



2008 Board Nominations

The Nominating Committee offers the following names as candidates for GLOC Board Officers and Directors to serve for the year 2008. Opportunity for nominations from the floor will be given. All candidates have consented to have their names on this slate. Jennifer Brown, Staci Sullivan and Georgia Davis still have another year to serve on their terms.

OFFICERS:

President: Elbert Traylor
Vice President: Cheryl Griffith
Recording Secretary: Alicia Graybill
Treasurer: Vince Kamrath
Corresponding Secretary: Lisa Vann

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: (Vote for 2 this year)

Nancy Bowen
Rosalie Claussen
Mary Schweitzer
Noelie Sherdon
Sandy Wacker

Respectfully submitted,
Vince Kamrath, Chairman
Marcy Graybill
Sherry Drbal

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Want to Teach Classes? Marcy Graybill, Training Director, would like anyone interested in teaching classes or assisting with classes to contact her. Her phone number is 402-742-9015. Her email is mjgraybill@inebraska.com. Not sure if you want to instruct? Try assisting. Assistants are needed especially now as our classes are getting larger. Questions? Call or email Marcy for more information.

Did you remember: to remove your personal belongings from the club building?

To shut off the lights and make sure the doors and windows were closed and locked before you left?

To fill out and turn in your awards form?

To renew your GLOC membership?

If not, now is the time! Awards forms are available at the club building, in this issue of the Barker or on-line. GLOC membership renewals are due by January 1, 2008. Lights, doors and windows should be taken care of every time you leave the building (even if you are only going to be gone for just a minute.) Personal belongings should be taken home unless you receive permission from the board. Any items left in the building are presumed to be for use by all club members on an as-needed basis.

The Barker is the official newsletter of the Greater Lincoln Obedience Club. The editor is Alicia Graybill. The deadline is the 15th of each month. Submit articles, photos, comments and suggestions to glocbarker@gmail.com or call 261-3532.

**Minutes: GLOC Board Meeting
October 4, 2007**

Attending: Janet, Jayne, Elbert, Georgia, Vince, Mary, Jennifer and Staci
Georgia made a motion to approve the September minutes. Staci Seconded.
September minutes approved.

Jayne gave the treasurers report. Income of \$14400, expenses of \$4000 for a profit of \$10,000. Year to date profit of \$3600.

Mary made a motion to approve the treasurer's report. Georgia seconded. Report approved.

There needs to be a push for publicity. There is going to be a request to "revive" the publicity committee. There were many ideas thrown out for new venues to advertise. Staci is going to put together an open house where the public can come in and have their dogs evaluated to try and push for more class participation. The goal is to have the open house ready by the first part of December.

Janet made a motion to look into the costs of a no frills AKC obedience trial for the spring to take place at the building. Janet agreed to be the show chair. She is going to talk to Onofrio and AKC and come back to the board with the details. The motion was passed.

Cheryl sent a card to David Hayes for Mozart.

Agility equipment is up to date and the Judge will inspect it at the trial.

Jennifer has sent all the paperwork into AKC for the spring agility trial.

The papers for the awards are being printed.

There was discussion of the lawn and its care and maintenance. There was a motion made by Jayne to give Elbert a \$250 spending limit to purchase a new mower with the appropriate attachments for the club. Georgia seconded the motion.

Jayne made a motion to give Elbert a \$500 spending limit for a commercial grade vacuum with the appropriate attachments. If he should find one for more than \$500 he needs to come back to the board for approval.

Janet stated the fall obedience trial is in good shape.

Training: class enrollment is down in all classes.

Flyball tournament paperwork is being processed for the annual May tournament. Dates are May 3 and May 4 2008.

Lots of Goodyear matting arrived.

Jayne is sending all previous correspondence to UKC to try and work out the issues from the January agility trial.

The seminar put together by Jill went well. Income was \$2000 for the weekend.

Membership drive to be discussed at the general meeting.

Omaha has made a request for Sunday morning show and gos. Not enough help, so they will remain on Friday evening. The next scheduled show and go is October 19th.

Jayne would like to establish a budget. She has requested everyone who is in a position to spend club money get her a budget by the first of November.

Vince is going to schedule a time for the nominating committee to meet.

Jayne made a motion to adjourn. Georgia seconded.

Respectfully submitted by Staci Sullivan on behalf of Nancy Bowen, Recording Secretary.

**Minutes: GLOC General Membership Meeting
October 4, 2007**

No minutes were received.

