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### **President's Note**

Hello and Happy New Year!!!

We're off and running on another year chuck full of events.

There was a lot of great feedback on the January Winter Blast Agility weekend hosted by Wendy Richmond and her team – the weather was great and it sounds like the camaraderie and good food was flowing (and did I read something about warm cookies?!), and 3 ATCHs were earned – Deb Keach and Caine, Anne Derby and Arwen, and Audrey McKay and Bindi Sue. Thanks for starting 2011 off on such a good note.

February brings the Winter Warm-Up Breed and Obedience in Seekonk, MA and the Agility and Food Bank Fundraiser in Manchester, NH. Keeping my fingers crossed for good weather for both these events. Last year's February agility trial was almost cancelled due to major power outages around here and I was running on a generator at home for about a week. We found out mid afternoon on Friday that power had been restored to the show site so it was a scramble – one I'd be happy to do without this year!

In March we will be gathering at the Log Cabin in Holyoke, MA for our Annual Meeting and Volunteer Banquet. This is a great time to catch up, to celebrate everyone's successes, and eat lots of yummy food!! If you've not already let Lecia Whitlock know you're coming, please do so ASAP at [aussie2000@yahoo.com](mailto:aussie2000@yahoo.com). If you have any items to add to the agenda, please let me know at [jjanotta@myfairpoint.net](mailto:jjanotta@myfairpoint.net).

Congratulations to Judy Harrington and Leslie Frank on CH Propwash Recon's Best in Show at the AKC/Eukanuba National Championship in Long Beach, CA on Dec. 4-5, 2010. Recon, Judy, and Leslie received an official commendation from New Hampshire Governor John Lynch congratulating them on this great achievement.

I'll leave you all with the following: I've never been a big winter/snow person – I like the warm house, hot drinks and food side of it. However, in an attempt to get Keeper some good exercise, I bought a pair of snowshoes in early January. I'd never been snowshoeing in my life, but am enjoying it immensely. It's a good thing too – at least it's making all the snowstorms more bearable!!! So maybe you want to think about doing something different with your canine partners as we start a new year.

Stay safe and warm – hope to see a lot of you at the Banquet!!

Jean

### **Next Club Meeting**

**Come one come all !!!**

**Calling all ASCNE members !!!**

To join the Australian Shepherd Club of New England at the

**Annual March Get Acquainted -Volunteer Appreciation  
ROM Awards - Meeting**

A day of food, fellowship and fun

**Sunday March 6, 2011**

Log Cabin Banquet and Meeting House

500 Easthampton Rd, Holyoke, MA 01040

11:30 AM -?

Details in the flyer appearing later in this issue

**This year's Colors of Summer show will include  
Friday Conformation. Details to be announced.**

### **ANNUAL BOWL CALL**

Please email me or send a note no later than February 1<sup>st</sup>, with the 2010 titles your dog may have earned. Also include past titles. ASCA titles only please and include the dog's registered name. Please email to Karen Miller at:

[marineraussies@comcast.net](mailto:marineraussies@comcast.net)

or mail to

Karen Miller

82 Ridgewood Dr.,

Brewster, MA 02631

All Conformation & Obedience Show Chairs - please send the volunteer lists for your 2010 events to Lizette Durrschmidt at [lizettedurrschmidt@comcast.net](mailto:lizettedurrschmidt@comcast.net) as soon as possible. They are needed for ROM.'

# **January 9, 2011 Meeting SECRETARY'S REPORT**

## **Minutes from the January 9, 2011 meeting held at Canine Mastery Seekonk MA**

**Members Present:** Karen Miller, Gull Gullicksen, Pauli Haggis, Jean M Janotta, Pete Dolan, Susan Winters, Alexis Reidy, Bill Haggis, Linda Gray, Paula Andrus, Kathy Buckley, Robin Goodman, Dianne Barrett, JoAnn Griffin, George Griffin, Elyse Phillips, Michael Liberty, Kathie Chouinard, Steven Phillips and Joey Mason.

President Jean Janotta called the meeting to order at 1217 pm.  
Introductions were made by each member.

### ❖ **Secretary's Report-Karen Miller**

Minutes from the November meeting were accepted as printed in the New England Aussie Newsletter.  
Motioned by Robin Goodman and seconded by Dottie Duclos-So Voted.

### ❖ **Treasurer's Report-Pete Dolan**

#### **Treasurer's Report 01/09/11**

**Account balance as of 11/06/2010 \$24,660.09 (includes \$140.54 Rescue Fund)**

	<b>Final Harvest Moon Mania October 1-3 2010</b>	
Income to date		<b>\$31,087</b>
Expenses to date		<b>\$30,612</b>
Profit		<b>\$475</b>
	<b>Tracking Test October 24, 2010</b>	
Income to date		<b>\$300</b>
Expenses to date		<b>\$656</b>
Loss		<b>\$356</b>
	<b>Cranberry Classic November 13-14, 2010</b>	
Income		<b>\$2,039</b>
Expenses to date		<b>\$2,205</b>
Loss		<b>\$266</b>
	<b>Agility Trial January 2011</b>	
Expenses to date		<b>\$850</b>
	<b>Winter Warm-up February 2011</b>	
Expenses to date		<b>\$344</b>
	<b>Agility Trial February 2011</b>	
Expenses to date		<b>\$550</b>
	<b>Other Expenses (Annual)</b>	
Newsletter		<b>\$1,645.14</b>
Business Expenses		<b>\$2,029.26</b>
	<b>Other Income (Annual)</b>	
2010 Membership dues		<b>\$3,391.50</b>

**Account balance as of 12/31/09 \$29,785.04 (includes \$140.54 Rescue Fund)**

**Account balance as of 12/31/10 \$18,573.99 (includes \$140.54 Rescue Fund)**

#### **2010 Contributions and Donations**

<b>2010 ROM Banquet</b>	<b>\$3,094</b>
<b>ARPH</b>	<b>\$2,500</b>
<b>ASHGI</b>	<b>\$2,080</b>
<b>The ASCA Foundation</b>	<b>\$250</b>
<b>New Hampshire Food Bank</b>	<b>\$1,810</b>
<b>Lincoln County Animal Shelter</b>	<b>\$250</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$9,984</b>

