



The Barker

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Monthly newsletter of the Greater Lincoln Obedience Club
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Agenda

General Meeting, January 3, 2020

- *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 15th of the month. You can submit things after that but they may not be printed until the next month.

GLOC Meeting Minutes

Board Meeting Minutes

GLOC Board Meeting
December 12, 2019

Participants: Teresa Barney, Jeannine Beer, Jessica Burns, Kim Kempkes, Kat Potthoff, Kyle Smith, Mary Schweitzer, Judy Vitamvas, Megan Zawacki, Sally Clayshulte (Robin Bonge for 30 minutes)

Jessica called the meeting to order at 6:01

Treasurer's Report: Jeannine Beer

November Income	\$6,479.75
November Expenses	<u>\$8,160.77</u>
For November	\$1,681.02
November Balance	\$57,862.33
Floating	<u>\$ 693.78</u>
Funds on hand	\$57,168.55

Sally moved and Kim seconded to accept the Treasurer's report

Sporting Director: Kat Potthoff

Tracking is getting wrapped up for the year, will continue into 2020. National Trial will be held at Branched Oak, in the fall of 2020

Flyball; Cheri is working on a date for a second event.

2020 Agility Trials for the most part are set, including Scent, CPE (have the judge), and Agility

April Trial: Robin will be Committee Chair, with 3 standards

June Trial: Speedway

November Trial: Sherry will be the Committee Chair, with 2 standards

Agility Classes: Interest in an Advanced Handling Class, something after Agility 103, folks have completed 103 but still need additional agility experience

Agility 102 and 103 are offered four times a year

Discussion about Obedience classes:

Currently, multiple Obedience 2 classes are offered per session. Unfortunately, the classes aren't full and some times only have one or two students. This is a lot of work for the instructor and is not a good use of their time. Board recommends only scheduling one Obedience 2 class per session until the student numbers increase. A class with only a couple students don't get the experience of handling their dog around other dogs. Instructors should have the ability to not pass a student (right of refusal).

Robin suggested Instructors should not teach more than two classes per session, if possible. Otherwise it is really challenging to find substitutes if the instructor has to be out. Each class should have the instructor and assistant posted before classes begin. Board discussed how sometimes this is not known until the week of classes.

Obedience Director: Kim Kempkes

Robin James contacted Kim with a wish list of equipment for Obedience Trials. Kat moved and Mary seconded to let Robin order this equipment, \$500.00.

The curriculum team met Dec 8th to discuss objectives for Obedience 1 and 2. They also reviewed the guidelines for the instructors and assistants. There are forms for the

instructors and assistants that should be signed before classes begin. The next curriculum meeting will be Jan 12, 5:00 - 7:00, at GLOC, anyone is welcome to attend.

Board Discussion:

A yearly class schedule would be nice, although the classes for SCC are set through June.

The GLOC website needs to be updated.

Correspondence: Megan Zawacki

Cards for the following;

Marilyn Duba - Husband

Kerri Paulsen - Dad

Jayne Sebby

Kim Kempkes - Dusty the cat

Michelle Hunseker - has been

sick

Robin Bonge - has been sick and

Maggie

Pam Eckstein - eye surgery

Old Business:

Fire extinguishers are the club's responsibility and not the landlord. Jeannine will find out how many is required for the building (210' x 80'). There are two that need to be refreshed.

Landlord will fix the light and will look at the broken window but not replace it until spring.

GLOC needs to purchase plastic tables to replace the wooden ones that were auctioned off. They will be needed for the July picnic that is held in June. Pam will know when they are on sale. Jessica would prefer the ones that fold and recommends that three be purchased. Teresa moved to purchase the tables and Jeannine seconded.

New Business:

Jeannine requested/proposed \$300.00 for a new computer for the Treasurer, Sally seconded.

Teresa will place Award
Announcements in the Barker

The auction during the Christmas party
resulted in \$247.00

Meeting adjourned at 7:03

General Meeting Minutes

Member's Meeting

GLOC Member Meeting
December 5, 2019

Members: Teresa Barney, Jeannine Beer, Jill Snyder, Stephanie Moore, Justin Moore, Sherry Tomes, Mary Schweitzer, Judy Vitamvas, Jayne Sebby, Sally Clayshulte, Jim Clayshulte, Jenny Pasco, Janet Stander, Kat Patthoff, Elbert Traylor, Marcy Graybill, Alicia Graybill, Dara Almanza, Kim Kempkes, Sarah Thompson, Jane Mailand, Stefanie Bowers, Jennifer Brown, Jennifer Kaschke, JuLee Vincent, Jessica Bruns, Pam Eckstein
Visitors: John Mailand

Meeting called to order at 6:20.

Forms:

Membership forms for 2020, need to be completed and money turned in. 2019 Activity Pass folks check with Jeannine to ensure you are in good standing. Jessica Bruns will have key forms available. Membership dues have no tax added.

Sporting Director:

1. Kat thanked everyone for helping at the trial over Thanksgiving. Sherry thought the trial went well. The food coordinator did a good job.
2. 2020 dates listed in the Barker for Agility, CPE, Obedience, and NADAC

3. Pam and Robin are organizing the scent trial on February 8/9. The Premium is up.

4. Judy V. is heading the committee for the March trial. The premium will come out this month

5. Elbert will continue tracking classes until April.

The Barker was approved. Sherry made the motion and Jennifer K seconded. Martha had trouble sending out the Baker.