TREASURER'S REPORT*

	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	YTD
Income	\$ 6,470.42	\$ 0.00	\$ 14,400.34	\$41,933.67
Expenses	<u>\$ 3,974.30</u>	<u>\$ 3,257.38</u>	<u>\$ 4,089.22</u>	<u>\$38,295.97</u>
Total	\$ 2,496.12	\$(3,257.38)	\$ 10,311.12	\$ 3,637.70
Checking	\$ 7,385.02			
Money Market	\$21,862.25			
CD1 (\$5000)	\$ 5,353.63			
TOTALS	\$34,600.90			

*No October report received

BRAGS

Frosty got her first leg for a CD at the Bellevue Trials Sunday with a 3rd place finish and also won Highest Scoring Dog prize for the Non-Sporting Group. – Submitted by Jerry Peterson.

I am proud to announce that Eatinrocks Lil MissMarkr ("Missy") debuted in the ring on Saturday at the GLOC Rally Trial and she earned her first leg in Rally Novice. On Sunday, she earned a 100 (a perfect score) and first place in Rally Novice B. –Submitted by Marcy Graybill

K & G's Cowboy Cody Blue a.k.a. Cody got his CD title on Saturday, October 6. He got 2 legs at the Quest Center show in Omaha and the 3rd one at our show at the Lancaster Event Center. He also ran his very first time in agility JWW and got a perfect 100 score and took first place. –Submitted by Georgia Davis

AFC Buck's Bluestem Bullet, MH, RN a.k.a. Bullet completed his Rally Novice title on Oct. 6th with a score of 93. He also earned his first leg on his CD with a 191.5 and fourth place in Novice B. On Sept. 1st Bullet won the Amateur Gun Dog Stake at the German Shorthair Pointer Club of Lincoln Field Trial to complete his Amateur Field Championship. On April 1st he earned his Master Hunter title at the Nebraska Brittany Club Hunt test held at Yankee Hill Dog training Area. He is now sharing space with nine week old "Star" a new Brittany pup belonging to Jack Higgins. –Submitted by Jack Higgins

Do you have a brag or a new puppy? Send information to the editor (glocbarker@gmail.com) by the 15th of each month. Be sure to include the dog's registered name, accomplishment, date and show (if necessary), and who is submitting the brag. Pictures are welcome!



Jack Higgins' Bullet and Star.

ANNUAL AWARDS FORM

Name of Handler: _____

GLOC buys a plaque for members when they obtain their first title. The plaque typically will have the member's name and the name of their dogs and titles earned are attached to the plaque with dangles. The plaques read "GLOC Honors _____." If you are getting a plaque this year, how do you want your name and/or kennel name (if desired) to read?

GLOC pays for **one dangle per dog per year** for any dog owned or co-owned by a club member that completes a breed championship, obedience title, herding title, tracking title, agility title, hunting title, flyball title and/or Canine Good Citizen award.

To receive awards for dogs bred by club members but not owned or co-owned by club members, the club member must pay the full cost of the award. Co-owned dogs cannot compete for club awards unless trained by the club member. Also, if club members wish to receive a separate dangle for each title a dog earns, they must pay the cost of each additional dangle. (Dangles cost approximately \$5 each, plaques \$40.)

If a club member does not wish to receive any dangles or plaques, please include a note to that effect with this form and the member's accomplishments will still be announced at the Annual Banquet. The Board also wishes you to note that donations to offset the cost of dangles and plaques are very welcome.

Please print the full name and title(s) of each dog as you wish for them to appear on each dangle. If you wish to receive more dangles than the one per dog per year for which the club pays, then please list how you wish to have each dangle engraved.

Dog's Registered Name and Titles (including titles previously earned) This is the information that will be on the "dangle"	Titles Earned 11/1/06 thru 10/31/07	Scores for 3 legs (if Obedience or Rally Obedience Title)

Do you have a dog competing for our *Twig* award for repeat performance? If so, how many times in the last year have you entered this dog in hope of getting a qualifying score towards an obedience title? (Don't be bashful here. You deserve some award for paying all those entry fees.) You qualify for this award even if your dog has not earned the title yet.

Dog's AKC Registered Name	No. of Entries

If competing in Open B and Utility B, what were your 3 highest scores? _____

Please return your completed Annual Awards Banquet form to: Jennifer Brown, 4537 Turner St., Lincoln, NE 68504 by November 1, 2007. If you have any questions, please call Jennifer at 325-9362.

The GLOC Awards Banquet is the first Thursday of December (12/6/07) at the GLOC Bistro at 5740 Johanna St. (our building!). It is a pot-luck banquet starting at 6:30 p.m. Please plan to attend to pick up your award(s).

OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD

In 1993 the club voted to separate the service portion of the Lucie Rolenc Award into a separate award for Outstanding Service. The Outstanding Service Award was awarded for the first time in 1994. In 2006 it was changed to have the club members vote on this award. Voting will take place by secret ballot at the November general meeting.