### Show/Clinic/Event Summary 2010

January Agility Trial	\$4,752	\$4,033	\$719	15%
Winter Warm-up	\$1,887	\$1,847	\$40	2%
February Agility Trial	\$8,397	\$7,223	\$1,174	14%
Rescue Show	\$3,905	\$3,369	\$536	14%
Cindi Hayden Clinic	\$1,630	\$1,555	\$75	5%
Intro To Herding	\$1,185	\$754	\$431	36%
Betty Williams Clinic	\$3,250	\$3,080	\$170	5%
May Conf/Obed Show	\$1,398	\$1,559	(\$161)	-11%
May Agility Trial	\$12,443	\$8,862	\$3,580	29%
Colors of Summer	\$21,626	\$19,972	\$1,654	8%
July Stockdog Trial	\$3,575	\$2,793	\$893	25%
August Obedience Trial	\$1,813	\$2,793	(\$980)	-54%
Rick Pinney Clinic	\$3,250	\$2,919	\$331	10%
August Stock Trial	\$7,819	\$7,276	\$543	7%
HMM 2010	\$31,087	\$30,612	\$475	2%
October Tracking Trial	\$300	\$656	(\$356)	-119%
Cranberry Classic	\$2,039	\$2,305	(\$266)	-13%
Total	\$110,356	\$101,498	\$8,857	8%

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Total	\$101,041	\$93,190	\$7,850	8%

Linda Gray asked if we are buying insurance. Pete Dolan said it costs the club 598.00/year for Sportsman's Insurance. Agent is in Port Jervis, NY. Linc Kaiser procured it. Robin Goodman motioned to accept the treasurer's report, seconded by Karen Miller. So voted.

❖ **Affiliate Report-Carol Landry**

- Carol was absent due to recent surgery-Jean did not receive anything from her.

❖ **Library Report-Gull Gullicksen**

Gull brought a bag of books with her including the 2 latest year of the Aussie Annual, Stubs and 2 new books. This new year will allow her to purchase new books. Need to add issues of the ASCNE newsletter to the library. Gull hopes to purchase some books on stock.

❖ **ASCA Board of Directors Report-Pete Dolan**

Nothing exciting to report due to the Holiday break since 12/20-Getting Texas A&M to help fix the problems with the ASCA computers.

Efforts are being made to change the breed standard. Ten years ago the board identified problems with the breed standard. Since then the 2008 committee disbanded. The new BOD tried to revise the standard. There is a petition being passed around to revise the standard again. Basically it is a Judge/Breeder problem, not a "standard problem". Discussion followed.

❖ **Sunshine Report**

Carol Landry had surgery and it was successful.

Ellen DeWolf passed away on 12/16/10. (Merryfields Farm, W. Brookfield, MA)

Pete Dolan is having knee replacement surgery 1/10/11

❖ **Event Updates**

- Nov 13-14-Seekonk MA-Sharon Ruppel-  
no added notes
- Jan 15-16 Agility-Pawns N Effect-Wendy Richmond/Chair  
Pete Dolan to mail Wendy a check
- Feb 5 -6-Winter Warm Up-Seekonk, MA-Kathy Buckley-Chair  
2 obedience trials on one day. conformation on Sunday. Conformation show is all set per Sue Winters. Issue with Rally is lack of judges. Pete Dolan stated that the huge bottle neck on Rally judge approvals are within the ASCA board. He also went on to advise Kathy Buckley to file a complaint with ASCA office itself, not the board.
- Feb 26-27-Agility-All Dogs Gym-Jean Janotta  
plans moving along
- Mar 6- ROM Banquet-Flyers are on the table
- Mar 18-20 Rescue Show -Silver City-Taunton, Sue Winters/Chair  
Mike Liberty found an "aussie" bag at Ocean State Job lot for the Rescue Table. Conf. judges set, Rally Sat, Obedience on Sunday. Robin Goodman will post flier on the website. Trophies and food all set. Still need raffle prize
- July Health Clinic-  
Need a new coordinator-Paula Andrus is stepping down-  
Looking for someone to pick up the reins-  
Doesn't necessarily have to happen at the July meeting
- July Stock Trial date  
Dates will be July 16 & 17
- HMM Agility Judges  
Joyce Roessner-Canada & Ric Pittman-California
- Colors of Summer-Keli Gaunt/chair  
Requesting an extra day for conformation-Budget is extremely high-if the show chair can figure out budget to accommodate the extra day, she can have one.
- May Stock Trial-Pauli Haggis/chair  
Judge is from Idaho. Will try "Course C" with sheep. Course C has not been run in N.E. before-  
Pauli has to check motels and campsites. A lot of places have been booked for other events already.

**OLD BUSINESS**

**New Members-Dottie Duclos**

The following were accepted as new members: Michael Jones, Susan Johnson & Judith Schachte

**NEW BUSINESS**

• **Membership Applications-Dottie Duclos**

Applicant	Sponsors
Logan Arsenault (JR) Kimberly Arsenault 86 Ekonk Hill Rd. Voluntown, CT 06384 ASCA# 404474	Wendy Dryer Sharon Ruppel
Kristine M. Rines 531 Depot Rd., Tamworth, NH 03886 ASCA # 10959	Jessica Davis Matt Mason
Theodore Kurnat 6 High Hill Rd, Canton, CT 06019 ASCA # 525925	Kathy Hubbard Carrie Neri

• **2010 Volunteer Lists for ROM Coordinators**

Lizette need volunteer list for Breed ROM-Show Chairs please provide  
Art need volunteer list for Obedience ROM-show chairs please provide

- **2011 Nationals**

email from Kathi Schwengel asking if any clubs would be interested in hosting a pre National stock trial-Matt Mason replied, "not sure"

- **Breed Referral Name Change**

Board has decided to change name of 'list' to Breeder Directory

Add statement: "This list is provided as a resource to prospective Aussie owners"

- **Proposal for Donations to Nationals and Finals**

Proposal to establish a set amount to be consistent from year to year

Previous amounts

Donations to finals in the past:

7/09 to ASCA-\$750

7/9 to ASCA-\$1,500

10/12/109 to ASCA-\$2,000

Donations to Nationals in the past

1/8/09 to CASA - \$1,500

2010 Texas Consortium- \$1,508

Proposal:

Payable on Jun 1

ASCNE Account balance as of Previous January >= 20K

- Finals-2000 - payable to ASCA
- Nationals-1500 -payable to the National Host Club

Account balance as of previous January >=10K and < 20K

- Finals-1000-payable to ASCA
- Nationals-750-payable to the National Host Club

Account balance as of previous January < 10K

- Finals-50% of combined profit from all events of previous year payable to ASCA
- Nationals-30% of combined profit from all events of previous year-payable to the National Host Club-Additional funds may be donated to either Finals or Nationals for any specific year based on vote of the membership.

