

For those of you that missed the February meeting, you missed a good one. A very busy one for sure. The theme for the night was the Chinese New Year celebrating the Year of the Dog. As always I had fun putting together our tablescape, with a Chinese theme of course. The center piece was a sitting GSD statue sitting on a little bamboo stand on a gold plate. Keeping with the traditional colors of red and gold. One of the food items I brought were tangerines to offer good luck, fortune, and wealth. I was so proud of the members and a couple of quests that stuck with our Chinese theme! Everything was delicious and everyone brought something different. At the end of the meeting I passed out a little give away. They were red envelopes with an embossed GSD in gold with chocolate coins inside. The envelope wishes the recipient good luck in the coming year. "Xie xie" pronounced shen shen means THANK YOU, which is what I say to everyone that made it a fun evening.

We had a great education program put on by Larry from Pet First Aid Seattle. He had an assistant named Jenn who demonstrated some basic first aid techniques on the stuffed demo dogs. There was a lot of great information from him. We would have liked him to speak longer but because we had the awards, and then the meeting after that, we just didn't have the time. However we told him we would like to have him and Jenn back again when we didn't have other club business to attend to.

Now, on to our annual awards night. We had 20 awards to hand out. Dalene has all the recipients listed on page 8. Leslee deserves a big thank you for the great job she did on the plaques.

Congratulations to our Member of the Year, Lorrie Nerney. If you don't know, Lorrie is our club's Treasurer. She has also been part of the club's raffle booth at our specialty for many years. She makes up the gift baskets, sells

tickets, and yells out the winning numbers. She also is the one that brings cute food items usually with a doggy theme. She's also been making some very cute GSD door prizes. If you were at the Christmas party you would have seen her sleigh pulled by GSD cute outs.

In honor of the club's 90th anniversary be sure to check out the column in this newsletter called "Highlights From The Past". A big thank you to Donna Sater for providing some fun pictures. We will be posting them throughout the year. Thank you to Dalene. She said she had some pictures she has added too. Please if anyone has some oldies but goodies photos please email them to me. We would love to feature them in upcoming issues.

We're now in March. That only gives us two short months to be ready for our annual specialty show. I know you all get tired of hearing me ask for trophy, food and raffle donations. We need members to sign up to help with the set up and break down of the show. Believe me I get tired of having to ask. PLEASE donate to the trophy fund or to sign up for a job to Laura. If you want to steward with obedience or rally contact our obedience chair Cindy Stratton.

Remember if you want a free plaque next year you now have to work at two club events or make donations to the trophy fund. Of course you will also earn club points for club gear.

Have a Happy St Patrick's Day!







<u>MARCH</u>

17 - Amanda Hackbarth

<u>APRIL</u>

4 - Gail Wells 11 - Donna Gonzalez

Meeting Dates

<u>Monthly Meeting Dates</u> (1st Thurs of Month)	<u>Board Meeting</u> (3rd Mon of Month)
March 1, 2018	March 19,2018
April 5, 2018	April 16,2018
May 3, 2018	May 20,2018
June 7, 2018	June 18, 2018
July 5, 2018	July 16, 2018
August 2, 2018	August 20, 2018
September 6, 2018	September 17, 2018
October 4, 2018	October 15, 2018





...**Club Meetings**...guests are always welcome to attend and enjoy our meetings, picnic, auction, and parties. See driving directions to hall on page 10.

""March Meeting…Demo of the new changes in obedience which take effect on May 1, so they'll be in effect at our shows. ALSO nominations for judges at the 2019 specialty shows.

...April Meeting...CGC Test will be the program, bring your dog if he doesn't have this title.

2018 AKC C Match (April 22) - Here's your chance to see if your dog is ready to enter the specialties while working on the actual show grounds - Carco Park in Renton. Check out page 17 for more details. Both conformation and obedience.

...**May Meeting**...Trick Dog Test, you have until May 4 to teach your dog 5 tricks if it already has a *CGC*, otherwise 10 tricks.

2018 Specialty Shows (May 12-13): Sounds like a long ways away, but many preparations for these shows are necessary months before the actual shows. The deadline for the premium list will be in February. All trophies must be listed in this document, as well as judges and the classes they will be judging, plus location of the show and other information — the most important of which is the entry blank.

2018 Temperament Test - July 15 Held at Carco Park in Renton, WA. No prior training required to enter the test. Dogs must be at least 1 year old. Watch for details in future issues of the NSN.

Club Web Site: <u>GSDCofWS.org</u> You can find information there about club activities,



Tidbits

by Dalene

EVENTS FOR THE FUTURE:

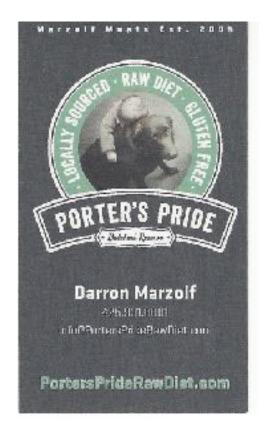
- Let Laura know if you're willing to donate a trophy/prize for classes at the specialty shows this year in May.
- Let Laura know if you're willing to donate your time for stewarding or any other job at the specialties.
- The club will be having a C Match on April 22, two or more weeks before the specialties so you can practice working in a ring-like atmosphere before the show entries close.
- Items you'd like to donate to the club raffle at the Saturday Specialty.
- Temperament Test coming up in July need volunteers for the stations in the test. If your dog hasn't earned the TC title, this will be the perfect opportunity to do so. Dogs have to be one year old, can be any breed, no prior training necessary.
- AHBA Herding test at Ewe-Topia in August, watch newsletter for date. No prior training necessary for this event either.
- If you're interested in being on the 2019 club calendar, start taking pictures for it now or go through your stash at home to find "just the right one".
- Club Auction at the October meeting keep your eyes open for items to donate to the auction, whether like-new items around your place or bargains you see in the stores between now and then.

A reminder from Amy Reagan, editor of WSOTC's newsletter "Canine Post": Dear Club Members, just a reminder as Spring approaches to think about what you use in your gardens and lawns.