CLEARED HURDLE AWARD

This is an award for the Agility dog and trainer that have overcome the most obstacles in the past year. This award will be voted on by the Agility trainers that are currently teaching a class.

TWIG AWARD

The "Repeat Performance" award! (See previous page) Please submit the number of entries you've paid for in one class.

BLACK STAR

For the most improved dog in obedience. This award will be voted on by the Board of Directors at the November meeting.

GOLDEN BOLT

For the dog that succeeds in spite of itself! This award will also be voted on by the Board of Directors at the November meeting.

TOP COMPETITION DOG; TOP UTILITY DOG; TOP OPEN DOG; TOP NOVICE DOG; TOP RALLY DOG

Are all based upon the scores that are submitted on the previous page. The scores will be averaged and the dog with the highest average will be awarded the "TOP" dog award.

GLOC VERSATILITY AWARD

The Lucy Rolenc Award is being retired and a new "versatility" award for a dog and handler team will be started this year (2007). This award is to honor the dog and handler team that receives a title in any two of the following disciplines that GLOC promotes: Obedience, Agility, Tracking, Rally Obedience and/or a Breed Title.

Titles may be obtained using either UKC or AKC rules. Scores must be earned between November 1st through October 31st each year. Qualifying scores must be submitted to the Awards Chairperson by the awards deadline date of November 15th each year, unless the Awards Chair changes the date as published. Scores for the legs of the title earned will be averaged and will be used as a tie-breaker. Placing must be reported for dogs earning a breed title and placing may be used in determining a tie-breaker. Breed placing will be considered as follows: BOB will be considered 1st place, BOW will be considered 2nd place, and BOS will be considered 3rd place.

Please use the previous page to report the titles earned and your scores and/or placing.

Your Handy FYI Pages

These three pages are intended to be torn out and stuck up on your refrigerator, bulletin board, etc., so you'll have your important GLOC information always at hand.

GLOC November Calendar of Events

Nov. 1 – General membership meeting – 7:00 p.m.

Nov. 15 – Barker Deadline – Alicia (261-3532)

Nov. 16 – GLOC Obedience Fun Match, Registration 6:30, Judging 7:00



Phone List

Nov. 4 – Janet Ball (416-5540)

Nov. 11 – Alicia Graybill (261-3532)

Nov. 18 Sharon Hayes (488-8983)

Nov. 25 – Marcy Graybill (742-9015)

Dec. 2 – Judy Vitamvas (423-1498)

Dec. 9 – Sharon H.

Dec. 16 – Janet B.

Dec. 23 – Alicia G.

Dec. 30 – Sharon H.

GLOC Contact Information

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 84031, Lincoln, NE 68501

Web Site URL/Address: <http://www.glocdogs.org>

Physical Location: 5740 Johanna Road

Phone Number: 402-464-6529

Email Contact: glocbarker@gmail.com

Thursday Night Instructors

ARE NEEDED!!!!

November 8 - ???

November 15 - ???

November 22 – Thanksgiving (If you volunteer for this one, you must really be a hardcore dog trainer!)

November 29 - ???

Thursday night instructors should arrive by 7:00 p.m. and be prepared to “call class.” This means they should have some knowledge of the activities in a basic obedience class, be able to speak clearly, and be breathing. If interested, call Marcy Graybill at 742-9015 or sign up at the next membership meeting.

TRAINING CALENDAR

Activity Pass Holders, Please Note: Members must pre-register for regular classes with Marcy Graybill at 742-9015. Direct your non-member friends to register with Southeast Community College: <http://www.southeast.edu/>. All classes will be taught at the GLOC building, unless otherwise specified. For directions, see the web site (www.glocdogs.org). For agility classes contact Cheryl Griffith at cgriffith2@unlnotes.unl.edu. For flyball, contact Staci Sullivan at ksullivan@neb.rr.com. All classes are 6 weeks in duration and cost \$60.

