

# The Elemental Poodle



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## From the President's Pen

By Elizabeth Glew

The illustrated standard committee is looking for pictures of poodles in short clip. If any of you have a digital camera and could gather some pictures of different parts of different poodles, it would be greatly appreciated. We are trying to show examples of the breed standard through pictures. Both proper and improper examples will be needed. No dogs will be identified in the pictures. This will be helpful for judges, along with anyone interested in learning about the poodle standard. 300x300 is the minimum resolution acceptable. You may email your images to:  
[gleweliz@comcast.net](mailto:gleweliz@comcast.net)



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## THE SECRETARY'S SCENE

By Sally Eller

Just for fun, this month I will write a bit about the R.E.A.D. program that I have just been certified for with my standard poodle, Jackson (commonly called Jack). R.E.A.D. stands for Reading Education Assistance Dogs and is a program of Intermountain Therapy Animals, of Salt Lake City, Utah. The mission of the R.E.A.D. program is to improve the literacy skills of children through the assistance of registered Pet Partner® therapy teams as literacy mentors.

Jack and I are already a Delta Society Pet Partners team, and have worked in various visiting situations for the past 3 years. Since I moved to upstate New York, I have been looking for a facility for us. My first love is working with children, so I considered approaching a public

school. Then I found a recently opened residential children's center not far from my home. Since I especially love kids with "problems", this seems right for me!

Jack and I will soon be finding what age group we will be working with, and then setting out to find materials that the kids (one at a time) can read to Jack. The idea is that there is far less pressure in reading to a dog than there is reading in front of people. I will work with the teachers at the facility to find the right books for each student. Jack and I will sit with the student on the floor and Jack will "listen" to the reading. I am now teaching him the "look" command, clicking and treating when he glances at the page. I will have to figure out how to reinforce that without too many treats during a real session!

I am very excited about this program because it is real Animal Assisted Therapy, with goals, documentation of progress, etc. As a retired social worker and educator, this is right up my alley! I hope Jack thinks so, too! I know he would much rather be in the field hunting up ducks, but --- hey --- we all have to work, don't we?

I am looking forward to meeting all of you at the Annual Meeting!

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## Treasurer's Report

June – August, 2005

By Beth Quinn

Expenditures for this period include six months of domain for our UPBA.org web site, our yearly general

liability insurance renewal and some supplies to update our ribbons for our fall show. Deposits include dues from three new members. For a complete treasurer's report, please see the UPBA Board minutes in the files section of our member's only list.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Beth Quinn  
UPBA Treasurer



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## The Membership and Publicity Committee

By Constance Mood

Recently, the Membership and Publicity Committees were combined to work more effectively at promoting UPBA to the public. We welcomed a new member, Eleni Stevens of Moonstruck Poodles, into the club. Eleni has generously agreed to serve on several committees, including Membership/Publicity.

Both of flyers for the UPBA Multi-Breed Show and the APDT Rally Show & Go are available in the files section under the folder labeled "Annual Show 2005."

The show flyer has been sent out via e-mail to UKC clubs within reasonable travel distance from the show site. Also, Sally Eller has suggested that we place classified ads in the Match Show Bulletin for both the APDT Rally Show & Go and the UPBA Breed Shows, since this would be good publicity for the events.

Thank you to our Board Liaisons, Elizabeth Glew and Theresa Brandt, and to Joy Cenicola and Andrea Linn, committee members whom I've been neglecting as of late. Credit is due to Janice Bennett (Show Chair), Elizabeth Glew (Show Secretary), Sally Eller (Board Liaison to the Special Match Committee), and Gloria Ogdahl (Special Match Committee Chair) for their work on the upcoming show. And I'd like to issue a special "thank you" to Irma Shanahan for designing and making available the UPBA logo for use in our club's publicity. It is an eye-catching design and it really does give a distinctive touch to the show flyers.

Last but not least – let's give thanks for the Poodles, who make us so happy!

