



The Lost Coast **H O W L E R**

Editor: Barbara Stelz

OCTOBER 2006

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NEXT MEETING:

TUESDAY,

OCTOBER 17

at

**Mrs. Mendes' Home
405 Craig Street
Ferndale**

**Board Mtg. - 6:30 p.m.
General Mtg. - 7:00 p.m.**

Directions:

From Main St. in Ferndale, turn
Left onto Brown St., which dead
ends onto Craig. Park here.

Join us!!!

All Welcome.

President's Corner...

Greetings LCKC Members!

The LCKC wound up AKC Responsible Dog Ownership month by providing an information table with members and their dogs at Woofstock on September 24th. Rose said a good time was had by those members and their dogs who staffed the booth. A big thanks to Rose, Jill, Chris, Jim, Danielle, and Elyse for volunteering their time at both the Farm Store Pet Fair and Woofstock! Educating the public about pure bred dogs and promoting responsible dog ownership is a big part of what the LCKC is all about. Way to go club members who are volunteering and helping out with this important work!

I will be doing a special order of club logo merchandise/garments starting in October. Club members will be able to provide or order jackets, shirts, vests, etc., and we will put in an embroidery/silk screen order at Sport and Cycle. See the article in the body of the newsletter for more information about ordering club garments.

Welcome to new club member Kory Eggert. New members, feel free to jump in and volunteer for any and all activities. We look forward to seeing you at the monthly meetings.

Remember to regularly check the club's website at www.lostcoastkennelclub.org for new items. Webmaster Jim keeps adding links. Jim says the website has been getting lots of "hits" especially around show times. I get a couple inquiries a month that come directly from the website also.

We will be having a special guest at the November meeting. Beverly Morgan Lewis has arranged to have an Arcata Fireman come talk to us about pet CPR. So save the date of November 21st for this interesting subject!!

We will be voting about several important issues regarding the 2007 Conformation/Obedience Show at the October meeting. You should have all received the email bulletin I sent out regarding this issue. Please attend the meeting so you can vote on this. (Remember you must be a voting member as outlined in the bylaws to vote - bylaws are available on the club website).

There has been no word from several of the current officers and board members regarding if they are willing to continue serving in their current positions next year. So far I have heard that Debbie Hopkins will not be able to serve on the Board next year. Treasurer Patty Mendes has indicated she would be willing to give up her Treasurer position if anyone else is interested; same goes for Secretary Alice Symons. Please club members, step forward to help run the club! All nominations must be made by the end of the October meeting, with voting to occur at the November meeting.

Hope to see everyone at the October meeting

Michelle

LCKC Logo Apparel Order... Wear your club logo with pride!!!

I am organizing a special LCKC logo apparel order. Club members can provide their own garments **OR** order jackets, shirts, vests, etc., from Sport and Cycle in Eureka. You can have the club logo either embroidered or silk screened onto the garments. The embroidery is approximately 4"x4" (Note: It is too large for a baseball cap), so it works best in the breast pocket area of a garment. Silk screening is also available (like on the club volunteer shirts). To do a silkscreen order, though, we will need a minimum of 10 items. No minimum order for the embroidery. The cost of the embroidered logo will be \$13.50, and the silk screen logo will be \$3.70 each. If you bring in your own garment, your only charge will be the cost of the logo. You can buy or order garments from Sport and Cycle.

I will have a catalog from Sport and Cycle at the October meeting, or you can go into Sport and Cycle and look at their catalogs there. Last time we did this special order, we got a discount on garments ordered through their catalog. It is **VERY IMPORTANT** that you place your order through me and not directly with Sport and Cycle to get these discounted garment and logo prices. You can get the catalog number, color, and size information from Sport and Cycle, but I need to place our order all at one time.

For more information, or if you have questions, please call or email me: Michelle Dostal at 442-0726 or mjdostal@humboldt1.com

EARLY REMINDER!

LCKC membership dues renewal time is coming up quickly. As per our club bylaws,

**"Regular and Associate membership dues shall be \$15.00 per year,
Family Membership shall be \$25.00 per year and
Junior membership shall be \$5.00 per year.**

Annual dues shall be payable on or before January 1st of each year.

No member may vote whose dues are not paid up for the current year.

A membership will be considered lapsed and automatically terminated if such member's dues remain unpaid 60 days after the first of the fiscal year.

In no case may a person be entitled to vote at any Club meeting whose dues are unpaid as of the date of that meeting."

You can pay your dues in person at a meeting, or you may send them to the club mailbox:

Lost Coast Kennel Club
P.O. Box 6808
Eureka CA 95501

Renew early and have one less thing to remember during the busy holiday season!