Discussion followed the proposal offered by President Janotta- ASCA BOD officially owns the Finals. ASCA pays for the finals so therefore the donations go to the "Finals" and we request the donation is split evenly to the venues. This helps defray the cost of the Nations. These proposed amounts are only for the Nationals and Finals.

Bill Haggis expressed concern for the amounts given especially if the club account is below 10K. If felt the amounts should be reviewed. Jean asked Dottie Duclos to check back on past amounts donated. Dottie thinks it might be different year by year as far as donations. Jean would like it to be standardized.

- Members decided that the first two proposed set amounts are OK to be left as proposed, but the amounts set with the treasury below 10K, should not exceed 75% of yearly profits from the previous calendar year. Motioned by Karen Miller, seconded by Susan Winters, so voted.
- It was also added that we have to update the club Policy in Procedure book.
- Linda Gray asked the membership if anyone was interested in another C A Sharp seminar. We have not had one in six years. There were quite a show of hands, so Linda said she would look into the possible future seminar.
- Susan Winters brought up that in the past we have given 50 dollar gift cards to the rescue foster homes and the gifts were greatly appreciated. She was hoping we could continue with this practice. The foster homes are so grateful for the cards. There was a lot of discussion about how to earmark some monies from the Rescue show to fund this in the future. Robin Goodman made a motion:  
" Profits from the Chinese Auction table will be distributed to the New England ARPH reps."  
Seconded by Kathy Buckley and so voted.
- At 2:38 pm the meeting was motioned by Karen Miller and seconded by Pete Dolan to be adjourned. So Voted.

Respectfully submitted

Karen Miller  
ASCNE Secretary

## **Reimbursement - Expenses Incurred on Behalf of ASCNE**

Requests for reimbursement of expenses incurred on behalf of the club (whether for a trial, show, clinic, seminar, or whatever) must be submitted within 30 days of the event. Exceptions will be handled on an individual basis but the Treasurer must be notified before the 30 day limit is reached, effective March 2006. (From the ASCNE Policy and Procedures Manual Revision 0 January 10, 2008, available on the club web site)

### **Check the Club Web Site**

Please check the club web site for the latest up dates. Robin created a Members' Documents page

## **ASCNE Show Results Cranberry Classic Sunday November 14, 2010 AM Show Virginia Rowland**

### **Juniors (6)**

8-12 Nov Jr (2) Logan Arsenault

13-17 Nov Sr. (2) Olivia Mazeski – Best Junior Handler

13-17 Open Sr (2) Morgan Campbell – Reserve Junior Handler

### **Puppies (4)**

2-4 PD (2) Paradox Puppy – A.Smith – Best of Breed Puppy

4-6 PD (1) Hemlocks Patchy Fog – S.Ruppel

4-6 PB (1) Hemlocks Nor'easter – S.Ruppel – Best Opposite Puppy

### **Altered dogs (4)**

BBX (1) Croix Feu's Carbon Copy – C.Booth – Reserve Winners Dog

Open RM (1) Buff Cap Cowboys Like Us – L.Prager/N.Gagnon

Open Black(1) Stormridges Proven Point – K.Sweeney

Open Red (1) Copper Hills Red Rock Canyon – M.Sheehan – Winners Dog

### **Altered Bitches (0)**

Altered Best of Breed (1) Dog

A-Ch. Harmony Hills Cody Hinckley – K.Peloquin

### **Dogs (13)**

6-9 Vinelakes Painted Desert – A/M.Campbell

9-12 (1) Hemlocks Get Up and Go – K.Buckley

AmBred(1) Vinelakes One Fell Swoop – L.Holmes

BBX (3) Checkerberry Northern Spy – J.Darlington – Winners Dog

Open Blue (2) Copperhills Racin 4 Hdstrong – L.Liebenow

Open Black (4) Muddyfeet All or Nothing – L.Liebenow- Reserve Winners Dog

Open Red (1) Briarcliff Silk Rd To Hemlocks – D.Johnson

### **Bitches (17)**

9-12 (4) Absolutot It's All About Me – K.Gaunt

AmBred (3) Alias Just for the Joy of It – F.Guerra

BBX (4) Stormridges Ewe Turn Up the Heat – K.Sweeney

Open Blue (1) Terra Blue Moonstone Black N Blue – A/M.Campbell

Open RM (2) Checkerberry Forbidden Fruit – J.Darlington – Winners Bitch/BOW/BOS

Open Black(2) HeatherhillStonepine Prvt Dancer – S.Ruppel – Reserve Winners Bitch

Open Red (1) Hemlocks My Cinnamon Girl – S.Ruppel

Best of Breed (4) Dogs (2) Bitches

Ch. Hearthside Ready Set Go! TD – S.Winters

## **Cranberry Classic Sunday November 14, 2010 PM Show Judge: Margaret Cook**

### **Juniors (6)**

8-12 Nov Jr (2) Logan Arsenault –

13-17 Nov Sr (2) Olivia Mazeski – Best Junior Handler

13-17 Open Sr (2) Katherine Menches – Reserve Junior Handler

### **Puppies (5)**

2-4 PD (1) Paradox Puppy – A.Smith – Best Of Breed Puppy

4-6 PD (2) Meri-Mors Cruise – D.Dodge

2-4 PB (1) Gabrielino's GG – S.Schroeder

4-6 PB (1) Meri-Mors Madrigal – R.Gura – Best Opposite Puppy

Altered Dogs (4)

