

Paw Prints

The Newsletter of the Rand Park Dog Training Club, Inc.



May/June 2015

Many members deserve our thanks for another wonderful Awards Banquet!

I want to thank everyone who attended the Awards Banquet. Bravo to you all. The attendance was a little less in numbers, but certainly not in spirit.

The auction went well, and Marge and Kathy outdid themselves again. Everyone had fun. Some won the items they wanted; some didn't have luck on their side, but next year will be here before you know it, so try again,

Our meal again was top-notch – the hot hors d'ouvers went over well, and the bar service was excellent. Our one social event of the year was certainly a success, thanks to all who worked on it and/or participated.

The committee was assisted by many extra hands. Lois Leidahl Marsh stepped up to help out in the preparation of the program – what a great job on such short notice. Lois Breslow worked overtime in the last 48 hours with last-minute details: seating, table mints, reservations, and to top it all off, she worked at the fun match Saturday morning. Others who deserve our thanks include Anita, for her work on the special awards, Ruth and Eleanor for the

great job on the annual awards, and I can't forget Sheryl Phelps and Linda Forman for additional help on the distribution of auction prizes. Thanks also to Sonja Lund and Karyn McCoy for making up auction gifts, and to Forrest Shields for donating the Rand Park Dog Training Club magnetic signs highlighting our club's motto.

And congratulations to all the recipients of the special awards! (See Ursula's report.)

It's always a pleasure when you see new members stepping up to help out, and to see our seasoned members working well with the newbies – that's what makes our club so great.

Last, but not least, speaking of seasoned (*read older*) members, several 50-year members were on hand to welcome Jean Eremo into the half-century membership club. We now have five 50-year members: Rudy Kuper, Don Meseth, Marion Meseth, Mary Ann Gobbo, and Jean Eremo.

See you all at next year's Awards Banquet.

Marion Meseth

From the President

Due to low attendance and high heat in the parking lot to which we are assigned, there will be no summer training this year. Of course, that doesn't mean you should stop working with your dog. There are plenty of ways to continue our training throughout the summer months so that your dog maintains skills for fall classes! Make those walks count by incorporating heeling and other skills!

I'd like to welcome our newest Board members: Delores Valerio, who will be serving as Director and heading up the Registration and New Member committees. Mary Laurie, who will serve as

Director and Equipment chair. If you need anything from our storage locker, Mary holds the key. Eileen Hennessy is the third new Director, and will work on the Trial Awards committee.

The next issue of Paw Prints will have the registration form for fall classes. Keep an eye out for it and get your forms in so that our new DOTs, Barb Krynski and Pat Beckstrom, will be able to fit you into your first choice of classes! We will again be offering a Nosework class in addition to regular obedience and Rally classes.

Terri Everwine

(See Terri's bio in this issue of Paw Prints.)

More about the Awards Banquet

By Ursula Hoeft

We were a handsome bunch at the Banquet – Rand Parkers clean up good! – and to repeat what Marion said, "everyone had fun." We owe Marion and Lois Breslow our thanks for organizing another wonderful Banquet for us. After the appetizers, adult beverages and the delicious meal, it was time for the "awards" part of the banquet. And there were a lot of awards presented – far too many to list here! They included awards for Obedience, Tracking, Rally, Agility and other titles. It's mindboggling how many performance titles now are available and how many of them our members pursue and earn!

Finally, after all the awards for titles and other achievements had been presented, and their recipients had been congratulated, it was time for the Special Awards – always a highlight of the Banquet.

Marge Kabala was chosen by the general membership to receive the coveted Member of the Year award. With all she does for the club, Marge richly deserved this honor.

The Fendt Award was presented to Anita Wolney "for her loyalty and devotion to the purpose and objectives of the club."

This year, the Roovaart Award for highest scoring dog in Utility A or B at our annual Obedience Trial was earned by Mary Dellorto's Bliss.

The Brinker Award was earned by Delores Valerio's Isolde who was highest scoring dog at our Annual Obedience Trial owned by a Rand Park member.