Many of today's fertilizers contain 2-4-D which is linked to cancer in dogs.

<u>https://www.mnn.com/family/pets/stories/how-</u> <u>lawn-chemicals-and-herbicides-affect-dogs</u> I checked out the article and it brings up the possibility of this chemical drifting from your neighbor's yard or when you take your dog for a walk. Very Interesting...never thought of that.

Helen Word called me in February and we had a nice visit for about an hour. She had carpal tunnel surgery a week or so before that and was recuperating from it...the only surgery she's had except for having her tonsils out when she was young. I wonder how many others can say that? Certainly not me.



So good to see Leslee Hoober at the February meeting. Her father has been ill so she's been really busy, but she did a great job on the plaques presented at that meeting (see pictures of them and recipients on page 9).

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The February meeting was in honor of the Chinese New Year — the Year of the Dog. Amanda had all kinds of Chinese decorations on the food table and behind it on the wall. After the business meeting she presented those in attendance with an envelope (pictured on page 11) that had a gold GSD stamped on it and some foil covered pieces of candy inside. She goes to so much work for the meetings to make them more fun for everyone...too bad so many people don't attend.

Before the plagues were given out, our educational program was presented by Larry and Jenn of Metro Dog who do daycare for dogs, boarding, and homecare (his business card is on the next page). Plus they run seminars on first aid for dogs. That was the main focus of their presentation to us, and a very interesting one it was. Both Larry and Jenn are pictured on page (8), Jenn showing you how to muzzle a dog with a man's tie or something similar (how many men walk around now days with a tie on, but it works so well, you might want to carry one around with you just in case) in an emergency, and Larry showing how to give mouth to mouth resusitation to a dog. The measures they showed us are what need to be done whenever your dog needs immediate help to stabilize them so you can then take them to the vet for medical attention.



Then we went to the plaque awards. The surprise (because it's determined by a secret ballot at the January meeting) was our new Member of the Year recipient — Lorry Nerney — who certainly deserved it. Three of the other plaque recipients are people who also help out at a lot of club functions. Congratulations to Donna Sater for the ROM title on her dog. Kudos to Leslee for ordering and delivering the plaques (and for not telling anyone who won the Member of the Year

award).

The meeting ran late because of the program and the plaque awards which is why we usually don't have an educational program in February. Someone missed that this year.

Donna Gonzalez brought a sample trophy to the meeting to show us and pictured below. This particular size is for the higher awards at the shows, smaller ones will be given for class wins (I think that's what they said, don't hold me to it). Wouldn't you like to have one of them presented at the shows with your name on it as the donor? Well



then, all you have to do is send your donation to Laura Cronin.

That's the trophies we are giving away at our specialties this year marking the club's 90th birthday. I'd love to have one, but not much chance with Wrangler, he's too much into doing obedience the way he thinks it should be done. Too bad he can't write a letter to AKC and recommend some changes to the exercises.

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME

begins on Sunday, March 11 — Don't forget to set your clocks forward...or is it back...just kidding, it's forward. The only way I can remember is in the Spring you spring forward, in the Fall you fall back.

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OBEDIENCE TRAINING AT YOUR CONVENIENCE

Have a young or old dog to train in obedience? Can't find a class that's convenient for you, whether it's location or time of day? These three DVDs are your answer.

Dogs can begin formal training at 12 weeks of age and any time thereafter if you have kind of let their training slip by.

These three DVDs contain all the novice obedience exercises:

Heel on Leash & Figure 8 Stand for Examination Heel Off Leash Recall Finish Sit Stay Down Stay

All the exercises you need if you are interested in showing at dog shows in the AKC Novice Obedience Class or Beginner Novice Class. They are also the basics for any other training you are interested in.

OR

These same exercises will give you a welltrained dog to be your lifetime friend and companion — whether you are interested in showing or not.



Training Without Treats!

You can buy the DVDs for \$75 and train by yourself (at your convenience), or call and set up one or more private lessons (one free lesson), if you wish — either to get you started or to check on your progress after working with the DVDs for a few weeks — at \$30 each.

Using the DVDs, you can train when its convenient for you, no worry about missing a class and getting behind. You can watch a segment over several times until you're sure you understand it before working with your dog. You can also call me if you have any questions. Once your dog knows the exercises, you can take him/her out to work in public to learn to work around distractions instead of learning to ignore distractions AND trying to learn his lessons at the same time.

PRICE - \$75 for complete DVD set (plus \$4 postage) Claiburne Kennels

Contact: Dalene McIntire

253-852-0605

<u>dalenemcintire@q.com</u>



Now here's a great testimonial from the woman who dog sits for me when I have to go out of town — she is a Labrador person so she's used to large dogs:

"Both your dogs are great. They changed my whole opinion of a German Shepherd temperament. I always considered them aggressive and hyper. Yours are so sweet and fun. They are very special to me too!! "

Received an email from Carolyn Martello about a man and his son seeing their first elevator. An older woman goes into the elevator and the doors shut. While they are still standing there, the doors open back up and a beautiful woman walks out. The man grabs his son and tells him to go get his mother <u>quick</u>.

That made me laugh out loud... Carolyn wrote at the beginning, "I want one!" and Joanna Rand answered back "Maybe we could get a group discount."

Don't want to jinx Erika and Luna, but they seem to already have the new Open execises down pretty pat. Good luck at the Seattle show under the old rules.

Although some of the exercises have changed, if your dog learns the old exercises they replace, you should be able to do the new ones okay, especially in the various novice classes.

Check out page 16 if you're interested in attending a first-aid certification for dogs, the locations, and price, This is run by Metro Dog who were the presenters at the February club meeting.

Listed below and on the right are the names of members and their dogs who won titles (and a plaque) last year. Plaques were given out at the February meeting as always. Pictures of of the recipients are shown on the facing page. That makes 6 people earning 18 titles. Whew!

