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**CIKC INC. NEWSLETTER**

## Sept 2017

## Champaign Illinois Kennel Club, Inc.

## Officers

**President…………………….…..… Merle Taylor**

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## Breeder Referral…………...……….….Theresa Swift

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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](mailto: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](mailto:sylvial@wirelessdatanet.net)](mailto:sylvial@prairieinet.net) for more information.

Legislative Liaison

Cynthia Nichols, Legislative liaison CIKC, Secretary, IFDCO [cdnichols@consolidated.net](mailto: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 (***no guests***)

September Barn Hunt

**CIKC Annual Meeting**

***\*This meeting is for members only\****

The CIKC Annual Meeting will be held **Tues, Sept 12, 2017 at O’Charley’s**

Located just East of Prospect at 730 W Blvd, Champaign, IL 61822

Dinner is at 6:30 with business immediately following. There is no election this year. We will continue holding the Annual Meeting on the second Tuesday of September from now on.

**Dues Are Due**

Dues are due for 2017-2018. The deadline is Sept 30, 2017.

Dues are $15.00/yr for adults

You may give your check to Carolyn at the meeting or it can be mailed to:

Sylvia Lofrano

1902N 600E Road

Monticello, IL 61856

**Barn Hunt**

CIKC in conjunction with the Prairieland Standard Schnauzer Club of Central Illinois will be holding 4 Barn Hunt Trials on Sat Sept 23rd, and Sun Sept 24th, 2017 at the McLean County Ag Expo Center, 2301 W Market St, Bloomington IL 61705

Members can let Lori Yotter [lyotter@comcast.net](mailto:lyotter@comcast.net) know if they have a preference on what position and what times they work.

For information about Barn Hunts, check their website at <https://barnhunt.com>

Click here to see this Barn Hunt info and premium: <https://www.barnhunt.com/register/event.php?key=2443>

Conformation Classes

**\*\*\*\*\*PLEASE NOTE!!!!!**

Conformation Classes are not in session at this time!

We will hold a Fall session starting Oct 8th.

Be sure to check our Oct newsletter and email messages for our upcoming schedules. CIKC will not be meeting every Wed as in the past, so be sure to get your training and practice times in while we are holding a session. Thanks

ALL-BREED B MATCH

The CIKC hosted a Conformation B-Match Wed evening, Aug 23th at the DTCCU Training building, offering all AKC Breed classes and Jr. Showmanship. Thanks to the members who came and helped set up and run the match. ~Colleen

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**>< BRAGS ><**

Brags are a fun way for us all to hear how everyone is doing in the AKC breed ring. Club members and any current or past class members are encouraged to send brags.

CH Loch Cu's Jackson at BriarKeep - Jack, Border Terrier, Owner: Cynthia Nichols  
Making good progress on GCH: Three Best of Opposites on August 16-18 at Muncie IN shows, including two major wins.  
- Two Best of Opposites and Select on Sept. 1-3 at Lexington, KY shows, including two major wins and also additional points. ~ Cynthia Nichols

***BRAGS FROM OUR CLASSES……***

At Elgin Kennel Club on August 26, Irish Wolfhound, Verdi (Shellane's Clandestine Verdigris of Callaid) was RWB.  
On Sunday, August 27, she was WB and BOS for her first AKC point :-) ~Helen Philpott

Golden Retrievers, Kyndle, “**Eclipse's Keep The Home Fires Burnin' CGC”,** was awarded BOW Sat and Sun at Georgetown for a point each day.

Timber, “**Eclipse's One More Is Never Enough At TimberRidge”,** got RWD on Sat and Sun. ~Jessie Heidrick Cox

Italian Greyhound, LORAC Delightfully Dangerous Emmaline is a new Champion!  Emmy is owned by Renee Cooper, Urbana IL.  Emmy finished from the bred by exhibitor classes. ~Renee Cooper

***CONGRATULATIONS!***

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