



The Newsletter of the Greater Lincoln Obedience Club, Inc. Nov. 2005

Announcements

THE DECEMBER MEETING, which will be held on December 1, 2005, at 7:00 p.m. at the GLOC building will feature the annual potluck holiday dinner and the Annual Awards Ceremony. Bring your favorite dish to share plus plates and utensils; GLOC will provide soft drinks and coffee.

The January, 2006, Meeting will feature the annual vote for new officers and board members. The nominating committee has submitted the following names for your consideration:

OFFICERS:

- President : Janet Ball
- Vice President: Mary Schweitzer
- Recording Secretary: Nancy Bowen
- Treasurer: Jayne Sebby
- Corresponding Secretary: Cheryl Griffith

- BOARD OF DIRECTORS (2):** Vince Kamrath
- Elbert Traylor

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NOTE: The other 3 members comprising the board (Jennifer Brown, David Hayes and Hope Sass) have 1 more year of their 2 year term to complete.

Respectfully submitted.

Vince Kamrath, Chairman
Sherry Drbal
Jody Hiskey

DUES are due: Please send your dues to Vince Kamrath before January 1, 2006, if you wish to vote in the upcoming election. Individual dues are \$20; family dues are \$25. (If you have joined the club since October, 2005, your dues for 2006 are already paid.)

Alicia Graybill is the new BARKER editor. Please send all announcements, information, and brags to her at glocbarker@gmail.com or 466-7035.

**GREATER LINCOLN OBEDIENCE CLUB BOARD MEETING
November 3, 2005**

Present: Judy Vitamvas, Vince Kamrath, Jennifer Brown, Nancy Bowen, Hope Sass, Elbert Traylor, Dave Hayes.

1. **Board Minutes:** Approved as written.
2. **Treasurer's Report.** Presented by Vince Kamrath and approved. Details elsewhere in this newsletter.
3. **Condolences** were sent to Marcy Graybill whose Samoyed (Gita) passed away.
4. **Training:** Novice Ready classes started Wednesday 11/2/05 at 7 pm – could use a few more people if anyone is interested.
5. **New Building Committee:** Janet Ball is looking into different funding options. She will be meeting soon to discuss funding partnering with a bank. She will be needing additional information such as club income and financial statements. This meeting will be for information gathering only, and to determine rates, pre-approval process, feasibility, etc.
6. **Non-Profit Status:** No response yet.
7. **Nomination Committee:** The nominating committee offered the following names as candidates to serve in 2006. Opportunity for nominations from the floor will be given at the December meeting: President: Janet Ball, Vice President: Mary Schweitzer, Recording Secretary: Nancy Bowen, Treasurer: Jayne Seby, Corresponding Secretary: Cheryl Griffith. Board of Directors (2): Vince Kamrath and Elbert Traylor. Note: The other 3 members of the board (Jennifer Brown, David Hayes and Hope Sass have one more year of their two-year term to complete).
8. **Awards:** The Board discussed the various awards to be presented by GLOC and some possible recommendations. Further recommendations will be accepted at the general meeting.
9. **Public Relations – Star City Parade:** Cheryl Griffith and a member of Golden Retriever Rescue In Nebraska (GRRIN) discussed the upcoming parade. Members will wear red sweatshirts which will be decorated similar to last year. If you have not already done so, please get a red sweatshirt with your name on it to Cheryl Griffith and let her know you plan to participate so enough scarves can be made (telephone 472-6605). The dogs will wear decorated scarves similar to last year.
10. **Flyball:** The flyball proposal with a flyball group here in Lincoln has been approved. GLOC will purchase two flyball boxes and practices will be held at the State Fairgrounds food court. A flyball demonstration will be held in the future.
11. **Membership List:** Dave Hayes and Vince Kamrath have updated the membership. It is anticipated this listing will be published in the December newsletter.

Meeting Adjourned,
Beverly McGhghy, Recording Secretary

**GREATER LINCOLN OBEDIENCE CLUB GENERAL MEETING
November 3, 2005**

Members Present: Beverly McGhghy, David Monday, Walt & Shirley Nasalik, Don Tuttle, Carrie Johnstone, Rosalie Claussen, Jayne Seby, Dara Almanza, Nancy Bowen, Elbert Traylor, Vicky Graybill, Georgette

Wolters, Jerry Harder, David Hayes, Jennifer Brown, Mary Schweitzer, Jack Higgins, Hope Sass, Cheryl Griffith, Vince Kamrath, Judy Vitamvas.