Novice Dog of the Year was Mary Dellorto's Deja
Utility Dog of the Year was Mary Dellorto's Bliss

Mary was presented with a beautiful framed photo of Bliss and, for Deja's accomplishment, a lovely Dobe "Welcome" sign to greet visitors to her home.

Joan Pufundt, Gail Kipp, Barb Pische and Sheryl Phelps were recognized with plaques for their Service to the Board.

This year, I was chosen by the Rand Park Board to receive the Henriksen Award "for willingly and devotedly carrying out the directives of the Rand Park Board." I feel very honored to have been selected for this prestigious Award! – Ursula.

The Banquet is also the time when members' milestone anniversaries are celebrated. This year, Jean Eremo was recognized for 50 years of membership (as mentioned in Marion's article), Carole Burns and Patti Kalal for 25 years, and Sharon Freund, Mikki Freund, Denise Hopkins and Chuck Serchuk for 10 years.

And all the while that we were applauding the recipients of awards, the winning raffle numbers were being picked and passed out to the lucky winners.

What a great time it was!

The swearing in of the 2015-2016 Board was also an important part of the Banquet – some of them are in the photo on the right. Board members for the coming year are Rudy Kuper, Chairman of the Board; Terri Everwine, President; Marion Meseth, Vice President; Linda Forman, Secretary; Laurie Ingstrup, Assistant Secretary; Eleanor Goss, Treasurer; Gloria Blanton, Assistant Treasurer; Directors: Mary Laurie, Lois Breslow, Delores Valerio, Jean Eremo, Gail Kellberg, Eileen Hennesy (one year term) replacing Terri Everwine.



From left, Directors Jean Eremo, Mary Laurie, Delores Valerio, Eileen Hennesy

So many people to thank!

While our Rally and Obedience Trials on April 25 and 26 are now just a memory – a pleasant one for many of us – my appreciation for all those who helped make them successful is in no way diminished. There are so many people to thank!

- Jean Eremo for again being my mentor and always "having my back."
- Laurie Ingstrup and Barb Pische for assuming the Chief Ring Steward responsibilities, Laurie for Rally on Saturday and Barb for Obedience on Sunday. The great crews of Stewards they recruited kept the classes moving along efficiently.
- Marion Meseth and Anita Wolney for taking care of the awards for the Trials. Making sure that there were rosettes, ribbons, dog toys, etcetera, to present to all those who earned them was a big job.
- Lois Leidahl-Marsh and those who assisted her for transporting and setting up the equipment needed for the trials. Lois's "crew" consisted of Ike Lichter and Barb Pische.
- Frank Laurie for all his help with equipment – and whatever – any time help was needed
- Lois Breslow for making sure everyone was well fed. The food was delicious! Lois always does a wonderful job on hospitality for Rand Park's events.
- Sheryl Phelps for the use of her "boom box" and CD of our National Anthem.
- Bill Urquhart for his guidance and help.
- Karyn McCoy for all the wonderful photos she took at the Trials.

Thank you also to Jim Langford, Trial Secretary, for always being there to answer my questions and address my concerns within minutes of my contacting him. It was great working with Jim!

To anyone I've forgotten – and I'm sure there are more folks who also deserve recognition for pitching in – please know that your help was appreciated nonetheless.

Ursula Hoeft, Trial Chair

From Laurie Ingstrup, Rally Chief Ring Steward

A big "thank you" goes to the people who volunteered to be Ring Stewards at our Rally Trial and ran their rings so smoothly: Marge Kabala, Carlos Santos, Dolores Valerio, Diane Thompson, Tyrone Kalogeresiz,, Suzy Anetsberger, Joanne Baran and Eva Allen.

Without volunteers like you our club wouldn't be able to do the things it does.

From Barbara Pische, Obedience Chief Ring Steward

I would like to give a great big hug to all the people who volunteered to be stewards at our Obedience Trial. They made my job run so smoothly.

For the Utility class, Stewards were Barbara Sciarra (from North Shore DTC), Pat Beckstrom, and Jo Ann Neville.

For the Open class there were Stewards Gloria Urquhart, Pat Duryea, and Marge Kabala who did an outstanding job with this big class.

