



est. 1999

Dog Obedience Club, Inc.

Paw Prints

Vol 12 No 9 Sept 2010

Editor: Denise Luther

Sweetpennylane@far.midco.net

visit our Website: www.rrndoc.org



From the Office of the Secretary:

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

Where: Red River North Dog Obedience Club

When: **Monday Oct. 18th 2010**

7:00 PM Board Meeting

8:00 PM General Meeting

Refreshments:

Happy Birthday!

October Birthdays:

Tara Pearson	10/07/2010
Annie Vail	10/08/2010
Gerry Hviden	10/14/2010
Brian Vail	10/27/2010



*** Please save your used printer cartridges ***

Inside this issue:

Meeting Notice	1
Birthdays	1
Braggs	2
Local and Regional Events	3
Officer's Reports	4-6
New Class Schedule	7
General Meeting Minutes	8
Herbergers Community Day	9
Board members and Trainers	10

Braggs from our Members!

Roger and Shirley Fremo received Major points in Rochester.

Julie Hulne and Annie finished their Novice Agility Standard Title at Lake Elmo.

Angelika Riffel and Morag earned 2 UBX legs and OTCH points.

News from the Vails:

To all of our friends who have trained and mentored us and our little Yappers over the years, a huge thank you!

Annie and Emmy had an awesome run at State this weekend!

They started off at 8:30 Saturday morning, it was about 55 degrees out, steady drizzle all morning, slippery grass, and a Sheltie that HATES to get her feet wet at home. . . It was not looking really great there for a while.

Annie starts off with a huge lead out, and that dog tore through that course like she was 2 years old again, barking her fool head off all the way. Annie nearly slipped on the grass several times, and Vicki and I are sitting there in the rain trying not to move or make a sound.

Clean runs in both Std and Jumpers, 15 seconds under Standard course time, and 2 shiny new Grand Championships for an 8th grader and a dog who hates rain! lol

After we all dried out, they went on to win a Reserve in Rally Excellent (excessive bark-age), and squeaked by in Pre-Open Obedience, with a score of 171 (Emmy went down on the long sit at 2 minutes, 40 seconds), and had some bad sits, but she did a great drop on Recall, except for the barking LOL. That got them a blue ribbon and an Award of excellence.

Anyways, thanks again!

Congratulations to Everyone!

Local Events



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

Regional Events List

	Event Date	Closing Date
<u>Conformation:</u>		
Sioux Empire Kennel Club	10/29-10/31	10/13
<u>Obedience:</u>		
Sioux Empire Kennel Club	10/29-10/31	10/13
Granite City Kennel Club	12/11-12/12	11/24
<u>Agility:</u>		
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

Fall is here, the weather is beautiful, the leaves are changing colors and slowly falling to the ground. This is my favorite time of year, days are moderately warm and nights are cool, great for working our dogs outside. Get out and enjoy! We still have some planning to do before the end of December, we are looking for volunteers for next years show, we will be needing a Chair and Co-chair, a Secretary, Grounds and equipment, and Chief Ring Steward anyone interested in any of these positions let anyone on the Board know, Kris McDonald was our Chair person for the last 4 years and she has volunteered her expertise to help anyone interested in this position, we will also select some members to be on the Show Committee to help ensure that the process moves along on schedule. This is our one big event for the year and we need the help of nearly all of our members to pull this off so please consider on volunteering.

Volunteers are needed to be part of the crowd and distractions for the CGC Test. Let us know if you can help! 701-280-0436.

Best Regards,
Denise Luther

Pictures from Fall Fling at Mary Lee's



Training Director's Report

Sept. 2010

This is the 3d week of the session ending October 25. Classes will resume October 27 and will end December 18. The schedule allows for time off over Thanksgiving and Christmas. Kathy Wakefield has turned over class advertising to Cyndi.

Thanks Mary Lee!

We had a great time at the Picnic and Fun Day at your home on September 19th. The dogs had a great time running the agility course, and participating in Rally. Some old dogs learned new tricks! Thanks to Brian and Gary who manned the grills, and to everyone who brought food, equipment and enthusiasm to our club outing.

We send our condolences to Kathy Wakefield on the death of her mother, Dorothy Sheenan; and to Lil Viken on the death of her brother, Donald Brantner.

Our next session of classes will begin on Wednesday, October 27th and will end on Saturday, December 18th 2010. There will be no classes over the Thanksgiving Holiday--November 24th through 28th.

Lavonne

2:49 PM

10/05/10

Accrual Basis

RRNDOC
Balance Sheet
As of August 31, 2010

	<u>Aug 31, 10</u>
ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Checking/Savings	
Checking-State Bank	7,585.33
Checking-NWSB	503.72
Savings-ING	<u>12,168.51</u>
Total Checking/Savings	<u>20,257.56</u>
Total Current Assets	20,257.56
Fixed Assets	
Equipment	12,703.37
Accumulated Depreciation	<u>-4,997.68</u>
Total Fixed Assets	<u>7,705.69</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>27,963.25</u>
LIABILITIES & EQUITY	
Equity	
Retained Earnings	22,569.48
Net Income	<u>5,393.77</u>
Total Equity	<u>27,963.25</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	<u>27,963.25</u>

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 VII **October 27 through December 18, 2010** (7 weeks)

Monday **November 1 thru December 13**

Monday classes start November 1st

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 **November 2 thru December 14**

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 **October 27 thru December 15**

There will be no class Nov. 24 due to Thanksgiving

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

Thursday **October 28 thru December 16**

There will be no class Nov. 25 due to Thanksgiving

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 **October 30 thru December 18**

There will be no class Nov. 27 due to Thanksgiving

10:00 AM	Puppy Kindergarten	Mary Brinkman	\$50
11:00 AM	Beginning Obedience	Dave Arnholt	\$50
12:00-1:30 PM	Rally—Novice/Adv./Excellent	Brenda McBain	\$50

For class information call (701) 232-359

Visit our website: www.rrndoc.org

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

Board Meeting September 20, 2010

The Board meeting was called to order at 7:40 PM. Members present: Denise, Cyndi, Kathy, Emily, Kris and Lavonne.

