



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

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**NEXT MEETING:**

**TUESDAY,  
OCTOBER 21<sup>st</sup>**

at

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

Directions:

From Main St., Ferndale,  
turn left on Brown St.,  
Brown dead ends on Craig.  
Park here.

**Join us. All Welcome!**

## President's Corner..

We had our "first annual" pizza party at Big Louie's with over a dozen people attending. It was a great time to socialize and talk about dogs or whatever else came up in the conversation. Thank you to all who were able to attend.

HumDog will be putting on their Dog Expo again in February, 2009. LCKC has agreed to organize the Parade of Breeds and the breed booths. We will be discussing this at the upcoming meeting. We will begin trying to find owners of as many breeds as possible who have dogs who enjoy meeting people in a busy environment. If you don't happen to have dogs who are comfortable in this kind of setting, don't be discouraged. Your help will still be needed.

See you at the meeting on October 21st in Ferndale.

*Jill Otto*



## ***HAVE YOU HEARD...***

**At the Sir Francis Drake Kennel Club show last month,  
Judge Dr. William R. Newman selected  
IRENE HETRICK'S Dobie boy, "Huey,"**

as

## **Best in Show Puppy**



**Handsome Huey is pictured above with his breeder, Michelle Santana.**

**Heartiest congratulations go to Irene, Huey, and Huey's breeder for such a spectacular win under very tough competition!**

*From AKC...*

## American Kennel Club and AKC Canine Health Foundation Release Podcast About Cardiac Disease

**RALEIGH, NC** – The American Kennel Club and the AKC Canine Health Foundation are pleased to debut the next podcast in the Genome Barks series.

This week, Genome Barks welcomes Dr. Wendy Ware, a Professor in the Departments of Veterinary Clinical Sciences and Biomedical Sciences, Iowa State University, and Staff Cardiologist at the ISU Veterinary Teaching Hospital.

A clinical cardiologist and instructor of cardiology and cardiovascular physiology in the College of Veterinary Medicine at Iowa State, Dr. Ware discusses topics such as the most prevalent cardiac diseases in dogs and screening recommendations for breeds with predispositions to cardiac disease. Dr. Ware also addresses the symptoms to watch for if heart disease is suspected.

The Genome Barks podcast series features lectures from the highly successful AKC-CHF Breeders Symposia and provides responsible breeders and pet owners an inside look at the work being done by the AKC and the AKC Canine Health Foundation. Upcoming Breeders Symposia are scheduled for October 25-26 in Scottsdale, AZ and November 8-9 in Athens, GA. Information and registration is available by clicking [here](#).

New podcasts are released every two weeks and can be accessed from either the American Kennel Club website at [www.akc.org](http://www.akc.org) or the AKC Canine Health Foundation website at [www.akcCHF.org](http://www.akcCHF.org) – click on “Podcasts”. They will also be available on Apple’s iTunes® and at [www.genomebarks.com](http://www.genomebarks.com).

*Editor’s Note:* The next podcast is scheduled to be released approximately October 23. Previous podcasts have included topics as varied as AKC’s CAR (Companion Animal Recovery Service), the CCOGC (Canine Comparative Oncology & Genomics Consortium), and cataracts. The previously released podcasts are still accessible..

**[Click Here to Listen to the AKC and AKC Canine Health Foundation Genome Barks Podcasts](#)**

### ***Product recommendation...***

Several months ago, I awoke at 2:30 in the morning to the sound of my Puli vomiting in my bedroom. Not being too energetic at that hour, and after assessing that Puff was not severely ill, I did a perfunctory job of blotting up the little mess and then went back to sleep. The next morning, my attempts at removing the stain on my rug were not very successful. Over the course of the next few months, I tried a few different cleaning methods. All helped, but none removed the stain completely.

While grocery shopping several weeks ago, I came across a product called ***Kids ‘N’ Pets Instant All-Purpose Stain & Odor Remover***. Intrigued that its label stated that it was non-toxic, non-flammable, non-irritating, will never set stains or fade colors or leave a residue, was biodegradable, and was guaranteed to eliminate stains and odors ranging from vomit to blood, wine, even grease, I purchased a bottle.

Skeptical but hopeful, I tried the product on the vomit stain. It worked! Although the directions recommended leaving the product on for 5 minutes, I blotted it after only 2, and the stain completely vanished. Amazed, I went downstairs to a small grease stain that had been on my carpet for a good two+ years...a stain which had defied all attempts at removal. I squirted the product on the stain, waited less than a minute, blotted, and the stain was totally gone! I then tested it on several substances and also used it as a laundry stain remover...even removing a grease stain that had been on an old sweatshirt for years.

I took the bottle with me to my son’s house to show to my daughter-in-law. With three small children...one about to walk...a good non-toxic product could come in handy. Coincidentally, they had just had their rug professionally shampooed the day before. The rug looked beautiful, but there was one small stain of some kind of sticky pink substance which the carpet cleaning service had not been able to remove. You guessed it. The ***Kids ‘N’ Pets*** removed it in less than 2 minutes.