BBX (1) Croix Feu's Carbon Copy – C.Booth

Open RM (1) Buff Cap Cowboys Like Us – L.Prager/N.Gagnon – Reserve Winners Dog

Open Black (1) Stormridges Proven Point – K.Sweeney

Open Red (1) Copper Hill Red Rock Canyon – M.Sheehan – Winners Dog/Best of Winners

Altered Bitches (1)

Open Red Merle (1) Stormridge Tee A is a Flying – C.Reed – Winners Dog/Best Opposite

Altered Best of Breed (1) Dog

A-Ch. Harmony Hill Cody Hinckley – K.Peloquin

Dogs (14)

6-9 (1) Vinelakes Painted Desert – M/A.Campbell

9-12 (1) Hemlocks Get Up and Go – K.Buckley

AmBred (2) Cossacks Next Link – S.Ruppel/V.Hagam

BBX (3) Buff Cap Valiant Tribute – N.Gagnon – Reserve Winners Dog

Open Blue (2) Propwash Light A Candle – C.Fields

Open Black (4) Kinnebrook Safe at Home – A.Lake – Winners Dog/Best of Winners

Open Red (1) Briarcliff Silk Rd to Hemlocks – D.Johnson

Bitches (15)

9-12 (3) Harmony Hills Legally Blonde – A.Lake/H.Braddock

12-18 (1) Crofton Hoola Hoop – L.Braun/M.Ferentino

AmBred (3) Alias Just for the Joy of It – F.Guerra

BBX (3) Stormridges Ewe Turn Up the Heat – K.Sweeney – Reserve Winners Bitch

Open Blue (1) Terra Blue Moonstone Black N Blue – M/A Campbell

Open RedM (1) Checkerberry Forbidden Fruit – J.Darlington – Winners Bitch

Open Black (2) HeatherhillStonepine Prvt Dancer – S.Ruppel

Open Red (1) Hemlocks My Cinnamon Girl – S.Ruppel

Best of Breed (4) Dogs (2) Bitches

Ch.Hearthside Ready Set Go! TD – S.Winters

Best Opposite Sex

Ch. Briarcliff Radiant Jewel – D.Johnson

Obedience Show Results Cranberry Classic Saturday November 13, 2010

Open A – Poodle 189.5 Essiah – A.Brown

High In Trial

Utility A – Border Collie 191.5 Ch.Trucolorz Tri A Little Tenderness – M.Massaro

Novice A – Aussie 175 Stonecircle Mov N Violation – A.St.Pierre – HIT Aussie

Novice B – Pomeranian 191 Robins Precious Zoey Bear – R.Botelho

Rally Show Results Cranberry Classic Saturday November 13, 2010

Judge: Donna Pappas

1<sup>st</sup> 198 Aussie – Laurics Grand Slam – Jo-Ellen Vought

2<sup>nd</sup> 198 Setter – Affinity Fanfare of Kelarn – G.Beauchemin

3<sup>rd</sup> 196 Aussie – Risingstar Stormin McGee – K.Souza

4<sup>th</sup> 196 Setter – Kelarn's My Wish Come True – G.Beauchemin





The Australian Shepherd Club of New England  
invites you to attend our

# Winter Warm Up Weekend

2 Days of Conformation and All Breed Obedience

(Sanction pending)

Saturday, February 5, 2011 and Sunday, February 6,  
2011

Canine Mastery - 102A Pond St. Seekonk, MA

## Judging Schedule



### Saturday

#### **Obedience – AM & PM**

Denise Lacroix, Spencer MA

### Sunday

#### **Conformation - AM**

Kelly English. - Breeder Judge. PA

#### **Conformation - PM**

Anne Bowes - Duxbury, MA

### Obedience

**Entries:** Pre-entries close on Jan 29, 2011 or when limit of 30 is reached. AM show entries taken 8 – 8:30 am PM show entries taken until 12:00pm.

**Judging:** The judging for the AM show begins at 8:30. The judging for PM show starts at 12:30 or if the AM show goes past 12:30 then ½ hour after the AM shows ends The judging starts with the Utility class.

**Classes:** Utility A, B, Open A, B, Novice A & B, Sub-Novice, Grad-Novice, Wild Card & Brace (non-regular shall not exceed 25% of the total limited entry or 8). Sits and Downs will be held after individual exercises.

**Pre-entry:** \$15 for regular and \$12 for non-regular **Day of show entries:** \$18 for regular and \$15 for non-regular.

*This is an ASCA sanctioned show, no food or corrections allowed.*

### Conformation

**Entries:** Pre-entry or day of the show from 7:30 - 8:30am or 11:30am - 12:30 pm

**Judging begins** at 9 am and 1pm

**Classes:** Jr. Showmanship, 2-4, 4-6, 6-9, 9-12, 12-18, Novice, American Bred, Bred by Exhibitor, Open Blue Merle, Open Red Merle, Open Black, Open Red, Winners & Best Of Breed and all Altered Classes

**Entries: Regular Conformation** \$15.00, **Non-Regular Classes** \$12.00, **Jr. Showmanship** \$3.00

Conformation Classes are open to Australian Shepherds only.

All Australian Shepherds over 6 months of age must have proof of ASCA registration.

### Entry Information

#### **Mail Obedience and Conformation entries to:**

ASCNE SHOW  
c/o Canine Mastery  
102A Pond St  
Seekonk, MA 02771  
FMI: Kathy Buckley

508-399-5867 - [caninemastery@comcast.net](mailto:caninemastery@comcast.net)

- Complete each dog on a **separate entry form for each class and each day**. Do not forget to sign the back of the entry form
- Mail the completed signed form and a check made payable to ASCNE to:
- All Dogs must have proof of registration and rabies certificate available.
- For information regarding what Obedience classes you may enter, refer to the Obedience rules on the ASCA site: <http://www.asca.org>
- The Novice A Class is for handlers that have not placed a C.D. title on a dog from any registry and the dog does not have a C.D. title from any registry. For the Open A and Utility A classes, your dog must not have earned an Open or Utility title in any registry.
- All dogs competing for ASCA Obedience titles are required to start at Novice and work through Utility regardless of Obedience titles awarded by other Registries. ASCA

Obedience judges may not enter or handle in the A classes.