The 2011 Trials were discussed. Kris is stepping down as trial chairman but agreed to advise the new chair and committee. A new trial chairman and secretary will be needed. Brian might agree to serve as secretary if paid for his time if we do not use Dog Shows By Design again. We need to check with Sharon Buethner to see if a Club member can be paid.

The Board would like to get the financial information on a laptop for the Club.

The subject of committees came up again. Denise will list committees in Paw Prints in an effort to get more members involved. Kathy and Cyndi head up the Events Committee. Cyndi has taken over Advertising from Kathy Wakefield. Other possible committees include Buildings and Grounds, Nomination (needed by the end of January), Education (includes registration for events such as CGC). Lavonne brought up the need to update the outdoor sign (change phone number to the Club number and add website).

Denise asked the Board to make a recommendation to the General Membership to allow the Board to spend \$1000 – 1500 for additional ring gating, regulation jumps and rally signs and holders.

A motion to adjourn was made by Denise and 2nd by Cyndi. Meeting adjourned at 8:05 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Kris McDonald

General Membership Meeting September 20, 2010

Attendance: Denise Luther, Nancy Lindblom, Lou Ann Honek, Shirley Fremo, Roger Fremo, Julie Hulne, Mary Arnholt, Julie Nelson, Janine Barnstuble, Sandy Sutter, Angelika Riffel, Lavonne Marubbio, Emily Ehalt, Dave Arnholt, Kris McDonald.

The meeting was called to order at 8:10 PM by President Denise Luther. Denise reminded members of the deadline of the 5th of the month for submitting to Paw Prints.

Report of the President appeared in Paw Prints.

Report of the Secretary: A motion to approve the minutes as published in Paw Prints was made by Lavonne and 2nd by Angie. Motion carried.

Report of the Treasurer: Published in Paw Prints. Kathy will have a financial statement in the next Paw Prints. She did report that the Trials netted ~\$1,200.

Report of the Training Director: This is the 3^d week of the session ending October 25. Classes will resume October 27 and will end December 18. The schedule allows for time off over Thanksgiving and Christmas. Kathy Wakefield has turned over class advertising to Cyndi.

There was a first reading for Julie Nelson (Springer Spaniel)

Unfinished Business: The next CGC testing will be Sunday, October 17. Help will be need for that.

New Business: A Show Committee needs to be put together. Kris is stepping down as chairman. A chair/ co-chair and secretary are needed by the end of the year. Angie will help line up the judges. Sandy will also help. Let Denise, Lavonne or Kris know if you are willing to help. Several things are needed for the next trials: ring gating, rally signs and holders, and regulation jumps. A motion was made by Sandy and 2nd by Janine to spend up to \$1,500 for show equipment and things needed by the Club. Motion carried.

Denise brought up the need for committees in the Club. A list of volunteer ideas will be published in Paw Prints.

Lavonne brought up the wonderful time had by Club members at Mary Lee's on September 19. About 25 people/dogs attended. An agility course & rally ring were set up. Mary Lee also demonstrated how to teach tricks.

Brags: Fremos got 1 major and points in Rochester. Julie & Annie got their Novice Standard Agility title. Angie and her dogs have been competing in Confirmation and Obedience. Morag earned 2 UDX legs and OTCH points.

A motion to adjourn was made by Janine 2nd by Dave. Meeting adjourned at 8:45 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Kris McDonald

Support Our Organization

Purchase a Coupon Booklet for

 Herberger's

COMMUNITY
DAY SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13

Each coupon booklet includes:

- One **\$10 off coupon** to use on a single regular or sale price merchandise item of \$10 or more throughout the store. You're getting paid back twice the amount of your \$5 donation!
- Six 20% off coupons & one 30% early bird coupon (6 am - 10 am).
- Exclusive Bonus coupons & 3 web-exclusive offers.

100% of the
\$5 coupon booklet price for
each one sold is ours to keep!

We appreciate your support.



**In Commemoration of
AKC Responsible Dog Ownership Month**

**CANINE GOOD CITIZEN TEST
SUNDAY**

OCTOBER 17TH, 2010

REGISTRATION: 12:30 TO 1:00 PM

TESTING BEGINS: 1:00 PM

COST: \$10.00/DOG

EQUIPMENT NEEDED:

**BUCKLE, MARTINGALE, OR SLIP-CHAIN COLLAR, A 6 FOOT
LEASH, AND YOUR DOG'S BRUSH OR COMB**

**RED RIVER NORTH DOG OBEDIENCE CLUB, INC
2202-A THIRD AVENUE NORTH**

FARGO, ND 58109

**For more information call:
701-280-0436 or 701-232-0474**

October



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

President	Denise Luther
Vice President	Cyndy Raeshke
Secretary	Kris McDonald
Treasurer	Kathy Lehman
Board	Patti Struchynski
Board	Mary Higdem
Board	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