Ever consider what our dogs must think of us? I mean, here we come back from a grocery store with the most amazing haul -- chicken, pork, half a cow. They must think we're the greatest hunters on earth! *Anne Tyler*

A PICTURE IS WORTH A THOUSAND WORDS.....



The beautiful face above is Shalisa and Geoff Neely's homebred **CH MAJESTIC WILLY McKEE**. As was reported back in the spring, Willy had distinguished himself by being selected BOB at the Mother Lode regional bulldog specialty. However, the Neelys and Willy have another spectacular accomplishment to report:

Willy was awarded **BEST IN SHOW** on September 8 at the Eugene Kennel Club show. He also was awarded Group 1 on both September 9 and 10 at the McKenzie Cascade Dog Fanciers shows. All three shows were part of the Emerald Classic Cluster held in Eugene, Oregon. Willy was owner handled by Shalisa, which makes all the wins even sweeter.

CONGRATULATIONS TO GEOFF AND SHALISA AND WILLY ON THEIR SPECTACULAR WIN!

HAVE YOU HEARD...



Chris Irvin's Belgian Tervuren, Wizard (Monami Mythical Journey), not only completed his Novice Agility title but also earned two Open legs. Heartiest congratulations to Chris and Wizard.!

DUNBAR BOOK AVAILABLE ONLINE FOR FREE!

Well known trainer, Dr. Ian Dunbar, is permitting one of his books, ***BEFORE You Get Your Puppy***, to be downloaded for free. Some of the club members who do occasional breeding might particularly be interested and may want to provide it to new puppy owners:

http://jamesandkenneth.com/new_puppy.html#

(Thanks to Irene Hetrick for making us aware of this opportunity.....Ed.)

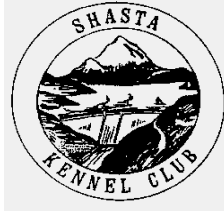
CALIFORNIA LEGISLATIVE NEWS - Condensed from the AKC website...

- The San Jose Animal Advisory Committee has held two public meetings on a proposal to require all dogs and cats to be spayed or neutered and to restrict where animals can be sold. A draft proposal has not yet been made available to the public, although the San Jose Animal Care and Services division states that the mandatory spay/neuter provisions will not apply to qualified competition animals. The proposal is expected to be presented to the San Jose City Council on November 16th.
- The Sacramento County Board of Supervisors will be forming a task force to consider alternatives to a \$150 intact animal fee. The supervisors intend to bring a new proposal back in January. AKC thanks the fanciers and concerned dog owners who worked hard to convince the supervisors that these types of breeding restrictions are unfair to responsible owners and breeders.
- Riverside County continues to consider a mandatory spay/neuter ordinance. The proposed mandatory spay/neuter ordinance will require that any dog or cat over the age of four months be spayed or neutered unless the owner can qualify for one of the limited exemptions. Exemptions are provided for law enforcements dogs, qualified service assistance dogs, dogs which are medically unsuitable for sterilization and "competition dogs."
- **AB 450** was signed by Governor Schwarzenegger. The law requires the Office of Emergency Services to adopt and incorporate the California Animal Response Emergency System (CARES) program into the standardized emergency management system. The proposal intends to require state emergency planning to include provisions for companion animals during natural disasters and other emergencies.
- Governor Schwarzenegger signed Sen. Lowenthal's **SB 1578** into law. The new law prohibits tethering, chaining or tying a dog to a tree, house or stationary object for more than three hours.
- Asm. Ridley-Thomas's **AB 2862** has passed both houses and is pending before Governor Schwarzenegger. The measure was amended in the Senate to require the Department of Consumer Affairs to adopt regulations to regulate the care and handling of companion animals sold to the general public at retail outlets. Those regulations shall be adopted, after consultation with affected parties, by January 1, 2008.
- **SB 1806**, authored by Sen. Figueroa has been signed by Governor Schwarzenegger. The new law provides that leaving or confining an animal in any unattended motor vehicle under conditions that endanger the health or well-being of an animal due to heat, cold, lack of adequate ventilation, or lack of food or water, or other circumstances is a crime punishable by a fine, imprisonment in a county jail, or both fine and imprisonment

