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## From the Office of the Secretary:

What: **Monthly Meeting of RRNDOC, Inc.**

Where: Red River North Dog Obedience Club

When: **Monday Sept. 20th**

**7:30 PM Board Meeting**

**8:00 PM General Meeting**

Refreshments:

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### Happy Birthday!

#### September Birthdays:

Gary Kopperud	2nd
Dick Lingle	3rd
Kris McDonald	5th
Trish Strom	8th
Kelly Braseth	14th
Helen Hearn	24th
John Sutter	27th

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# Braggs from our Members!

Janine & Shamus	Rally Excellent title, 1 leg in graduate novice
Janine & Kola	1 leg in Excellent Jumpers in St. Paul
Janine & Toby	3 Novice legs
Dave & Mitzi	Rally Novice title
Dave & Cody	2 legs Novice B
Julie & Annie	2 legs Novice Standard (St. Paul), 2 legs JWW
Brenda & Jett	2 legs Rally Excellent
Denise & Riley	2 titles (8 of 9 qualifying runs) Rally Excellent Title Beginning Obedience Title 2 legs Novice Obedience

# Local Events

	<u>Event Date</u>	<u>Closing Date</u>
<b><u>Obedience:</u></b>		
FM Kennel Club	11/20-11/21	11/03
<b><u>Agility:</u></b>		
FM Kennel Club	10/22-10/24	10/06

## Regional Events List

	Event Date	Closing Date
<b><u>Conformation:</u></b>		
Sioux Empire Kennel Club	10/29-10/31	10/13
<b><u>Obedience:</u></b>		
Sioux Empire Kennel Club	10/29-10/31	10/13
Granite City Kennel Club	12/11-12/12	11/24
<b><u>Agility:</u></b>		
Key City Kennel Club	10/08-10/10	9/22
St. Paul Dog Training Club	11/12-11/14	10/27
Twin Cities Obed. Training Club	11/26-11/28	11/10

(<http://www.akc.org/events>)

## **President's Report**

Hopefully everyone has recovered from the July shows, I want to thank everyone who volunteered, donated and supported our trials, we had tremendous help from our members, family, friends and other clubs and businesses in the community.

Summer is coming to a close and before the weather forces us to be back inside we are planning one last event, see the enclosed flyer for more details.

I would also like to take this time to welcome our 3 new members, Tony Braaten, Jamie Neary, and Lori West.

Best Regards,  
Denise Luther



## **Board Meeting**

**August 23, 2010**

Present: Denise Luther, Mary Higdeman, Emily Ehalt, Patti Struchynski, Kathy Lehman, Kris McDonald.

The meeting was called to order at 7:10 PM by President Denise Luther. Denise mentioned the upcoming Adopt –A-Pet Walk and West Fargo Dog Show booth. A “use of building” charge rate for seminars or other groups was mentioned and tabled. The need for committees was brought up again. Necessary committees include 1) Event, 2) Marketing/advertising & 3) Cleaning. This was also tabled.

A motion was made by Kathy and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Patti to refund Paul McNutt’s rally entry less AKC fees due to the death of his mother.

Kris brought up the obedience software program. Information about the program will be sent to Brian to see if he thinks it is feasible for the club have an in-house secretary.

A motion was made by Patti and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Kathy to create an executive Board meeting. This enables the Board to discuss certain sensitive subjects without recording the minutes until the board decides it is pertinent to discuss at a general meeting or action is taken.

A motion to adjourn was made by Patti and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mary. The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Kris McDonald

## General Membership Meeting 8/16/2010

Attendees: Mary Arnholt, Julie Hulne, Hollie Halvorson, Nancy Lindblom, Patti Struchynski, Jamie Neary, Dave Arnholt, Kathy Lehman, Janine Barnstuble, Mary Higdeman, Lavonne Marubbio, Brenda McBain, Emily Ehalt, Denise Luther, Kris McDonald.

The meeting was called to order at 8:10 PM by President Denise Luther. A motion was made by Dave and seconded by Janine to approve the minutes of the last meeting as published in Paw Prints. Reports of the President, Secretary and Treasurer were all in Paw Prints.

There was a second reading for Tony Braaten (Lab), Lori West (Black lab mix) and Jamie Neary (Chihuahua). There was a unanimous vote for all prospective members. Welcome to Red River North.

Unfinished Business: The subject of demonstrations at meetings was brought up and table again.

New Business: Nancy brought up the upcoming agility rule changes. In preparation for the changes the club now has 4 new regulation jumps.

Denise thanked the club for their hard work at the trials. Approximately \$2000 more in registrations were received but the AKC fees increased. Run thurs made about \$600. It was decided that the trials would run more smoothly with 3 judges each day. Julie suggested that perhaps a few of the Plexiglas panels could be removed to help promote air circulation at the Arena. Ian has requested help from RRNDOC for stewarding at the November FMKC obedience and rally trials.

A motion was made by Janine and seconded by Dave to use Red River ring gating at the West Fargo Dog Show August 23.