And in the Novice ring we Ruth Shields, Bill Urquhart, Evelyn Gianos and Delores Valerio Stewarding. They not only did a great job keeping the ring going smoothly but also helped the Novice people so they had a good ring experience.

Rand Parkers have a lot to brag about!

There was a lot of green passed out to Rand Park members at our Rally and Obedience Trials on April 25 and 26 – green ribbons that is! Lots of club members received them for qualifying scores. And some got ribbons in other colors, too, for placing first, second third and fourth in their classes. Here are those who sent me their "brags."

Mary Dellorto's Labrador Retriever, Bliss, qualified in Open B and Utility; her Doberman, Déjà, placed 3rd in Open A.

Diane Stark says, "thanks to all the training instructors we have been working with," her Shih Tzu, Tenshi Tidbit, earned two legs toward the Novice Rally Obedience title. (Tidbit also got a second place in Trial #1 and a first place in Trial #2 – ed.)

Mary Laurie's Boxer, Vinny, took 3rd place and completed his Rally Novice title on Saturday. In Obedience on Sunday, Oscar, Mary's other Boxer, placed second in Novice B, and Vinny placed second in Beginner Novice B to complete the Beginner Novice Title. Oscar also earned a Rally Novice title. Mary says "the dogs, Frank and I celebrated with a walk in the park (one of Oscar's and Vinny's favorite activities) and a special dinner." (With the outstanding work she does with

the dogs, I hope Mary got to have a special dinner, too – at a nice restaurant! – ed.)

Karyn McCoy's dog, Buddy, qualified and got 2nd place in the Novice Obedience class.

Cathy Anderson and Colby, Linda Hermann and Enzo, Diane Thompson and Robbie all qualified in Beginner Novice A. And Colby also received a first place ribbon, Enzo a second place ribbon, and Robbie a third place ribbon.

Nancy Foster's Rio qualified in Rally on Saturday.

Forrest Shields and Fiona earned their second Novice leg and took third place at our Obedience Trial. Ruth Shields says, "It was a big year for the Shield's girls. Fiona earned her Rally Novice and Beginner Novice titles and Ceilidh earned three titles: Rally Novice, Beginner Novice and Novice. Now if she would only take her dumbbell. We are so proud of our little white fluffy girls."

I know there were more Rand Park members who qualified at our Trials, some probably also placed in their classes. If your accomplishment isn't listed here, it most likely is because you didn't let me know about it. But it's not too late. Send me your "brag" and I'll be glad to print it in the next issue of Paw Prints. – Ursula

More "brags"

From Jo Ann Neville

On April 25, Oliver (Bearded Collie) earned a Nosework element title – NW1 I – Level 1 Interiors.

From Patricia Duryea

I am so proud of Ruby and my sister, Lynn Balsiger. After the Christmas Holidays, I went to Georgia to enjoy the weather and company of my sister and her husband, Ken. Lynn and Ruby started working on obedience. I have been training Ruby at obedience but with my lack of nerve and her duties as a momma, we just never tested. Thanks to Rand Park Dog Training Club instructors and Frank Foster for helping me train Ruby. Lynn and Ruby trained with Pam Long in Canton, GA for four weeks. So away Lynn and Ruby went. Lynn and Ruby came away with her CD title in one weekend with nice scores of 194 1/2, 192 1/2 and 186. So now we are on to working on our TDX and maybe a Draft title; however, draft is the one thing she truly hates!

From Pat Beckstrom

At the recent German Shorthair Club of America Specialty in Denver, Daisy placed 2nd in the Veterans Class, Cruiser got 2nd and 3rd places in Advanced Rally, and Hersey placed 4th in the Puppy (breed) class.



Judge Diane Allen, Forrest and Fiona

VST Test Report

By Gina Femali, Chairperson/Chief Tracklayer

There were two passes at Rand Park's VST test in Lincolnshire on May 17. Nine-year-old Rottweiler CH, OTCH Kinjack's Renegade V Trajan, UDX, OM2, RE, TDX, HSAS, PT, HT, NJP added CT to the list of titles before his name, by passing on VST track one with owner/handler Tracy McMahon. This team did a fantastic job in the warm, humid weather. There was a little added "excitement" on the last leg of the track when judge Marge Schultz's knee gave out, causing her to fall. As we were attending to Marge she kept telling us to watch the dog because he was going to do it, and she was right!

