



Chatter-Barks

Obedience Club of Daytona, Inc.



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**Meeting
Location
OCOD
Training Center
1276 8th Street
Corner of 8th
& Derbyshire
7:00 pm General
Meeting with
Members & Guests**

President: Michelle Lemole
Vice Pres: Kris Davenport
Secretary: Linda Campagna
Treasurers: Renee' Johnson
Chris Franczek
Board of Directors:
Pat Mozden
Anna Johnson
Linda Hudak

OBEDIENCE:

761-1095 Joan C.
677-4528 Renee' J.



AGILITY:

Linda Hudak
386-295-3240

APPLICATIONS:

Can be found on our
web site
www.ocodb.org

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Inc. or the editors.

	NEXT MEETING 7:00 PM Monday, September 12, 2022	
Janet Berry will talk about "FastCat" and "Renee' Johnson will discuss the Scent Work Trial"		

President's Message,

Happy September!!!

August was a busy month. We hosted the Mid Florida Golden Retriever Club at our training center for their Obedience & Rally Trials. It was one of their largest entries, so congratulations to MFGRC! We were happy to have you!!!

We also had a Scent work seminar presented by our very own Lind Weaver. I heard it was a huge success! Congratulations to all involved.

This month at our September club meeting Janet Berry will be speaking to the membership about FastCat. I'm looking forward to hearing about this fast growing sport. So come out hear Janet tell you what it's all about.

Here's something I would like you to think about and keep in mind. It takes a village to run a dog club. We need instructors and Assistants for the classes we hold. We need volunteers to help out at our Obedience, Agility and Scent Work Trails. We also need people to help keep the training center clean.

All of these things, our classes, and our trails are things that help make it possible for us to stay at our wonderful training center.

That is why we are always asking you to help out in some capacity. If we cannot hold classes and trials the training center we love could be in jeopardy.

So what can YOU do you ask? VOLUNTEER!!! It doesn't have to be every 7 week class session. Start with one 7 week class session. If you help at a trail it doesn't have to be all 3 days or all day. But we NEED YOUR HELP!!!!

As a reminder about cleaning, it is a requirement to receive a discount on your classes. We WILL be keeping closer track of this. If you have not cleaned once between Jan-Jun and once more between July -December, it's September, get moving if you want your membership discount. You can contact Claire Isrealson for more info on cleaning dates and times.

We are happy to have each and every one of you as part of this club. But if we want to keep it going we need you to pitch in!!!

Happy Training ❤️

Michele Lemole



Club Member Dinner

When: Saturday,
September 25

**NOTE
TIME !**

Time: 5:00 Sharp !

Where: The Stockyard Restaurant
1915 Old New York Ave, Deland

Call Carol Mason
for reservations or cancellations

386-228-3965 or e-mail her
carolsjeep@hotmail.com

*Join other Club members
and their quests !*

New Members

Briana Karson



Club Shirts

Please contact:
Pat Mozden
386-451-0848
patmozden@cfl.rr.com



Please pay with a Check !

OCOD Will Be CLOSED

on Labor Day.

There will be **NO CLASSES**
held that day unless
Instructor says differently !



Military War Dogs,
Volusia Sheriff 13
K-9 Teams,
Daytona and
Port Orange K-9 Teams
Always Need Our Help

Contact:
Ralph Orlando
386-788-4268 or
rrolando2@cfl.rr.com



Therapy Dog Testing

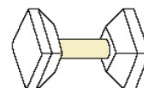
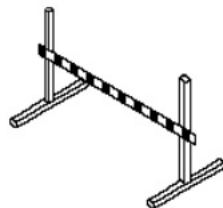
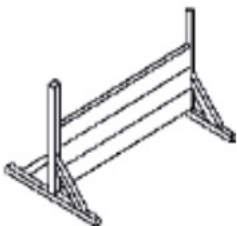
OCOD's Testers for Alliance of Therapy Dogs

If you are interested in being evaluate please contact them

Ralph Orlando 386-788-4268
rorlando2@cfl.rr.com



Meg Massaro and "Dalton"



Wins & Brags

Renee' Johnson and Debonair Kenzee Stand By Me "Kenzee" earned her preferred Utility Title with 2 First Place Wins at the Mid Florida Golden Trials held at OCOD on 8/13-14/22.

Meg Massaro and Dorstar By Design for Arrodare "Dalton" UDX OM2 RN CGC NW3 trialed on AstroTurf in shows hosted by the Providence County Kennel Club in Rhode Island on July 29-30. In both the Saturday and Sunday trials, Dalton won the Utility B class and the Open B class, won High Combined, and High in Trial.

