



# Paw Prints

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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 November 21st, 2011**

**7:00 PM Board Meeting**

**8:00 PM General Meeting**

Refreshments: Birthday Cake - RRN

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### Happy Birthday!

#### November /December Birthdays:

<b>Jamie Neary</b>	<b>Nov. 1</b>
<b>Stevie Mathre</b>	<b>Nov. 7</b>
<b>Connie Elledge</b>	<b>Nov. 23</b>
<b>Paul McNutt</b>	<b>Nov. 30</b>
<b>Julie Hulne</b>	<b>Dec. 19</b>
<b>Nancy Hvinden</b>	<b>Dec. 28</b>

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# Local Events



	<u>Event Date</u>	<u>Closing Date</u>
<u>Obedience</u>		
<u>FM Kennel Club</u>	<u>November 19-20</u>	<u>November 2nd, 2011</u>
<p>See AKC.ORG Events to search for other upcoming shows.</p> <p>Rally Run Throughs will be held at Red River North Dog Obedience Club Friday Evening, November 11, 2011 from 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM. Cost is \$5.00 per dog for 3 runs. For information call Lavonne at 280-0436.</p>		
<p>Obedience run thrus: FMKC Saturday Nov. 5 and Nov. 12 from 9 am - 12 noon Rally run thrus will be Nov. 5 only sign up at 12 noon \$7.00 for 5 min. floor time.</p>		

## Bragg:

Annie & Emmy	Grand Champion Jumpers with Weaves Reserve Champion Standard Agility Reserve Champion Rally Excellent Red Ribbon in Open Obedience
Annie & Kira	Blue Ribbon in Beginners Jumpers with Weaves Red Ribbon Beginners Standard Agility Blue Ribbon in Rally Novice
Brian & Emmy	2 Third Places in Jumpers with Weaves Preferred (New Title) 1 <sup>st</sup> Place in Standard Agility Preferred
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## Regional Events List

please check the AKC Events Calendar on the AKC website (<http://www.akc.org/events>) for events outside of our immediate area.

**Treasurers Report****Sep 11****Income**

<b>Class Income</b>	<b>3,095.00</b>
<b>Run Thrus</b>	<b>50.00</b>
<b>Leashes &amp; Collars Income</b>	<b>88.00</b>
<b>Pop and Chips Income</b>	<b>70.00</b>
<b>Membership Income</b>	<b>45.00</b>
<b>Brag Income</b>	<b>9.00</b>
<b>Interest Income</b>	<b>11.37</b>
<b>Fundraising Income</b>	<b>305.00</b>
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>3,673.37</b>

**Expense**

<b>Advertising Expense</b>	<b>289.89</b>
<b>Building Supplies</b>	<b>-43.06</b>
<b>Building Rent</b>	<b>875.00</b>
<b>Depreciation Expense</b>	<b>225.00</b>
<b>Office Supplies</b>	<b>157.96</b>
<b>Repairs &amp; Maintenance</b>	<b>15.00</b>
<b>Storage Rent</b>	<b>75.00</b>
<b>Supplies</b>	<b>439.08</b>
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>34.33</b>
<b>Training &amp; Classroom Sup-</b>	<b>207.71</b>
<b>Utilities</b>	<b>131.88</b>
<b>Show Expenses</b>	<b>310.93</b>
<b>Total Expense</b>	<b>2,718.72</b>

**Net Ordinary Income** **954.65**

<b>Beginning Cash Sept 2011</b>	<b>23,332.89</b>
<b>Add Net Income for Sept</b>	<b>954.65</b>
<b>Less Equipment Purchases</b>	<b>0.00</b>
<b>Add Back Depreciation</b>	<b>225.00</b>
<b>Ending Cash Sept 2011</b>	<b>24,512.54</b>



# General Membership Meeting

## October 17, 2011

Attendees: Mary Arnholt, Dave Arnholt, Roger Fremo, Mary Brinkman, Jamie Neary, Sandy Sutter, Janine Barnstuble, Brian Vail, Vicki Vail, Annie Vail, Emily Ehalt, Tara Pearson, SueAnn Horner, Patti Struchynski, Mary Higdem, Denise Luther, Kris McDonald

Meeting called to order at 8:10 PM by President Denise Luther.

President's Report: In "Paw Prints".

Secretary's Report: A motion to approve minutes of the last meeting as published in "Paw Prints" was made by Janine and 2nd by Sandy. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: Financials were in last Paw Prints.

Training Director: Lavonne asked members to spread the word about the upcoming CGC testing October 23. The preliminary schedule is out for the next session. An Hopp will be teaching an Agility Foundation class on Saturdays. Instructor permission is required. Students must be dedicated and willing to compete. The bylaws were checked to make sure instructing her own students for a fee in the same class is not in conflict.