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## UKC Standings July, 2005

### Poodle

01. GRCH Pickets Fetchin' A Dream Eva Marie Mitchell or Gail A Bjorge 22
02. CH Argenta Maxed Out Visa Ann L Addison or Geneva Addison 20
03. CH Dream Faith In Freedom Eva Marie Mitchell 15
04. GRCH Vip's Benet Quiet Storm Janice S Bennett 12
05. GRCH Dream Pickets Gogetit At Benet Eva Marie Mitchell and Teri Vinje 10
05. GRCH Coles Moonlight Serenade Janice A Scherzer 10
07. CH Rochars Southern Melody Roberta Davis and Ann L Addison 6
08. CH Talisman Sundays Child Aleah G Davis 5
08. CH Pickets Delight To Dream Eva Marie Mitchell 5
10. CH Fanci Kiss My G.r.i.t.s Bonnie L Hale 4
10. CH Dream Simply Designer Class Kristine L Wyncott

### Poodle M/c

01. CH Hyp Bronson A Blink In Time Hope Welch 4
02. CH Lujax's Sable Sam-i-am Hope Welch 2
02. J-c Pioneer's Phuket Sara Gessner 2

### Standard Poodle

01. GRCH Scheherazade Five Star General Linda Howard 35
02. CH Dgl's Deva's Man In Charge Joshua Lester or Sharon D Keen 20
03. FO CH Joiwind Promise Kept Patricia A Killalea and Jake Christian 16
04. GRCH Gabrielle's Lucy Goosey Rebecca Price 12
05. GRCH C-n-c's Silver Cosette Jean Marie Robertson and Cinnamon Marks 11
06. GRCH UCD UAGII Apollo Olympic Trianta Elizabeth Grasho 10
06. CH Price's Konigin Der Nacht Nancy Tappendorf 10
06. CH Jc Boutimes Pioneer Moonchild Julie Rossi and Sara Gessner 10
09. CH Jc Boutime Pioneer Snowblind Julie Rossi and Sara Gessner 9
10. CH C-n-c's Silver Rhody-shes Allthat Jean Marie Robertson and Chris Robertson

### Standard Poodle M/c

01. CH Jc Boutime's Pioneer Genesis Julie Rossi or Sara Gessner 19
02. CH Dgl's Deva's Taylor Made Sharon D Keen 18
03. CH Sandpipers Hearts Of Fire Michelle Golding 6
03. Jc Pioneer Sharp Shooter Andrea Haas 6
05. Jcpioneer Shadow Chaser Irma C Shanahan 2

### Agility All Stars I

- 5 UACH MS. AUDREY MORGAN POODLE Penny Morgan Illinois 131
- 9 UACHX CH DAWNS MOONLIGHT WHISPER POODLE Sherry D Speckels Illinois 106

17 UACH SCHMIDTS BEETHOVEN AFTERGLOW  
POODLE Deborah L Schmidt Florida 80  
22 UCD UACHX RICHLIN'S II POODLE Theodore W  
Browning and Barbara Browning Ohio 76  
30 UACHX MURPHY MAN POODLE Ted Browning and  
Barbara Browning Ohio 68

## Agility All Stars II

3 UACH MS. AUDREY MORGAN POODLE Penny  
Morgan Illinois 106  
5 UACHX CH DAWNS MOONLIGHT WHISPER  
POODLE Sherry D Speckels Illinois 96  
16 UACHX KARENS GYPSY MAGIC POODLE Karen  
Warda Illinois 66  
38 UACHX UCDX GRCH TIGER'S UNIQUE MAGIC  
NICHOLAS STANDARD POODLE Louann Currey New  
York 40

## Agility All Stars III

8 UACHX CH DAWNS MOONLIGHT WHISPER  
POODLE Sherry D Speckels Illinois 74  
10 UCD UACHX RICHLIN'S II POODLE Theodore W  
Browning and Barbara Browning Ohio 70  
13 UACHX UOCH TORCHLIGHT GOLDEN  
CAVALIER STANDARD POODLE Marie A Goulden  
Illinois 60  
21 UACHX MURPHY MAN POODLE Ted Browning and  
Barbara Browning Ohio 44  
34 UACHX UCDX GRCH TIGER'S UNIQUE MAGIC  
NICHOLAS STANDARD POODLE Louann Currey New  
York 32  
36 UACHX UCD MON PETIT BIJOU POODLE Shelly K  
Weeks Wisconsin 30  
36 UCD UACHX RONAN'S HEAVEN CAN WAIT  
STANDARD POODLE Nancy Lynn Romanek Indiana 30  
36 UACHX KARENS GYPSY MAGIC POODLE Karen  
Warda Illinois 30

