



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

**Announcements**

**The Nominating Committee** offers the following names as candidates for GLOC Board Officers and Directors to serve for the year 2006. Opportunity for nominations from the floor will be given. All candidates have consented to have their names on this slate.

**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

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

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**Alicia Graybill** is taking over as the new BARKER editor. In future, please send all announcements, information, and brags to her at [a\\_graybill@yahoo.com](mailto:a_graybill@yahoo.com) or 466-7035

**Many, many thanks** to all the club members who contributed to the success of our obedience and agility trials. Whether you were stewarding, processing paper, donating for awards or providing moral support, we could not have pulled this off without your help. We have received very nice notes from our judges and the Onofrio rep about our trials as well as some compliments from exhibitors. I'd also like to thank those who support the trial with their entries. We really need you, too, and hope to see even more entries from GLOC members in the future. So, until next year, keep training.

### **GREATER LINCOLN OBEDIENCE CLUB BOARD MEETING October 6, 2005**

Present: Judy Vitamvas, Dave Hayes, Janet Ball, Elbert Traylor, Ann Kleimola, Beverly McGhghy, Vince Kamrath and Hope Sass.

1. Minutes: September Board minutes were approved as printed.
2. Correspondence: Received proposal regarding Flyball. Discussed later (see Flyball).
3. Treasurer: Approval recommended. See Treasurer's report elsewhere in the Barker. The checking account is over \$10,000. After the October obedience and agility trials, we will look into transferring funds from checking to the money market.
4. Building Committee: Nancy Bowen, who is now Chairperson, Building Committee, is doing a great job. The building looks great and paper and cleaning supplies are now available again. All members, trainers and assistants are reminded to please clean up after you use the building.
5. Training Committee:
  - a. Obedience classes: The scheduled classes are beginning to start. The utility class has been cancelled.
  - b. Agility Classes: The next Basic Agility class starts on Wednesday, October 12<sup>th</sup>.
  - c. Obedience Seminar: A trainer has been identified and contacted. Elbert Traylor will try to schedule the seminar for February or March 2006. Several possible sites were discussed (Lancaster Building, Country Inn & Suites (N 27<sup>th</sup> St.), etc.
6. Training Instructor Rebate: The Board agreed that trainers will be entitled to take one free set of classes for each set of classes they teach. The free class must be taken within one year of the class they taught.
7. Obedience Trial: Everything is ready. Judging program and steward assignments have been sent out. Location: Obedience will be held in the Exhibition Hall rather than the Lancaster Room this year. A correction fun match will be held after the trial on Saturday afternoon.
8. Building Search: Some of the Board members looked at another building possibility. The price has been reduced.
9. Flyball: GLOC reviewed a proposal for flyball at GLOC. GLOC is very positive about a flyball future, and prepared a counter-proposal to be offered to the flyball group. We are hopeful something can be worked out.
10. United Kennel Club (UKC): We received another reminder from UKC that GLOC needs to have a UKC event within the next six months in order to maintain our ability to have UKC trials. Discussions are underway with Star City Agility Team (SCAT) to possibly have trials on the same weekend. GLOC could offer obedience trials in the State Fair building we rent and SCAT could

offer agility trials in the State Fair building they rent. Each club would be responsible for its own trial. The only shared item would be the date and advertising.

11. Nominating Committee: Vince Kamrath will be the Chairman, Nominating Committee. The Nominating Committee will determine a slate to be presented at the November meeting.
12. Annual Awards: The annual awards for obedience and agility and other titles will be awarded at the December 1<sup>st</sup> meeting. This meeting will be a potluck dinner.
  - a. Most Valuable Person Award. In years past, this has been a self-nominated award. The Board elected this year to allow nominations from other club members and from the floor to select the person who contributed the most to the club in 2005. Elections may be made from the floor at the October, or in writing or e-mail to any Board member prior to the November meeting. These will be voted on at the November meeting.