Diane Ashley and "Flair" her Border Collie earned a Rally Advanced Title at the Trials on Friday, 8/12/22 with a PERFECT score of 100 at the Mid Florida Golden Retriever Trials held at OCOD.

Nancy Wadelton and Ripley Believe It Or Not Forever "Ripley" BCAT CGC TKP, earned his first leg in Rally Novice at the Mid-Florida Golden Retriever Club trial on Friday 8/12/22.

Anna Johnson and Tyddenbach's Twotwo Much "Tooty", earned her CDX at the Mid Florida Golden Retriever trials on 8/13 -14 /22 held at OCOD.

Nancy Harrington and Belle Starr the Bandit Queen "Belle" earned Excellent B: 96, Advanced B: 99 RAE TITLE, Master 1: 89. Master 2: 98 Master 3: 100/4th Place Win, Master 4: 93 at a four day show in Topeka Kansas.

Congratulations Everyone !

2022 Title Awards

Vicki Owens, Chairman

If you would like to receive a plaque and/or hang tag indicating your dog's name and/or titles earned this year, please e-mail your info with correct spelling to OCODawards@yahoo.com. The deadline to get your info and check to her is November 1, 2022. The 4X6 plaques are \$29.70. Please include both the registered and call name. Tags are \$11.15 each. Include the title earned and date earned. Make payment check to: Obedience Club of Daytona. Place check in Vicki's file folder at the OCOD training center or contact her for mailing instructions.

Excerpt from the standing rules:

TITLE AWARDS

- A. Upon receiving a dog's title a member may purchase a plaque bearing dog's registered name and call name
- B. All titles received by same dog may be purchased and will be printed on hanging tags with title and date earned
- C. All plaques and tags must be submitted to the Trophy Chairperson in writing on or before the closing date (no exceptions), to be determined by the Awards Chairman.
- D. A proof will be sent before ordering to be sure spellings and awards are correct, and must be returned to Chairman with approval.
- E. All plaques and tags must be paid for [by November 1st deadline] in advance of order.



Diane Ashley

*Sincere Sympathy to
Sarah Beaudoin on the
loss of her beloved
German Shepherd
"Hanna Mae", she was
11 years old.*



PLEASE NOTE IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR TRAINING CENTER

Everyone needs to sign in the paper notebook on desk and pay before entering a ring to take a class or do a run-thru.

The 3 Ring Binder is for Monthly Classes and needs to be signed by persons taking a class so the Instructor knows how many students to expect.

The class needs to be ***paid in full*** on the first class day of the month!

A few class are paid by the day/night, the same procedure applies.

Use the wooden mail box on the desk, ***PLEASE*** be sure to put the class, your name and date on the envelope.

The file cabinet in the the desk has names of instructors assistants and some members for mail.
(Credits, memos and mail etc.)



Meg Massaro's "Fanette" on July 8, after winning back to back Best of Breed Wins in West Springfield, Mass., Meg's Princess Fanette earned her Grand Championship. She is now GCH Ch Hot Shot Shows Her Trucolorz TKA CGC

Puppy and Basic Classes need help!

Many of our reliable Puppy and Basic instructors and assistants are not currently available due to health or life changes so we are struggling to cover these classes.

Assistants are largely a second set of eyes for the instructor and we are happy to provide on-the-job training. If you are interested in being an instructor, being an assistant is the way to start. ***If you used to teach Puppy or Basic, please consider helping us for a class or two.***

If you can help us with this need, please contact Joan Costello directly at jhcostello37@att.net.

New Puppy for Nancy Miles

“Mr Dice” is an AWESOME puppy! He’s a quick thinker, an amazing adapter to all situations and has fluid on and off switches. He will play like a wild man and settle very quickly when crated. As a savvy puppy usually does , he’s wormed his way right into AceA’s heart too. He’s so much fun!!
We just love him



New Puppy for Karyn Angel

Introducing the adorable imp...and yes he has a name!
Surefire Medal of Honor “Valor”



The Scent Work Trial is September 16, 17, 18, 2022

ABSOLUTELY no practice in building by anyone

Two weeks before trial. (Sept. 1 thru sept. 15).

Someone practiced last trial and did some
severe damage to our Trial.

Please Stay out of Scent practice –

Thank you

Renee’ Johnson, Chairman



Dear members:

The board would like to begin replacing our current ring gating with sections that would be more stable which would give all of us a better training/trial environment. You can see examples of what we have in mind being used in the agility room.