All dogs must have an individual ASCA registration or LEP number or an ASCA tracking number to compete in ASCA sanctioned Obedience Trials.

### **Fees**

**All Regular Conformation and Obedience Classes \$15.00, All Non-Regular Classes \$12.00, Jr. Showmanship \$3.00**

### **Registration & Tracking**

All Australian Shepherds over the age of 6 months must be registered.

Effective January 1, 2004: All dogs six (6) months and older must have an individual ASCA registration or LEP number or and ASCA tracking number to compete in ASCA sanctioned Obedience Trials. A dog will be allowed to be shown at the trial where the handler applies for an ASCA tracking number. The handler will be issued a receipt by the Registration table valid for sixty (60) days to allow the Business Office time to issue the tracking number. Photo copies or originals of registration or tracking number papers must be presented to the Registration Table upon request when entering ASCA sanctioned Obedience Trials. Please visit [www.asca.org](http://www.asca.org) for information and <http://www.asca.org/Portals/812b34ca-1ab9-41bb-9dc9-d7b90411dbdc/trackapp.pdf> for forms.

### **Lodging**

Accommodations That Accept Well Behaved Dogs, please confirm when calling

**Motel 6**, 821 Fall River Ave, Seekonk, MA (508) 336-7800 – 10 minutes from show site

**Ramada Inn**, 940 Fall River Ave, Seekonk, MA (508) 336-7300 – 10 minutes from site

**Red Roof Inn**, Mansfield, MA, (508) 339-2323 25 minutes from show site

**Holiday Inn**, Mansfield, MA (508) 339-2200 25 minutes from show site

**Arns Motor Lodge**, N. Attleboro, MA, (508) 695-5102 15 minutes from show site

**Normandy Campground**, Foxboro, MA, (508) 543-7600 20 minutes from show site

#### **SOME MOTEL COURTESIES TO OBSERVE:**

- Cover the motel's bedding with a sheet, whether or not you think your dog will get on the bed.
- If you crate your dog, please bring a towel to put under the crate to keep marks off the rug. Bring a towel to put under your dog's food dish.
- Make every effort to have your dog free of fleas BEFORE arriving.
- All poop must be picked up, bagged, and disposed of properly by the dog's handler. The Event Committee will excuse competitors who fail to pick up after their dogs at the test site or the motel.
- Don't leave your dog unattended. If you must leave, take them with you.

### **Directions**

**From Rt.95 South of Attleboro:** Take Exit 2A (Newport Ave.) to the 2nd light. Take that left onto Benefit St. At the next light bear left onto Central Ave. to the end. Take a left onto Rt. 152 (Newman Ave.) Go ½ mile and take a left onto Pond St. Watch for the Orion Industrial Park on your left (2/10 mile). Turn into the park, we are the second building on the left.

**From Rt.95 North of Attleboro:** Take Exit 3A Rt. 123. At the 2nd set of lights take a right onto County St. Follow along and after the Stone E Lea golf course take a left onto Read St. (There are signs for the animal shelter). Take the 2nd right onto Pond St. Turn right into the Orion Industrial Park in approximately 3/10 mile. We are the 2nd building on the left.

**From Rte. 195 East or West:** Take Massachusetts Exit 1. Follow 114 A (north). In approximately one mile you will reach a fork in the road, bear to the right (Grist Mill Restaurant will be on your left). This is Arcade Street. You will come to the intersection of Rte 44. Go straight across and continue on Arcade to the end. This is the Jct. of Rte 152. Take a right onto 152 North – Newman Ave. Follow along for about 5 miles. You will come to the intersection of Central Ave. (Which is after the Rojacks) Go ½ mile and take a left onto Pond Street. Watch for Orion Industrial Park on the left (2/10-mile). Turn into the park, we are the second building on the left.

*Fast food, Honey Dew Donuts and Olive Garden are available close to site on 1A.*

*There is no food vendor available on the premises*

- The building opens Friday at 3:00 pm
- **NO CHALKING IN THE BUILDING!!**



# ALL-BREED ASCA Sanctioned\* AGILITY TRIAL



**Hosted by**  
**Australian Shepherd Club of New England**  
**May 28 & 29, 2011**  
**Hopkinton State Fairgrounds, Contoocook, NH**  
(\* sanctioning pending)

## **JUDGE:**

Ben Philibert (MA)  
Susan Zimmerman (OH)

## **CLASSES OFFERED:**

Regular, Jumpers, Gamblers (2 Runs / Day)  
Novice, Open and Elite Levels  
Standard, Veterans and Jr. Handler Divisions  
Pre-Novice Regular (2 Runs / Day)  
Exhibition Class for Retired Canine Competitors (Saturday only)

**LIMITED - 700 Runs per Day**

**NO POSTMARKS EARLIER THAN April 6, 2011**

**ENTRIES CLOSE May 18, 2011 @ 9 PM**

## **Pre-entry only**

(Premium will be available on-line at [www.ascne.org](http://www.ascne.org) – mailed by request only)

## **For a premium contact**

Jean Janotta  
24 Country View Dr., Raymond, NH 03077-2479  
(603) 895-5436 [jjanotta@myfairpoint.net](mailto:jjanotta@myfairpoint.net)

## **Fees:**

All Regulation Classes: \$11.00

[Junior Handler entry fees: \$5.50/class – to be eligible the Junior must own/co-own the dog being shown.]

Pre-Novice Classes: \$10.00; Exhibition Class: \$3.00

## **DIRECTIONS TO TEST SITE:**

**From Massachusetts & Points South** - Take Route 93 North to Concord, NH. Take Route 89 North to Exit 7. Turn right onto Rt 103/127 (Park Ave). Go 2.25 miles to the Hopkinton State Fairgrounds. The Blue Parking Gate will be on the right.