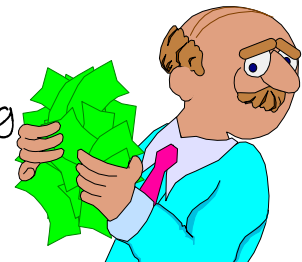
Guests: John and Karen Lyne, and Aimee Grosdidier

1. **Minutes.** The October General Meeting minutes were approved as written.
2. **Membership List.** The GLOC Membership List has been updated by Dave Hayes and Vince Kamrath and will be published in the next issue of The Barker.
3. **Treasurer's Report:** Vince Kamrath presented the Treasurer's Report, which was approved as presented. It was noted that the October agility trial made approximately \$2,500 and the October obedience trial lost approximately \$800.
4. **Corresponding Secretary:** Condolences were sent to Marcy Graybill on the passing of "Gita" (Samoyed).
5. **Agility Committee:** Six people enrolled in the new beginner's agility class which started last night (11/2/05).
6. **Awards:** Members were encouraged to provide dog and handler nominees for the following awards: TWIG – Repeat Performance: for dog with many attempts prior to gaining title. Glenfield Black Star Award: for most improved dog. Golden Bolt Award. Cleared Hurdle Award: Most improved agility dog.
7. **Holiday & Award Dinner:** Awards will be presented at the December 1st meeting. There will be a potluck too. Bring a food item and share in the festivities. 7 pm at the GLOC Building.
8. **Public Relations.**
 - a. **Lied Center:** GLOC Members performed obedience and agility for over 2,100 attendees. This was a pre-show activity and was very well received. Thank you to Jayne, Walt, Shirley, Georgette, Mike S., Jennifer, and Elbert – and others whose names the editor may have missed.
 - b. **Event Center:** GLOC Members performed at the Family Pet Fair held at the Event Center. About 1,000 people attended and the activities were very well received. Many thanks to Carrie, Georgette, Jayne, Dave H., Elbert, and Vicky Graybill (who judged the costume contest) – and others whose names the editor may have missed.
 - c. **Star City Parade:** The theme is "Unwrap the Joy." Cheryl Griffith and a GRRIN member presented a sample of the red sweatshirts which will be worn at the Star City Parade. Dogs will wear the same scarves they wore last year. Jerry Harder and Jennifer Brown will have dogs pulling carts. If you are interested in participating in the parade, please contact Cheryl Griffith at 742-6605 to make arrangements to have your red sweatshirt decorated and a scarf reserved for your dog. You may decorate your leash. You must wear black pants (no jeans) and black shoes.

9. **Flyball Proposal**. A Lincoln flyball group and GLOC have come to an agreement. GLOC will be offering flyball classes in 2006. Practices and classes will take place in the State Fair food court. GLOC will be ordering two flyball boxes.
10. **Building Committee**: Nancy Bowen reports that the building is staying clean. Members are reminded that vacuum cleaner bags are available and easy to change. This is a time of year when the vacuum bags fill rapidly with hair. Food and treats in the building must be in containers; and not just left in the cellophane wrappers. Food left out attracts mice. Nancy will try to get the outside light repaired by the landlord. If the light does not belong to our landlord or other delays are encountered, we will see about obtaining a solar-type spotlight.
11. **Building Prospect Committee**: A building which was recently visited by the Board has been sold and is no longer available. Janet Ball is working to determine various funding possibilities.
12. **Membership**:
 - a. **Second Reading**: Karen and Scott Merchant. Deferred until they can attend a GLOC meeting.
 - b. **First Reading**: Karen and John Lyne with Sophie and Farrah (8-month and 5-month old German Shepherds). Address: Rt 1 Box 98, Hickman NE 68372. Telephone: 792-2244.
13. **Herding**: Jerry Harder will be having a herding seminar with Terry Workman at his home at 2:30 p.m., Saturday, November 12, 2005.
14. **Available Dog**: Vicky Graybill introduced "Tessa" (now known as "Gertie"), a 1 ½ to 2 year old Boston Terrier which she is fostering for the Capital Humane Society. Gertie recently had puppies which are now weaned and have been placed. Gertie will be available in a couple of weeks through the Capital Humane Society (402-441-4488).