I can’t say enough about this product and so thought I’d share my experience with my fellow dog owners. And no, I do not own stock in the company...but maybe I should? Their website is [www.kidspetsbrand.com](http://www.kidspetsbrand.com), although I have not yet visited it. - Ed.

Ordering new checks for your checking account? Think twice about who gets your business. Harland Clarke (also formerly known as Clarke or Liberty), probably the most widely used company for bank checks, states that it is a proud sponsor of The Humane Society of the United States...an organization in sync with PETA. I will be looking for a new check printing provider. – Ed.

# AKC Sanctioned Match

November 15, 2008

10:00 a.m.

TEHAMA COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS

Tyler-Jelly Building

RED BLUFF, CALIFORNIA

Hosted by the 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 AND RALLY WORKSHOPS (Indoors)

3 runs for \$5.00

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

CANINE GOOD CITIZEN TESTS (CGC) - \$10.00

NDR Tattooing available - \$5.00

## ENTRY FEES

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

PRE ENTRIES must be **POSTMARKED BY November 8, 2008**  
**DAY OF SHOW ENTRIES CLOSE AT 9:30 AM...NO EXCEPTIONS**

Make check payable to Shasta Kennel Club and mail to:  
Jane Ferguson, 3565 Elizabeth Way, Redding, CA 96001  
Questions? Contact: [janefrgsn@yahoo.com](mailto:janefrgsn@yahoo.com) 530-229-7747

## 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 Soup and Beverage Available (Donations accepted)

RAFFLE

## Entry Form – Shasta Kennel Club Match, 11-15-08

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BREED: \_\_\_\_\_ SEX: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_  
 DOGS NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ CLASS \_\_\_\_\_  
 ADDITIONAL CLASS: \_\_\_\_\_  
 OWNER NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
 ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
 E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
 PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

# LOST COAST KENNEL CLUB MEETING MINUTES

September 16, 2008

## **BOARD MEETING: Called to order at 6:43 PM**

In Attendance: **Jill Otto, Chris Irvin, Michelle Dostal, Beverly Morgan-Lewis, Irene Hetrick, Tina Moulton.**

Minutes of Last Meeting: Approved **MSAC**

Report of Treasurer: Given by **Chris Irvin**

Unfinished Business:

- Review Code of Ethics - Changes will be talked about at next months meeting.
- Agility – The LCKC 2009 agility trial will be Fri, Sat., & Sun. instead of Sat., Sun., & Mon. due to the OR club's venue conflict.

New Business: None

Adjournment: 6:50 PM

## **REGULAR MEETING: Called to order at 7:00 PM**

Roll Call: **Kris Smith, Bayard Smith, Danielle Reed, Shandra Hryniewicz, Rose Kessler, and a guest, Terry (didn't get her last name).**

Minutes of Last Meeting: Changes noted. Farm Store event was the 13<sup>th</sup>, not the 14<sup>th</sup>. Speaker would have been Dooley, not Green. Approved **MSAC**

Report of President: Given by **Jill Otto.**

- Woofstock was fun, and the breed poster was a big hit with the public.
- Farm Store Pat Fair was well attended. Lots of people came by the LCKC table.

Report of Secretary: Given by **Irene Hetrick.** Judge's contract received from Noelle Pilat.

Report of Treasurer: Given by **Chris Irvin.**

Report of Committees:

- Ring practice: **Rose Kessler** will arrange a practice for the near future. Need someone to judge conformation.
- 2008 Conformation/Obedience Show: Job Descriptions. Please write up what you did at the show if you were a chair. Special attractions will include the Lure coursing Demo and CGC testing in 2009. Obedience to start at 8 am. Talk about the judges staying in Eureka to make the drive easier for the volunteer judge drivers. **Irene Hetrick** to email **Deb Enns** about this.
- 2008 Agility Trial: **Beverly Morgan-Lewis** will retire on July 3<sup>rd</sup>, so she will need more help with the trial in 2009. We need to change the date by one day this year only, due to conflict the OR club has with their venue. **Beverly Morgan-Lewis** will take care of this.

New Member Applications: None received

Election of Officers and Board Members - Nominations for Oct meeting. **Irene Hetrick** would like to step down as Secretary. Someone needs to nominate themselves or someone else for this position. If uncontested, **Jill Otto** will remain President, **Michelle Dostal** - Vice-President, **Chris Irvin** – Treasurer, **Beverly Morgan-Lewis** – Board Member. **Irene Hetrick** will post on the Yahoo Group about stepping down.

Unfinished Business:

- Agility Equipment purchase - \$1900 ballpark figure voted on this month. Approved **MSAC.**
- Canine Donations – **Danielle Reed** will send **Michelle Dostal** information on the price of the vests for K9 dogs. **Michelle Dostal** will contact the PD to see what their need is.
- Pizza Party – Oct 8<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday from 6 – 8 PM at Big Louies Pizza in Eureka. All members invited. LCKC will buy pizza and non-alcoholic drinks.
- Holiday Party – At **Chris Irvin's.** Dec 13<sup>th</sup> set as tentative date. Someone needs to take on the party game organizing.

New Business: Club insurance – **Chris Irvin** will look into prices with RV Nuccio Insurance and bring them to the next meeting.

Adjournment: 8:05 PM

**Happy Halloween!**

