



**January**

**2008**

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**Mark Your Calendars**

**When:**        Wed., January 16, 2007  
**Where:**      Goodwyn Community Center on Perry Hill Road  
**Time:**        7:00 PM  
**Program:**

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Happy Holidays and a Successful and Joyous New Year.

From the sounds of the party, you all enjoyed yourselves. We truly had a good time. Thanks – Milly for arranging the event, Frank - you did a great job with the “Dirty Santa”. There didn’t appear to be a “dud” gift in the collection. Kaye – thanks for being my voice with the awards. Larry, the tea glasses were a great hit. Thanks for all you research. It wouldn’t have been a party without everyone who came.

With the new calendar year comes a new show/trial season. Best of luck to all in the new season. Remember, we will be offering rally run-thru the first Wednesday of the month (January 2<sup>nd</sup>). Then on the second and fourth Wednesday, we will have conformation practice (January 9<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup>). We need volunteers to lead the conformation practices. Volunteers, please email Pam Minor or me with the dates(s) you will lead.

Our next meeting is Wednesday, January 16, 2008.

Susan Barmby  
President

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### Montgomery Kennel Club Motions – November 28, 2007 Meeting

- A. Shelter Donations.** Board voted to make annual donations of \$150 each to the Autauga, Montgomery and Elmore County Humane Shelters.
- B. Conformation / Rally Classes.** Approved a schedule of Rally classes for the 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of each month and Conformation Classes on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday starting in January 2008.
- C. Obedience Rally Chair.** Approved Rosemary Coyle as the new Obedience Chair.
- D. AKC Fee Increase.** Due to AKC \$3.00 increase the board approved an across-the-board \$3.00 increase in all entry fees.
- E. Publishing Board Minutes.** Approved publishing board motions in the Tailwagger.

Respectfully submitted,

Rea Cord  
Secretary

## Trophy Donations

We would like to thank all of you who contributed prizes for the November 2007 show and those of you who pledged for the April 2008. Again you have displayed your generosity in donating to our many awards from Best in Show, Groups, Breeds, Classes, Juniors, Obedience and to Rally. You make our trophy table the best of the Cluster.

Many thanks,

Trigg and Sharon Grieshop  
Trophy Chairs

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### Braggs

Cablestone's Uncharted Waters "Clipper" had an enjoyable romp through the cotton. At the Cotton Cluster in Priceville, Al he went Best of Winners all four days. On Thursday he went Best of Variety, Best of Winners on Saturday and Best of Opposite Sex on Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

At the Cotton Classic in Montgomery, Clipper was entered two days and went Winners Dog on Friday and Saturday and Best of Variety on Saturday. **Rosemary Coyle and Susan Barmby**

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**Conformation Class:** The dates for conformation classes are as follows:

January 9   January 23   February 13   February 27   March 12   March 26   April 9

The dates for rally are as follows:

January 2   February 6   March 5   April 2

All classes will be on Wednesdays at 7 pm and will be held at the Goodwyn Community Center. Please contact Pam Minor with the dates that you can teach.

**Montgomery Kennel Club Meetings:**

January 16   February 20   March 19   April 16

Meetings are held on Wednesdays at 7 pm at the Goodwyn Community Center.

MKC show dates for our spring show are April 25 – 27, 2008.

**HANDLING CLINIC**  
With AKC Judge Anne Schwartz

**February 16 & 17**  
**Pensacola, Florida**

**Two Day Clinic**  
**Climate Controlled Bldg.**  
**Reduced Price for Audits**  
**Novice to Experienced**

In a continuing effort to bring affordable and popular seminars to the panhandle area, PDFA offers a Handling Seminar for everyone at a non-profit price. Ms. Schwartz was a professional handler and her popular and informative clinics have filled up in the past. Early registration for the two-day clinic participation (one dog) is just \$60. Those who wish to audit the class may register early at just \$25 for both days. Spaces are limited, so please take advantage of the early registration for both clinic and the audit spaces. The facility where the seminar will be held is indoors and there will be space for crating. This is a conference center and not accustomed to dog events – please only bring trustworthy housebroken dogs. No young puppies please. The seminar is to train you, not the dog.

**Early Registration – Payment received no later than January 1, 2008:**

**\$60 for 2-day clinic - \$35 2-day audit**

**Registration January 2 – February 10, 2008: \$75 2-day clinic - \$35 2-day clinic**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Level of experience in handling \_\_\_\_\_ Age of Dogs \_\_\_\_\_

Amount enclosed \_\_\_\_\_ 2-day clinic (\$60 Dec / \$75 Jan-Feb)

\_\_\_\_\_ 2-day audit (\$60 Dec / \$75 Jan-Feb)

To keep costs down, meals will not be served and time will be allotted to lunch at any of the restaurants nearby.

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