The second pass of the day was on track five. Three-year-old Labrador Retriever Rush Lake's Chutes and Ladders, CD, TD, RE, and now VST and co-owner Penny Kurz did a beautiful job! When their track went near a lake, Penny was successful in persuading Shooter to continue tracking instead of taking a swim and perhaps retrieving a duck. The dog was very warm on the last leg of the track, but Penny helped to cool him down with iced towels and plenty of water. She patiently waited and helped motivate Shooter to finish the track and find the final article! Penny has the patience of a saint.

Thank you to our judges, Marge Schultz and Wally O'Brien. They worked like troupers to plot tracks in the warm weather on Saturday and judge them on Sunday. Judge Lois Leidahl-Marsh stopped by the test today to watch and ended up helping Marge and Wally. This test could not have happened without the many *WONDERFUL* volunteers who gave up their weekend to lay track, provide hospitality, drive judges and tracklayers, and work as test secretary. A big thank you to tracklayers Ike Lichter, Judy Belluomini, Benita Theleen, Bill Urquhart, Roni Szeliga, Vicki Marhefke, Charlene Denys, and Sally Bushwaller; secretary Barb Larsen; drivers Pat Duryea, Mary Anne Fowler, and Teresa Higgins; hospitality crew Terri Everwine and Lois Breslow who were also helped by people contributing salads and desserts. A big thank you to Moraine Tracking Club for letting us borrow the EZ-UP for shelter and Terri Everwine for hauling it to the test!

It was a warm and busy weekend, but it is so gratifying when you have some passes! The other teams that didn't pass this time worked well and will surely pass soon. What a wonderful weekend!



Judge Marge Schultz, Tracy McMahon and Reno, and Judge Wally O'Brien



Judge Marge Schultz, Penny Kurz and Shooter, and Judge Wally O'Brien

Sad News from Aliss South

Retief

November 22, 2001 to March 4, 2015



UROC, UCD, UGRACH4, Retief of the CDT, CGC, RAE, ARCHX, VAX, RSL3X, ThD, RLV, CL3-F, CTL1-H, CTL3-R, CTL1-S (and probably some I forgot)

About 13 years ago I adopted a gangly, ungainly, but beautifully marked brindle pinto pup. I wondered if he'd ever look like an Akita. He grew to be so handsome that when I walked him cars would stop to tell me how gorgeous he was.

I wanted to do dog sports with him, so when his growth plates were set he began agility classes. At first he had no idea where his hind legs were – as far as he was aware they might have been back in Japan. He wore purple pony tail scrunchies on his hind legs for quite some until he knew they were part of his body.

Retief's first "sport" was counter surfing, at which he was a master. As he was very tall, it became a challenge to push food back far enough that he couldn't reach it. He was also a carb freak. Several times I looked up from some task to see him heading off for his crate with a whole loaf of homemade bread in his mouth.

Retief led me into the world of dog sports where we found great people and good times. I went from being "the Akita lady" to "Retief's Mom" to "Retief's Mom Aliss." It was a wonderful, magical time that I will always hold dear. Never a one-trick-pony, Retief titled in formal obedience, rally obedience, agility (and if his Mom hadn't gone brain dead would have titled in nose work.)

Retief's favorite sport was agility – he really truly loved to get out and run with Mom. Never a really fast dog, he was extremely accurate; a friend called him "Mr. Automatic Q." For five years in a row he was invited to the UKC agility all-star competition and twice took a placement ribbon among the top 50 agility dogs. I loved running with him – he would do his best at whatever I asked of him.

He didn't especially care for formal obedience, but did get a CD in two different venues. In rally obedience he became a champion in three different venues. Even unleashed he focused on me, and we became a great team. Some of the judges got a kick out of how a dog his size sometimes would leap into the air and come down in a perfectly placed sit.