While visiting my son and his family, I picked up a copy of The Sacramento Bee and checked the "Pets for Sale" section. Following are excerpts from a few of the 375+ ads that appeared on Sunday, September 24th. Some are humorous; some will make you say "Huh?;" some will raise the blood pressure of responsible purebred dog fanciers and breeders. Most are fodder for the mandatory spay/neuter advocates. I found myself particularly disturbed by ads for multiple breeds, multiple litters, multiple ages. I noticed extensive ads for puppies "registered" with the Continental Kennel Club ("CKC"). One item I found interesting, however, was the statement that it is California law (see last item) that no puppy is to be sold before 8 weeks of age unless with a veterinarian's written authorization. This was news to me and a law I heartily endorse. I suspect, however, that it is rarely, if ever, enforced, especially since there were several ads for 6-week old puppies and even one for 3-week old puppies. I also heartily approve of the newspaper's statement regarding wolf hybrids. *Ed*

<p>NOTICE Wolf-hybrids have been known to be potentially dangerous. Investigate prior to purchase.</p>	<p>DACHSHUND Mini AKC, males & females, all ages, good breeders. \$300-\$600.</p>	<p>POMERANIAN Teddy Bear Teacups...2 males \$600; 1 fem \$700. Regis 3 clubs: AKC, CKC, North American Purebred Dog Registry. Will discuss delivery.</p>	<p>YORKIE/CHIHUAHUA ChiYorkies, Designer Pups. Males, Tales & Dews Done. \$500 ea</p>
<p>BASSET HOUND PUPS X-Lrg Ears</p>	<p>GERMAN Shepherd CKC Pups, Lrg breed champ lines. You Get What You Pay For \$1000</p>	<p>POODLE, STANDARD... Genetic testing accomplished. \$1200.</p>	<p>YORKIE PUPS Many puppies from which to choose. \$700-\$900</p>
<p>BOSTON TERR/PUG CROSS Pups - \$500 firm, Cash Only</p>	<p>GERMAN SHEPHERD pups. Reg with papers, purebred, champ lines, beautiful show quality pups. \$500</p>	<p>PUGGLE -Pocket Puppies \$750 - \$900</p>	<p>YORKIE PUPS, quality pets, no papers, 2 litters, \$650-\$850</p>
<p>BOSTON TERRIER PUPS, Alabama pure breed. CKC \$500</p>	<p>HELP! GOLDEN RET, AKC, pups. Beautiful! Usually \$650 but will sell males \$295, fems \$395 - Need good homes before we go on vacation!</p>	<p>PUGGLE PUPPY \$700 obo.</p>	<p>YORKIE PUPS...\$695 up. Adult Chihuahua \$200</p>
<p>BOXER puppie ckc \$550</p>	<p>HYBRID PUG AND FRENCH BULLDOG PUPPY...rare orange/black brindles, beautiful \$800 obo</p>	<p>PUGGLES Designer Cuties. Can deliver. \$500 up.</p>	<p>YORKIE/Shih-Tzu puppies \$800</p>
<p>BRUSSELS Griffons, 3yr old fem \$200, 2 male pups \$350, apprx 6 mos fem \$600 - cash</p>	<p>JACK RUSSELL pups. Tiny Dad on property.</p>	<p>PET QUALITY! SCHNAUZER Mini AKC pups... \$500. Will del.</p>	<p>YORKIE/Silky Puppies, both parents AKC \$750</p>
<p>BULL/MASTIFF oops Pups. Leonberger X Am. Bulldog \$400.</p>	<p>Labrador Retriever, AKC blockheads...\$550</p>	<p>SCHNAUZER Mini Mix, 3 wks old 2-F \$350, 2-M \$300. Also 3yr old purebred Male \$350</p>	<p>YORKIE PUPPIES \$600-\$800. Also YORKIE MALTESE puppies. Free delivery possible.</p>
<p>BULLDOG Looking for a Harem. Interested? Stud fee: \$2000</p>	<p>EXCEPTIONAL MALTE-POO PUP, 8 wks, Reg'd, Champ lines. \$1150</p>	<p>SCHNOOLES, born July 31, black w/wht goatees \$400</p>	<p>YORKIES AKC, 2 males 4 & 5 mos old, \$750 ea; Poms Male & female \$400 ea</p>
<p>CAVALIER AKC Show Quality Puppies, Pet Homes Only. \$1200-\$1500 Cash.</p>	<p>MALTEPOO Pups. Can deliver. \$550-\$650</p>	<p>SHIH POO Puppies & others. \$500 up.</p>	<p>YORKSHIRE TERRIER AKC Puppies & Adults, Males & Females, Champ lines</p>
<p>CAVALIER/Engl Toy cross, stronger genetics. \$800-\$1200.</p>	<p>MALTESE, 4 Cute Hybrid Teddy Bear pups \$600+</p>	<p>SHIHTZU/Maltese mix \$700 ea</p>	<p>Yorkie//Dachshund pups.\$400 Cash</p>
<p>CHIHUAHUAS TOY & TEACUPS Also Poms & Pomchis. Registered.</p>	<p>PEKAPOO Tiny Designer Pups...\$550-\$650</p>	<p>TREEING Walker pups, Old cold nose, big game dogs...</p>	<p>CALIFORNIA CODE SB 914 Effective January 1, 2006, makes it a crime to sell and transfer a dog less than 8 weeks old of age to a purchaser unless there is written authorization from a veterinarian. The code calls for a \$250 fine for each dog sold and transferred under the age of 8 weeks.</p>
<p>CHILHASAS. Adorable designer pups. \$550</p>	<p>PEKINGESE CKC, 4 adults \$175, also 1 older female \$5</p>	<p>WEIMADORS! Fabulous family & hunting dogs...no shedding. Only two left, get yours now! \$350</p>	<p>WELSCH CORGIES, PENBROOK, AKC pups, show quality. \$600ea, delivery avail</p>
<p>CHIWEENIE Toy x small Blonde designer. \$425</p>	<p>POMERANIAN PUPPIES...PURE LINES...PARTY COLORS</p>	<p>WESTIE, Fem, 9wks. Dad is a Calendar model & on site. \$850</p>	
<p>CORGI, Cartigan Male</p>			
<p>CORGI mix Border Collie "Borgi" pups \$300</p>			