## Novice All Stars

11 UCD RAVENDUNE CLEAN SWEEP POODLE Janet  
Johns Michigan 25  
45 UCD GRACELANN'S RAINBOW JUBILEE  
STANDARD POODLE P Rooney and B Rooney  
Pennsylvania 14  
45 UCD TREBERT'S JASPER STANDARD POODLE  
Donna Trebert Connecticut 14

## Open All Stars

17 UACH UUD FREEWYN'S BMW POODLE Diane J  
Propst Missouri 27

## New Title Holders

(UKC as of Aug 17, 2005)

### Agility

#### Grand Agility Champion

POODLE  
UGRACH CH DAWNS MOONLIGHT WHISPER  
SHERRY D SPECKELS

STANDARD POODLE

HR UCD UGRACH GRCH OAKWIND'S TIME  
TO BURN  
JACQUELYN R BOWMAN

#### United Agility Champion Excellent

POODLE  
UACHX TORQUAY ANDRE' L'AMOUR  
VIRGINIA L SCHULD

#### United Agility Champion

STANDARD POODLE  
UCD UACH CH TIME TO REMEMBER  
JEAN R COOMBS

### Conformation

#### Grand Show Champion

STANDARD POODLE  
CH KALI'S LIL SUNDAE SURPRISE  
MARCIA GERMAN  
CH JC PIONEER ANGELWIND  
MASQUERADE  
JULIE ROSSI / CHERYL LEIBOWITZ  
CH SCHEHERAZADE NIGHTINGALE  
LINDA HOWARD  
CH TIARA IVAN  
PATRICIA MC CLINTICK & JULIE BORST  
REED

### Obedience

#### United Companion Dog Excellent

POODLE  
UCDX LALIQUE WHIMSICAL ANGEL  
BARBARA LIDKE & JAY LIDKE

#### United Companion Dog

POODLE  
UCD KABOODLE'S ELECTRIC SILVER  
BALYNDA BROWN  
UCD SUNSET'S WELL I DO DECLARE  
DANETTA M OHNING

STANDARD POODLE  
UCD NIGHTWIND WINTER BREEZE  
WILLIAM L COX

**Congratulations to all members whose  
names appear on these lists!!**



## Braggs & Announcements

Louann Currey's ARCH, UCD, UAG2,  
CH Blu Majic's Kindergarten Kop, CD,  
RA, NA, OAJ, ASCA CD, NJC, TN-N,  
HIC, CGC, VCX (sire/dam Am Ch  
Jubilee Buckaroo Banzai, CD, RA x

UAG2, UCD, CH Scheherazade Bit of Blu Majic, CD, AX, OAJ, R1CL, HIC, CGC, VC) or “Ree” won the Ch class and BOB at Premier in June. She has this account: Premier Sunday, Ree had an



awesome day. Started off with the parade of total dog participants and followed almost immediately with competing to a 2nd place win in Novice C obedience, followed by Agility 1 where she scored a perfect 200(5th place by virtue of time). Then rush off to the breed ring, where she showed beautifully and won the Champions class and Best of breed for her 2nd Grand pass. After lunch and showing in a magnificent group, we ran over to agility again, just in time for the course walk thru. She then ran Agility 2 and scored a perfect 200 and 1st place. She is a true Total Dog, performing and succeeding in 3 venues in one day.

Nick also had a wonderful day, qualifying in Utility B and taking 4th place in Agility 1 with a perfect 200. Nick’s Premier brag is that he finished his UACHX (title which required 5 scores of 196 or better in Agility 3) in just 6 attempts, with 4 1st places.

Ree is owner/breeder handled for everything and by the way, although she has great fast sits in obedience, she does not sit in the breed ring while she is showing.

Irma Shanahan’s 15 month old multi colored standard poodle, Chase, finished his UKC Championship at the STABDC

trials on July 30, 2005 in Grantville, Pa. He is officially registered as JCPioneer Shadow Chaser, CGC. Chase was bred by Julie



Rossi and Sara Gessner, and is the third of his litter to attain his UKC championship. We hope to begin showing in the UKC obedience ring by October.