While very much a Mama's boy, Retief enjoyed his activities as a therapy dog in an assisted living facility and an adult day care. His height was an advantage, as people in wheelchairs could pet him without having to bend or stretch. He made over 100 therapy visits. He also represented his breed at the Illinois State Library Association and the Skokie Public Library along with Leslea Newman author of the award winning book "Hachiko Waits."

Retief was a one-of-a-kind team mate. I'm so truly blessed that he came into my life. I've had many wonderful dogs in my life, but Tiefie was special beyond belief; I'll never have another like him. I still tear up when thinking of him, even though I know he would not want me to be sad. He'd say "Mom, don't cry. We had something special and love transcends time and space –we will always love each other, and you will love others after me. Now I'm going to run a couple of celestial agility courses with Obi-Wan and Klaatu and we'll wait for you."

Legislative Liaison Committee Report

May 18, 2015

Rand Park's Legislative Committee consists of Margo Milde, Chair mrm1206@yahoo.com and Lois Leidahl-Marsh bernersplus@comcast.net Please be sure to contact us with any pet legislation concerns or questions.

"It is more convenient to prevent the passage of a law, than to declare it void after it has passed." -- James Madison, 1787

IFDCO (Illinois Federation of Dog Clubs and Owners) continues to work with YOUR interests in mind.

1. There are currently no newly introduced Illinois bills that we (Illinois Federation of Dog Owners) are watching that appear detrimental to Illinois pet owners. Because there exist several "shell bills", that could possibly change at any time.
2. Our IFDCO Initiative bill HB 4029, Amendment 1 - Animal Welfare, Identify Owner - passed through the Agricultural Committee on Thursday (May 14). This bill would require that private Illinois shelters and rescues search for owner ID on the stray/lost animal they take in and contact the owner within 24 hours, then hold the animal for 7 days. Currently, this had been required only of municipal Animal Control facilities. IFDCO wrote and supported the Animal Control version in 2011, when it was passed. Believe it or not, there is NO requirement that private shelters or rescues contact the owner regarding a lost or stray pet in their possession, even with clear ID on the animal. We have heard various stories of animals being adopted out from private shelters without the owner -- still searching for their pet -- having been contacted. Amendment 1 had been added to HB 4029 with the consensus of most stakeholders (including IFDCO). Unfortunately, another stakeholder insisted that Amendment 2 be filed, regarding feral cats, which might make this bill more difficult to have passed. The current situation regarding this bill is very fluid at this time. Updated information on the status of this bill will be posted to the Illinois legislative website (ilga.gov).
3. IFDCO opposes the following Illinois bills in the current Spring legislative session, introduced earlier this year:

HB2589 – Do Not Adopt Registry [Sponsor: Tabares]

HB3773 – Animal Abuse Registry [Sponsor: Tabares]

SB108 – Animals – Veterinary Kennels [Sponsor: Silverstein]

SB1362 – Animal Control – First Responders/Vicious Animals Database [Sponsor: Silverstein]

None of these four bills are active at this time.

Updates will be posted on the IFDCO website: <http://www.ifdco.org/>

Questionable pet microchip companies popping up: Chicago pet columnist Steve Dale recently had a good in-depth article about several new microchip companies that may not be keeping an updated pet owner database and would not be of significant help in achieving the return of a lost pet. This is important information if you've had your dog recently microchipped or are thinking of doing so. As with any business sector, there seem to always be a few questionable players. Unfortunately, it's typically up to the consumer to find out who these are. Read Steve Dale's column on this topic:

<http://www.chicagonow.com/steve-dales-pet-world/2015/05/some-pet-microchip-companies-acting-irresponsibly/%20http://www.chicagonow.com/steve-dales-pet-world/2015/05/some-pet-microchip-companies-acting-irresponsibly/>

AKC's new Legislative Position Statement Protects Pets of Domestic Violence Victims and Ownership Rights:

According to this new Position Statement,

“(t)he American Kennel Club supports additions to states’ domestic violence statutes that allow for the issuance of protective orders that seek to guard pets from harm, risk of harm or alienation. Such protections should include prohibiting alleged abusers from contact with pets and permitting grants of temporary exclusive care or control of a pet to a petitioning alleged victim. Statutes may also provide appropriate financial remedies for the petitioner to provide for the care of the animals subject to a protective order. These provisions should not impact the legal status of animals as property.”