2006 GLOC Dues are Due

The cost is \$20 for individuals, \$25 for families.
Please pay Vince Kamrath, Treasurer, at the meeting
or send your dues to:
GLOC, PO Box 84031, Lincoln, NE 68501



Area Seminars

“**Structure In Motion**” Seminar by **Pat Hastings**. Dec, 3, 2005, sponsored by the Wichita Dog Training Club. seminars@wichitadogtraining.org.

Agility Seminar with **Stacy Peardot-Goudy**, Mar. 3-5, 2006, sponsored by the Wichita Dog Training Club. seminars@wichitadogtraining.org.

TREASURER'S REPORT

	<u>AUG. 2005</u>	<u>SEPT. 2005</u>	<u>OCT. 2005</u>	<u>YTD</u>
INCOME	\$ 177.00	\$12337.25	\$3046.25	\$39456.00
PAID OUT	<u>\$1291.59</u>	<u>\$ 2684.62</u>	<u>\$7612.73</u>	<u>\$35404.01</u>
TOTALS	\$(1114.59)	\$ 9652.63	\$(4566.48)	\$ 4051.99

	<u>BALANCES</u>		
	<u>AUG.2005</u>	<u>SEPT. 2005</u>	<u>OCT. 2005</u>
CHECKING	\$ 8171.59	\$12738.07	\$ 8171.59
MONEY MARKET	\$ 6369.65	\$ 6372.44	\$ 6374.97
CD 1 (\$5000)	\$ 5093.63	\$ 5107.02	\$ 5120.89
CD 2 (\$25000)	<u>\$25468.34</u>	<u>\$25535.32</u>	<u>\$25604.72</u>
TOTALS	\$40017.06	\$49752.85	\$45272.17

NOTE: Value of CDs includes interest through November 3rd, 2005. Total interest earned in October, 2005, was \$85.79.

FALL TRIALS SUMMARY

AGILITY TRIAL	\$ 2759.13
OBEDIENCE TRIAL	<u>\$(865.71)</u>
NET TRIALS PROFIT	\$ 1893.42

Respectfully submitted,
Vince Kamrath

*Do you have some spare time on your hands? Help out with the GLOC phone line!
Call Sharon Hayes at 488-8983 to volunteer.*

PHONE LIST

<i>Dec. 4 Sharon Hayes</i>	<i>Jan. 8 Alicia Graybill</i>
<i>Dec. 11 Marcy Graybill</i>	<i>Jan. 15 Sharon Hayes</i>
<i>Dec. 18 Judy Vitamvas</i>	<i>Jan. 22 Marcy Graybill</i>
<i>Dec. 25 Sharon Hayes</i>	<i>Jan. 29 Judy Vitamvas</i>
<i>Jan. 1 Janet Ball</i>	<i>Feb. 5 Sharon Hayes</i>

Selected Upcoming All-Breed Events through February

[Nebraska, Iowa, Missouri, Kansas, South Dakota]

For more complete listings, see web sites listed.

AKC

<http://www.akc.org/events/search/index.cfm>

Obedience (O), Conformation (C), Rally (R)

Jan. 21-22, Central Iowa KC, Des Moines, IA (O,C,R)

Jan. 28-29, St. Charles KC, Wentzville, MO (O,C,R)

Feb. 4-5, St. Joseph KC, St. Joseph, MO (O,C)

Feb. 4-5, Scott County KC, Davenport, IA (R)

Feb. 10-12, Des Moines OTC, Des Moines, IA (O,R)

Feb. 18-19, Keomah KC+, Des Moines, IA (O,C,R)

Agility

Jan. 21-22, Sunflower KC of Olathe, Lawrence KS

Jan. 27-28, Wichita DTC, Valley Center, KS

Feb. 4-5, Scott County KC, Davenport, IA

Feb. 16-17, Triune Agility Club, Lawrence, KS

Feb. 18-19, Agility Ability, Lawrence, KS

Tracking

No area tracking scheduled

UKC Obedience, Agility and Conformation

<http://www.ukcdogs.com/dogevents/upcoming/index.shtml>

Jan. 7-8, Hutchinson KC, Hutchinson, KS (A)

