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**CIKC INC. NEWSLETTER**

## Sept 2018

## Champaign Illinois Kennel Club, Inc.

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

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**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: [slofrano@yahoo.com](mailto:slofrano@yahoo.com)for more information.

Legislative Liaison

Cynthia Nichols, Legislative liaison CIKC, Secretary, IFDCO [cdnichols@consolidated.net](mailto:cdnichols@consolidated.net)

Club Calendar 2017-2018

October: Working Meeting

November: Regular 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 March 24th.

April: Regular Business Meeting (Show)

April 26, 27, and 28, 2019 Same Cluster…New Name...Central Illinois Cluster…New Location…State Fair Grounds, Springfield, IL.

May: Regular Meeting (Show reports)

June: No Meeting

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

August: Regular Business Meeting

September: Annual Meeting (***no guests***)

\*\*\*September 22 & 23: Barn Hunt CANCELED!

October: Prairieland ClassicCluster Shows in Springfield, IL with CIKC on Oct 18th.

**CIKC Sept Annual Meeting**

Information for the annual meeting will be sent out by the club secretary.

Please watch your mail for this information.

**Dues Are Due**

Dues are due for 2018-2019. The deadline is Sept 30, 2018.

Dues are $15.00/yr for adults

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

Sylvia Lofrano

1902N 600E Road

Monticello, IL 61856

**CIKC Fall Conformation Classes**

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

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 **6-week** Fall Conformation session for the Champaign Illinois Kennel Club begins on

**Wed. Sept 5th, 2018 and ends Oct 10th, 2018**

**Please Note:** Our Schedule has changed! We will NOT be available almost every Wed as in

past years, so be sure to catch these classes when they are offered!

**Our next session will not begin until 2019.**

**7:00pm – Beginning Conformation Handling** – **For First Time Handlers Only**. This will be a short introduction class and will cover basic stacking and movement and will continue into the first half of the ring procedure and practice class. Full pmt. Of $55.00 for class required.

**7:15pm- Ring Procedure and Practice** **–** Open to all handlers with prior experience. This class will focus on ring procedures and practice perfecting ring skills.

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

of your dog's **vaccination or titer records** including proof of rabies with you **to be kept in our files.**

Dress comfortably with good “running” shoes.

Due to Kennel Cough and K9 influenza viruses circulating, we request that if you suspect your dog may have symptoms or has come in contact with the virus that you keep your dogs at home and contact your veterinarian about further treatment. Those with healthy dogs that come to class, please keep them under control, not allowing close contact with others. We also advise you bring your own water dish for your dog should they need a drink.

General Public- $55.00 per handler

Club Members- $40.00 per handler

Drop-in - $10.00 per handler

(Make checks out to CIKC)

*There will be an info card to fill out the first night and a list of rules for use*

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

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*](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@*](mailto:ashland@net66.com)*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.**

**\*\*\* changes to the CIKC Show Calendar\*\*\***

We have moved one of our shows to the fall as part of the Prairieland Classic to be held October 18 through October 21, 2018 This cluster is held at the Illinois State Fairgrounds Exposition Building, Springfield, Illinois.  The CIKC show is Thursday, October 18, Mattoon Kennel Club is October 19; Sandemac Kennel Club is October 20, and the Illinois Capitol Kennel Club is October 21.  The Superintendent is MBF. Information about this show and the premium list information can be found on <https://www.infodog.com/>.

**ALL-BREED B MATCH**

The Conformation B Match offered By CIKC was held on Aug 22, 2018. Some very nice dogs were in attendance and all seemed to have an enjoyable evening.

**>< BRAGS ><**



Wonderful weekend at the Dog Training Club of Champaign Urbana July 28th and 29th. With four Rally Trials offered during one weekend, Mia and I earned her Rally Novice B with three scores of 99, 88 (handler error) and a 98 out of a possible 100!! With urging from a friend, we moved up for the final trial and scored a 98 for Third Place and our first leg in the Intermediate level!! So proud of this girl!!!   
At 22 mo. she is now Tip'N Chip's Royal Engagement BN RN CGC (with two legs on her CD title and one on a Rally Intermediate) ~Colleen Woodcock

*BRAGS FROM OUR CLASSES……*

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***CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL!***