2018 PLAQUE AWARDS

RALLY EXCELLENT

• Diane Waid's, Dewaid's Southern My-Ahh Girl

COMPANION DOG EXCELLENT

• Patti Burns, Maddie's Magic Moment

COMPANION DOG

- Erika Brennan's, Brennan's Luna
- Kerry Southern's Redneck Woman v. Sudlich

PREFERRED COMPANION DOG

- Erika Brennan's, Brennan's Luna
- Kerry Southern's Von Sudlich's Southern Redneck -

PREFERRED COMPANION DOG EXCELLENT

• Erika Brennan's, Brennan's Luna -

BEGINNER NOVICE

- Erika Brennan's, Brennan's Luna
- Kerry Southern's Mi-Peg's Nolo Contendere v. Sater-Nordlicht
- •Kerry Southern's Southern Chanel Von Bolen
- Kerry Southern's Move Like Jagger v. Sudlich -
- Kerry Southern's Redneck Woman v. Sudlich
- Kerry Southern's I'm At Your Nine Von Sudlich

RALLY NOVICE

- Kerry Southern's I'm At Your Nine Von Sudlich
- Kerry Southern's Redneck Woman v. Sudlich

CHAMPION

- Kerry Southern's Sunrise Over Sloan Creek
- ·Donna Gonzalez's Thor CHAMPION

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 Donna Sater's Zima of Sater-Nordlicht - ROM (Register of Merit)

> AND MEMBER OF THE YEAR IS: Lorrie Nerney

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL!



PLAQUE AWARDS AT FEBRUARY MEETING

Right: Plaque Awards Table.

Middle: Erika Brennan with her plaques, Lorrie Nerney with her "Member of the Year" award, and Patti Burns with her plaque. Both Erika and Patti joined the club last year.

Below: Kerry with her dog and the many plaques she took home. The food table with decorations by Amanda celebrating the Chinese New Year.









CLUB PINS AVAILABLE

Club pins are only \$5 each (pictured at right).

Buy a couple so you don't have to be changing them from one jacket to another

Pins are available from Amanda or Dalene.

Driving Directions to Manhattan Community Hall





From I-5 driving north: Take the Orilla exit, turn left at end of exit, follow <u>S 188th</u> on across Highway 99 and through tunnel under the runway; stay on this road, which becomes Des Moines Memorial Drive, until you come to the light at 8th Avenue S, turn left, then right on South 186th, right on 4th Avenue S., and right on South 183rd (which is really a gravel driveway at this point), drive to the end to Manhattan Community Hall.

(You are basically making a big circle after you turn onto S. 186th as the hall is at the end of a dead end road.)

From I-5 driving south: Take the Orilla exit, turn right, follow from <u>S. 188th</u> above.

There are other ways to drive there, but these are the simplest. Phone number at the hall is **206-433-9900** if you get lost, whether following these directions or your own, and y. If you want to Google it, the address is 18300 - 4th Avenue South, Burien, WA.



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FEBRUARY CLUB MEETING







Top: Amanda made up envelopes stamped with a gold GSD and foil wrapped chocolate inside she gave to everyone. **Middle:** Part of the table decorations.

Bottom: Everything is set up and ready for the program. (All Photos of this meeting [3 pages] by Amanda)



Above: Chinese table decoration made by Amanda. Below: Dalene's Year of the Dog GSD t-shirt.





FEBRUARY CLUB MEETING







Clockwise from top left: Showing how to make a muzzle from a man's tie. Larry showing how to give a dog artificial respiration. Table of goodies. Two dogs (both are stuffed) dogs look like they are getting ready to have a disagreement. Slide showing who Larry and Jenn are.



More pictures on page 15...





Photo of the Month



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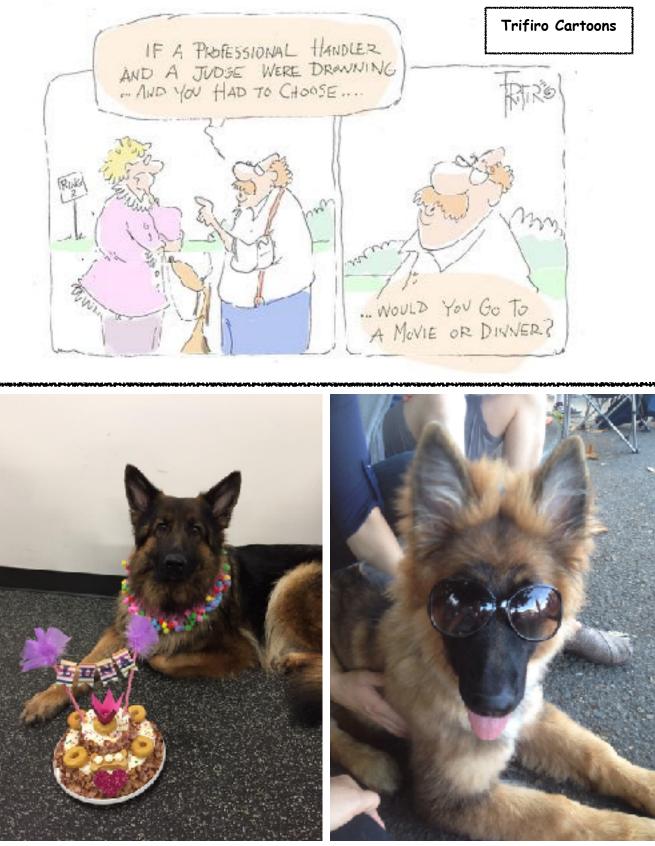
Submitted by Juula Jhme from Finland

To submit your puppy or dog picture for publication on this page in a future issue, send it either electronically or by snail mail to Dalene McIntire. (<u>dalenemcintire@g.com</u>). Address is on the newsletter masthead.

REMINDERS: Working at club activities earns points toward your club shirt and jacket. However, it is up to you to make sure the chairman has your name on the list of workers so you will receive credit.

It is also your responsibility to make sure you sign the roster at all club meetings if you want your points for attending. Printing your name will ensure it is readable.





LUNA'S SPACE Luna hoping for some sunshine

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Luna and her birthday cake.



