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# Packerland Kennel Club

# Paw Print

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## A Few Thoughts From Our President...

Hello All,

Hope everyone is enjoying this cold and rainy spring weather. NOT!

As you all know, prior to the last Business Meeting I sent a list of topics to be discussed at the meeting. This seemed very well received so I will try to continue that practice. As always, if anyone has a topic or issue they would like to discuss, please email me.

On a sad note, Packerland Kennel Club lost a long time member. Bob Grathen passed away recently. Bob has been a constant at the Club and at dog shows. He will be sadly missed. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Bob's wife, Pat, and the rest of Bob's family.

On a happier note, the dog show season is kicking into high gear! Please travel safely to and from the shows. And remember, the dog shows are supposed to be fun! Share your wins and accomplishments, your loses and disappointments with friends. But always enjoy the day with your dog and your friends. This is what we do for entertainment!

Take care everyone.

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## A Note from the Outreach Coordinator



Ronda Bernke • [bernke@centurytel.net](mailto:bernke@centurytel.net)

The Packerland Kennel Club was invited to participate at the Big Event for Little Kids for the first time this year. This is a huge event geared specifically for young children and their parents held at Shopko Hall. The Kennel Club had dogs available to pet all day as well as offering an "on stage" demo. HUGE thanks to June Ashford and Candee Brey who stepped up to coordinate the days activities!

The incredible dogs and PKC members that were able to attend:



*JoLynne Stewart and "Axel"*

**Cris Lewis and Dachshund "Wendy"**

**Candee Brey and Doberman "Lexx"**

**Julie Daul and Berner "Uno"**

**JoLynne Stewart and Am Staff mix "Axel"**

**Melinda Witbro and Golden "Gabriel"**

**Tammie Scheich and Boxer "Roc"**

**Mary Jones and Irish Wolfhound "Clancy"**

**Amy Heim and Scottie "Kilian"**

**Faith Beam and Kerry Blue Terrier "Carlene"**

## SAVE THE DATE

PKC had been invited to participate in Farm Technology Days on July 11, 12 & 13. This is a large event that will be held in Algoma. We have been invited to have a booth during the event and provide demos throughout the three days. This will be a fantastic opportunity for the Club to reach thousands of people! I will need volunteers to help staff our booth throughout the three days from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. I will be scheduling two shifts each day from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and 12:30-4 p.m. If you are able to help, please email Ronda.

## Upcoming Events

Outreach has several programs coming up. Please remember, the canine needs to have a copy of a current rabies vaccination and the human needs to be a PKC club member (not a trainee). If you are able to attend, please contact Ronda so she knows you are able to attend. Ronda will send those attending a follow up email prior to the event with final instructions regarding parking and where to meet.

**UW-Green Bay~ Wednesday, April 26, 4-5 p.m.**

**St. Norbert College ~ Tuesday, May 9, 3-4:30 p.m.**

**NWTC ~ Thursday, May 11, TBT**

**New Curative ~ Wednesday, June 21, 10-11 a.m. (Obedience / Rally demo)**

**Farm Technology Days ~ July 11-13, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. (see above)**

**Memory Café ~ Thursday, July 27, 1-3 p.m. (more info coming soon)**

## Important Dates in May



Business Meeting - May 1, 7 p.m.

Mother's Day - May 14

Armed Forces Day - May 20

Memorial Day - May 29



### Upcoming 2017 Business Meeting Dates

Tuesday, June 6  
Wednesday, July 12

# Welcome

### *Who's new at PKC...*

~ Brittne Hoachin and Golden Retriever ~  
from Little Suamico

~ Tammy & Jim Cegelski and English Cocker Spaniel ~  
from Green Bay

Welcome to Packerland Kennel Club!



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2101 CRANSTON ROAD  
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## 2017 WLRC CERF CLINIC

Dr. Alan Brightman

**ALL BREEDS WELCOME**

Eye Clinic Hours: Friday June 16, 2017

10:00am to 6:00pm

Fees: \$40 per dog (no litter discounts)

sue@sonlightlabs.com---815-633-4366

Alan Brightman, DVM, MS, DACVO is a board-certified Ophthalmologist. He earned his Doctorate of Veterinary Medicine from Kansas State University in 1974. He is a pioneer in the ophthalmology field. Before he was a consultant, he served as a full professor of ophthalmology at the College of Veterinary Medicine at Kansas State University.

WLRC is pleased to offer our annual CERF Clinic at our specialty this year. All fees must be received not later than **June 11th**. **Make checks payable to WLRC**. Please bring with you your AKC Registration Papers and Microchip or Tattoo Number for each dog. Dr. Brightman schedules in 5 minute time slots. Choose the 5-minute slot(s) below that is most appropriate and Sue will **email** your actual time slot(s) back to you. Please be there 20 minutes prior to your scheduled time slot to administer the eye drops and complete forms. Complete the form below and mail it with your check to **Sue Seehawer, 3101 Summerwind, Rockford, IL 61114**. Contact Sue for more information. One CERF Exam Form Per Dog is Provided; a \$1 replacement fee will be charged to replace any ruined forms.

**CUT ON DOTTED LINE, COMPLETE FORM AND MAIL WITH CHECK**

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# AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB®

The American Kennel Club, the leading authority on dogs, is pleased to announce the launch of its newest sport, AKC Scent Work. Scent Work is a sport that mimics the task of working Detection Dogs - such as narcotics dogs or explosives dogs - to find a specific scent and communicate to the handler that the scent has been found. It is a positive, challenging activity that allows dogs the opportunity to use their strongest natural sense in a way that is fun, engaging, and that builds and strengthens a foundation of trust between the handler and the dog.

