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**2008**

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**Mark Your Calendars**

**When:**        **Wednesday, November**  
**Where:**      Goodwyn Community Center on Perry Hill Road  
**Time:**        **7:00 PM**  
**Program:**    Show

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## OUTGOING PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

It has been an interesting ride this past year. Thanks to the officers and board members, we have accomplished many things.

We have had two successful dog shows/trials. Despite the increase in the price of gas, hotel rooms, etc., our show/trial has had one of the lowest dips in entries within our region. Thanks to the efforts of Mike Moore and Frank Dreyfus for their selection of judges. Remember to continue to give Frank your choices of judge(s) along with your reason(s).

Our judges appreciate the luncheon that we put on for them. Thanks to Milly Frakes and her crew.

Our obedience/rally entries appreciate our fall "C" match and the smooth running rally/obedience trials. Thanks to Rosemary Coyle and her crew. The conformation match is always well attended thanks to Jane Williams and her crew.

Thanks to Frank and Renee Goss, we had a well attended and successful "Meet the Breed". Thanks also to all that helped them.

The fair was a success. Thanks to all that participated. We all chose the right dog for the right time of day. The dogs were a great hit. I think we had more people inquire about our dog show/trial then in years past.

Thanks to Corrine Dreyfus and Genie Kline's research over the years, we now have pet resuscitators in a large number of our emergency vehicles in the tri-county area. Genie, thanks so much for spearheading the raffle. An additional thanks to all that contributed items, helped put the baskets together, sold the tickets, and last but not least the ones that bought the tickets.

Thanks to Pam Minor and her helpers, the conformation practices were well attended and helpful. Also, the rally run-thru's were well attended and accompanied with a lot of laughs. Thanks go to Charlotte Lackeos for her help.

This club runs on volunteers that are known and unknown. There are those that assist in so many ways. They are the silent helpers that make the job easier for others such as Frank with the grounds; or Geno that gets the drinks and sets the steward's tables; Kaye Stevenson who works hard to get us a great selection of vendors and make sure their places are marked. In addition, thanks go to her silent helpers.

Without volunteers our activities would not be successful. There is an old saying that "you only get out of something what you put into it". The same goes for the kennel club the more you put into it the more you get out of it. It is true for the kennel club the more you put in "in volunteering" the more you will get out of it. If you want to volunteer and help or get involved, just email me - I will help you out.

I have enjoyed this past year as your president. But it is time for me to get involved with my own dogs.

Thanks so much for the opportunity.

Susan Barmby  
Outgoing President

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## **Montgomery Kennel Club Minutes – October 15, 2008 Meeting**

The meeting was held at Goodwyn Community Center and called to order by Genie Kline (Susan Barmby was out of town), Board Member, at 7:10 pm. There were 36 members and 1 guest in attendance.

**President's Report:** Genie introduced our guest, Gigi Law, 1<sup>st</sup> Mtg (Chinese Crested). Genie then introduced and welcomed all of our newest members:

Chuck & Sally Byrd, 1<sup>st</sup> Mtg (Doberman)  
Trish Matthews, (Papillon)  
Jan Darby, (Black & Tan Coonhound, Dachshund)  
Shante' Arnett, (Mastiff, Yorkie)  
Joyce Leonard, (Flat Coated Retriever)  
Amie Perez, (Shelties & Collies)  
Dave & Ellen Howard, (Border terrier)

(Note – those guests having attended two or more meetings after receipt of membership application are eligible for membership upon a vote by the board – comments on any prospective member should be addressed to a board member as soon as possible.)

Membership approved meeting minutes from our Aug. and Sep. meetings. Thanked everyone who helped man our booth at the Alabama National Fair. Thanks to Julie for bringing the refreshments; Christina Flack will bring them for November.

**Vice-President's Report:** No report.

**Secretary's Report:** Announced that membership renewal time is coming up. Renewal form will be in the Tailwagger and need everyone to get their dues into Corrine soonest so the roster can be completed and sent to everyone shortly after the 1<sup>st</sup> of the year.