My husband has offered to make them for us, the club would only have to pay for materials. To make the new ring gating for the outside line (closest to the crates) of all four rings will cost between \$1,750 and \$2,000.

We will need to take a vote at our next general meeting to approve the expenditure.

Pat Mozden

Be the person
your dog 
thinks you are

The Joys and Responsibilities of OCOD Membership.

There is no time like summer to remind me how lucky we are to have our Training Center. However, having our own space means we must all contribute to it's upkeep. One member responsibility is to help keep the building clean and in good order. So, this is a refresher on what is expected of each member regarding building upkeep.

1. Members will participate in a minimum of two cleaning days per year - one occurring January - June and the second July - December. If you live more than 45 minutes from the TC, you may vacuum, or clean bathrooms, or another assigned job when you are already there for class. If you only do **agility**, helping to clean and sort agility equipment counts for cleaning. Weekly set up and break down does not.
2. When present for cleaning (alone or with the group), each member will sign in on the CLEANING notebook that is on the Table near the front desk. This is the list we will use to determine who has met the cleaning requirement.

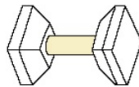
It takes a village to care for our building and we need everyone to do their part.

If you have questions, please email Pat Mozden at patmozden@cfl.rr.co

Photos from the Mid Florida Golden Retriever Trials



Maria Orlando, Robin Scott, Renee' Johnson



Maria & Ralph Orlando



Maria Orlando



Joyce Swegle



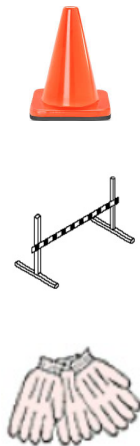
Elaine Nabors



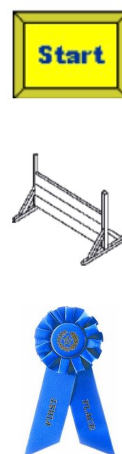
Renee' Johnson



Robin Scott



Anna Johnson



Maria Orlando

NEW CLEANING DAY SCHEDULE

- Sept 9th Vacuum Training Center - Friday- 10:30
- Sept 10th General Cleaning /Scrub floors - Saturday- 12:00
- Oct 7th Vacuum Floors - Friday - 10:30
- Oct 22nd Vacuum Floors - Saturday - vacuum
- Oct 23rd General Cleaning / Scrub Floors - Sunday - 9:00

List of Cleaning Duties at the Training Center

- The person who opens and closes the TC is in charge if Anna or Claire are not there.
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- Vacuum All four rings plus the Puppy Room and the Agility ring, all walkways, hallways. Move crates vacuum and put back where they belong.
- Clean all four bathrooms and wash floors and replace toilet paper, hand soap and Paper towels as needed. Also, wash kitchen floor. (Supplies are in the utility room.)
- Clean tables outside of rings. If time allows clean obedience equipment and ring gating.
- Empty vacuum cleaners and rinse out buckets and pails put back where they belong.
- The blue scrubber and green scrubber are not to be used without permission from Claire Israelson or Anna Johnson.
- When closing the training center make sure all doors are locked, lights turned off and no water is running in sink or toilets and thermostat is turned back to 78 degrees.



OBEDIENCE CLUB OF DAYTONA**GENERAL MEETING****AUGUST 8, 2022**

President Michele Lemole welcomed everyone and called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm. The sign in sheet was passed around - 25 members were present and there were no guests.

Michele would like to decrease our Quorum number so that way the majority of the people that show up for our meeting, that are in good standing, would be able to vote. Renee made a motion that we accept that and it was seconded. A vote was taken and it was passed unanimously.

Linda Hudak's presentation is about Hyponatremia which is water intoxication. A person that had her dog in a backyard pool found out he had consumed too much water. The dog became lethargic at first, throwing up, then it started staggering about and then it went into convulsions. You have to get your dog to the vet immediately. You have to monitor them if they're swimming in your pool and you have to give them breaks. Check to see if they are diving down or retrieving toys from the water because they might be gulping some water. Dogs that bite at your spray hose can also take in too much water and aspirate the water. Michele said the excess water will dilute the sodium you actually have and your brain only functions on two things Sodium and Glucose. If you dilute your Sodium or your Glucose you could get neurological symptoms such as loss of co-ordination, lethargy, restlessness, bloating, vomiting, glazed eyes, salivation, difficulty breathing, and it can also lead to seizures and coma. These symptoms project quickly. Seek vet treatment immediately.