German Shepherd Dog Club of Washington State, Inc Is offering an All-Breed/Mixed Breed CANINE GOOD CITIZEN TEST

April 5th, 2018, 7:00 PM At club meeting at Manhattan Community Center

Entry Fee: \$10.00. per dog Evaluator: KERRY SOUTHERN

Registration and Release Form

(Print	clearly	or	type)	

Dog's Name	
Dog's Name Breed	
Owner	
Address	
Phone	
Signature of Entrant(s)	
Phone Number	Date

Release Form

In consideration for participation in the Canine Good Citizen held by the German Shepherd Dog Club of Washington State Inc, I (we) agree to assume all responsibility for any claim, loss, or damage, of whatever kind or nature, whether to person or property, which may be caused at or near this CGC, I (we) further agree that I (we) will hold the GSDCWS, its officers, directors, agents and members harmless and defend them from any and all liability for any injury, claim, damage or loss, of whatever kind or nature, whether to person or property, caused at or near this CGC. I (we) agree to indemnify the GSDCWS, its officers, directors, agents and/or members for any loss, cost, or expenses, including attorney fees and costs, in which the GSDCWS, its officers, directors, agents or members might be subject as a result of any claim, suit, loss or damage caused in any way by any act or negligence on my part or on the part of any dog or dogs I (we) have entered or brought to the Sanction Match, I(we) acknowledge that while the GSDCWS may provide for this test, does not have and does not exercise control over the conduct of those present. I (we) certify and represent that the dog or dogs I (we) have entered or brought to this CGC is/are not a hazard to other dogs, other animals or to people.

Send entries to GSDC Washington State Inc c/o Kerry Southern 16509 245th St E Graham, WA 98338 OR bring to meeting.











Upcoming Class Dates:

- February 25, 2018 9:00 AM 7:00 PM Location: SplashDog Canine Well-Being Center, 9679 Firdale Ave., Edmonds, WA 98020
- March 11, 2018 Location: <u>Molley Too Animal Rescue</u>, 16715 Cleveland St. Redmand, WA 98052

Join us for a day of the most comprehensive pet first aid course available! Our Walks 'n' Wags certified Instructors offer a day of fun and learning. Classes are intended for pet care professionals, dog and cat awners, rescue workers, first responders, groomers and shelter workers. Course completion offers continuing education credits for IAABC, CBCC-KA and CPDT-KA members. This class has received the Animal Wellness Magazine Stamp of Approval and a Modern Dog Fave Find. We work with <u>live animals</u> in class. Our curriculum includes:

- Choking
- Beeding and Wounds
- Bone and Joint Injuries
- Restraint and Transport
- \$ CPR
- Artificial Respiration (AR)
- Eyo & Ear Injuries
- Burns, Frostbite, Hypothermia & Heat Stroke
- Polsoning
- Parasites

- Snake bite and insect stings
- Impaled objects
- ♦ Infections
- Bandaging
- ♦ Foreign Objects
- An easy-to-use manual and quick reference guide for your first aid kit.
- ♦ Contificate of completion

And much, much more!

Cost is \$149 per person. Discounts apply for pet care professionals, first responders, animal welfare workers (including foster parents) and service dog owners. Contact us for turther information and registration. Space is limited and fills quickly!





March - 2018



German Shepherd Dog Club of Washington State, Inc. Is offering an All Breed/Mixed Breed SANCTION C MATCH **NEW OBEDIENCE RULES!!!** Conformation, Obedience and Rally Min mum of 10 docs per Rally and Obedience each, 1 mit 40

April 22ND, 2018 Location:

CARCO PARK, Renton WA

EXIT 4 ON 405

Entry Fee: \$10.00, \$5.00 for second run same dog

Registration starts at 9:00 - Judging to start at 10:00 Conformation Judge: Juanita Williamson/Rally: Kerry Southern/Obedience: Debbie Addicoat

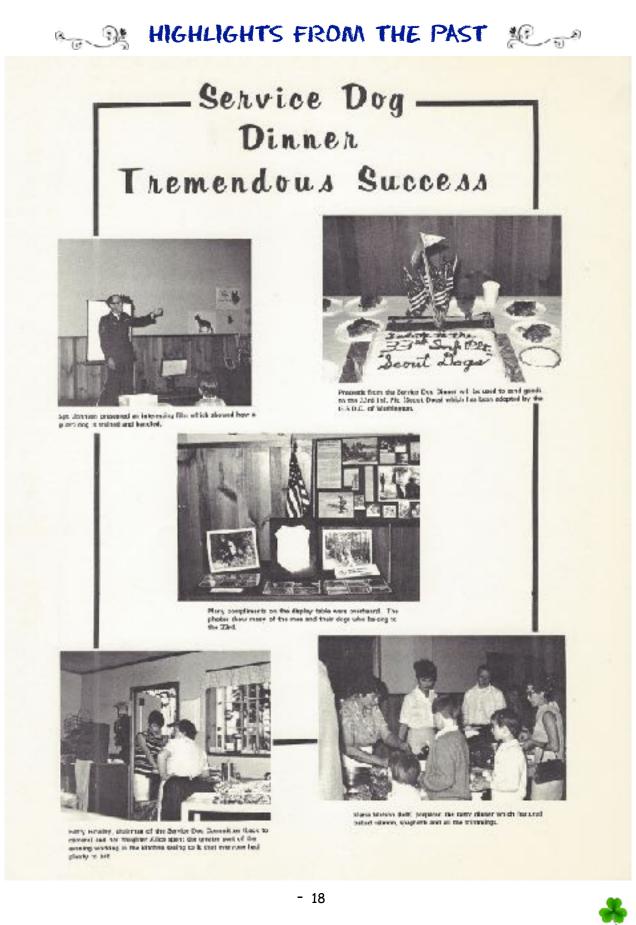
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MAKE CHECK PAVABLE TO: GSDCWS C/O Kerry Southern 16509 245th St E. Graham, WA 98338 A GREAT CHANCE TO SHOW UNDER NEW OBEDIENCE RULES BEFORE THEY TAKE EFFECT ON MAY 1, 2018





HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE PAST



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Pictured on the facing page is an ad we ran in the NSN back in the 70s about a special meeting we had about the Scout Dog Platoon (33rd Infantry Patrol) the club had adopted, sending packages to them with goodies for the dogs and their handlers, items not available to them while on duty in Viet Nam.