Adjourned,  
Beverly McGhghy, Recording Secretary

**GREATER LINCOLN OBEDIENCE CLUB GENERAL MEETING**  
**October 6, 2005**

Members Present: Vince Kamrath, Jennifer Brown, Cheryl Griffith, Dave Griffith, Shirley Nasalik, Robert Miller, Jeny Harden, Margot Peterson, Vicky Graybill, Jayne Sebby, Carrie Johnstone, David Hayes, Don Tuttle, Elbert Traylor, Janet Ball, Judy Vitamvas.

Guests: Janis McVey, Alicia Graybill

1. Minutes. September minutes were approved as written.
2. Treasurer's Report. The Treasurer's report was approved as presented. See elsewhere in the Barker.
3. Agility Committee: We are now back in the Food Court building at the State Fairgrounds. An agility introduction class begins Wednesday, Oct. 12<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m., and the advanced classes are Tuesdays at 8 p.m.
4. Annual Awards: The annual awards will presented at the December 1<sup>st</sup> GLOC potluck/awards meeting. Please complete the form which appears in this Barker and send it to Janet Ball at 5015 W Kingsley, Lincoln NE 68524. All members are encouraged to vote for a Most Valuable Person (MVP) to the club. Please mail or e-mail the name of the person you would like to receive this award – and why – to any GLOC board member by the November meeting. This will be voted on at the November meeting.
5. Building Committee: Please remember to take care of our building. Nancy Bowen is now our Building Chairperson and has the building clean and supplies available. Take a few extra minutes before you leave to make sure the building is cleaner when you leave than when you enter. Vacuums and brooms are available and encouraged to be used.
6. Building Site Committee: Some members of this committee recently looked at a possible building which contains 10,000 square feet. Contact Janet Ball if you are interested in viewing the building on Tuesday Oct. 11<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 pm.
7. October 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> Obedience Trial: Stewarding assignments have been sent out. The obedience trial will be held in the Exhibition Hall starting at 8 a.m. rather than the Lancaster Room. If you have pledged money for a trophy and need to pay, please see Janet Ball after the meeting.
8. October Agility Trial: People are needed at 1 p.m. on Friday 10/7 at the Lancaster Event center to begin set up for the agility trial which begins at 5 p.m. Workers will be needed throughout the

weekend. Please be generous with your time – no prior experience necessary – on-the-job training provided.

9. Public Relations:

- a. Pet Comedy, Oct. 22, 2005. The will involve dog demonstrations (obedience, agility or tricks, etc.) at the Lied Center. GLOC will participate. Contact Elbert Traylor for further information if you are interested in participating in this.
- b. Pet Fair at Event Center, Saturday, Oct. 29<sup>th</sup> (9am-5pm) and Sunday Oct. 30<sup>th</sup> (10am-5pm). GLOC has been contacted to provide demonstrations of agility and/or obedience at the Pet Fair. GLOC will participate. There is no charge for those involved in the demonstration, but there will be an admission charge of \$5. Proceeds go to the Capital Humane Society. Contact Elbert Traylor for further information regarding your participation.
- c. Star City Parade, 12/3/05: The parade application is due tomorrow 10/7. The fee is \$225 and the theme is “Unwrapped Joy.” GLOC approved participation in the parade and will contact GRRIN regarding participation. Jerry Harder and Jennifer Brown have dogs who will pull carts of presents. Others will wear red sweatshirts decorated similar to last year.

10. Training Committee: Various scheduled classes are starting up this week, novice obedience, puppy and tricks classes are coming up soon, please check class schedules at building or at GLOC website: [www.glocdogs.org](http://www.glocdogs.org)

11. Training Instructor Rebate – The GLOC Board approved training instructors will receive one free set of classes for each set of classes they teach.

12. Correspondence: GLOC received a proposal from a flyball group. We are working with the group regarding having flyball class availability.

13. Nominating Committee: Vince Kamrath, Chairman, Nominating Committee, and two other members will be compiling a slate to be presented at the November meeting. If you are interested in being on the Board, please contact Vince Kamrath at 488-3139. If you are contacted by Vince or another member of the Nominating Committee, please seriously consider the possibility of becoming a Board Member.

