



# The Barker

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Monthly newsletter of the Greater Lincoln Obedience Club  
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## Agenda

General Meeting, September 5, 2019

- \*Greeting/Introductions
- \*Minutes from November
- \*Treasurer & Committee Reports
- \*Old Business
- \*Announcements/Brags
- \*Adjourn

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### REMINDER: Barker Deadline

Just a friendly reminder, the Barker deadline to make certain that something will be included is 5 p.m. on the 15<sup>th</sup> of the month. You can submit things after that but they may not be printed until the next month.

## GLOC Board Meeting Minutes

### Board Meeting Minutes

Board Meeting called to order at 6:05 PM on August 1, 2019

Board Members Present: Teresa Barney, Jeannine Beer, Kyle Smith, Kat Potthoff, Mary Schweitzer, Jessica Bruns.

Review of July minutes: postponed to September meeting.

The puppy class curriculum review to be chaired by Ellen Wilson was discussed. Committee should be made of members with diverse opinions to obtain optimal solution.

### Treasurer's Report – Jeannine

Income=\$2,582.02, Expenses=<\$12,631.66>, Cash flow for month=<\$10,049.64>, Checking account balance=\$66,161.01, Float=<\$746.98>, Total funds on hand=\$65,414.03. 2018 books were reviewed by accountant at HBE and paperwork completed and filed for Federal tax free status. Total fees=\$525. Jessica Bruns/Kyle Smith moved and seconded to approve the report. Motion passed.

### Corresponding Secretary

Sympathy cards were sent to Jayne Sebbby and Kim Kempkes for loss of their cats and Get Well card for Marcy Graybill for health issue.

Request that a Congratulations card be sent to Michele Hunzeker for new puppy, Kate.

Sports Director – Kat

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CPE Scent Sports: allowed to have 8 trials (4/weekend) a year. Looking at dates for 2020 when Sharon Dowell available.

Flyball: classes scheduled for sessions 7/8 but numbers aren't great

Tracking: classes scheduled for sessions 7/8.

New Business: Irish Wolfhound Club would like to rent Rally and Obedience equipment May 19, 2020 for use at their trial to be held at Mahoney State Park. After discussion, recommended Teresa check with New Mexico club who supplied equipment for previous trial on what they charged; replacement costs, shipping and taxes would have to be part of the deal in case of damage.

Blessing of the Animals, September 29 at Christ United Methodist Church at 45<sup>th</sup> and A St. Will ask for volunteers.

Door Bell for front door with camera was discussed. Save to SD card or get WiFi for the building. Teresa to check on WiFi costs.

Old Business: Robin, Sherry, and Jeannine combining information on Membership/volunteer hours. If minimum volunteer hours not met, member is not in good standing and cannot receive membership benefits of reduced class cost, Activity Pass, or building key.

Open Board Vacancies: Secretary and Obedience Director

Jessica Bruns/Kyle Smith moved and seconded we adjourn the meeting. Motion passed. Meeting adjourned at 7:37.

**General Meeting Minutes**

Meeting called to order at 7:45 PM on August 1, 2019

Members Present: Teresa Barney, Jeannine Beer, Kerri Paulsen, Kyle Smith, Jennifer Brown, Janet Ball, Kim Kempkes, Jessica Bruns, Sherry Tones, Janet Stander, Lynette Nelson, Jennifer Kaschke, Shannon Hanson, Jenny Pasco, Judy Vitamvas, Sally Clayshulte, Rosalie Claussen, Robin Bonge, Pan Eckstein, Kat Potthoff, Mary Schweitzer, Ellen Wilson.

Review of July Minutes: Pam Eckstein/Judy Vitamvas moved and seconded to approve July minutes as written (August Barker). Motion Passed.

Signup Sheets:

Session 6 Classes: Kat Potthoff sent around sign up sheet for instructors/assistants for session 6 classes (starts 19 August).

11<sup>th</sup> Annual Dog Splash (Janet Ball POC): 18 August, Star City Shores, 6:30-8:30, \$10/dog+2 adults+1 child 8 or older (under 8 not allowed), humans not allowed in past their knees (Health Code). Proceeds are split between GLOC and Lincoln Parks foundation (they provide

insurance/publicity). Volunteers needed to sell tickets before opening, take tickets at gate, sell tickets at gate after opening, patrol the small dog and other area, 1 or more in wet suits in the water to help dogs in distress if needed. Volunteers arrive by 5:45, can crate dogs in area before changing/shower rooms, receive free entry for their dogs to dog splash. Lincoln Parks representatives to be invited to September meeting for presentation of check.