On this page you see the cover of a seminar the club held in 1974. The registration fee for this two-day seminar was \$20 for two days, \$12/50 for one day. Geez, now there's hardly any seminar that costs less than \$100 and some are \$200 or more.

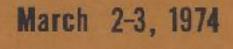
On the following page you'll see two of the inside pages of this program featuring well-known judges in conformation and obedience. I don't remember the number in attendance (maybe Betty will remember), but it was fairly large since it was for all breeds in

Another long-gone feature of this seminar: lunch was available for \$3.50 and dinner Saturday night was \$6.25. The rooms at the Hilton we had reserved for attendees were \$16 for a single and \$21 for a double. The seminar was held at a conference room in the Hilton, so once you were at the hotel, no need to travel until it was time to go home. And those staying overnight there could get together with other attendees and talk? About dogs, what else?

ALL BREED & OBEDIENCE JUDGING SEMINAR

AIRPORT HILTON

SEATTLE, WASHINGTON





Registration Limited To 250 Registration CLOSES February 25

This seminar was very well attended. Betty Winthers is the only member still bright eyed and bushy tailed today. (I don't think she will ever wind down, always on the go.) Janet Wilcox was a member and is the mother of John Wilcox, currently a well-known handler in this area.

Ralph Roberts was one of the most popular judges for German Shepherds and I'm happy to say he is still going .

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back. Ace Matthews was a prominent superintendent in this area back then. All the speakers were well-known judges of that time.

I had to make the size of these two pages a little smaller than they really are to get them onto one page, but you can still read it, a magnifying glass may be necessary.

If you have any pictures or flyers from the club's "good ole days", please send them to the editor via snail mail or email. Maybe younger members won't be interested because they didn't know these people, but I'll bet the "oldsters" around

SUNDAY March 3

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will say with glee..."I knew or remember those people", or "I attended that function." Let's see what you can come up with.

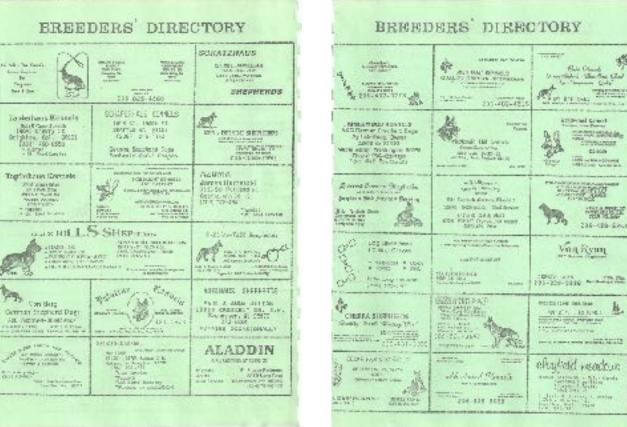


HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE PAST e De



Nicole Schmidtke and Karen Weidenbener

Kerry working at the club's booth.



Back in the days when the Breeders' Directory took up 2 pages in the newsletter, recognize any of the kennel names???



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This insert is issued as a supplement to the Obedience Regulations amended to January 1, 2016 and approved by the AKC Board of Directors November 14, 2017 '

CHAPTER 1. GENERAL REGULATIONS

Section 4. Obedience Classes Offered. (paragraph 3) Regular classes are the traditional standard titling obedience classes. Preferred classes offer alternative titling opportunities without a group exercise and have reduced jump heights. Optional titling classes offer a variety of intermediate and standard exercises. Nonregular classes are not titling classes; they provide an opportunity for dogs and handlers to hone their skills and gain ring time.

Section 16. Use of Leash. All dogs must be kept on a leash except when in the obedience ring, warm-up ring or exercise area and must be brought into and taken out of the ring on leash. Leashes must be clipped to the collar when dogs are brought in for classes requiring an on-leash exercise, a group exercise and awards. In a class where a leash is not required for the performance of the individual exercises, the dog may be brought into and taken out of the ring on a leash that slips/attaches through the dog's collar.

The leash must be made of fabric or leather and need only be long enough to provide adequate slack during the Heel on Leash exercise, unless stated otherwise in these regulations. The Novice Group Exercise - Sit and Down Stay, and the Beginner Novice Sit for Exam must be performed with the dog on a 6foot leash.

Section 25. Misbehavior. The handler is required to enter and exit the ring with the dog under control and without jumping, pulling or

tugging on the leash. Any display of fear or nervousness by the dog or any uncontrolled behavior such as barking or running away from its handler must be penalized according to the seriousness of the misbehavior whether it occurs during or between an exercise or before or after judging. The judge may release the dog from further competition in the class.

If a dog is working smartly and continuously but goes outside a ring boundary while completing an exercise (as opposed to a dog that bolts out of the ring or leaves the ring between exercises), the penalty, if any, is left to the discretion of the judge.

If the misbehavior occurs during an exercise, the penalty must first be applied to the score for that exercise. Should the penalty be greater than the value of the exercise, the additional points will be deducted from the total score under Miscellaneous Penalties. If such behavior occurs before or after the judging or between exercises, the entire penalty will be deducted under Miscellaneous Penalties.

CHAPTER 3 - NOVICE

Section 1. Novice A Class. The Novice A class shall be for dogs that have not won the CD title. A handler must own the dog entered or be a member of the owner's household or immediate family and may not have previously handled any dog that has earned an AKC Regular or Preferred Novice, Open, or Utility title. Owners may enter more than one dog in this class. The same person who handles the dog in the first five exercises must handle the dog in the group exercise; however, if a person has handled more than one dog in the first five exercises that will participate in the group exercise, that person must provide a handler for the additional dog in the same group exercise. The additional handler for the group exercise need not be a member of the owner's household or immediate family. No dog may be entered in both Novice A and Novice B at any one trial.

Prior to the start of judging, the judge will (Continued on Next Page)



decide where the leash will be placed and post this information at the ring approximately 45 minutes or earlier before the start of the class.