**From NY, VT, and points West** - Take Route 89 South to Exit 7. Turn left onto Rt 103/127 (Park Ave). Go 2.25 miles to the Hopkinton State Fairgrounds. The Blue Parking Gate will be on the right.

**From Keene, NH area** - Take Route 9 East to Route 89. Take Route 89 North to Exit 7. Turn right onto Rt 103/127 (Park Ave). Go 2.25 miles to the Hopkinton State Fairgrounds. The Blue Parking Gate will be on the right.

**FOOD / VENDORS:** Details regarding a food vendor will be included in your confirmation letter.

**ACCOMMODATIONS:** Accommodations will be listed in the premium

**Come one come all !!!**  
**Calling all ASCNE members !!!**

To join the Australian Shepherd Club of New England at the  
**Annual March Get Acquainted -Volunteer Appreciation**

**ROM Awards - Meeting**

A day of food, fellowship and fun

**Sunday March 6, 2011**

Log Cabin Banquet and Meeting House  
500 Easthampton Rd, Holyoke, MA 01040

11:30 AM -?

Luncheon Buffet will be served.

Dogs not welcome in restaurant.

**In Appreciation - ASCNE Members who have volunteered for any event or Club service are the guests of the club.**

**\$10.00 per person for non-volunteer ASCNE members**

**\$20.00 per person for non-members**

**\$10.00 for children (non-volunteer, under 12 yrs of age)**

**As a special event we are hoping to post:**

**1. Pictures of club members** from the past. Please put on the back of the picture the name of the club member. It will be fun to look at these pictures and see if we can identify the club members.

**2. Pictures of our Aussies.** Please identify the dog (s). I will post them at the restaurant.

Please either send *COPIES* of the pictures or let me know that you will be bringing them so I will know how much space to plan for.

I cannot guarantee that the photos will be returned. Thanks!

**Directions**

From the Mass Pike, take Exit 4 to I-91north.

From I-91, take Exit 17 to Route141 west (towards Easthampton, MA). Proceed two miles.

**Note: Because the club must pay in advance for all attendees, this is a reservation only (RSVP) meeting. To reserve your place, please send in the following reservation (or e-mail) by Feb 23, 2011. Please CANCEL if you cannot attend. Please reserve your seat early!!!!**

To: Lecia Whitlock  
17 Sterling Road  
Waltham, MA 02451

For more information email [aussix2000@yahoo.com](mailto:aussix2000@yahoo.com) or call (781) 647-1649

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Numbers attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Volunteers: (please include which event) \_\_\_\_\_

Non-Volunteer Members: \_\_\_\_\_ Non members: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount included: \_\_\_\_\_

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The Australian Shepherd Club of New England  
invites you to attend our  
**Fifteenth Annual Rescue Show**  
3 Days of Conformation & All Breed Obedience & Rally  
(Sanction pending)



Friday March 18, Saturday March 19, & Sunday March 20, 2011  
Silver City Canine Training Center 480 John Hancock Rd. Taunton MA (508)-822-4364

**UU Judging Schedule**

<b><u>Friday</u></b>	<b>Conformation</b>	Terri Altergott MA
<b><u>Saturday</u></b>	<b>Rally</b>	Donna Cassita, Winthrop ME
	<b>Conformation</b>	Kathi Ross Nash NJ
<b><u>Sunday</u></b>	<b>Obedience</b>	William Craig, Cheshire MA
	<b>Conformation</b>	Dr. Robert Indeglia RI

**Obedience  
& Rally**

**Entries**

- Limited to 30 regular class entries, Pre-entry by 3/12/2011 or day of the show from 7:30 – 8:00 or when numerical limits are reached.
- This is an ASCA sanctioned show, no food or corrections allowed
- For information regarding what Obedience and Rally classes you may enter, refer to the Obedience rules on the ASCA site:  
<http://www.asca.org>
- The Novice A Class is for handlers that have not placed a CD title on a dog from any registry and the dog does not have a CD title from any registry. For the Open A and Utility A classes, your dog must not have earned an Open or Utility title in any registry.
- All dogs competing for ASCA Obedience titles are required to start at Novice and work through Utility regardless of Obedience titles awarded by other Registries.

**Rally**

**Judging:** Begins at 8:30 a.m.

**Saturday**

**Classes:** Novice A,B,C, Advanced A,B,C, Excellent A,B,C, Masters A,B,C

**Obedience**

**Judging:** Begins at 1:00 p.m. starting with Utility

**Sunday**

**Classes:** Utility A, B, V, Open A, B, V, Novice A & B, Wild Card & Sub  
Novice Sits and Downs will be held after individual exercises

**Mail Obedience and Rally entries to:**

Kathy Buckley  
Canine Mastery  
102 A Pond St  
Seekonk MA 0277

**Conformation**

**Entries**

- Pre-entry or day of the show on Friday from 4:30 until 5:30, Saturday from 11:00 a.m. until 12:30 p.m., Sunday from 7:30 until 8:00 a.m.
- Conformation Classes are open to Australian Shepherds only.
- All Australian Shepherds over 6 months of age must have proof of ASCA registration.

**Judging**

Begins at 6:00 pm on Friday, 1:00 p.m. on Saturday and 9:00 a.m. on Sunday

**Classes**

Jr. Showmanship, 2-4, 4-6, 6-9, 9-12, 12-18, Novice, American Bred, Bred by Exhibitor, Open Blue Merle, Open Red Merle, Open Black, Open Red, Winners & Best Of Breed and all Altered Classes

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**Mail Conformation entries to:**

Kathie Chouinard  
37 Spring St.  
Plympton, MA 02367

**Entry  
Information**

- **Complete each dog on a separate entry form for each class and each day.** Do not forget to sign the back of the entry form
- Mail the completed signed form and a check made payable to ASCNE to:

- All Dogs must have proof of registration and rabies certificate available.
- All dogs must have an individual ASCA registration or LEP number or an ASCA tracking number to compete in ASCA sanctioned Obedience Trials.