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#### Membership

No new members.

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NADAC Video Trial/Fun Match 21 September. \$5 per run, 6 runs for \$25. Two Standards, Chances, TouchnGo, Jumpers, and Tunnelers. Registration at 9, trial starts at 10. Volunteers needed at 8 for set up and through out as bar setters/course builders (no experience required).

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Flyball and Tracking classes start back up sessions 7/8.

Barn Hunt: no classes at the building due to the mess the straw makes. Considering other locations but insurance a concern. Looking to schedule another outdoor seminar.

Obedience: AKC Obedience and Rally Trial 16-17 November in the club building.

Volunteers will be needed to help clean the building prior to trial and to help during the trial (no experience required)

New Business: Blessing of the Animals, 29 September at Christ United Methodist Church at 45<sup>th</sup> and A St. Ellen Wilson, Sally Clayshulte and Kim Kempkes volunteered to man the table. Salt Dogs Bark at the Park, Sunday, August 25. Gates open at 4:05, game starts at 5:05.

Allowed to bring in dogs and sit on the berm. GLOC traditionally meet on the 3<sup>rd</sup> base berm (left of home base from the stands). Check website for what you can bring in. Recommend Blanket/towel to sit on, dog bowl.

Dog Bowl at Pinewood Bowl on September 1. We have not heard from organizers about having a table/agility area. Teresa will check. GLOC Bingo get together at Superior Bingo. September 14. Early bird starts at 6:30 (arrive by 6/6:15); regular BINGO starts at 7:30. Teresa is the expert and will be there to walk you through getting your cards. You can bring food and drink but no alcohol. They also have a concession stand.

### Old Business

### DOCUMENT YOUR VOLUNTEER HOURS!

Lancaster County Fair. Mentor 4-H Obedience and Agility kids and parents on August 3. They will stop by to pick up equipment on August 2 (Kim Kempkes and Ellen Wilson on hand). Robin Bonge will let them in the building to return the equipment.

Jenny Pasco/Mary Schweitzer moved and seconded to adjourn the meeting. Motion passed. Meeting adjourned at 9:17 PM

### **Announcement**

Companion Dog Club (10803 N. 72<sup>nd</sup>, Omaha) is celebrating its 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary this year and we are having an Open House at the club from 1 to 5 on Saturday, August 24. We'd like to extend an invitation to GLOC members to attend.

## Gallery of Brags

*If you have a new puppy/dog announcement, a brag, or just some great pictures of your dog(s), submit them to the Barker for inclusion in our*

Robin Bonge has a brag about Kathy Zupancic. Saturday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>, Kathy Zupancic judged the agility for 4H at the Lancaster County Fair. During the trial, she gave positive thoughts to the 4H kids and made it a great experience. Many parents came up to her after the trial and thanked her for judging and all the positive things she said to the kids.

Kathy shared that she has seen former 4H kids at SCC and they will come up to her and ask her if she remembers them. Of course she does and they usually give her a hug.

I'm not sure how many years she has been judging agility for 4H - I just know everyone loves her. She makes sure to judge fairly - give pointers and give positive feedback.

We are lucky to have her as a member.



Teresa Barney has a brag about Viktor.

Team Viktor had a great July with nose work. We competed in both AKC and CPE. AKC was over the 4th of July weekend in Council Bluffs and Q'd 5/12 runs. We finished our Interior title and have legs in Exterior and Buried. Then July 20 and 21 we did GLOC's first ever CPE Scent Sport trial. We Q'd 8 out



of 10 and earned our Level 1 title. Not a bad summer for the big guy.



## Pupcoming Events

GLOC Meeting, Thursday, September 5

Barker deadline Sunday, September 15

For your planning pleasure: I had a request to add all the GLOC sponsored trials in the newsletter so you can mark your calendars. Below is what I can find so far. Some of the events are still pending so are not set in stone but will help to mark your calendars. If you know of more events that should be listed, let me know and I will add them to next month's Barker.

AKC Agility Trial October 4-6

Obedience Trial November 16-17  
(Building clean Thursday November 14, Trial set up November 15-building closed 15th)  
Note: No classes Friday-Sunday.

CPE Agility Trial November 30-December 1

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