Section 2. Novice B Class. The owner or any other person may handle dogs in this class to earn a CD title. Owners may enter more than one dog in this class. The same person who handles the dog in the first five exercises must handle the dog in the group exercise; however, if a person has handled more than one dog in the first five exercises that will participate in the group exercise, that person must provide a handler for the additional dog in the same group exercise. No dog may be entered in both Novice A and Novice B at any one trial.

Prior to the start of judging, the judge will decide where the leash will be placed and post this information at the ring approximately 45 minutes or earlier before the start of the class.

Section 3. Novice Exercises and Scores. The exercises and maximum scores in the Novice classes:

1.	Heel on Leash and Fig. 8	40 pt <i>s</i>
2.	Stand for Examination	30 pts
3.	Heel Free	40 pts
4.	Recall	30 pt <i>s</i>
5.	Sit Stay - Get Your Leash	30 pts
6.	Group Exercise - Sit & Down Stay	30 pts

Maximum Total Score 200 pts The maximum judging rate is nine (9) dogs per hour.

Section 12. Sit Stay – Get Your Leash. The principal feature of this exercise is that the dog remains in the sit position.

The orders are: "Sit your dog," "Leave your dog to get your leash," and "Back to your dog."

The handler will stand with the dog sitting in heel position in a place designated by the judge. The judge will ask "Are you ready?" before giving the first order. On the judge's order the handler may command and/or signal the dog to sit without touching either the dog or the dog's collar. On further order to "Leave your dog to get your leash," the handler may give a command and/or signal to stay and will walk forward immediately to the place designated by the judge for the leash, pick up the leash, turn, and face the dog. The judge will give the order "Back to your dog." The handler must return directly, walking around and in back of the dog to heel position. The dog must not move from the sitting position until after the judge has said "Exercise finished." The judge will tell the handler "Clip your leash to the collar and maintain control of your dog." The handler is required to exit the ring with the dog under control and without jumping, pulling or tugging on the leash.

Judging Procedures: The judge will instruct the steward to place the leash at the designated location after the Heel on Leash and Figure Eight exercise. The handler and dog will be positioned at least 30 feet from and facing the direction of the gate entrance. The judge must be in position to watch the dog and handler throughout the exercise including exiting the ring.

Section 13. Sit Stay – Get Your Leash, Scoring. A non-qualifying score (NQ) is required for the following: The dog moving a substantial distance away from the place where it was left any time during the exercise, not remaining in the sit position until the handler has returned to heel position, and repeatedly barking or whining.

coring of the exercise for such things as rough treatment of a dog by its handler or resistance by a dog to its handler's attempts to make it sit starts with the first order, "Sit your dog." These will be penalized substantially and in extreme cases the dog may be released.

ubstantial deductions will be made for a dog that moves even a short distance from where it was left, that barks or whines only once or twice, or that changes from the sit position after the handler has returned to the heel position and before the judge has said, "Exercise finished." A substantial deduction, under Miscellaneous Penalties, must be made for a dog that does not remain under control while leaving the ring.

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GSDC of Washington State C Match April 22, 2018 Carco Park — Renton, Washington Contact Kerry Southern for more information 360-893-1622 — <u>vonsudlich@aol.com</u>

MORE DETAILS ON PAGE 15

Our yearly **Eastside Hushpuppies/Olympic Kennel Club Match**/Conformation B match/ OC Obedience and CGC match will be held **Sunday**, **March 4**, **2018 at the Enumclaw Expo Center**. Conformation, junior showmanship, obedience, and CGC + Advanced CGC will be offered. As always, we will have full concessions and a SPECTACULAR basket drawing.

Preregistration is greatly appreciated and recommended. Our flyer is available at: <u>http://eshp-4h.pbworks.com/f/2018%20Sanctioned%20B%20Match%20Flyer.pdf</u> (On-site registration will also be offered on the match date, beginning at 8:30am, but *preregistration is open now - it really helps us out.*)

This is always a fun match with a large turnout, and is a GREAT warmup for upcoming shows. *Please pass this info on to anyone who might be interested! We would love some new people!*

If you have any questions, feel free to email Terri - HartBult@aol.com

Looking forward to seeing you there!

GET WELL SOON, JOHN ...

John Sadler had surgery this past month and will be missing a few meetings. We all him well and look forward to seeing his smiling face again at the meetings. Those at the March meeting signed a get well card that was sent to him on behalf of all the members.



Section 14. Group Exercise – Sit and Down Stay. The principal feature of this exercise is that the dog remains in a sitting or down position, whichever is required at the time.

The orders are: "Sit your dogs," "Down your dogs," "Leave your dogs," and "Back to your dogs."

If a dog has non-qualified (NQ) in an individual exercise the judge must release the dog from performing the group exercise. A dog that does not remain sitting during the first part of this exercise must be released from participating in the second part.

Handlers of dogs that have qualified during the individual exercises will have the option of returning for the group exercise. After completion of the last individual exercise, if the dog has qualified, the judge will ask if the handler will be returning for the group exercise. Once handlers have notified the judge of their decision not to return for the group exercise they may not change their minds. Dogs that have been released or excused and handlers who have left the ring during the individual exercises may not return for the group exercise. See Judges' Guidelines, Judge's Book.

Dogs must be spaced with a minimum of six (6) feet between each dog and a minimum of four (4) feet from the ring barriers. Judges will position the dogs in the approximate center of the ring in one row or back-to-back in two rows with a minimum of six (6) feet between the rows. If the back-to-back formation is used, it must be used for all groups in the class. On a 50' side of the ring the maximum # of dogs allowed in a single row would be six (6) and in a back-to-back row twelve (12) dogs (see table):

Ma×imum #	Maximum # of Dogs
of Dogs	Back-to-Back Row
	Single Row
6	12
5	10
4	8
4	8
3	6
	of Dogs 6

The group exercise will be conducted after the last individual team in the class, or combined classes, is judged. If there are more dogs competing than can be handled in one group exercise, the judge will divide the class into approximately equal sections.