Read the press release here: <http://www.akc.org/news/akc-re-emphasizing-the-protection-pets-of-domestic-violence-victims-and-ownership-rights/>

And the new Position Statement can be found here:

http://s3-us-west-2.amazonaws.com/americankennelclub/Government_Relations/Protections_for_Pets_under_State_Domestic_Violence_Acts_2015.pdf

Canine influenza expert calls for better border protection to protect US residents and their pets from future outbreaks of imported domestic animal disease: Previous to the Chicago area outbreak, this new canine influenza virus (H3N2) was only known to exist in several Asian countries (Korea, Thailand, and China). This virus is thought by many to have quite possibly been brought to the US from imports of rescue dogs from Korea, where the virus is rampant in the dog and cat population, especially in animal shelters. Cornell University's Dr. Ed Dubovi, a recognized expert on canine influenza, is calling for future measures to prevent this from happening again. Says Dr. Dubovi, "We have absolutely, without a shadow of a doubt, proof that a foreign animal disease has been imported into the U.S. I don't think anyone can look at this situation and say we're protecting our animal population the best we can... We don't know how it happened, but it certainly could have come from a dog or a cat. There are multiple international groups who are rescuing dogs from the meat market in Korea and shipping them into the U.S., and we have sketchy quarantine requirements if any at all. Restrictions on the movements of companion animals across borders are somewhat nonexistent."

Read the full article here: <http://news.vin.com/VINNews.aspx?articleId=36524>

Welcome New Member ...

Marie Goulden

We hope you and your dog will enjoy – and benefit from – your association with Rand Park DTC.

Marge Kabala would like the member who donated the embroidered towels and sweatshirts for the raffle to contact her.

They were a big hit at the Awards Banquet! Marge's phone number is 773-750-9989.

Thank you, Karyn!

Karyn McCoy took about a "million" pictures at our Trials, Awards Banquet and CGC test. Only a very few are included in this newsletter. If you haven't already seen them, you can see many more of her photos by going to the website Flickr and typing RPDTC15 in the search line.

Thank you SO much, Karyn, for always taking photos at club events and sending them to me for the newsletter. Your pictures are always wonderful!

Summertime, and the living is easy!



The next issue of Paw Prints will come out in July, in time to get you psyched up for training to begin again in Fall. It will include a class registration form and the training calendar for next year. Sign up for training early! I waited too long to sign up for the Spring session and the class Kate and I wanted to be in was filled so we missed out. I'm not gonna let that happen again!



Many of you will be going into trials and participating in other dog activities during the Summer. Be sure to send me your "brags" and other news for Paw Prints. You can send them by US postal mail to Ursula Hoeft, 1814 Illinois Road, Northbrook, IL 60062 or by email to randparkpawprints@live.com. Email is greatly preferred!

Have a safe and happy Summer. See you in September!

Ursula

Meet Our New President Terri Everwine

I have been involved in the sport of dogs since the age of 12, when I owned an unregistered poodle I wanted to train and show. A friend and I satisfied our desire to show dogs by organizing and running a children's charity dog show for seven years before acquiring registered dogs we could show at AKC events.

I originally got involved with Rand Park as a result of those charity shows. One of our judges was an active exhibitor with Lincolnwood German Shepherd Club. Ray Losch acted as a mentor to my friend and me, and introduced us to Dick and Kay Guetzloff, who at the time were teaching for Rand Park. Thus began the quest for AKC obedience titles on my dogs, and I never looked back.

My interest in dog sports grew from obedience and breed competition to field trials and tracking. I began tracking in 1979 with a German shorthaired pointer, just before the TDX title was born. After earning the TD title, I then pursued obedience and field trials and later hunt test titles and began judging pointing breed hunting tests. After attaining Senior and Master Hunter titles on my shorthairs, I returned to tracking and earned the TDX title with my original dog, and TD and TDX titles on other shorthairs and poodles I owned and co-owned. I teach tracking classes for both Rand Park DTC and Moraine Tracking Club, and have helped many others earn tracking titles over the years. I began judging tracking tests in 1991.