14. Membership:

First Reading:

- a. Kara and Scott Merchant, 240 Wedgewood Drive, Lincoln NE 68510. Telephone 402/486-4292, e-mail: [merchantsk@hotmail.com](mailto:merchantsk@hotmail.com). Kara has been attending agility classes with Hailey, a German Shepherd.

Second Readings (and a big hearty welcome to our new club member):

- a. Alicia Graybill, 4234 St Paul, Lincoln NE 68504, Telephone 466-7035 (work 466-3100). Alicia has Lacey (Australian Shepherd) and Albe (Papillon). Alicia is a former club member who recently moved back to Lincoln. She has successfully trained dogs to titles in obedience, agility, conformation and flyball.

15. Thank You:

- a. Great Pyrenees Rescue sent a thank you note for the Steps Obedience Gift Certificate which was donated by GLOC to the Great Pyrenees Rescue Picnic.
- b. We received a thank you for GLOC's donation to the Katrina dog rescue efforts.

Meeting Adjourned,

Beverly McGhghy, Recording Secretary

<b>TREASURER'S REPORT</b>
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	<u>JULY 2005</u>	<u>AUG. 2005</u>	<u>SEPT. 2005</u>	<u>YTD</u>
INCOME	\$ 340.00	\$ 177.00	\$12337.25	\$36409.75
PAID OUT	<u>\$2087.17</u>	<u>\$1291.59</u>	<u>\$2684.62</u>	<u>\$27791.28</u>
TOTALS	\$(1747.17)	\$(1114.59)	\$9652.63	\$8618.47
<u>BALANCES</u>				
	<u>JULY 2005</u>	<u>AUGUST 2005</u>	<u>SEPT. 2005</u>	
CHECKING	\$ 4200.03	\$ 3085.44	\$12738.07	
MONEY MARKET	\$ 6366.95	\$ 6369.65	\$ 6372.44	
CD 1 (5000)	\$ 5079.83	\$ 5093.63	\$ 5107.02	
CD 2 (25000)	<u>\$25399.31</u>	<u>\$25468.34</u>	<u>\$25535.32</u>	
TOTALS	\$41046.12	\$40017.06	\$49752.95	
NOTE: Value of CD's includes interest through October 3 <sup>rd</sup> . Total interest earned in September was \$83.16. Respectfully Submitted, Vince Kamrath				

## 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.

## PHONE LIST

<i>Nov. 6 Judy Vitamvas</i>	<i>Dec. 11 Marcy Graybill</i>
<i>Nov. 13 Sharon Hayes</i>	<i>Dec 18 Judy Vitamvas</i>
<i>Nov. 20 Janet Ball</i>	<i>Dec 25 Sharon Hayes</i>
<i>Nov. 27 Sharon Hayes</i>	<i>Jan 1 Janet Ball</i>
<i>Dec. 4 Sharon Hayes</i>	<i>Jan 8 Sharon Hayes</i>

## Upcoming All-Breed Events, September thru December

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

### AKC Obedience and Conformation

Nov. 12-13, Ozarks KC, Springfield MO  
Nov. 19-20, Council Bluffs KC, Council Bluffs IA

### AKC Agility [www.akc.org]

Nov. 25-27, Gateway Agility Club of Suburban St. Louis,  
Lake St. Louis MO  
Nov. 26-27, SCAT, Wahoo NE  
Dec. 3-4, Show Me Agility Club of Central Missouri,  
Columbia MO  
Dec. 10-11, Iowa City Dog Obedience Club, Cedar Rapids, IA

### Canine Performance Events (Agility)

#### USDAA Events [http://www.usdaa.com/events.cfm]

Dec. 10-11, 2005, Zonebusters, Glen Carbon MO

#### NADAC Agility

Nov. 5-6, US Kan Du Agility, Lawrence KS

Nov. 19-20, Companion Dog Club, Wahoo NE  
Nov. 19-20, Greater Ozarks Agility League, Mt. Vernon MO  
Dec. 17-18, US Kan Du Agility, Lawrence KS