If two classes in the same classification have different judges, each judge must judge the group exercise separately. A judge with only a single dog competing in a class would be required to have the dog perform the group exercise alone. If the same judge is judging both Novice A and B classes (in the same classification) and the combined total of the dogs returning for the group exercise can be judged in only one group without exceeding the limit of dogs based on the size of the ring, the judge may combine the two classes for the group exercise.

This exercise must be performed with the dog on a 6-foot leash. The leash will remain clipped to the dog's collar and the handler will hold on to the leash throughout the entire exercise. The armband will remain on the handler's left arm. The dogs will be lined up in judging program order. Prior to beginning the exercise, the judge will instruct the handlers to remove their dog if it starts to move out of position. The judge will ask "Are you ready?" before giving the first order. On the judge's order, the handlers will command and/or signal their dogs to sit without touching either the dog or the dog's collar. On further order to "Leave your dogs," the handlers may give a command and/ or signal to stay and will walk forward immediately to the end of the leash, without jerking or tightening the leash, turn, and face their dogs. The leash must remain loose with slack throughout the entire exercise. After one minute from the time the judge ordered the handlers to leave their dogs, the judge will give the order "Back to your dogs." The handlers must return directly, walking around and in back of their own dog to heel position. The dogs must not move from the sitting position until after the judge has said "Exercise finished." This (Contínued on Next Page)

order will not be given until the handlers are back in heel position. The dogs must remain under control between this two-part exercise.

Before starting the Down Stay portion of this exercise the judge will ask "Are you ready?" On the judge's order, the handlers will command and/or signal their dog to down without touching either the dog or the dog's collar. On further order to "Leave your dogs," the handlers may give a command and/or signal to stay and will walk forward immediately to the end of the leash, without jerking or tightening the leash, turn, and face their dogs. The leash must remain loose with slack throughout the entire exercise.

After one minute from the time the judge ordered the handlers to leave their dogs, the judge will give the order, "Back to your dogs." The handlers must return directly, walking around and in back of their own dog to heel position. The dogs must not move from the down position until after the judge has said "Exercise finished." This order will not be given until the handlers are back in heel position. The judge will tell the exhibitors "Maintain control of your dogs." The handlers are required to exit the ring with their dogs under control and without jumping, pulling or tugging on the leash.

Judging Procedure: If a judge observes any signs of aggression or potential problems when the dogs are being assembled outside the ring for the group exercise or once the dogs are brought into the ring, the judge must excuse the dog and mark the judge's book "Excused" and state the reason.

Any handlers who physically correct their dogs before or after the group exercise or while leaving the ring must be penalized under Miscellaneous Penalties.

Judges must stand with their full attention on the dogs and handlers during the group exercise and remain alert to any potential problems. To have both dog and handler under constant observation in this exercise, a judge should take a position slightly to the rear of the dogs at one end of the

row(s) of dogs.

Section 15. Group Exercise – Sit and Down Stay, Scoring. A non- qualifying score (NQ) is required for the following: The dog moving a substantial distance away from the place where it was left any time during the exercise, not remaining in the required position until the handler has returned to heel position, and repeatedly barking or whining.

Substantial deductions will be made for the following: A dog that must be repositioned by its handler if it is out of position enough to interfere with an adjacent dog (in extreme cases the dog may be released), that moves even a short distance from where it was left, that barks or whines only once or twice, or that changes position after the handler has returned to heel position and before the judge has said, "Exercise finished." A substantial deduction will be made for jerking or tightening of the leash before the judge has said "Exercise finished;" depending on the extent, the deduction may include a non-qualifying (NQ) score. A substantial deduction, under Miscellaneous Penalties, must be made for a dog that does not remain under control while leaving the ring.

Minor or substantial deductions, depending on the circumstances, will be made for touching the dog or its collar while getting the dog into the down position.

Scoring of the exercise for such things as rough treatment of a dog by its handler or resistance by a dog to its handler's attempts to make it sit or lie down starts with the first order, sit or down your dogs. These will be penalized substantially and in extreme cases the dog may be released.

The timing of each stay exercise begins on the judge's order, "Leave your dogs."

Obvíously, these changes are LONG, so next month we'll have the changes for the OPEN Class. Stay tuned.





Whelped: December 31, 2017

Sire: Move Like Jagger v Sudlich, BN CGCA TDI, HIC HCT OFA prelim Hip/Elbows DM Clear

Dam: Southern Chanel vd Bolen, BN CGC HCG, OFA Hips/Elbows DM Clear

3 Males / 3 Females — Bicolors, 1 B&T male

Breeder: Kerry Southern

Email: vonsudlich@aol.com / Phone: 360-893-1622

Whelped: December 12, 2017

- Sire: Lazy L's Radar of Love, OFA Hips/Elbows, DM Clear
- Dam: Lazy Ls Fee of Love, OFA Hips/Elbows, DM Clear

3 Males / 2 Females

Breeder: Lorrie Ann Nerney

Email: lazylshepherds@comcast.net

Phone: 360-456-0800



(Photo submítted by Donna Sater)

PLEASE NOTE: The listings of litters in this newsletter are a courtesy to members. A listing does not constitute an endorsement of either the dogs or the breeders by the German Shepherd Dog Club of Washington State.

Two litters per year may be listed in the "Litter Box" for two months for free. After that there is a charge of \$10 per month. Send info to Dalene (editor) and/or to the club's Web Site, <u>gsdcofws.org</u>.

NOTE: New requirements: both the dam **and** sire of litters posted here must be OFA certified and a copy of certificates sent to editor.

Having OFA hips and elbows is very important and since it can be a selling point (and it is too easy to just say they are), proof must be supplied. Such copies will be kept on file so they need not be supplied with subsequent listings for that particular dog.







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German Shepherd Dog Club of America, Inc. Application for Membership or Renewal

There are two types of mombership. Regular Members: Minimum age of 18 years. Must be in good standing with AKC. Applicant (and are earling members) agrees to a side by the CSDCA by-laws and the Sules and Regulations of the American Kennel Club. Two encompanies by carrent members must be provided by new

applicants. Applicants nome will be published in the *German Shephord Log Network* Provided no bb estions have been field within 30 deyx of a blockion in the *German* applicant will be notified that he was is digitals for all privileges including the right to vote. Junior Members: Must be 10 years of age and not more them 19 years of age and shell subscript white sense ortens as Regular Membershowth the exception of the requirement to pay dues. Junior members cannot vote, hold office or serve on committees of er than Junior committees.

