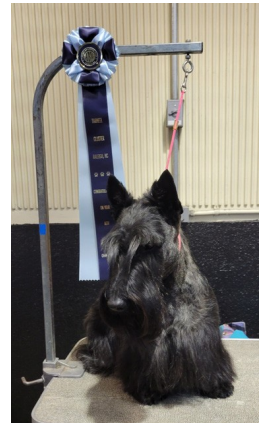
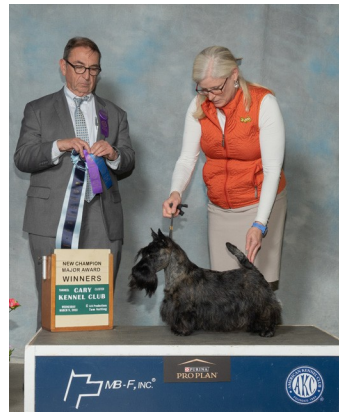
Bentley (*Mikadobe's I Love Rock N Roll*) went Winners Dog, Best of Winners and Best of Breed for a major at the Birmingham Kennel Club show on April 8th. Thank you Mrs. Barbara Alderman!

Bentley is owned by my sister, Caroline Harris.

Kari Hill

March was a BIG month.

**Started off the month with finishing 2 littermates at the Raleigh shows:
Charthill New Frontier (Fitz)
Charthill Set Sail (Nina)**



Then we came home and immediately whelped a litter. 5 puppies. The sire is a dog of ours from a long time ago, his sperm had been frozen for 14 yrs. Mother finished with 3 specialty wins.

Needless to say, we are super excited. And yes, these puppies are not all black. We have some exciting brindles as well.



Greenville Kennel Club – Membership Meeting Agenda
Tuesday, April 19, 2022 at 7:00PM
Refreshments at 6:30 PM
Boiling Springs Fire Dept, Station 15 Training Center
208 Blacks Dr Greenville, SC 29615

(In accordance with CDC recommendations for all indoor meetings, and for the safety and health of all of our members, PLEASE MASK, WHETHER VACCINATED OR NOT.)

- **CALL TO ORDER**, Welcome, Brags -Jeanette Stribling
- **ROLL CALL** – PLEASE SIGN IN ON THE ATTENDANCE SHEET
- **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**, as posted on website
November 2021 NOT POSTED YET -no approval done
March 2022 –
- **REPORT OF THE RECORDING SECRETARY** –Jan Clifford
- **REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY** – Ashliegh Boudreaux
- **REPORT OF THE TREASURER** – Ken Spiegel
Income & Expense Report for March 2022 –*A hard copy of the report given by Ken Spiegel will be attached to the minutes in the Secretary's book and is available to view upon request.*
- **AKC DELEGATE REPORT** -Gloria Askins
- **EVENING PROGRAM:** *Gail LaBerge will help us understand how we can be more active in our State and local legislative process*
- **COMMITTEE CHAIR CHATS** -Jeanette Stribling
Chats take place during Board Meetings.
April chats were with: Social Media & Law Enforcement-Jackie Mathis

Committee Chair Chat for May Board Meeting will be:

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Membership Meeting Agenda cont

COMMITTEES THAT HAVE REPORTS:

Committee Reports- Jeanette Stribling-

REMINDER THAT REPORTS NEED TO BE SENT IN PRIOR TO GENERAL MEETING

- **Membership Committee** -Michele Mangum

New applicants eligible for introduction and first reading:

New applicants with sponsors ready for 2nd reading and vote:

Eligible for second readings to be done with vote:

- James Owens-first reading & has sponsors
- Renea Davis-first reading & has sponsors
- Stephanie McKinney-Holiday –first reading & has sponsors
- Michele Chastain –first reading & has sponsors
- Phyllis Ann Butler –first reading & has sponsors

New Junior-reading:

***Reminder – for anyone to be considered for reading or vote, applicants must be present at the meeting as long as we are meeting in person.*

- **Trophy Chair** -Sharon Smith

Great response for trophy sponsors.

Collections done now through show at meetings or may bring directly to show.

- **JUNIORS** -Meredith McGee

Peewee goodie bags for July 2022 show- need donations for approximately 25 different bags.

Bring to Meredith before show.

- **Trial Updates: Rally/Obedience** - Kris Harner/Lou Ann McGahey

OLD/UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

- **Bylaw updating** -Gloria Askins
- **Committee Chairs** –please let Jeanette about reports for the meeting
- **AKC Lifetime Achievement Awards**-Gloria Askins

NEW BUSINESS:

- **Annual Picnic and Celebration of Life for Blake Roulette** -Jeanette Stribling -May 17, 2022 beginning at 6:00 pm Butler Springs Park. Members to bring a side dish.
- **Role of a Mentor (new program) and Sponsors for New Members**_-Jeanette Stribling
- **Publicity Chair**-need to fill this position-Jeanette Stribling

Adjourn -There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned

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Next Board Meeting - Tuesday, May 3, 2022 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 will be June 21, 2022.
In place of the May Meeting plan to attend our**

Annual Picnic and Celebration of Life for Blake Roulette



**Tuesday, May 17, 2022
6:00pm**

**Butler Springs Park
301 Butler Springs Rd, Greenville, SC 29615**

Board of Directors

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For more information on our meetings or scheduled programs, please contact the Recording Secretary, **Jan Clifford**, cliff36@aol.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. Lijmpsc@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: Ken Walker, kenwalkerqkc@bellsouth.net