### Companion Dog Club Show-N-Go

[http://www.k9webs.com/companion/showngo.htm]

### AKC Tracking [www.akc.org]

Nov. 6, Greater KC Dog Training Club, Smithville MO  
[TR/TX]  
Nov. 6, Nebraska KC, Omaha NE [TR/TX]

### Agility Fun Runs At KenL Inn (\$5.00)

### Noah's Show-And-Gos, Crete NE

[hpyk9s@yahoo.com]

## What A Good Dog!

At the GLOC agility trial **Marcy Graybill's Gita** earned her NAP title and this weekend at a tournament in Amana she earned her FD! She earned enough points to be 9 in the Top Ten Flyball Samoyeds. She's now: UACH UCDX Eatirocks Empress Gita CD NAP ASCA CD FD CGC.

**Alicia Graybill's Lacey** earned her FD (Flyball Dog) title in Amana IA. Albe went along and is now over half way to his FDCH (Flyball Dog Champion) title.

**Georgette Wolters' Dandy** earned his Novice Standard agility title at the Bellevue AKC trial in September, finishing with a first place clean run.

**Jennifer Brown's Luc** got his CD in Lincoln with a first place and a score of 189 1/2. Also he got his first leg in open jumpers this weekend.

Do you have a brag or a new puppy? Send information to the editor (a\_graybill@yahoo.com) by the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month.

## Social Saturdays

Meet At Restaurant at 7 pm Unless Stated Otherwise

November 5: Rib Ranch, 6440 O St.

November 19: Grisanti's: 6820 O St.

## TRAINING CALENDAR

Members pre-register for regular classes with Elbert Traylor at 435-7886 to receive your discount.  
Direct your non-member friends to register with Southeast Community College: <http://www.southeast.edu/>

All obedience classes taught at the GLOC building, unless otherwise specified.

All agility classes held at the Food Court at the State Fair Park, unless otherwise specified.

For directions, see the web site ([www.glocdogs.org](http://www.glocdogs.org)).

For now, for agility classes contact Mary Schweitzer at [schweitzerautomotive@binary.net](mailto:schweitzerautomotive@binary.net).

Class	Day	Start Date	Time	Number of Sessions	Class Limit	Cost
Puppy Manners	Mon	7-Nov	7:00-7:50 pm	6	10	\$40
Basic Obedience	TBA			8	8	\$52
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Intermediate Obedience	TBA					
Open Obedience	TBA			6	10	\$40
Novice Competition	TBA			6	10	\$40
Utility Obedience	TBA			4	6	\$30
Tricks *	Tues	22-Nov	7:00-7:50 pm	4	15	\$30
Steps: Level 1	Sat	5-Nov	10:00-10:50 am	10	5	\$65
	Sat	3-Dec	10:00-10:50 am	10	5	\$65
				10	5	\$65
Intro to Agility	TBA					
Beginning Agility	TBA			10	12	\$65
Advanced Agility	TBA			10	12	\$65

\* Tricks class: Teach your dog roll over, shake, speak, play dead, dance and other fun tricks that will challenge its mind and brighten your time together.

**Drop By OBEDIENCE Every Thursday Except the 1st Week of the Month**

**Open AGILITY Training Sundays at 3:00 at the Food Court at the State Fair Park**

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 <sup>th</sup> 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 <sup>nd</sup> Rd. Eagle, NE 68347	781-2864
	Elbert Traylor	802 Judson St., Lincoln NE 68521	435-7886
Committee Chairs			
Agility	Mary Schweitzer	3130 N 61 <sup>st</sup> St., Lincoln, NE 68507	467-5235
Awards	Janet Ball	5015 W. Kingsley Lincoln, NE 68524	416-5540
Building	Nancy Bowen	421 S. 54 <sup>th</sup> 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
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