A motion to adjourn was made by Janine, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Julie. Meeting adjourned at 8:50 PM.

Respectfully submitted,  
Kris McDonald

Training Director's Report: The short sessions went well. The puppy class was large and had to be split between 2 nights. The new schedule is out for after Labor Day. The current schedule allows for time off over Thanksgiving. There are plans in the works for a club get together at Mary Lee's in September/October. It would likely be a potluck picnic with agility and rally rings set up. A CGC test is planned for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in September. Mary will do a Trainer/members workshop in September to address dogs with issues.

# You are Invited

## Red River North's Autumn Fun Fling

**Members, Friends, Dogs**

**Potluck Picnic**

**games, activities, prizes**

**Something for everyone**

**Agility/Rally/Obedience**

**Where: The Clip Joint, 2724 12th Ave. S. Moorhead**

**When: 1 P.M. September 19th, 2010**

**RRN will provide :**

**Meat for the grill**

**Lemonade\*Pop\*Coffee\***

**Watermelon**

**RSVP: 280-0436 or 347-5364**

**email: [sweetpennylane@far.midco.net](mailto:sweetpennylane@far.midco.net)**

**PLAY**

# Dog Training Classes

Red River North Dog Obedience Club, Inc.

2202-A Third Avenue North

P.O. Box 863

Fargo, ND 58107-0863

*An AKC Licensed Dog Obedience Club*

## Session VI September 7 thru October 25, 2010 (7 weeks)

### Monday September 13 thru October 25

**No class on Labor Day. Monday classes start Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>**

5:00 PM	Obed. Competition Foundation*	Mary Higdem	\$60
6:00 PM	Competitive Open /Utility*	Mary Higdem	\$60
*Instructor permission required			
7:00 PM	Beginning Obedience	Sueann Horner/ E. Ehalt	\$50

### Tuesday September 7 thru October 19

3:00 PM	Open Obedience	Sharon Buethner	\$35
6:00 PM	Beginning Agility	Janine Barnstuble	\$50
7:00 PM	Advanced Agility	Denise Luther	\$45
8:00 PM	Competitive Agility	J. Barnstuble/D. Luther	\$45

### Wednesday September 8 thru October 20

7:00 PM	Novice/ Grad Novice Obedience	Roger Fremo	\$45
8:00 PM	Adv. Beginners Obedience/CGC	Lavonne Marubbio	\$45

### Thursday September 9 thru October 21

6:30 PM	Puppy Kindergarten	T.Pearson /M. Brinkman	\$50
7:30 PM	Jump Start Obedience	Cyndy Raeshke/S.Horner	\$50

### Friday No Classes

### Saturday September 11 thru October 23

10:00 AM	Puppy Kindergarten	Mary Brinkman	\$50
11:00 AM	Beginning Obedience	Dave Arnholt	\$50
12:00 PM	Rally—Novice	Brenda McBain	\$40
1:00 PM	Rally—Adv. & Excellent	Brenda McBain	\$40

**For class information call (701) 232-359**

**Visit our website: [www.rrndoc.org](http://www.rrndoc.org)**

**To register for a class call (701) 280-0436**

**Next Session (Late Fall) October 27 thru December 18**

**(No classes on Thanksgiving weekend Nov. 24-28)**

**Vacation: December 19, 2010 thru January 2, 2011**

## Application for Membership Renewal

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Breed of Dog \_\_\_\_\_

Annual dues accompanying this application, (Please circle one).

Individual      \$15                                  Family              \$20

Associate       \$10                                  Junior (10-17)    \$10

**I (we) hereby apply to renew membership in the Red River North Dog Obedience Club, Inc, and agree to abide by the constitution and by-laws of the Club and the rules of the American Kennel Club.**

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Birthday: (Month and day only) \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail renewal and fees to:



Attention: Treasurer  
RRNDOC  
PO Box 863  
Fargo, ND 58107-0863



**August**



FIRST CLASS

Red River North Dog Obedience Club, Inc.  
P.O. Box 863  
2202 3rd Avenue N.  
Fargo, ND 58102

## **Red River North Dog Obedience Club, Inc.**

### **Board of Directors**

<b>President</b>	Denise Luther
<b>Vice President</b>	Cyndy Raeshke
<b>Secretary</b>	Kris McDonald
<b>Treasurer</b>	Kathy Lehman
<b>Board</b>	Patti Struchynski
<b>Board</b>	Mary Higdem
<b>Board</b>	Emily Ehalt

### **Instructors:**

Janine Barnstuble  
Sharon Buethner  
Roger Fremo  
Ann Hopp / Joyce Van Rueden  
Mary Higdem  
Denise Luther  
Dave Arnholt / Emily Ehalt  
Lavonne Marubbio  
Brenda McBain  
Tara Pearson / Mary Brinkman  
Cyndy Raeshke  
Patti Struchynski  
Sueann Horner

### **Training Director**

Lavonne Marubbio