Feb. 11-12, Show-Me Canines, Columbia, MO (O)

Canine Performance Events (Agility)

<http://www.k9cpe.com/events.htm>

Feb 25-26 Lincoln, NE Star City Agility Team

USDAA

<http://www.usdaa.com/events.cfm>

NADAC

http://www.nadac.com/calendar%20of%20events/Listing_of_trials.htm

Mar. 18-19, U2 Kan Du Agility, Lawrence, KS

Show-n-Goes, Fun Matches, Correction Matches

Companion Dog Club Show-N-Go

<http://www.k9webs.com/companion/showngo.htm>

Agility Fun Runs At KenL Inn (\$5.00)

Noah's Show-And-Gos, Crete NE

Feb., 2006 Contact Diane Nitz hpyk9s@yahoo.com for more information

NAFA Flyball Tournaments

<http://www.flyball.org>

Feb. 4-5, Skidmarkz, Cedar Rapids, IA

What A Good Dog!

“Stella,” an Australian Shepherd owned by Rosalie Claussen, earned her Companion Dog (CD) at the Bellevue Dog Obedience Club trial.

“Luc,” a Pembroke Corgi owned by Jennifer Brown, earned his CD at GLOC’s obedience trial.

“Zippy,” a Border Collie owned by Mary Schweitzer earned her CDX at the GLOC trial.

“Nellie,” an English Setter, earned her Canine Good Citizen (CGC) on October 22, 2005.

“Sadzi,” an Australian Shepherd owned by Dara and Hannah Almanza, received a 3rd Place in the Pretty Pet contest at the Pet Fair.

“Cody,” an Australian Shepherd owned by Georgia Davis, earned his CGC on October 22, 2005.

Do you have a brag or a new puppy? Send information to the editor (glocbarker@gmail.com) by the 15th of each month.

Social Saturdays

Meet At Restaurant at 7 pm Unless Stated Otherwise

December 3: Parthenon, 5500 S. 56th St.

December 17: Romano’s Macaroni Grille, 6800 S. 27th St.

December 31: T&R Gardens, 5250 Cornhusker

Greater Lincoln Obedience Club, Board of Directors & Committees

President	Judy Vitamvas	2014 Burnham St., Lincoln NE 68502	423-1498
Past President	Elbert Traylor	802 Judson St., Lincoln NE 68521	435-7886
Vice President	Nancy Bowen	421 S. 54 th St., Lincoln, NE 68510	327-9457
Recording Secretary	Beverly McGhghy	5240 Colby St., Lincoln, NE 68504	465-4282
Corresponding Secretary	Janet Ball	5015 W. Kingsley Lincoln, NE 68524	416-5540
Treasurer	Vince Kamrath	4110 Fran Ave., Lincoln, NE 68516	488-3139
Members at Large	Jennifer Brown	4537 Turner, Lincoln, NE 68504	325-9362
	David Hayes	3429 Woodbine Ave., Lincoln, NE 68516	488-8983
	Ann Kleimola	7630 Vine St., Lincoln, NE 68505	486-1043
	Hope Sass	1540 N. 2 nd Rd. Eagle, NE 68347	781-2864
	Elbert Traylor	802 Judson St., Lincoln NE 68521	435-7886
Committee Chairs			
Agility	Mary Schweitzer	3130 N 61 st St., Lincoln, NE 68507	467-5235
Awards	Janet Ball	5015 W. Kingsley Lincoln, NE 68524	416-5540
Building	Nancy Bowen	421 S. 54 th St., Lincoln, NE 68510	327-9457
Fall Obedience Trial	Sherry Wolf-Drbal	4430 Van Dorn St. Lincoln, NE 68506	489-8069
	and Janet Ball	5015 W. Kingsley Lincoln, NE 68524	470-2171
Librarian	Beverly McGhghy	5240 Colby St., Lincoln, NE 68504	465-4282
Membership Programs	Sharon Hayes	3429 Woodbine Ave., Lincoln, NE 68516	488-8983
Public Relations	Cheryl Griffith	1633 Frisco Dr., Lincoln NE 68521	742-6605
Training Director	Elbert Traylor	802 Judson St., Lincoln NE 68521	435-7886
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