A dog groomer by profession, I have also successfully shown my miniature poodles in breed in addition to obedience and tracking. A friend introduced me to flat coated retrievers and that relationship enabled me to finish my first Champion Tracker (CT) title. After 32 years with German shorthairs, my husband's worsening allergies forced a switch to poodles exclusively in recent years. Poodles I have bred and/or owned have earned titles in conformation, tracking, obedience, rally, agility and even herding! I finished my second CT with a homebred miniature poodle.

I have been an instructor for Rand Park's obedience classes since the early 80s, teaching at all levels from beginners to utility. My first love is teaching beginners and hopefully instilling in them the joy of owning a well trained dogs and love of competition in dog sports.

This will be my second term as President. I have served the club as DOT for four years, have been on almost every committee and served on the board for many years. My goal as president this time around is to promote the club and our training to attract new members and continue encouraging dog owners to participate in the many fun activities available in the great sport of dogs that has served me so well over the years.

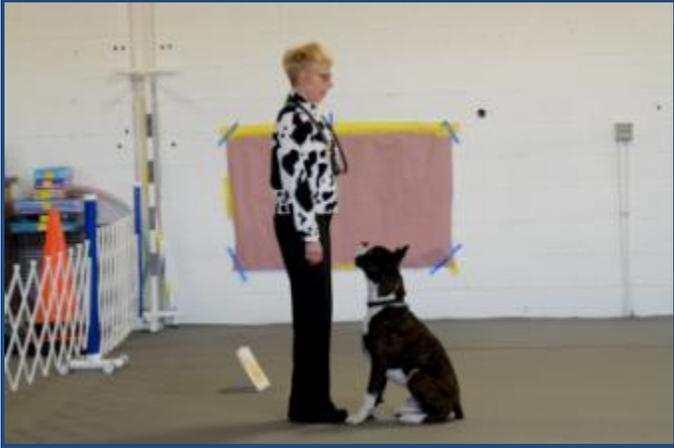


From left, Diane Muzzey, Lois Leidahl-Marsh, Terri, and judge Dr. C. Danae Steele at a recent tracking test.



Terri with CH Argosy SS Hope of Maestoso

Rand Park members at our Rally and Obedience Trials on April 25 and 26



Seen at the Awards Banquet – lots of happy faces!



Rand Park Dog Training Club Correction Clinics

2015 Correction Clinic Dates:

June 6, July 11

at

For Your Canine Annex

3312 Bloomingdale Rd (around the corner from 1975 Cornell Bldg)

Melrose Park, Illinois

(For Your Canine is air conditioned)

Judging starts at 10:00 a.m.

No entries will be accepted after 12:00 p.m.

Fees: Pre-entry: \$8 (\$7 for second entry of same dog)

Gate entry: \$9 (\$8 for second entry of same dog.)

Classes Offered: Beginner Novice – Novice – Open – Utility

RALLY ALL CLASSES

Enter Early – All classes are limited to 30 entries

Mail entries to: Jean Eremo, 2511 N. 79th Ave., Elmwood Park, IL 60707

For more information: 708-453-5128 – JEANEREMO@AOL.COM

Make checks payable to: Rand Park Dog Training Club, Inc. (RPDTC)

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____

E-Mail: _____ Breed: _____ Dog's Name: _____

Class: _____ Additional Class: _____ Jump Heights: _____

I agree to indemnify and hold harmless Rand Park Dog Training Club, Inc., its officers, directors and members against any and all claims or actions that may at any time be made or instituted against them or any of them by any person for the purpose of enforcing any cause or action growing out of or connected with my attendance or my dog's attendance at the correction clinics conducted by the Rand Park Dog Training Club, Inc.

Signature _____ Date: _____

Clinic Date: _____ Amount Paid: _____

Rand Park Dog Training Club, Inc.