Katharine Dokken’s CH WP’s Blueberry Hill Of DGL, standard poodle,



owner/breeder went Best of Winners at 3 out of 4 shows and new Champion at Grantville, Pennsylvania.

Katharine also reports these successful health screenings: UKC CH WP’s Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, CGC is vWD Clear by DNA and OFA Thyroid Normal. Both test results are up on OFA.

Eva Marie Mitchell, DreamPoodles Toys and Minis reports that two more of her champions will have CHIC numbers issued shortly: Silkwind Pickets Only Dream and Pickets Delight To Dream.



This is Am U-CH Pickets Delight To Dream (CHIC)

Julie Borst-Reed shares these Tiara accomplishments:

First, our hats tipped to one of our favorite Tiara Clan members, Valeska Humphries of San Antonio, TX, as she is the featured member of her agility club this month:

[http://www.bratagility.org/August\\_Feature.htm](http://www.bratagility.org/August_Feature.htm)

Her first agility dog was a lovely Poodle named Michelle that I raised. One of her current agility dogs is "Ester," one of the most darling Poodles ever, also raised by us at Tiara.

We had one heck of a gathering of owners (10), many of their friends and family along with their Tiara Standard Poodles (14) at the recent S. Cal UKC conformation show, South Bay Dog Fanciers on August 13, 2005. Perfect weather in a tree-shaded park on a lake was the setting. Six pop-up canopies, six grooming tables and no hairspray in sight; our set-up was delightful. As a Breeder, I was bursting with pride in my dogs and their owners this entire day and I thank them all for their dedication.

The morning began with Jane Mathis, of Irvine, showing her lovely puppy, Tiara Reiki, (for the first time ever in the ring for both) all the way to BEST in the non-licensed puppy class under the very knowledgeable judge, Fred Lanting. That was a first for our clan and of course being the first time that Jane ever showed a dog (and not a horse) it was just wonderful. We have won many Best in Multi-Breed Show and RBMB awards

among our clan, but never made it to the top with a puppy in the non-licensed show.

In Show #1, first time exhibitor, Norman Brooks and his wife Barbara from the San Francisco area, had the very well-trained puppy, Tiara Quasar (born in Bemidji, MN last January with co-breeders Sue Dearholt and Paul Yule) to win Best of Winners his first time out! Additionally, the extremely handsome U-CH Tiara Mayan Treasure, handled for the first time in conformation by his owner Dwight Endres (co-owner Betty Ann Endres) of Camarillo, CA won the large champion class. It was very thrilling to see all the beautiful champions in this class and to watch judge Ronald Sacca go through the class doing a diligent job. The Best of Breed nod in Show #1, went to GRCH Tiara Jett Rocks with his owner Carol Lang.

In Show #2 the first timers learned more about showing (mainly "you never know"), as the teenager male handled by me (Julie) in Breeder/Handler decided it WAS his turn and he gaited superbly to win his final competition win and to Best of Winners. The champion class was won by his sire, U-Ch Baroque Men In Black, owned by Wendy Cronkrite and the Grand Champion Class was won by the birthday girl (Lovey - 10 years old August 18th!) handled by her friend, 9 year old Halley Richardson. (Halley and Lovey won Best Jr Handler in Show #1 and Show #2 as well that morning). Lovey, is also the granddam of the Best of Winners in this show, the now known



as U-Ch Tiara Obla-di, Obla-da guy who gaited impressively in a full continental

clip to Best of Breed under Fred Lanting from the classes.

After the show we set up two agility bar jumps and a set of weave poles. Lovey and Dede performed an agility demonstration. Lovey was having the time of her life with all the well-wishes and cheers (many people in the other breeds at the show did not realize that we also compete in agility). Almost forgot to mention that we had our traditional outrageous luncheon feast (this one complete with sliced leg of lamb I baked just before we left for the show the night before, garden herb gouda and homemade pasta salads, Caesar salads and an outlan "dish" true Italian-style monster submarine sandwich shared by all.