**Treasurer's Report:** No report.

**Committee:**

**Board Member Election:** Due to the tie vote in the Oct meeting, another vote was held between Christina Flack and Mike Moore. Only those members who were eligible to vote in September could vote at this Oct meeting. Kaye passed out ballots and after the tally Christina Flack was elected as a board member.

**Christmas Awards:** Deadline to let Rosemary know about your Xmas awards is Oct 30<sup>th</sup>, but if you do finish a dog at our Nov show, let her know as Larry can probably finish those.

**Show:** Rosemary needs stewards for Saturday's Conformation and Obedience Matches (10 each), and Sunday's Obedience and Rally Matches (10 each). Jane needs stewards for the C-Match and a couple of judges also.

**Hospitality:** Milly reminded everyone that our Christmas Dinner is December 10<sup>th</sup> (which is the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wed) at the Ox Yoke in Wetumpka. You can order off the menu and don't forget to bring a doggy gift for Dirty Santa (\$15 limit). And we must commit a \$200 room fee that will be refunded to us if all who commit show up (at least 40), so please join in on the fun! Notice and RSVP info will be in the Tailwagger and sent via email.

**Conformation Classes:** Christina Flack will teach the next Wed class.

**Announcements:** None

**Door Prizes:** Won by Kit Montgomery, Judy Lynn Fanning and Gigi Law.

**Motion to Adjourn:** Meeting adjourned at 8:05 pm.

**Program:** Various members told us about their breeds: Judy Lynn Fanning (GSD), Kaye Stevenson (Lab), Pam Minor (Wolfhound), Ellen Howard (Border Terrier), and Emma Frakes (Chi).

Respectfully submitted,

Rea Cord  
Secretary

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### Match Information

The Tuscaloosa Kennel Club will have an AKC sanctioned conformation match on January 17, 2009. It will be held at the Northport Community Center located at 2100 Park St., Northport, Alabama.

There will be classes for:

Puppies 3-6 mos., 6-9 mos., 9-12 mos. And Adult.  
Time permitting there will be a Parade of Champions also.

Fees: \$7.00

Entries will be taken beginning at 10:30, with judging to start at 11:30.  
Judges pending.

For information contact:  
Sara Ashcraft, Match Chair  
205-339-6793  
[Sara.ashcraft@yahoo.com](mailto:Sara.ashcraft@yahoo.com)

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### Activity Schedule

Date	Activity	In Charge
Wed, Nov 12	Conformation Practice	
Wed, Nov 19	Club Meeting	
Wed, Nov 26	Closed	
Wed, Dec 3	Rally Run-Thru	Susan Barmby/Charlotte Lackeos
Wed, Dec 10	Christmas Dinner	Ox Yoke Restaurant

### Tailwagger Information

Information for the Tailwagger must be in to me NTL the 25<sup>th</sup> of each month.

### Braggs

On Sat. Nov 1, Audra Goss and her border collie Beau (Ragtime's Beauregard) earned a 2<sup>nd</sup> leg in Rally Novice A and 3<sup>rd</sup> place at the Birmingham Obedience Club Trial. Audra was the only Junior Handler competing. They were worried about NQing because they had never "finished left" before. Beau performed the maneuver like a pro. Beau's greatest challenge is learning to "sit straight". Audra is looking forward to completing her RN title at the Montgomery Show. **Glenn Goss**

The Sheltie Krewe and Collie Boys have braggs. Cisco had a great run in Franklin, TN. She did her teeter and weaves and qualified with second place. This "Q" gives her, her second leg in Open Standard. **Susan Barmby**

Keepsake made the trip up to Murfreesboro, TN on September and came away with a new Champion and baby Abby picked up her first point. Frankie – is now CH Keepsake's Dreaming in Color and finished by going WD and BOW. This last point for him qualified him for Eukanuba since all his points came from the Bred by Class. Abby is Honeyrun's Absolutely A Keepsake and was handled by a good friend from up in