Old Business: Income this year was way down. Expenses went up 12%. Show expenses were up as well. Class fees will need to be raised in 2012.

Unfinished Business: Auction items were discussed. Ann Hopp was a set of 20 inch channel weaves for a suggested price of \$30. Items for sale include:

Canon Copier Used minimum bid \$ 50.00 (Brian offered \$10)

Box fans minimum bid \$ 10.00

X pen minimum bid \$ 25.00

Closed Tunnel Practice (outside) cloth minimum bid \$ 50.00 bid of \$50 (Brian)

Practice jumps (PVC)

Included: broad/high and bar jumps minimum bid \$ 100.00 bid of \$100 (Sandy)

Wooden Utility set—high and broad only minimum bid \$ 125.00 bid of \$125 (Denise)

Weave poles 2 set of 6 (20 inch space) minimum bid \$ 100.00 both or \$50 for 1 set of 6

Brown Area Rugs minimum bid \$ 8.00 (taken back by Kathy)

Black metal shelf minimum bid \$ 20.00 (Brian)

Janine made a motion to accepted bids offered by Sandy, Brian and Denise; 2<sup>nd</sup> by Dave. Motion carried. Remaining items will be listed in the next Paw Prints.

New Business: There was a second reading for Brittney Bruns (Lab mix). The vote for Brittney was unanimous. Welcome Brittney!

Denise has spoken with Lois Eide from the Fargo Moorhead Kennel Club about joining forces to create a "cluster" agility trial. Each club would be in charge of 2 days and share the space and equipment as well as costs and expenses. Rental of Schollander Arena is a possibility thus not having to use mats. Target date is May 2012. Dave made a motion to go forward with this joint effort. 2<sup>nd</sup> by Vicki. Motion carried. Denise will get more details from Lois.

A new venue is needed for our obedience trials. Members were asked to start checking for possible locations.

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

Announcements/Braggs:

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Respectfully submitted,

Kris McDonald

## Presidents Report

Welcome to our newest Member: **Brittney Bruns**

At the last meeting we discussed having a combined Agility trial with the FM Kennel club; unfortunately because we have not had a trial since we were licensed in 2007 we are required to have another "A" Agility Match before we can be licensed. We will discuss the details at the next meeting.

Sincerely,

Denise Luther

Message from Kathy:

Volunteers Needed!!!!

Help the club raise funds by purchasing a \$5 coupon books for the **Nov 11 and 12 Herbergers Community Days Sale**. Books are available at the club or contact Kathy Lehman and she will deliver if possible. The Club gets to keep the entire proceeds from the sale. It is a great opportunity for the club to make nearly \$500 for only a few hours of work.

We need volunteers to sell tickets either Friday or Saturday. They encourage us to bring a dog that is social enough to handle the crowds and lots of children. We need at least 2 people selling at each door for the 2 hour shifts. We have signed up for **6 to 8am**, **8-10am**, and **10am-12pm** on Saturday. We have the west door on the 1st shift, the north junior door for the 2<sup>nd</sup> shift and then the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor ramp for the last shift. We are allowed 3 times slots. And we can still make changes to fit our schedules. There are still openings on Friday and Saturday. So let me know if another time works better for you. I think the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor door was open the entire day on Saturday.

We also need a volunteer to sell at the store next week. Last year 2 of us each took a 2 hour shift and **pre-sold** books at the store on Tues and Wed. You can bring a dog that night/day also.

Please call or email me if you are interested in helping and I will give you more details.

Kathy Lehman

701-261-5291 cell

## Report on the Canine Good Citizen Test on October 23, 2011

On Sunday Oct. 23rd Red River North hosted a Canine Good Citizen test for club members, and the general public. Seven dog/handler teams entered, and three passed. Congratulations to Amanda Berg and Bear; Lindsay Stordahl and Cosmo; and Deb Wayman and her Aussie.

Special thanks go to our CGC Evaluators, Sharon Buethner and Vicki Vail; and to all who helped with the testing: Janine Barnstuble, Mary Brinkman, Tara Pearson, Jamie Neary & Ricardo, and Brenda McBain & Jett. Thanks also to those who helped with cleaning and preparation for the test.

Lavonne Marubbio  
Training Director

**October**



FIRST CLASS

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

### **Board of Directors**

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<b>Secretary</b>	Kris McDonald
<b>Treasurer</b>	Kathy Lehman
<b>Board</b>	Patti Struchynski
<b>Board</b>	Janine Barnstuble
<b>Board</b>	Emily Ehalt

### **Instructors:**

Janine Barnstuble  
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Roger Fremo  
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Dave Arnholt / Emily Ehalt  
Lavonne Marubbio  
Brenda McBain  
Tara Pearson / Mary Brinkman/ Lisa Luther  
Cyndy Raeshke  
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Sueann Horner

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