Class	Day	Date	Time	Students	
Puppy Manners	Mon	12-Nov	6:00	12	
	Mon	7-Jan	6:00	12	
	Tue	26-Feb	8:00	12	
Steps Basic	Sat	10-Nov	9:00 a.m.	10	
	Sat	12-Jan	9:00 a.m.	10	
	Sat	1-Mar	9:00 a.m.	10	
Basic Obedience	Mon	12-Nov	7:00	10	
	Tue	13-Nov	8:00	10	
	Wed	14-Nov	7:00	10	
	Wed	14-Nov	8:00	10	
	Tue	12-Nov	7:00	10	
	Wed	13-Nov	8:00	10	
	Wed	14-Nov	7:00	10	
	Wed	14-Nov	8:00	10	
	Fri	1-Feb	7:00	10	
	Mon	7-Jan	7:00	10	
	Tue	8-Jan	8:00	10	
	Wed	9-Jan	7:00	10	
	Wed	16-Jan	7:00	10	
	Mon	4-Feb	7:00	10	
	Wed	6-Feb	7:00	10	
	Mon	10-Mar	7:00	10	
	Tue	11-Mar	8:00	10	
	Wed	12-Mar	7:00	10	
	Intermediate (CGC Ready)	Wed	14-Nov	8:00	10
		Mon	7-Jan	8:00	10
Wed		Feb 27	8:00	10	
Novice (Competition) Ready	Tue	13-Nov	7:00	10	
	Wed	14-Nov	7:00	10	
	Wed	9-Jan	8:00	10	
	Wed	28-Feb	8:00	10	
Beginning Dog Agility	Wed	14-Nov	7:00	10	
	Wed	14-Nov	7:00	10	
Intermediate Dog Agility	Tue	14-Nov	8:00	10	
	Tue	8-Jan	7:00	10	
	Wed	9-Jan	8:00	10	
	Tue	26-Feb	7:00	10	
	Wed	27-Feb	8:00	10	
Advanced Dog Agility	Tue	20-Nov	8:00	10	
	Tue	8-Jan	8:00	10	
	Tue	26-Feb	8:00	10	
Flyball	Mon	14-Jan	7:00	10	
	Mon	10-Mar	7:00	10	

REMINDER: Drop-in Obedience classes every Thursday night (except for the first Thursday of the month) at 7:00 p.m.- \$4 members; \$8 non-members. **Drop-in Agility** classes every Sunday afternoon at 3:00 p.m., same fees.

GLOC DIRECTORY OF OFFICERS, BOARD AND COMMITTEE CHAIRS

TITLE	NAME	ADDRESS	PHONE	EMAIL
President	Janet Ball	5015 W. Kingsley, Lincoln 68524	416-5540	forestry@ci.lincoln.ne.us
Vice-President	Mary Schweitzer	840 E. Sanborn Dr., Lincoln 68505	467-5235	schweitzerautomotive@ binary.net
Treasurer	Jayne Sebbby	320 S. 29 th , Lincoln 68501	474-3059	jsebbby@cornhusker.net
Recording Secretary	Nancy Bowen	421 S. 54 th St. Lincoln 68510	327-9457	nhbowen@aol.com
Corresponding Secretary	Cheryl Griffith	1633 Frisco Dr., Lincoln 68521	742-6605	cgriffith2@unlnotes.unl.edu
Past-President	Judy Vitamvas (2004)	2014 Burnham St., Lincoln 68502	423-1498	JAVlincoln@aol.com
Board Members (At Large)	Jennifer Brown (2007)	4537 Turner, Lincoln 68504	325-9362	jbrown9@unl.edu
	Georgia Davis (2007)	3152 Stephanos Dr., Lincoln 68516	261-4239	gdavis2@neb.rr.com
	Vince Kamrath (2006)	4110 Fran, Lincoln 68516	488-3139	vkamrath@neb.rr.com
	Staci Sullivan (2007)	2700 W. Highridge Cir., Lincoln 68522	560-1649	ksullivan@neb.rr.com
	Elbert Traylor (2006)	802 Judson, Lincoln 68521	435-7886	elbert.traylor@ndeq.state.ne.us
Committee	Name	Address	Phone	Email
Agility	Cheryl Griffith	1633 Frisco Dr. Lincoln 68521	742-6605	cgriffith2@unlnotes.unl.edu
Awards	Jennifer Brown	4537 Turner, Lincoln 68504	325-9362	jbrown9@unl.edu
Building	Elbert Traylor	802 Judson, Lincoln 68521	435-7886	elbert.traylor@ndeq.state.ne.us
Fall Obedience Trial	Janet Ball & Sherry Wolf- Drbal	5015 W. Kingsley, Lincoln 68524 4430 Van Dorn, Lincoln 68506	416-5540 489-8069	forestry@ci.lincoln.ne.us swolf@ci.lincoln.ne.us
Flyball	Staci Sullivan	2700 W. Highridge Cir., Lincoln 68522	560-1649	ksullivan@neb.rr.com
Librarian				
Membership	Sharon Hayes	3429 Woodbine, Lincoln 68516	488-8983	skhayes@radiks.net
Programs	Vicky Graybill	4234 St. Paul, Lincoln 68504	261-3532	dollsndogs2003@yahoo.com
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