### **Fees**

#### **Conformation**

- Regular Classes \$15.00
- Non-Regular Classes \$12.00
- Jr. Showmanship \$3.00

#### **Obedience & Rally**

- Pre Entry** - Regular Classes \$15.00, Non-Regular Classes \$12.00
- Day of Show** - Regular Classes \$18.00, Non-Regular Classes \$15.00

### **Rescue Information**

- Don't forget our Chinese Auction on Sunday!!
- Please bring a donation for the table.
- The Parade of Rescue will be held on SUNDAY after conformation.
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### **Registration & Tracking**

All Australian Shepherds over the age of 6 months must be registered. Effective January 1, 2004: All dogs six (6) months and older must have an individual ASCA registration or LEP number or and ASCA tracking number to compete in ASCA sanctioned Obedience Trials. A dog will be allowed to be shown at the trial where the handler applies for an ASCA tracking number. The handler will be issued a receipt by the Registration table valid for sixty (60) days to allow the Business Office time to issue the tracking number. Photo copies or originals of registration or tracking number papers must be presented to the Registration Table upon request when entering ASCA sanctioned Obedience Trials. Please visit [www.asca.org](http://www.asca.org) for information and <http://www.asca.org/Portals/812b34ca-1ab9-41bb-9dc9-d7b90411dbdc/trackapp.pdf> for forms.

### **Lodging**

Accommodations That Accept Well Behaved Dogs, please confirm when calling

#### **SOME MOTEL COURTESIES TO OBSERVE:**

- Cover the motel's bedding with a sheet, whether or not you think your dog will get on the bed.
- If you crate your dog, please bring a towel to put under the crate to keep marks off the rug. Bring a towel to put under your dog's food dish.
- Make every effort to have your dog free of fleas BEFORE arriving.
- All poop must be picked up, bagged, and disposed of properly by the dog's handler. The Event Committee will excuse competitors who fail to pick up after their dogs at the test site or the motel.
- Don't leave your dog unattended. If you must leave, take them with you.

**Days Inn**, Raynham MA will take dogs. This is at exit 6 off of Rte 495, about 8 miles from show site. 508-824-8647 Tell them you are with the ASCNE dog show.

**Red Roof Inn**, 60 Forbes Blvd., Mansfield, MA. Pet friendly. Right off Rte. 95 & 495, 11 miles from show site. 508-359-2323. Tell them you are with the ASCNE dog show.

### **Directions**

**From the North:** Exit 9 (Bay St.) Take a Right off Exit and an immediate Right into the Myles Standish Industrial Park. Follow Myles Standish Blvd. (approximately 2 miles) to the last left in the Park, John Hancock Rd. Silvercity Canine Training Center is located 1 mile on the left.

**From 495 South:** Exit 9 (Bay St) Take a Left off the Exit and a Right into the Park. Follow Myles Standish Blvd. (approximately 2 miles) to the last left in the Park, John Hancock Rd. Silvercity Canine Training Center is located 1 mile on the left.

### **Information**

- There is no food vendor available on the premises. There is Dunkin Donuts, Wendy's, Ruby Tuesday, the Chateau Norton all nearby.
- To volunteer or for more information, call Susan Winters at [foxfireas@aol.com](mailto:foxfireas@aol.com) for Conformation or Dianne Barrett [dianne.barrett@att.net](mailto:dianne.barrett@att.net)
- **NO CHALKING IN THE BUILDING!**

# Working Stockdogs on Cattle and Goats

**Sponsored by ASCNE**

**Instructor:** Cindi Hayden

**Location: Riverfare Farms**

301 Tyler Rd. Webster, NH

**Dates:** March 26 and 27, 2011

Saturday: group clinic for 10 people working Boer goats.

Sunday: Two 4 hour sessions working cattle with 5 people in each session.

Please note your preference for the a.m. or p.m. sessions on Sunday.

All participating dogs should have prior livestock experience.

Those new to cattle may remain on leash.

Fees: participants \$125 one day/\$195 for both

Auditors \$35 a day

(lunch and drinks will be included each day for everyone)

**Time: 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday and**

**Sunday sessions will be 8:30-12:30 and 1-5pm**

Participation on Saturday is preferred prior to working the cows on Sunday. Cindi intends to review basic livestock handling skills as well as critical exercises to accomplish tasks. Commands such as "hold", "out", "down", "there", "this", "walk up" will be worked on using a series of pens, chutes and other obstacles to help teams to be successful.

Please make checks payable to ASCNE

mail to:

Matt Mason 557

West Salisbury Rd. Salisbury, NH 03268

Entries can be post marked on or after 2/8/11 on an ASCA Stockdog entry forms

# **Beginner Introduction to Herding Fun Day**

**Sunday April 17, 8:30 AM**

given by Tenley Dexter

Open to all breeds.

Held at the Benson's Starshine Farm

33 Oliver Road, Lebanon, CT

Rain or shine (indoor work arena available)



The Fun Day will consists of a morning lecture explaining the basics of herding and the fundamental concepts of training, followed by a demonstration of the basic training steps and ending with an individual exposure to stock by the clinician of each dog entered.

## **COSTS:**

**\$40.00 per dog** which includes the full day's schedule and lunch

**\$15.00 per person** for those just wishing to attend the lecture and observe the demo but not entering a dog to be worked, also includes lunch. Bring a chair and shade for your dog.

**\$15.00 for additional dog ONLY** if time and the schedule permits on the day of the clinic.

**PRE ENTRY IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED DUE TO SPACE LIMITS**

**Entries:** made out on a ASCA Stock Trial entry (gotten at [www.asca.org](http://www.asca.org)) and check made out to ASCNE can be sent to:

**Tenley Dexter**

**PO Box 58**

**Gaylordsville, CT 06755**

**Ten11ey@yahoo.com**

**270-378-5910 Jan 1st - April 1st**

**860-354-9069 after April 1st**

**Directions from Rt. 2, take exit 13 (Rt.66) through Columbia Center (approx 10 miles). Take a right on to Rt. 87South and Go 4.6 miles (0.3 miles after "LogCabin" Restaurant and turn right onto Oliver Road. Second driveway on left #33 across from horse barn.**



## **Stockdog Trialing Strategies Clinic**

**Sponsored by ASCNE**

**April 30 and May 1, 2011**

Clinician: Jim Hartnagle from Colorado

The clinic weekend will revolve around handling the various obstacles and dilemmas encountered during stockdog trials. A variety of ASCA obstacles will be utilized during the morning sessions and a course will be set up for the afternoon sessions.