Tennessee who owns Berners – Wendy Boehme. Teresa Keever handled Julie – Rigg’s Boston Sea(sp?) Party and came away with RWB-so a very good weekend for Keepsake. Out in California at the Toller National Specialty one of my pups Keepsake’s Not Left to Chance came away with the second leg of his Junior Hunter title and also picked up his Working Certificate! **Laura Smith**

My little hairless Chinese Crested, ReeCreat’n Glory Halaluyah won Saturday up at the Marietta, Georgia show. WM/BW/BOS for a 3 point major from Bred by Class!! Hip Hip Hooray for Glory! **Marie Lundbom**

Last month at the Albany, Georgia show, Sassy (Proux’s Storm Force at PureJoy) was WB and BOS on Sunday. This was her first win in 6-9 mos puppy class. **Milly Frakes**

## Last Call for Awards

Awards time is fast approaching. This year the board has decided to limit every kennel/family to two awards. You can choose what two dogs you want the award given to, all dogs beyond the limit will receive certificates. Awards beyond the two dog limit can be purchased at your expense. The price per additional tumbler will be \$21.75. Remember MKC only gives awards for AKC sanctioned titles.

Please submit the dog(s) name, title and the date that the title was awarded. Example:

Cablestone's Magical Wizard                      Champion                      October 14, 2008

Cablestone's Uncharted Waters                      Rally Novice                      April 25, 2008

All awards must be submitted by October 30, 2008. A few extra will be ordered for those dogs who finish at our show. Dogs who finish at our show need to be emailed in by November 24th. Anything submitted after that date will be awarded in 2009.

Please send all information to Rosemary Coyle    [coylerm@knology.net](mailto:coylerm@knology.net)

**MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL 2008-2009**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse/Significant Other:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Children  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ St  
\_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Ph: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Ph: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Ph:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Email Address:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Breed:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Dues: \$15 per individual  
**MKC and mail to:**  
\$25 per couple/family

Treasurer

**Make check payable to**

**Corrine Dreyfus,**

**806 Goolsby Road  
Wetumpka, AL 36092**

Montgomery Kennel Club  
CHRISTMAS DINNER



Please join us for the December meeting and dinner on  
Wednesday, December 10th at 6:30 pm at

The Ox Yoke Steakhouse  
915 U. S. Hwy 231  
Wetumpka, AL

We will be ordering directly off the menu which includes  
steak, chicken, and seafood entrees

Please RSVP by December 3rd  
Milly Frakes (334) 396-0132  
Or by email:  
butterflydogs@bellsouth.net

Remember to bring a wrapped “doggie themed” gift for dirty  
Santa  
(under \$15.00 please)



**MONTGOMERY KENNEL CLUB  
TROPHY DONATION FORM  
APRIL 2009**

Montgomery Kennel Club welcomes trophy donations for our shows. Contributors have the option of donating items or cash. We would like to keep it simple – you send a check and we'll buy the trophies. Just indicate that you want us to do the shopping for you, send in a minimum of \$10, and we'll take care of the rest. Of course, if you want to buy your own, that's fine too. For all donations, please complete the information on this form and email it to Sharon & Trigg Grieshop, [garytrig@bellsouth.net](mailto:garytrig@bellsouth.net), or mail the information to Sharon & Trigg Grieshop, 1912 Beauvoir Lake Drive, Montgomery, AL 36117.

Donor's Name  
Kennel Name (if any)  
Address  
Phone Number  
Email Address

**Conformation Trophy Information**

Please list the following for each trophy that you are donating:

Breed(s)  
Class(s)  
Item Value or Item Description

**Group Trophy Information**

Please indicate if you would like to donate to any of the following categories (may be jointly donated):

Group I (\$50)  
Best in Show (\$75)

**Obedience Trial Trophy Information**

Please list the following information for obedience prizes:

Place (1<sup>st</sup>, etc.)  
Class (Novice A, etc.)  
Item Value or Item Description

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