To apply and pay ONLINE with a credit card, please go to gadda.org.join-the-gadda/apply-online. You can MAIL this form to: Leura Gilbert, Cheir - 557 Dunning Lane, Chesepeake, VA. 23322

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Family	Online only	\$70	\$ 200	\$835	
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GSDCA.org

The GSDC of America's website with information on club activities, results of specialty shows, and much more.



ANOTHER WEB SITE OF INTEREST:

GSDCOFWS.org

The GSDC of Washington State's website with information on club activities, etc. There is also a Face Book page under German Shepherd Dog Club of Washington State.

AKC.org

The website for the American Kennel Club where you can look up show regulations; judges' names, addresses, phone numbers, future and past judging assignments; articles of interest about the canine world, check on information for your dog (titles, points, etc).



GSDC of Washington State Points by Totals

As of March, 2018

Name	Points	
*****Kerry Southern	2055	
*****Amanda Hackbarth	1790	
*****Dalene McIntire	1780	
****Donna Gonzalez	1305	250 points – polo shirt
****Cindy Stratton	1290	500 points – jacket
****Laura Cronin	1240	750 points – sweatshirt
***Leslee Hoober	935	1000 points – tote bag
***John Sadler	910	1500 points – t-shirt
**Theresa Schaal	780	2000 points – vest
**Lorrie Nerney	745	2500 points – polo shirt
**Ed Stratton	660	3000 points – sweat shirt
*Caralin Coffer	400	
*Barbara Donahey	400	
*Sherril Johnson	400	
*Jim Wells	370	
*Gail Wells	340	
*Ken Prince	330	
*Laurel Prince	330	
*Gina Sajjadi	330	:
*Kimmy Seward	350+	Ten points are earned for
		each meeting attended
•Eugene Pipko	355	and for working at club
*Brenda Piele	280	events.
		Fifteen points are earned
		for being chairman of a committee.
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**Have earned a jacket		10 points per board
***Have earned a sweatshirt		meeting.
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*****Have earned a t-shirt		
******Have earned a vest		
*******Have earned a polo shirt		
*******Have earned a sweatshirt		

COMING SHOWS IN THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST

MARCH - 2018

**Seattle Kennel Club - March 10-11, 2018 Seattle, WA - Supt: BaRay

**Peninsula Dog Fanciers Club, Inc, - March 24-25 Bremerton, WA - Supt: Onofrio

**Chintimini Kennel Club - March 30-31/April 1 Albany, OR - Supt: Onofrio

APRIL - 2018

**Ephrata-Moses Lake Kennel Club - April 14-15 Moses Lake, WA - Supt: BaRay Indoors/Outdoors

**Palouse Hills Dog Fanciers - April 20-21 Lewiston, ID - Supt: MB-F

**Lewis-Clark Kennel Club - April 22-23 Lewiston, ID - Supt: MB-F (indoors and outdoors)

**Walla Walla Kennel Club - April 28-29 Pendleton, OR - Supt: Onofrio

<u>MAY - 2018</u> **Olympia Dog Fanciers Assoc - May 5-6 Elma, WA - Supt: - Onofrio (no obedience)

**Klamath Dog Fanciers, Inc. - May 10-11-12-13 Klamath Falls, OR - Supt: MB-F

German Shepherd DC of Wash. State May 12-13 (Outdoors) Renton, WA - Supt: BaRay GSD Conformation, All-Breed Obedience, Rally both days

**Mr. Baker Kennel Club, Inc. - May 18-19 Lynden, WA - Supt: BaRay

**Bell Vernon Kennel Assoc., - May 20-21 Lynden, WA - Supt: BaRay

**Spokane Kennel Club - My 26-27 Spokane County Fair & Expo Cntr, Spokane Supt: Onofrio

**Coeur D'Alene Dog Fanciers - May 28-29 Kootenai Co. Fairgrounds, Coeur D'Alene, ID Supt: Onfrio

<u>June - 2018</u>

Yakima Valley K.C. - June 2-3 Ellensburg, WA Supt: BaRay

Snake River Canyon K.C. or Idaho - June 12 Filer, Idaho Supt: Onofrio Obedience - Indoors/Outdoors

**Pocatello Kennel Club - June 14-15 Blackfoot, ID Supt: Onofrio

**Eagle Rock Kennel Club - June 16-17 Blackfoot, ID Supt: Onofrio

STAND ALONE OBEDIENCE TRIALS

**Wash. St. Obed. Club - Mar 31, April 1 Mount Vernon, WA Supt: April 1

Mount Hood Keeshond Club - April 7-8 Salem, OR - Trial Sec: Phyllis Dinsmore mamadevildog@yahoo.com **All-Breed Obedience

****Indicates obedience shows held indoors**

SUPERINTENDENTS:

BaRay Event Services, P.O. Box 508, Burlington, WA 98233 -- (206) 818-3647 dogshows@barayevents.com

MB-F Inc., P.O. Box 22107, Greensboro, NC 27420-2107 (336) 379-9352 mbf@infodog.com

Onofrio Dog Shows, P.O. Box 4660, Portland,OR 97208-4660 (336) 239-1080 - <u>www.onofrio.com</u>

Rau Dog Shows, P.O. Box 6898 -Reading, PA 19610 - (610)-376-1880 <u>www.raudogshows.com</u>

If you wish more information about the shows in this list, go to <u>AKC.org</u> and check the events calendar, or



NORTHWEST SHEPHERD NEWS

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FROM: Dalene McIntire 11054 SE 192nd Street Renton, WA 98055

Best Newsletter

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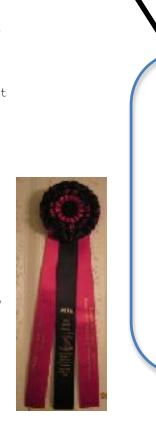
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