AKC Sanctioned Match



November 4th 2006

10:00 a.m.

**TEHAMA COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS
RED BLUFF, CALIFORNIA**

Hosted by

SHASTA KENNEL CLUB

CONFORMATION

3-6 mo. 6-9 mo. 9-12 mo., Adult & Jr. Handling
AKC Registerable Breeds & Misc. Class Breeds Only

ALL BREED OBEDIENCE

Pre-Novice, Novice, Open, & Utility
Rally Obedience

CANINE GOOD CITIZEN TESTS (CGC) - \$10.00

NDR Tattooing available - \$5.00

ENTRIES

Pre Entry: \$5.00 Day of Show: \$10.00

PRE ENTRIES POSTMARKED BY Oct 28TH 2006

Check payable to Shasta Kennel Club and mail to:
Jane Ferguson, 3565 Elizabeth Way, Redding, CA 96001

janefrgsn@yahoo.com 530-229-7747

Jacque Brown, jacqtatt@tco.net 530-529-4407

DIRECTIONS

I-5 North to Antelope Blvd. Exit stay right follow to Fairgrounds (fairgrounds will be on the left)

I-5 South to Antelope Blvd. Exit stay left follow to Fairgrounds (fairgrounds will be on the left)

99 E to Tehama District Fairgrounds (grounds on right)

**FREE Hot soup lunch and beverages
RAFFLE**

Entry Form – Shasta Kennel Club Match, 11-04-06

BREED: _____ SEX: _____ DOB: _____
DOGS NAME: _____ CLASS: _____
ADDITIONAL CLASS: _____
NAME: _____
ADDRESS: _____
E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____
PHONE: _____ TOTAL ENCLOSED: _____

Entry Form – Shasta Kennel Club Match, 11-04-06

BREED: _____ SEX: _____ DOB: _____
DOGS NAME: _____ CLASS: _____
ADDITIONAL CLASS: _____
NAME: _____
ADDRESS: _____
E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____
PHONE: _____ TOTAL ENCLOSED: _____

Entry Form – Shasta Kennel Club Match, 11-04-06

BREED: _____ SEX: _____ DOB: _____
DOGS NAME: _____ CLASS: _____
ADDITIONAL CLASS: _____
NAME: _____
ADDRESS: _____
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Entry Form – Shasta Kennel Club Match, 11-04-06

BREED: _____ SEX: _____ DOB: _____
DOGS NAME: _____ CLASS: _____
ADDITIONAL CLASS: _____
NAME: _____
ADDRESS: _____
E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____
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LCKC Minutes of Meeting of September 19, 2006

Board Meeting

Attendees: Alice Symons, Beverly Morgan Lewis, Debbie Enns, Michelle Dostal, Patty Mendes, Nick Mendes, Debbie Hopkins, Jim Wasetis, Danielle Reed, Rose Kessler

Minutes of Last Meeting: Accepted as written. **MSAC**

Report of Treasurer: Income/Expenses given: net profit (YAY)

Unfinished Business:

Proposal to Fair Board - In progress. MD still working on.

