

The Barker



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Monthly Newsletter of the Greater Lincoln Obedience Club
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Agenda

General Meeting, at 7:30

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

The Barker is a monthly publication by and about the Greater Lincoln Obedience Club, its members and events. Provided free by email to all club members, past issues are available on the glocdogs.org web site in the members' area. To submit brags, announcements, articles, or other information, email the editor at glothebarker@gmail.com. GLOC's physical address is 5740 Johanna Road. The mailing address is P.O. Box 84031, Lincoln, NE 68501.

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 Board Meeting Minutes

There are no April minutes

May-The May Board meeting of the Greater Lincoln Obedience Club was called to order at 6:05 p.m. on Thursday, May 12, 2022.

Present: Kim Kempkes, Sally Clayshulte, Jayne Sebby, Jennifer Brown, Janet Stander, Jessica Bruns, Jeannine Beer, and Juli Jurgens.

Recording Secretary: absent, April meeting minutes not in Barker.

Corresponding Secretary: get well cards sent to Rocky and Sage.

Building Director: the toilet in the north bathroom has been fixed. Thank you to Marcia Tetley who cleaned the GLOC building on May 1st, with a little bit of help from Jayne Sebby. There appears to be no further use for the P.A. speakers so they will be removed from the building. The grooming table will be put on member auction list.

Sports Director - assembling final reports on the March & April trials. An obedience

instructor training workshop is being scheduled - emails with specifics will be sent out. Lack of volunteers to supervise the Open building sessions on Thursday nights. And there will be no open agility sessions in June, July, or August due to the heat. Class evaluations for Session 3 instructors will be distributed by Kim Kempkes. Two more club members, Alicia Graybill and Kim Kempkes, have obtained their AKC Canine Good Citizen Evaluator certificates. Two more club members are studying for the test.

Treasurer - April report
\$10,717.93 Expenses
\$25,833.68 Income (\$13,000-SCC, \$6,400-CPE agility trial, \$4,200-Scent Trial)
\$15,115.75 Profit
\$34,689.72 End of month checking account balance
\$ 1,545,81 Float (\$850 rent for Saunders County Fairground arena)
\$11,470.79 Money Market (flooring account)
\$44,614.70 Funds on hand

Old Business/Committees:

Kennel Storage - no report
Code of Conduct - no report
Website - motion by Clayshulte, second by Bruns to purchase new software for the website. Approved.
Class Scheduling System - motion by Stander, second by Clayshulte to test software that should resolve class scheduling problems and is also appropriate for recording volunteer hours. Approved.
Equipment - motion by Bruns, second by Jurgen to purchase a laminate machine. Approved with one nay and one abstention.
By-Laws and Policy Review - Board meeting on May 12th to review the current By-Laws and recommend updates.
4-H - "Four on the Floor" 4-H club will be using the GLOC building for classes on May 19th and May 26th from 6:15 to 7:15 p.m.

New Business:

Club Picnic - June 9th

The Board meeting on that day will be rescheduled as the picnic will start at 6 p.m. A brief general meeting will be held as planned.

Complaint of Dog Mistreatment at the building - the video from the security cameras was reviewed and Board determined that no follow up is necessary.

Health Concern - discussion by the Board about a member who had a health incident at the building recently and how to address such an issue in the future.

Motion to adjourn by Stander, second by Beer.
Adjourned at 7:27 p.m.

Member Meeting

No April Minutes

May-The May General meeting of the Greater Lincoln Obedience Club was called to order at 7:37 p.m. on Thursday, May 12, 2022. Present: Kim Kempkes, Jayne Seby, Kat Potthoff, Juli Jurgens, Sally Clayshulte, Pam Eckstein, Kerri Paulson, Teresa Barney, Jeannine Beer, JuLee Vincent, Jennifer Brown, Jessica Bruns, Jeannine Beer. Guest: Cristine Stewart

Recording Secretary: absent, April meeting minutes not in Barker.

Corresponding Secretary: get-well cards sent to Rocky and Sage.

Treasurer - April report, see Board minutes for financial report. Motion by Teresa, second by Jayne to approve report. Approved.

Sports Director: 1) please keep the space in front of the blue cupboards in the agility ring open so we can get to the equipment stored there. 2) Obedience instructor classes will be held May 19th at 7:30 p.m., May 21st at 11:00 a.m., and May 23rd at 5:30 p.m. People teaching obedience classes are expected to attend; all other members are welcome at these sessions. 3) Interest has dropped in the Open

Building practice sessions, difficulty finding volunteers to supervise. Next open sessions are May 12th & May 26th. No agility open sessions until fall because of the heat. Obedience & scent work will continue. 4) There will be no scent work classes during Class Session 5 to allow the new curriculum to be completed. 5) Kim Kempkes and Alicia Graybill have obtained their Canine Good Citizen Evaluator certificates and will begin to conduct CGC tests. 6) A new agility table and more sand bags have been ordered.

