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**CIKC INC. NEWSLETTER**

## March 2017

## Champaign Illinois Kennel Club, Inc.

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## Newsletter……….……..…...……..Colleen Woodcock

**Face Book**…...Champaign Illinois Kennel Club - CIKC

**Legislative Liaison**…………..………..Cynthia Nichols

#### Newsletter

Please send all information for the newsletter to Colleen Woodcock at ashlandkennel55@gmail.com by the end of each month.

##### Membership

Prospective new members must attend two meetings (program meeting count as a regular meeting) before a membership application can be turned in. After it is submitted the application will be read by the board two times before voting on membership. Contact Sylvia Lofrano at: sylvial@wirelessdatanet.net for more information.

Legislative Liaison

Cynthia Nichols, Legislative liaison CIKC, Secretary, IFDCO cdnichols@consolidated.net

Club Calendar 2016-2017

October: Working Meeting

November: No Meeting

December: No Regular meeting (member’s Christmas gathering)

January: No membership meeting, Board to meet at a set date and time

February: No Reg. Meeting

March: Regular Business Meeting (Show) Health Day on March 25th

April: Regular Business Meeting (Show)

April 27, 28, 29, and 30, 2016 Progress City Cluster Shows with CIKC on the 27th & 29th.

May: Regular Meeting (Show reports)

June: Program Meeting

July: Social Event (member’s picnic at Monticello)

August: Regular Business Meeting

September: Annual Meeting (Election of Officers, ***no guests***)

September Barn Hunt

**March Meeting**

The Regular CIKC meeting will be held **Tues March 14th at** **Denny's Restaurant**, located in the area West of Menards in front of HH Greggs at 702 W Town Center Blvd, Champaign, IL 61822 (217 359-7044). The seating area is back past the game room and will be available at **6:30pm** for dinner with themeeting starting at approximately **7:00pm.**

**CANINE HEALTH DAY**

**The Champaign Illinois Kennel Club**

**And**

**The Dog Training Club of Champaign-Urbana**

**Are sponsoring a day of health clinics for your dog on Saturday, March 25, 2017**

#### Hours are 9am-3pm

#### (or last scheduled appointment)

**\*OFA Heart Clinic with Dr Ryan Fries-$30**

**\* OFA Eye Clinic with Dr Bianca Martins.-$25**

**\* Dr Martins is also offering Gonioscopy for an additional $30**

**\*Chiropractics by Dr. Linda Harmon-Dodge-$45**

**\*Acupuncture by Dr. Linda Harmon-Dodge-$65**

**\*Vaccinations by Dr. Andrea** **Morden-Moore**

**DHPP- $20, 1 yr. Rabies- $15, 3 yr Rabies- $35**

**\*Heartworm test by Dr. Andrea** **Morden-Moore- $20**

**\*Micro chipping (includes lifetime registration) - $30**

**\*OFA Patella by Dr. Andrea** **Morden-Moore - $25**

The clinics will be held in the Dog Training Club’s air-conditioned facility 3 ½ miles north of Urbana on R. 45 and ¼ mile East on Ford Harris Road.

2210 East Ford Harris Road

Urbana, IL 61802

##### Reservations are necessary for the heart and eye and preferred for Chiropractics.

**Please call Merle and Carolyn Taylor at** **217-262-3266**

to make a reservation or e-mail them at:

**taylormerle0@gmail.com**

***THIS IS A GREAT WAY TO GET ALL YOUR DOGS IN FOR THEIR HEALTH NEEDS AND***

***CERTIFICATIONS!***

Conformation Classes

\*Held in the DTCCU Climate Controlled Training Building\*

(we meet in ring 1 on the North end near the kitchen)

The Dog Training Club of Champaign-Urbana, 2210 West Ford Harris Road, Urbana, IL 61802 is located ¼ mile East of the Ford Harris Road and Route 45 (approx. 3 miles N. of I 74) (we meet in ring 1 on the North end near the kitchen)

The Winter Conformation classes for the Champaign Illinois Kennel Club began on Wed. Jan 25th, 2017. The first two classes were ring practice for those who want to work their dogs in a show ring setting.

