



CHATTANOOGA CHEW CHEW NEWS

FEBRUARY 2025

Officers

President: Marilyn Harban

Vice President: Matt McMillan

Treasurer: Jackie Lawrence

Rec. Secretary: Carlene Gilstrap

Corr. Secretary: Mark Brown

Board of Directors

2025-2026

Sharon Mooney

Clayton Mooney

Jim Lawrence

2024-2025

Jerry Davis

Rita Farmer

Mary Menozi

AKC Delegate: David Gilstrap


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Breeder Referral Jackie
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The March meeting is 3-11-2025, Board Meeting@ 6PM. General Membership @7PM. Louie Alford Hall at Tri-State Exhibition Center 200 Natures Trail SW, McDonald, TN.

 Mark Brown will give a presentation on AKC Earthdog with a short demonstration.

 Pizza will be provided.

CONFORMATION HANDLING CLASSES WILL BE BACK SOON!

TRI STATE EXHIBITION CENTER
200 Nature's Trail SW
McDonald TN

EXIT 20 OFF I-75 N, THEN WEST TO TRI STATE

MULTI-PURPOSE BUILDING (NEW BUILDING) AT BACK OF PROPERTY
HEATED AND AIR-CONDITIONED
EVERYONE BRING YOUR OWN CHAIR

6:30 PM – ALL DOGS

SESSION I SCHEDULE:

Mar 18, 25, Apr 1, 15, 22, & 29

Members fee \$5

Non-members fee \$10

Junior Handling FREE

Watch FB and Website for any change in Class Notices

Chattanooga Kennel Club
Board Meeting
Tri- State Exhibition Center Louie Alford Hall
11 February 2025

Present: Jerry Davis, Jim Lawrence, Jackie Lawrence, Kelli Whitfield, Mark Brown, Sharon Mooney, Clayton Mooney, Marilyn Harban, Rita Farmer. Absent: Mary Menozi, Matt McMillian, Carlene Gilstrap

Meeting called to order at 6:04PM by President Marilyn Harban

Treasurer Report: Jackie Lawrence reported that a report will be emailed to BOD. There are 4 outstanding checks from the show. Taxes are done just waiting for it to be accepted.

Corresponding Secretary: Mark Brown reported that AKC sent a notice of fee increase effective in October. The current fee of \$3.00 per entry will increase to \$4.50 per entry, while the \$0.50 recording fee will remain unchanged. So \$5/entry.

Show Report: On track, waiting on specialty clubs

Membership: Rita Farmer announced that two new applications were received for members last month and will be voted on if they attend the next meeting. Rita will contact any unpaid members and let them know they will need to send a written request to rejoin the club.

Government Relations: Jim Lawrence -Nothing to report, a bit of a lull right now.

Website: The security updates were completed for the website and some minor updates will be added for updated information.

Programs: A tentative program schedule has been submitted by Kelli Whitfield, adding some food to meetings was suggested.

Trophy chair: Marilyn Harban asked for ideas from the membership/BOD about trophy ideas as it's tough to find unique things <\$30. Towels, table covers were mentioned.

Training Classes: Marilyn Harban reported that Tri-State has the building in use in February so our classes will be @6:30PM March 18th and run through April 29th. Classes will be in the new building and trainers are being worked out for the classes.

Unfinished Business: None

New Business: Tristate BOD meeting is this week and it was brought up that the HVAC in the Louie Alford Hall is still not working correctly.

Motion to adjourn S/P, adjourned at 6:35PM
Respectfully submitted by Kelli Whitfield, Bulletin Secretary

Chattanooga Kennel Club
Membership Meeting
Tri- State Exhibition Center Louie Alford Hall
11 February 2025

Present: 15 members and 2 guests

Meeting called to order @7:01 PM by President Marilyn Harban

Minutes were read by Kelli Whitfield. S/P

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Show Report: All on track. Specialty clubs are the hold up now.

Penny Crutcher (? Spelling) will NOT be able to do the RV parking at our show so another alternative will be needed.

Government Relations: Jim Lawrence -Nothing to report, a bit of a lull right now.

Website: The security updates were completed for the website and some minor updates will be added for updated information.

Program: Kelli Whitfield submitted a tentative program list for the year with topics. Next month mark Brown will present a program on AKC earthdog with a demonstration. 3 AKC earthdog tests will be hosted at Greystone Hollow by the Glen of Imaal Terrier Club of America, March 29th- 30th.

Training Classes: Marilyn Harban reported that Tri-State has the building in use in February so our classes will be @6:30PM March 18th and run through April 29th. Classes will be in the new building and trainers are being worked out for the classes.

Membership: Katie Shrum with her Std Poodle Carter were present for their second reading. Julie Reed, Jr Showmanship judge (she owns Std Poodles and Alaskan Klee Kai) was present for her second reading.

Unfinished Business: none

New Business: Rv parking, alternatives will need to be found

Brags: Clayton Monney's Bitch Charlotte, Tibetan Spaniel took at Group 1 OH at ATL shows

Mickey Polemi; thanked the club and members for all the prayers and well wishes during her illness.

Marilyn Harban bred an Australian Terrier bitch, Sunni, GCH Ch Dreamtime Blue Moon Cirque du Soleil who went Best In Show in Ocala.

Motion to adjourn S/P meeting adjourned at 7:18

Respectfully submitted by Kelli Whitfield, Bulletin Secretary



Kathryn Phillips, a lifetime CKC member who had Chows and Tibetan Spaniels passed away February 18, 2025. She was 88 and lived in Stevenson, AL. She will be missed by everyone who knew her. Her obituary can be found [here](#).