Hypertremia, salt water poisoning, which is an imbalance of electrolytes which they can get from playing and swimming in water at the beach. They can get diarrhea, shaking, charley horses, convulsions, difficulty breathing and progress to coma and death. Blue Green Algae poisoning is a toxin produced in standing water in the heat of the summer that can also be a problem. It is actually a bacteria that will also grow in your fountains. There can also be run off from chemicals put on lawns. Be careful to not exhaust your dog when playing outside in this heat. Don't use ice on the dog if they get heat stroke apply cool water. It was also suggested to get your dog a cooling pad to put in your car for comfort. Linda said she will continue next week with a power point presentation and more information on the subject. Nina handed out temperature charts and spoke about checking outside surfaces with your hand before letting your dog walk on them.

Report of the Secretary: We have a new membership application from Briana Karson (S) Ormond Beach There were three Thank You cards with wonderful complements sent to Ralph regarding our club trial:

Dear Ralph, Please share our thanks with all the hard working club members. We appreciate being invited to be part of well run trials. Special thanks to our great ring help. A lot goes in to successful trials and you all deserve congratulations!! Cathy and Bob Knight (JUDGES)

Thank You so much for putting on these wonderful trials! It was our first time showing here and we hope to come back in the future. Everything is so beautifully run from the thoughtful ring set up to your many awesome stewards!! You guys are Pawsitively Awesome!! Nancy, Emily, & Rush (EXHIBITOR)

Hi Ralph, Please thank everyone and yourself for a really enjoyable Rally trial. Had a great time with all the exhibitors. The hotel was really nice and I thank you for choosing such a nice location. Hope everyone also was pleased. My best to your club and have a great day. Brenda C. (RALLY JUDGE)

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Report of the Treasurer: Renee said we lost a little money on the trial last month. Otherwise everything is fine.

Pat Mozden and husband Jim are building ring gating for the training center. They will be 4' at apx \$35 each or 8' at apx double that amount. These new style ring gating segments are attractive, sturdy and will stay in place better. They will allow us to get rid of some of the old style ring gating which would make everything look neater. The club will decide the best size for each location and how many to order. These will only be used on the aisles. The club voted on and we now have a commercial size gutter which runs the length of the building on the rear side. Pat is expecting that it will substantially curb the amount of water intrusion that we get on that back wall. There was also a discussion between Ralph and Pat regarding light switches.

Michele was talking about having a fast cat fun day for club members. Basically your dog would chase a lure which is a plastic bag and it is timed. It will be either Oct. 1 or Oct. 2. As soon as we get more information she will let us know about that. It will probably be a potluck.

Michele also said that Renee has decided to resign as our Obedience Training Director so we will be looking for another Training Director. If anyone is interested in being Training Director or knows anyone that would like to be a Training Director please let her know. Members applying for these positions must be in good standing. In January we will also need a new Treasurer. Join the fun with us. 😊 Renee said it's an easy job!

Renee also said there will be no training for scent in this building for two weeks before the Scent trial in Sept. 15,16, and 17. Michele confirmed that we had requested members that were not trialing to remove their crates from the training center. She then asked if there was a motion to adjourn?

Shirley motioned to adjourn. It was seconded by Janet Berry.

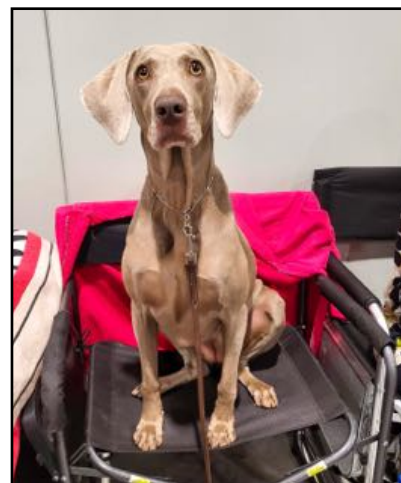
Meeting adjourned at 7:40 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Linda Campagna



Nancy Harrington & "Bell"





September / October



MONDAY

(Updated 8/29/22)
Subject to change

TUESDAY

- 8:30 Proofing & Distractions, Adv. Utility,
Joyce Swegle Victory Hulett
Only people actively showing in Utility
- 9:30 OPEN: Maria Orlando
(Must be pre-approved, limited to 6)
- 10:30 UTILITY: Joyce Swegle, Maria Orlando
- 4-6:00 RALLY: Nancy Miles by appt. (386-299-1500)
(not on meeting nights)
- 6:30 BASIC: 7/18 - 9/5 Nina Daly
skip 8/8 meeting Assist: Debra Cail, Nancy Govoni
- 6:30 FOUNDATION AGILITY: 1 9/19 - 11/7
(Skip 10/10 Club meeting) (Ring 4 & 5)
Linda Hudak. Michele Lemole