Lovey had a happy ten year old two-layer,



Lovey with ears banded for cake!

liver, cheese and carrot cake that she gobbled and

shared with her doggie friends from all over the show after we sang happy birthday to her during lunch. We had so much fun, we forgot to take a group picture!

Very Proudly,  
Julie Borst Reed and Kirk S. Reed,  
owners/breeders of  
UAG-II, GRCH Tiara Love Me Do, AX, AXJ  
NAJP (2 legs for NAP)(CHIC)  
UWP, GRCH Kirley Alatiara Clarabella (2 legs for UAG-I)(CHIC)  
UWP, GRCH Tiara D'Aire (1 leg UAG-I & 1 leg NA) (CHIC)  
GRCH Tiara Frappuccina (CHIC)  
U-CH Tiara Lorecili (1yr health screenings complete)  
U-Ch Tiara Obla-di, Obla-da (1yr health screenings complete)  
Tiara Paris Sez That's Hot (2 competition wins) (OFA hip pre-lim Good)

Marcia German of Kali Standard Poodles reports that Simi became a UKC Breed

Champion on July 2nd, 2005. Simi is now: U-CH. Kali's Lil Sundae Surprise  
Simi also earned her first Rally Novice leg at PCA with a score of 193.

Simi's mother, U-CH. Kali's Lil Sassy Kassy, AKC/UKC/CKC CD, CGC, TDI earned her first Excellent Rally leg at PCA with a 4th placement.



This picture was taken at PCA this past year. Big girl is Kassy, (U-CH. Kali's Lil Sassy Kassy, AKC/UKC/CKC C.D., RA, CGC, TDI). At PCA she earned her first Rally Excellent leg with a 4th placement. Kassy has also earned 2 legs toward her APDT Rally Level I. Little girl is Kassy's daughter, (U-CH. Kali's Lil Sundae Surprise). Simi earned her first Rally Novice leg at PCA with a score of 93.

New member Eleni Stevens had a great adventure with her poodles. She explains:

"I live in San Diego and took 4 poodles (3 young minis and 1 standard) on a road trip cross country - to Baltimore and back in 6 days - to deliver my



daughter to her new job as a nurse at Johns Hopkins Hospital. Here were big and little dogs sleeping spread all over the suitcases in the back of the SUV and on



my granddaughter's lap. I swear they chose all their sleeping positions on their own. Dayo, the 4-month-old parti pup, did climb up onto a pile of suitcases and turn upside down to sleep. Max, our 1 1/2-year-old standard boy, did sleep with his nose between the seats. What a well-behaved bunch they were (not normal, let



me tell you!) on this mad dash. I even included a picture of the dome of Johns Hopkins Hospital - what kind of

person drives cross country and back and mostly takes pictures of dogs in the car?????”

Answer: Our kind of people, Eleni!! ☺



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## FOCUS ON PERFORMANCE

Get ready for Rally!!  
By Eva Marie Mitchell

### Rally Obedience

This is probably a strange topic for the UPBA newsletter since UKC hasn't gotten Rally up and running at this time. The Message Boards on the UKC web have the following:

#### ***Important Announcement On Rally Obedience***

*UKC has placed Rally on hold for now. We apologize to our exhibitors, clubs and judges who are anxious for the initiation of this program. As soon as we are ready with this program, it will be announced in BLOODLINES and also on the UKC web site.*

*Thanks for your patience.*

*Denise*

*Dog Events.*

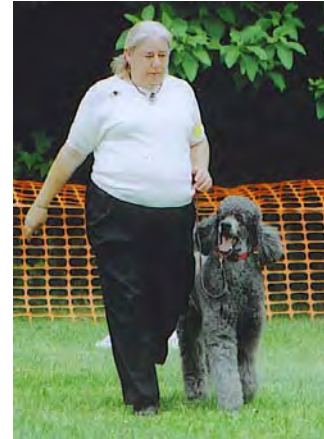
*Last edited by Denise on 11-22-2004 at 02:55 PM*

Those of us who have been participating in Rally look forward to UKC's program for rally. In the meantime, UPBA will be sponsoring a Rally Show N Go at the Nationals in November. (See flyer at the end of this newsletter.) This will be following the rules for APDT Rally (Association of Pet Dog Trainers) since UKC doesn't have rally yet. Since this is a "show n go" you don't have to be registered with APDT to participate. Novice Rally is done on lead. In AKC, the courses are more advanced than the CGC title, but less than the CD title. You do 15 exercises for novice, some of which may be repeated. The program is designed to test the skill of the dog and handler in working as a team. The APDT website says that Rally Obedience is ...where an enthusiastic attitude and wagging tail are more important than precision. Dogs and handlers should both appear to be enjoying the competition and each other's company.