Participants will determine which courses are used. Runs will be scored and timed to assimilate an actual trial, but Jim will coach and help work thru problem areas.

Trialers of all levels are welcomed to participate to help calm the “Trial Nerves” and to develop good habits for a successful trialing season.

Clinic Location:

Riverfare Farms

301 Tyler Rd.

Webster, NH

Weather permitting, the outdoor arena will be used both days.

Livestock: Sheep, Goats, Cattle and Ducks will be available

Participants: limited to 12 participants per day

Fees: Participation fee is \$125 for one day or \$200 for both days

Auditor fee is \$35 per day

**LUNCHES AND DRINKS ARE INCLUDED IN ALL FEES**

Entries can be post marked after March 1, 2011

Checks can be made payable to ASCNE and mailed to:

Matt Mason

557 West Salisbury Rd

Salisbury, NH 03268



## Australian Shepherd Club of New England

### MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL FORM

Renewals are due by January 1.

ASCNE offers the following membership types:

Single Membership - \$15.00

Family Membership - \$22.50

Persons under 18 and not living with an ASCNE member - \$7.50.

Newsletter only (non-voting, non participating do not require ASCNE sponsors nor can they sponsor new members) - \$12.00

Fill out the following information and send with payment made out to ASCNE to:

Dottie Duclos  
P.O. Box 1288  
Fall River, MA 02722  
774-644-0693  
[woodchip@megamet.net](mailto:woodchip@megamet.net)

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ **ASCA Membership #** \_\_\_\_\_

Kennel Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Web Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

**Membership Type** \* Single \_\_\_\_\_ Family \_\_\_\_\_ Junior \_\_\_\_\_ \_Newsletter Only \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE: Dues must be paid to be eligible for the following:**

ROM program

Voting privileges

Access to ASCNE-L

## Breeder Referral List 2011

Absoloot Australian Shepherds  
Keli Gaunt  
New Hartford, CT 06057  
860-379-1973 [absolootaussies@aol.com](mailto:absolootaussies@aol.com) [www.absolootaussies.com](http://www.absolootaussies.com)  
Stud Service, Puppies, Handling, Grooming

Buff Cap Australian Shepherds  
Nancy Gagnon  
Stafford Springs, CT 06076  
860-684-6934 [Buff\\_cap@msn.com](mailto:Buff_cap@msn.com)  
[www.buffcap.com](http://www.buffcap.com)  
Stud Service, Puppies, Adults, Rescue Referral

Briarcliff Australian Shepherds  
Donna Johnson  
45 Briar Hill Road  
Norwich, CT 06360  
860-889-8654 [DLJ1950@sbcglobal.net](mailto:DLJ1950@sbcglobal.net) [www.briarcliffkennel.com](http://www.briarcliffkennel.com)

Checkerberry Australian Shepherds  
Jennifer Darlington  
2 Lane Ln.  
Ashburnham, MA  
978-827-6904 [Jen@checkerberryaussies.com](mailto:Jen@checkerberryaussies.com)  
[www.geocities.com/checkerberryaussies](http://www.geocities.com/checkerberryaussies)

Cowboy Australian Shepherds  
Dennis Witham  
Winslow, ME 04901  
207-877-6680 [dmwitham@roadrunner.com](mailto:dmwitham@roadrunner.com)  
[www.cowboyaussies.net](http://www.cowboyaussies.net)

Halifax Australian Shepherds  
Fran Swanson  
Brattleboro, VT (20 min from Greenfield, MA)  
802-368-2429 [franziny@sover.net](mailto:franziny@sover.net)  
[www.halifauxaussies.com/](http://www.halifauxaussies.com/)

Harmony Hill Australian Shepherds  
Heather Braddock  
174 Harmony Hill Road  
Harwinton, CT 06791  
860-485-0433 [heather@harmonyhillaussies.com](mailto:heather@harmonyhillaussies.com)  
[www.harmonyhillaussies.com](http://www.harmonyhillaussies.com)  
Stud Service, Puppies, Adults

Copper Hill Australian Shepherds  
Kathy Hubbard  
3 Evergreen Terrace  
Southwick, MA 01077  
860-559-4305 [copper.hill@comcast.net](mailto:copper.hill@comcast.net)  
[www.copperhillaussies.com](http://www.copperhillaussies.com)  
Stud Service, Puppies, Adults

Hemlocks Australian Shepherds  
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Katahdin Australian Shepherds  
Jessica Westleigh  
P.O. Box 1477  
Fajardo, PR  
207-776-1706 [JW8KAS@yahoo.com](mailto:JW8KAS@yahoo.com)  
[www.katahdinaussies.com](http://www.katahdinaussies.com)

Kinnebrook Australian Shepherds  
Antonia Lake  
Worthington, MA 01098  
413-238-5398 [aplpond@aol.com](mailto:aplpond@aol.com)  
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Paradox Australian Shepherds  
Alison Smith  
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413-527-3652 [Paradox1021@comcast.net](mailto:Paradox1021@comcast.net)  
[www.parodoxaustralianshepherds.com](http://www.parodoxaustralianshepherds.com)  
Puppies, Adults

Propwash Farm Australian Shepherds  
Leslie Frank  
Kensington, NH 03833  
603-772-4635 [Propwashfarm@verizon.net](mailto:Propwashfarm@verizon.net)

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Linda m. MGray  
Tiverton RI 02878  
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StoneCircle Australian Shepherds  
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2965 Washington Road  
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Stormridge Australian Shepherds  
195 West Street  
Goshen, CT 06756  
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106 Althea Street  
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Sandra and Jim Landry  
12 Charlesdale Road  
Medfield, MA 02052  
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