- 10:00 BASIC: 7/26 - 9/6 Linda Hudak
Assist: Michele Lemolw
- 11:00 PUPPY: 9/6 - 10/18 Nina Daly
(Ring 4 & 5) Assist: ??? ??? ???
- 1:00 BASIC: 9/6 - 10/18 Nina Daly
(Ring 4) Assist: Briana Karson, Patty Mills
- 6:00 INTERMEDIATE: 10/11 - 11/22 Joan Costello
(Ring 3) Assist: Debra Cail, Edd Gordon
- 6:00 OPEN / UTILITY CLASS: Renee'Johnson (Monthly)
(Ring 1) Assist: Janet Berry
- 6:30 PUPPY: 8/20 - 11/1 Todd Traster
(Ring 4 & 5) Assist: Kelly Zen, Pat Dean

WEDNESDAY

- 7:00 CONFORMATION: 7/6 - 8/10 **8/24 - 9/14**
Jim Danhauer (RING 2)
(Drop In Class) \$10. per night
- 3:00 BEG. RALLY FREE: Dana Connolly
- 5:30 RALLY FREE DANCE: Dana Connolly
(RING 1)
- 6:30 BASIC: 10/19 - 11/30 Terrie Brensinger
(Ring 2) Renee Johnson, Assist: ??? ???
- 6:30 INTERMEDIATE PLUS: Dana Connolly
(RING 1 until 7:30)
- 6:00 FOUNDATION AGILITY: 2 8/3 - 9-14
Linda Hudak. Michele Lemole (RING 4 & 5)
- 7:30 ADV. AGILITY HANDLING: 8/3 Linda Hudak,
(RING 4 & 5) Michele Lemole
(Monthly until classes at Silver Sands) Michele Lemole
(Contact Linda Hudak 386-295-3240)

THURSDAY

- 11:00 PUPPY: 7/28 - 9/8 Linda Eastlake
Assist: Patty Mills
- 5:00 PUPPY: 9/22 -11/3 Nina Daly
(Ring 4 & 5) Assist: ??? ???
- 6:00 INTERMEDIATE 8/18 - 10/6 Joan Costello
(Ring 3) **skip 9/15 Scent Trial set up**
- 6:00 BASIC: 8/18 - 10/6 Janet Tomlinson
(Ring 2) **skip 9/15 Scent Trial set up** Assist: Kay Bell
- 7:00 BASIC: 9/22 - 11/3 Nina Daly
(Ring 4) Assist: ??? ???
- 6:00 NOVICE COMP.: Renee' Johnson, Janet Berry
(Ring 1) (Limited to 8 sign in book \$60.)
- 6:00 FUN AGILITY: Claire Israelson, Jean VanHorn

FRIDAY

- SPRAY 1ST FRIDAY OF MONTH
(3 hours to dry)
- 9:00 SCENT WORK: Lynd Weaver, Anna Johnson
(Everyone must help set up and put away)
- 5:00 SCENT CLASS: Lynd Weaver, Anna Johnson

SATURDAY

- 8-9:00 BASIC MANNERS 8/6 - 9/17 Sandy Bailey
(Reed Canal Park) Assist: Linda Campagna

SUNDAY

CANINE MUSICAL FREESTYLE DANCE
Linda Campagna contact for start date.
386- 848-4594 **(no text)** or 386-775-4617

- 1:30 Beginner Dance:
- 3:00 Advance Dance:

SEPTEMBER SATURDAY RING TIME 9AM TO 12 NOON

- Sept. 3 Kris Davenport
- Sept. 10 Anna Johnson
- Sept. 17 OCOD Scent Work Trial
- Sept. 24 Janet Berry

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DOG Training



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2. Flagler Humane Society
386-445-1814
3. Halifax Humane Society
386-274-4703

2022 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sept. 16-17-18 OCOD Scent Trial
 Oct. 29-30 Brevard Trials
 Nov. ? K-9 Obed. Club of Jacksonville
 Trials
 Dec. 9-10-11 OCOD Obedience & Rally Trials

Fast Cat Trials & Fun Day
 Fun Day Oct. 1
 Nov. 5 -6
 Dec. 31

2023 Calendar of Events

Jan. OCOD Agility Trials