During Rally Obedience, you can encourage your dog verbally and even clap your hands in the novice arena. You may not actually touch your dog, but you can lure your dog into doing the required course. Before the class begins, you are given a "map" of the course, and are allowed time to walk the course (without your dog) so you are familiar with what you are going to be doing and the directions to go. At this time, I've found most of the judges to be really helpful. They can answer your questions at this time if you are unsure. At every rally event I've attended, there has also been a book available with all of the signs and directions for completing that sign if it is unfamiliar.

You begin the course when the judge tells you to begin (she will ask if you are "Ready"). You follow the

numbered signs and perform the skills in order. Attitude is more important than precision, and anyone who corrects their dog harshly will be severely penalized. For these reasons, both dogs and handlers seem to really enjoy doing the courses.



Louann Currey heeling with Nicky in Rally

The following was taken from the web and is a comparison of the rally exercises as done in differing venues.

### ALL RALLY EXERCISES Marni Fowler, 2003

Exercise	AKC Level	APDT Level	CARO Level	WWKC Level
270 Degree		1*	NOV	NOV
270 Degree	NOV*	1*	NOV	NOV
360 Degree		1	NOV	NOV
360 Degree	NOV	1	NOV	NOV
About Turn –	NOV*	1*		NOV*
About U-	NOV*	1	NOV	NOV
Ad Lib	-	-	-	MAS
Backup 3	EXC	-	EXC	-
Call (Dog)	NOV	1	NOV	NOV
Call (Dog)	NOV	1	NOV	NOV
Call (Dog)	NOV	1	NOV	NOV
Call (Dog)	NOV	1	NOV	NOV
Call Front -		2	ADV	ADV
Fast Pace	NOV	1	NOV	NOV
FINISH	NOV	1	NOV	NOV
Finish Left	-	2	ADV	ADV
Finish Right	-	2	ADV	ADV
HALT - 1,2,3	NOV	1	NOV	NOV
HALT - 180	ADV	2	ADV	ADV
HALT - 180	ADV	2	ADV	ADV
HALT - 90	ADV	1	NOV	NOV
HALT - 90	ADV	1	NOV	NOV
HALT - Call	ADV	-	-	-
HALT - Call	ADV	-	-	-
HALT - Fast	NOV	2	ADV	MAS
HALT - From	ADV	2	ADV	ADV
HALT - From	ADV	2	ADV	ADV



HALT - Heel	-	-	-	MAS
HALT -	-	2	ADV	MAS
HALT -	-	2	ADV	ADV
HALT - Side	ADV	2	ADV	MAS
HALT – Sit	NOV	1*		NOV*
HALT - Sit –	NOV	1	NOV	NOV
HALT - Sit -	ADV	1	NOV	NOV
HALT - Sit -	NOV	1	NOV	NOV
HALT - Sit –	-	1	NOV	NOV
HALT - Sit -	NOV	1	NOV	NOV
HALT -	EXC	-	EXC	-
HALT - Stand -	-	2	ADV	ADV
HALT -	EXC	-	-	-
HALT -	ADV	-	-	-
HALT - Turn	-	1	NOV	NOV
HALT - Turn	ADV	-	-	-
Honor	EXC	-	EXC	-
Left About	NOV	2	ADV	MAS
Left Turn		1**		
Moving	NOV	2	ADV	MAS
Moving Side	NOV	1	NOV	NOV
Moving	EXC	-	EXC	-
Normal Pace		1*		
Off-Set	ADV	2	ADV	ADV
Return &	-	2	ADV	ADV
Right Turn		1**		
Send Over		2	ADV	ADV
Serpentine	NOV	-	-	-
Slow Pace		1	NOV	NOV
Spiral Left -	NOV	1	NOV	NOV
Spiral Right -	NOV	1	NOV	NOV
Spread	-	-	EXC	-
START	NOV	1	NOV	NOV
Straight	NOV	1	NOV	NOV
Tunnel	-	-	EXC	-
Turn & Call	-	2	ADV	ADV
Weave	-	-	EXC	-

- \* Indicates number of duplicate signs
- Exact exercise does not exist in this venue

\*Marni Fowler is a trainer for Class Act For Dogs in the Gainesville, FL area.