Judy V announced the board nominations for 2020-2022, as well as new nominations were made during the meeting. The slate of nominations are the following;

Treasurer:
Sporting Director: Kat Potthoff,
Jessica Bruns
Obedience Trainer: Kim Kempkes,
Mary Schweitzer
Recording Secretary: Sally Clayshulte
Member at Large: Elbert Traylor,
Alicia Graybill

Currently Jessica Bruns is Vice President, if she is elected as Sporting Director, the board would have to appoint a New Vice President

Announcements:

Board meeting on Dec 12th at 6:00

Curriculum Review Meeting Dec 8th at 1:00 at GLOC

Get Volunteer hours logged.

Braggs:

1. Kim - Rocky did well at the end of the Agility Trial in Wahoo. Q'd in Obedience and Rally.
2. Jayne - Adak attended Ohio Championship, made it to the finals, 3rd overall.
3. Teresa - Viktor beginning Novice in Scent work trial, Baxter is back in agility 6 for 6 at the trial over Thanksgiving.

4. Judy V. - Blaze Q'd 2 out of 3, Icon 4 for 4 second level
5. Jessica - Katie got her bar
6. Stephanie - Ota Flyball Master
7. Pam E. - BBOC, Chelsea rally, Choco tracking
8. Sarah - Kim has recovered from surgery and health continues to be good

Meeting Adjourned: 7:20, Marcy moved and Janet S seconded.

Tracking Information

AKC Tracking 2020 – host test locations near Lincoln NE - -

March 21 - AKC TD & TDX - Branched Oak Lake – north of Lincoln – hosted by Cornhusker Kennel Club – Track plotting will occur on March 20.

October 23 - 25 – AKC National Tracking Invitational - The 9th AKC National Tracking Invitational (NTI) will be held at the Branched Oak State Recreation Area in Raymond, Nebraska on October 24 and 25, 2020. Champion dogs will receive an invitation from AKC to enter and then 12 dogs will be selected by random draw to compete. This event is being hosted by the Cornhusker Kennel Club of Lincoln, NE and the Nebraska Kennel Club of Omaha, NE and it will be the first time that the NTI is being held at this beautiful and spacious park. Track plotting will occur on Oct 23 with 6 tracks run on Saturday and 6 run on Sunday. <https://www.akc.org/sports/tracking/events/akc-national-tracking-invitational/>

November 8 – AKC TD & TDX – hosted by Nebraska Kennel Club – no additional information is available at this time (however has been hosted at Chalco Park, Omaha in past years).

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 Gallery of Brags. Send your items to glocthebarker@gmail.com. Our deadline is the 15th of the month but for pics of puppies, we always make an exception.

Rufus, running with Katie, earned his first C-ATCH at Wahoo, at the GLOC Agility Trial November 28/29! And he performed awesomely on the weekend, he had a perfect day on Saturday, and just missed a perfect weekend due to Katie not sending him where he needed to go to get enough points on his Jackpot run, but 9/10 was acceptable!

Especially good as he's now competing in Level C, and no errors are allowed.

And at this trial, he met the requirements to hopefully go to the CPE National Trial next June in Ohio!

The weekend of Dec. 7/8, Roofs, along with his GLOC buddies, Bizzy, Pappy, and Bella traveled to Longmont CO to run in the first CPE trial held in CO (they held these quite a while ago, but at some point discontinued CPE), and had a blast! Had so much fun, he didn't quite reach the levels he did in Wahoo, 5/10 (new smells in the arena/horse barn, and being Roofs, he wanted to smell every one of them!). He loved seeing and hanging out with his friends, and he was happy to support CPE in Colorado, we are hoping it takes off. Katie Schwartz



Pappy went 2 for 2 in his return to agility after a soft tissue injury finishing both runs under SCT!
Jeannine Beer

Chelsie had a really good weekend at the NKC Nosework trial. She Q'd in 5 out of 6 and was High in Trial on Saturday. Really excited that she Q'd in both of interior master runs.
Pam Eckstein



PUPCOMING EVENTS

GLOC Meeting, Thursday, January 3

Barker deadline Tuesday, January 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.

GLOC- 2020 Dates:

Will add several NADAC video trials - Spring & Fall

Feb 8 & 9 – GLOC CPE Scent Sport - at GLOC club building, Lincoln NE

March 7 -8 - GLOC AKC Agility -
former Abbott Indoor Soccer Field - 70th &
Interstate 80, Lincoln NE

April 4 – 5 – GLOC CPE Agility - Wahoo NE

June 12 – 13 – 14 – GLOC AKC Agility -
Lincoln NE

Oct 2 – 3 – 4 – GLOC AKC Agility - Lincoln
NE

Nov 14-15 - GLOC AKC Obedience & Rally
Trial - at GLOC club building, Lincoln NE

Nov 28 – 29 – GLOC CPE Agility - Wahoo,
NE

Dec. 12-13 – GLOC CPE Scent Sport - at
GLOC club building, Lincoln NE

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