New Business:

- **2007 Conformation/Obedience Show** - (3-4 days?, w/ Brookings?, different Supe?) Still trying to get bids from BOTH supes. We will have to finalize all this by January meeting at the latest. Discussion about Rally on 3rd day - can we get enough stewards, we would also need a Rally chairperson. We will hold a vote (PLEASE NOTE - In order to be able to vote at the club meetings, members must meet the following requirements: Attend at least 3 meetings or 2 meetings and one club sponsored event (like the pet fair) in a SIX-month period.) at the October meeting. Issues discussed on getting adequate help for our shows trials. Board will come up with recommendations, and the general membership will vote (if they are qualified to vote). AS get together with MD to verify members' voting eligibility. Members can email concerns etc to be read at meeting.
- **Fortuna Chamber of Commerce** sent out card requesting info about their newsletter going to email and advertising in it, etc. Patty will send reply.

Adjournment

Regular Meeting

Attendees: Chris Irvin, Alice Symons, Beverly Morgan Lewis, Jim Wasetis, Debbie Enns, Patty Mendes, Nick Mendes, Rose Kessler, Michelle Dostal, Debbie Hopkins, Danielle Reed

Minutes of Last Meeting: **Motion** to accept as written. **MSAC**

Report of President: Shalisa's BIS win Eugene and the article in the Times-Standard mentioned.

Report of Secretary: **Motion** to advertise in dog show calendar and buy calendars to sell. **MSAC**

Report of Treasurer: We have positive income for the year (over \$5000).

New Member Applications: Kory Eggert. Irene Hetrick to sponsor. Voted in.

Report of Committees:

- **Ring practice** - Not one last month, but working on having one in Sept.
- **2007 Conformation/Obed Show** - Basically we have to decide on superintendent and what we are going to offer to compete in.
- **2006 Agility Trial** - Bottom line financial report: \$4000+ net profit. Sharon Kennedy thanks club for subscription that the club bought her for use of her equipment.
- **2007 Agility Trial** - Specs have changed for some of the agility equipment; tire jump (\$150) already purchased. Need to buy 2 sets of weave poles at \$150 each. Also need tunnel and special sandbags. **Motion** to spend about \$1000 for equipment to bring us closer to compliance with needs for equipment. **MSAC**

Note to Iams and Eukanuba Feeders:

If you feed Iams or Eukanuba, please cut out the proof of purchase from dog food. Must send in 400 pound increments to get discounts for equipment from J and J. Please bring them to club meetings, and we will see if the club can get equipment.

Minutes of Meeting of September 19 *continued...*

Unfinished Business:

- **Webpage Updates** - Webpage updates should be more timely now. Jim will email hit counts around the time of our last show/agility events. Nutro is interested in being an exclusive sponsor for our club and be on our webpage. Need more information. Also checking into other sponsorship opportunities. Members can advertise on the web page.
- **Pet CPR Presentation** by Asst Chief Ed Trigeiro of the Arcata Fire Dept. at Nov. meeting will start at 7:00 pm.
- **Farm Store Pet/Rescue Fair** - Need more info about the club; most of our stuff is from AKC. Reiterate that it is important for us to have a presence at these meetings.
- **Sale T-shirt Order** - Has arrived. The ones who purchased at the event have been mailed their shirts.

New Business:

- **Woofstock** - This Sunday 10:00. Should be a good time.
- **Future LCKC Logo Garment Order** - MD will verify costs for embroidery of logo or silk screened. Remember, people should go into Sport and Cycle and write down pertinent info (style, color size, etc) and let MD know so we can do one big bulk order. Can also bring your own garment in and just pay to have logo put on. Will probably close order in December.
- **Nominations for 2007 Officers and Board Members** - MD, DH will not be able to serve next year. Treasurer position will be open also.
- **Trailer Clean-Up Work Day** - Oct. 1st at Ferndale Fairgrounds at 10 AM. **Motion** to Feed anyone who shows up to work: **MSAC**. Actually turns out a lot of people can't be there on Oct 1. Email will go out to see how many people can actually show up or if alternate day is going to be necessary.
- **Holiday Party** - Plan in works. Need to figure out when and where.
- **Esript** - JW mentions this another possible small source of revenue. Will find out more info an forward info to MD.

Adjournment

Respectfully submitted,
Alice Symons, Secretary

Like the unusual or whimsical for your garden? Try dog topiary! Check out the following website:

<http://www.greenpiecewireart.com/products/gttd.htm>

(Thanks to Elyse Kelly for bringing this to our attention. Ed)