Trials and Competitions:

1) The CPE agility and Scent work trials both went very well (Barney) 2) Upcoming trials: June AKC agility trial - 3 days, Kim Kempkes, chair October Scent work trial - venue is Nebraska Book, contracting with 2 judges to allow for a smoother event. October AKC agility trial - 3 days, at Event Center, still need a trial chairperson.

Building Director: 1) The toilet in the north bathroom has been fixed. 2) Access to all fire exits in the building must remain open - no storing items in front of them. 3) Thank you to Marcia Tetley who cleaned 2/3rds of the GLOC building by herself on May 1st. 4) The club is disposing of the P.A. speakers and the grooming table.

Old Business/Committees: 1) June Picnic - The annual picnic is schedule for Jun 9th. A short general meeting will be held. Kathy Zupancic is providing the table decorations. The Board meeting will be moved to June 8th at 5:30 p.m. Volunteers needed to organize the dog games and entertainment. 2) Code of Conduct - committee members are Kim Kempkes, the Garbisons, and Kathy Zupancic. 3) New web site software is being purchased; new class registration software is being evaluated.

New Business: 1) Welcome to new member Christine Stewart and her dogs Koda and Pepper! 2) The Adolescent Dog class is very popular 3) Dog Splash is scheduled for August 14th at Star City Shores on Hwy 2. Volunteers should be there by

5:30 p.m. 4) The 4-H club "Four on the Floor" will be using the GLOC building twice in May for their training sessions. 5) Drop-In sessions are now open to non-members, \$10 charge per session. 6) Grayson Trevett will be using the building on Jun 6th from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. to do a physical therapy evaluation of his dog. He asks that no one else be present during this time to avoid distracting his dog. 7) Bark in the Park (Saltdog baseball games where dogs can be present) are scheduled for May 25th, August 31st, and September 18th 8) Please continue to collect Best Choice food labels and bring them to the building. The rebate only applies to "Best Choice" labels. 9) The dog photo booth is being updated for May. 10) Wine and Howl is scheduled for June 12th at Deer Creek Winery. Dogs welcomed. Meeting was adjourned at 8:26 p.m.

Needed: Future Course Builders and Trial Chairpeople

We need to have younger, more energetic people to come forward to learn how to set up agility courses and to learn to be trial chairpersons. We are willing to train you. All it takes is for you to shadow the Chief Course Builder or Trial Chair for a couple of trials and you would have the understanding of what to do. We have had the same people doing the same trials for several years. You can even enter the trial if you are doing those jobs. AKC trials and CPE trials are a little different but still similar in many ways. The success of our trials is dependent on the availability of our volunteers and it takes a lot to make for a successful trial, so please think about shadowing for one of those positions. You can talk to any of the Chairpeople or Course Builders for more information.

From Janet Stander

I would like to recognize and give a big thank you to Marcia Tetly for cleaning the club so thoroughly!

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 glothebarker@gmail.com. Our deadline is the 15th of the month but for pics of puppies, we always make an exception.

Baxter did great at our CPE agility trial April 2 and 3. We are 2 runs short of his his CT-ATCH. So close, but we will get it next time.

Teresa

Quincy rocked the GLOC April CPE Scent Sport Trial on April 9 and 10. He missed 2 hides all weekend. He worked as the pre scent class 6 times over the weekend and ran his own courses 8 times. He was a rockstar, and as it turns out I've discovered what makes him tired. Finding 40 hides in one day is exhausting. Lol.

Teresa

Viktor was 50% for the weekend at GLOC's CPE Scent Sport Trial April 9 and 10. One of the first times we were in level C, which is an unknown number of hides. He did great, but I need to know when he's done searching. It's a learning curve but I couldn't have asked for a better weekend.

Teresa

Kaiser earned his first High in Class ribbon at Barn Hunt. Juli Jurgins

This is a recognition from Juli Jurgens to Teresa Barney's Viktor: May 15th - Viktor completed his first CLIMB in a Barn Hunt Trial in over a year. This is an awesome accomplishment by Viktor!

Asher =CH Twisted Acres Tuesday Afternoon Bliss CM2 RN DCAT SIN SEN RATN CGCA TKN HT got his AKC Championship in March 2022. Asher will be competing in The Westminster Dog Show for breed on June 20, 2022. Hopefully he will win and move to go on to herding group and maybe best in show. Asher also has IABCA International and National Championships and UKC Championship. We also hope he will be a father in Mid July.
Beth Vincent



Pupcoming Events

Barker deadline Wednesday, June 15

June 17-19 AKC Agility Trial Lincoln Sports Foundation Complex

October 7-9 AKC Agility Trial at Lancaster Event Center

November 19-20 GLOC Obedience Trial
Location: GLOC Building
Robin James, Chair

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