



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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May 2024

A Message from our President

Debbi Kaplan

What an honor to serve as your Greenville Kennel Club President, I appreciate your confidence in my ability to lead our pack.



Hope all of our moms were able to celebrate and enjoy a fantastic Mother’s Day with family, including our four legged ones too.

There were some GKC members entered at Westminster so I am looking forward to hearing the brags.

I know everyone is excited and planning on attending our Spring Fling, this is always a favorite event. We are in a beautiful historic venue, while being entertained by talented Bluegrass musicians and enjoying delicious barbecue. Then we will honor the dedication of our members who have completed titles on their dogs in the past year. You don’t want to miss this event so make your reservation and mark your calendars for May 21!

The club still needs someone to Chair our Match, please consider stepping up for the club. We already have a team of people who have signed up and ready help, but we need a Chairperson.

If you ever have a suggestion, concern or question, feel free to give me a call or send a text to 864-525-3249 my phone is usually permanently attached. I check my email several times thru out every day, Debbi@CruiseOneCrew.com.

Hope to see you soon and I appreciate everyone’s support.

Barkacordially,

Debbi

Don't Miss the Spring Fling
Tuesday May 21, 2024
Cocktails 6:30pm Dinner 7:00pm



BBQ and Bluegrass Music
at the Poinsett Club.



Next Membership Meeting

Tues. June 18, 2024

Hospitality 6:30PM

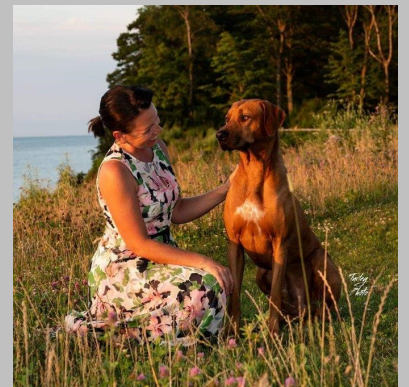
Meeting 7:00PM

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Program

Dr. Julie Wilkinson, a licensed Chiropractor who is also certified in Animal Chiropractic will be our guest speaker.

She will be talking about Chiropractic for people and dogs, along with some of the things she has seen traveling the show circuits the last four years.



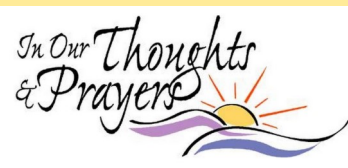
Sunshine Report - *Lisa Jumper*



Hope all the Moms 2 or 4 legged had a wonderful Mother's Day.



I'm looking forward to seeing everyone at our *Spring Fling* next Tuesday.



Great news from *Jan and Patrick Clifford* they are back home in Landrum, just taking things day by day. Please continue to keep them in your thoughts and prayers!

Enjoyed talking to *Dawn Demauex* this morning. She is recuperating nicely and is now home.

Happy Birthday to the following members:

Debbie Beckwith and *Beverly Crosby* share May 8,
Elizabeth Sealy May 12, *Karen Cate* May 14,
Jan Clifford, Rusty Morton, Patti Pennington and *Thecla Tyner*
all celebrate May 15,
Margaret Peifer May 17, *Jessica Bimmerman* May 23,
Charity Blumer May 25, and *Tena Kastner* May 29.



Lisa

Sunshine Committee Chair
864-593-8649



The 4H kids had a great Junior Showmanship class, and we want to say a big thank you to *Tena Kastner, Heather Hetager, Debbi Kaplan, Ashlyn Navis, and Maureen McKowen* for helping by bringing show dogs and/or teaching the class.

The kids had a fun experience, and a couple of kids were inspired to consider Junior Showmanship in their future.

Charity Blumer





Welcome New Members

The Greenville Kennel Club welcomes
our newest Members,
Linda Lewis & Marie Burris
with GKC Membership Chair, Ken Spiegel



Members' Brags



Debra & Tom Ennis

Ollie received his UKC champion title during a 6-show weekend in April.
He also took his very first **Reserve Best in Show!**

So proud of this little guy, and so grateful to Beverly Krautler
for giving us the opportunity to take this wild ride.



Members' Brags cont.



Mary Roddy

Star Ranch N Tuff Hombre Cool Intentions "Mary" Took Winners Bitch at the Myrtle Beach Kennel Club show. This was "Mary's" first show.



Per AKC approval "Ginny" will now be known as CH Sage Creek Gin Fiz. She finished her championship at the Peach Blossom Cluster in Perry Georgia taken Winners Bitch for a five point major. She also took Reserve Winners Bitch at the ACDCA Regional Speciality for a four point Major that same weekend.



"Snake" CH Sage Creek N Royals Copperhead Road @ Star Ranch took an Owner Handler Group 4 in Raleigh, NC. He thought the big ring was great.



Members' Brags cont.



Debbie & Ken Walker

Ch Horizon's Wild Ride at Alacazam "Ryder"
went to the 2024 Norwegian Elkhound National



In 2023 "Ryder" was BOS in Futurity

In 2024 Ryder went BOS in Maturity



"Ryder" was in the final cut at the National

*Ryder is proud of his sister "Ember" who was selected
Best of Breed at the National Specialty*

Nancy Wargas

My Lucius has completed his championship
at Lumberton, under Judge Robin Stansil

"Full Circle Farms War Hero WLD"

Photo should be available for June Newsletter

Members' Brags cont.



Lindsey Lowe

Lya (Wesann's Lya of the Nox)
went RWB against 247 entered bitches at the Whippet National
in Kingsport, TN, at the end of April for a 3-point major.



Deborah Craddock

10.5 month old "Tula",
Daughter of my Grand Champion Black Russian Terrier boy "Kurgan",
went Winners Bitch twice and Best of Winners once at April Perry.

So proud of this young girl!



Members' Brags cont.



Ashlyn Navis

We competed in Junior Showmanship at Westminster



Ron & Pam Jacobson

Ducee was awarded 2 majors in Perry to complete her championship

Introducing — CH Bravo's Semper Fi to Mardebri & Corisande CGCA CGCU TRN



Next Board Meeting - Tuesday May 4, 2024, 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.



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Next General Meeting

Tuesday, June 18, 2024

Hospitality starts at 6:30PM - Meeting starts at 7:30PM

**Boiling Springs Fire Dept, Station 15 Training Center
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For more information on our meetings or scheduled programs, please contact the Recording Secretary,
Mary Roddy, roddy ranch@aol.com



If you have any suggestions for Speakers or Programs for upcoming General Meetings

Contact: **Beverly Childs** bevchilds@bellsouth.net

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:

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