The 6-week winter session will run Feb 15, 22, March 1, 8, 15, and 22.

Class starts at 7:00pm. with a combined Beginner/Open class for all.

Class fee is $55 for non-members and $40.00 for members. Drop-in fee is $10.00 per person.

There will be paperwork to fill out and a list of rules for use

of this facility will be handed out to each new participant.

If you are new to our class or have not been for a while, please bring an **updated copy**

of your dog's **vaccination record**

including proof of rabies with you **to be kept in our files**.

Dress comfortably with good “running” shoes. You may want to bring water for your dog also.

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Please Note- Understand that weather changes in a moment’s notice. **Use your discretion if weather is a question.** We will do our best to announce

closings on the CIKC website: <http://champaignillinoiskc.com>,

on Facebook: Champaign Illinois Kennel Club – CIKC, DTCCU on Twitter

(If the Dog Training Club Classes are canceled…we are not holding classes either)

For enrollment & information Contact**:**

**Colleen Woodcock** ashlandkennel55@gmail.com

**Please Remember:**

**\*All participants and their guests are expected to follow the guidelines set forth by both clubs at all times while on the grounds. Please pick up your copy of the rules at the ringside table when filling out your class card.**

**\*It is required that all participants pick up after their dogs. Use only the areas marked for**

**this purpose. Equipment is available on the grounds along with a proper outside disposal area. If clean up is needed inside the building, please dispose of all solid waste outside in the disposal area.**

**\*Remember that humane treatment of your dogs is imperative at all times, but especially while on club grounds.**

**\*Bitches in season are not allowed to participate. Please contact the class coordinator if you are unable to attend due to your female coming in season. Beginning handlers are encouraged to come and watch.**

**\*Also remember that Handicapped Parking areas are only for those with the correct parking passes properly displayed.**

**Legislative Report**

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Wire Fox Terrier, Ch. TES Because I’m Donna, a GCh. Hampton Court’s Monte Cristo daughter, finished from the Bred By classes with wins that included two Bred By Exhibitor Best in Shows.

Her littermate, Ch. TES You’ve Been Litt Up “Louis” finished his championship at the Indy Cluster, all of his points coming from the Bred By classes as well.

These two also won the Best In Sweeps and Best Opposite in Sweeps together at the Great Lakes All Terrier Specialty.

TES Airing of Greivances “George” was Best Opposite Sex in Sweepstakes and picked up a 5pt major by going Best of Winners at the Greater St. Louis Fox Terrier Specialty at Purina Farms.

TES Can’t Keep A Secret “Elaine” picked up a 5pt major by going winners bitch at the same show.

On the way home there was a little bickering between the two about who really was the best……. ~Elise Singer

At the Winter Classic show in Indianapolis, we enjoyed exhibiting our Borders and Papillon
Starsign's Samwise the Brave at Briarkeep NAJ (Papillon) gained his second major with Best of Winners and also points as WD and BW on two other days.  Meanwhile, Loch Cu’s Jackson at BriarKeep (Border Terrier) earned a BOB/BW and also another BW.  His sister, Loch Cu’s Winifred at BriarKeep (Border Terrier), also earned a BOB/BW at her first show weekend. ~Cynthia Nichols.

March 1 was Toy Poodle, Baliwick My My's first birthday.  There was no celebration, but it is worth noting that she arrived at the big day with her Ch. title and her GCh title in hand as well as a Group 2 and a Best Puppy in Show win.  She's in an adult trim now, and will be out for a few test run before the national Poodle Club of America Show at Purina Farms the same weekend as our shows.  Personally, I think she'll be ready to show in about six months, but in today's world you go when you want to--ready or not. ~Del Dahl

Wire Fox Terrier, Starwyre Procyon is now “Grand Champion Champion Starwyre Procyon”. Nova earned her last point at the Indianapolis Cluster.

Starwyre Once In A Blue Moon earned her first point.  ~Lori Yotter

***CONGRATULATIONS TO YOU ALL!***