In AKC Scent Work the dog is searching in a pre-defined search area for the hidden odor, which is either an essential oil or handler scent, depending on the class. Searches take place in a variety of environments, including an area with Containers, Interior, Exterior, and Buried. There are four difficulty levels for each element—Novice, Advanced, Excellent, and Master—and factors such as the size of the search area, the number of hides, whether the number of hides is known or unknown to the handler, and the maximum height of the hides will change with the difficulty level. The most accomplished dogs will also be eligible for The Detective Class, which contains many hides in a variety of environments.

All dogs (purebred and mixed breeds) can participate provided they are AKC-registered, enrolled with AKC Canine Partners, listed in the Purebred Alternative Listing (PAL) program or recorded in the Foundation Stock Service (FSS) program.

"We have already received significant interest from clubs, participants, and potential judges," said Stephanie Kennerley, Sports and Events Project Coordinator in charge of Scent Work. "Scent Work provides a stimulating activity for dogs. Owners will enjoy watching their dogs use their nose to solve these unique puzzles. We are excited to make this activity a new AKC sport."

Because of the tremendous interest, the sport will be ramped up in phases. The AKC is currently accepting applications from existing and new clubs seeking to become licensed to hold Scent Work trials. Approved clubs are being notified and Scent Work will be added to their club profiles beginning May 1. Applications are also being accepted for Scent Work judges. A judge's education class is under development and is tentatively scheduled to be available by May 1. A list of approved judges will be available on the AKC website after June 1. Processing of event applications will begin on August 1. Scent Work trials can be held on or after October 1, 2017.

"AKC Scent Work is a modern day performance event in which bred-for traits like working drive, concentration and response to distractions are redeployed into roles relevant for the twenty-first century," said Doug Ljungren, Vice President of Sports and Events. "While the sport of Scent Work will not prepare your dog to be a working detection dog, we hope it serves to demonstrate to the public the value that these purpose-bred dogs can provide to the security of our nation."

To learn more about AKC Scent Work or to find the appropriate applications, please visit our website.





## AKC TRICK DOG TESTING

Wednesday May 31 2017

Testing is from 5:30- 7:30 pm  
No registration required, it will be first  
come first serve.

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The following props will be available: 6 weave poles, balance board, wobble board, teeter, tunnel, agility pause table top. All other props are the responsibility of the handler.

\$10.00 for PKC club members  
\$15.00 for non-club members  
for each level

Novice, Intermediate, Advanced

Handlers teams may test on multiple levels at  
the same event.

For more information on the AKC Trick Dog  
program see:  
<http://www.akc.org/trick-dog/>

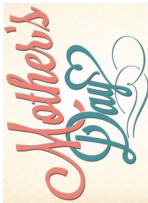




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For the Novice Trick Dog title, the dog must: 1) perform 10 tricks, or 2) have the CGC on record at AKC and perform 5 tricks.

1. Balance Beam
2. Bark on Clue
3. Crawl
4. Fetch it and Give
5. Find it
6. Get your \_\_\_\_\_.
7. Get in the \_\_\_\_\_.
8. Get on (low platform, or step with 4 paws)
9. Hand signals (sit, down or come)
10. High Five
11. Hold
12. Jump
13. Kennel up
14. Kiss
15. Paws up
16. Push ups ( sit down, sit down, sit down)
17. Shake hands
18. Spin in a circle
19. Touch it
20. Tunnel
21. Other: Handlers Choice



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	<b>1</b> 4 p.m. Conformation Run-thrus 5 p.m. Competitive Obedience 6:30 p.m. CGC <b>7 p.m. Business Meeting</b> <b>6 p.m. Foundations of Agility</b>	<b>2</b> 3-6 p.m. Utility 6 p.m. Open Obedience 8:15 p.m. Conformation Run-thrus <b>6 p.m. Intermediate Agility</b> <b>7:45 p.m. Intro to Agility</b>	<b>3</b> 6 p.m. Graduate Puppy 7 p.m. Novice Obedience <b>6 p.m. Beginner's Agility</b> <b>7 p.m. Novice Agility</b> <b>8 p.m. Open/Excellent Agility</b>	<b>4</b> 6 p.m. Puppy Socialization 7 p.m. Beginner Obedience	<b>5</b> 8:30 a.m.-Noon Open Floor Obedience 4 p.m. Conformation Run-thrus	<b>6</b>
<b>7</b>	<b>8</b> 4 p.m. Conformation Run-thrus 5 p.m. Competitive Obedience 6:30 p.m. CGC 7 p.m. Ring Ready Rally <b>6 p.m. Foundations of Agility</b>	<b>9</b> 3-6 p.m. Utility 6 p.m. Open Obedience 8:15 p.m. Conformation Run-thrus <b>6 p.m. Intermediate Agility</b> <b>7:45 p.m. Intro to Agility</b>	<b>10</b> 6 p.m. Graduate Puppy 7 p.m. Novice Obedience <b>6 p.m. Beginner's Agility</b> <b>7 p.m. Novice Agility</b> <b>8 p.m. Open/Excellent Agility</b>	<b>11</b> 6 p.m. Puppy Socialization 7 p.m. Beginners Obedience	<b>12</b> 8:30 a.m.-Noon Open Floor Obedience 4 p.m. Conformation Run-thrus	<b>13</b>
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The *Paw Print* is a monthly newsletter sent to all Packerland Kennel Club members. Comments and/or contributions are welcome. Contributions can be emailed to the editor.

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The deadline for the June 2017 issue of the *Paw Print* is:

*Monday, May 15, 2017*

Let's 'paws' for a moment...  
*Do you know...*

...the top 10 Dog Friendly Countries?

**#3**  
**Sweden**