If you'd like more information, try the Association of Pet Dog Trainers' website:

<http://www.apdt.com/rallyo/index.htm>



## A Junior Handler Inspiration

Contributed by Elizabeth Glew

Kymm Cowley started her handling career winning Best Junior Handler in 1969. Ms. Kymm Cowley is with Am/Can CH Glorilane's Billy Bonick, below on the right, after winning Best Jr. Handler in Rapid City back in 1969. Today Kymm continues to show Great Danes and



Here's Kymm's first Jr. Handling win in 1967

attributes her continued love of showing to getting the proper training and support from her parents and having a wonderfully trained dog to show!



When asked permission to use her story and photos, she replied, "I would be honored! I have attached a picture of a recent win with my 2 1/2 year old male Dane.



Since last December he has achieved four championship titles (American, Canadian, International and United Kennel Club). He has a total of four Best in Shows and is ranked number four Dane in the nation with the UKC. Every win has been owner-handled. So you can show your juniors that their efforts now can lead to wonderful things down the road! Thank you for the compliment of honoring my efforts and my love of showing!"

Thank you, Kymm for sharing your career. You demonstrate how our dogs can be such a rewarding permanent part of our lives.



## Likeable Recyclables Inexpensive crafts from Family Fun

Next time you're about to toss packing peanuts, bottle caps, twist ties or rubber bands, think twice. These humble items can be the perfect materials for creating clever assemblages like the ones shown here. With



the following directions, you can replicate ours to a T, or better still, let them serve as a springboard for inventing a few characters of your own.

## Peanut The Poodle



To start, have your child draw a dog's head and body on a piece of corrugated cardboard. Then cut out the shape with scissors (your job). For legs, coat the tops of four Popsicle sticks with

glue and then push them up between the corrugated layers. Glue a thin strip of Bubble Wrap to the front of each leg.

For the poodle's curly fur, glue Styrofoam packing shells or peanuts onto the cardboard. Snip a milk jug cap in half and glue it onto the head for a floppy ear. Wrap a shiny twist tie (from a head of lettuce) around the neck for a collar and add a plastic trash-bag tie for a tail.

## A Doggie Den



Cut and fold together a rectangular box, as shown in the diagram below, then glue or tape together the edges. (An even simpler option is to use the top half of an empty juice carton as a base.) Glue on corrugated siding (cut from a lightbulb box) and plastic bread-tag roof shingles.

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## Word Search Poodle Colors and Patterns

See if you can locate the colors!

apricot black blue brown

cafe-au-lait cream gray silver

white abstract multi-patterned

parti-colored phantom sable

solid

M E S T E P O E A S M S D  
U C R E A M H W H I T E E  
L A P H A N T O M L W L U  
T F E T P R O E B V N M N  
I E T G R A Y B R E C S I  
P A R T I C O L O R E D Y  
A U S I C P B U W E V E G  
T L A P O W L E N P R L D  
T A B S T R A C T P P L I  
E I L O B L C R R C A A M  
R T E L P P K C N C E E O  
N A O I E E R A A B L N G  
E T A D T E T A T O E U R  
D O G B M U G T E R T O A



## Web Ideas By Beth Quinn

With Christmas coming up in the next few months, here are some unique poodle gift ideas for the poodle lovers on your list:

The Inky Paw:

<http://www.inkypaw.com/poodle.html>

Beautiful paintings and note cards:

[www.icshanahan.com](http://www.icshanahan.com)

Poodle Postage Stamps, Collector Cards and more:

<http://www.animalstamps.com/poodleindex.htm>

Colorful hand made collars by Heavenly Hounds:

<http://www.heavenlyhounds.com/>

Poodle Address Labels:

<http://mabelbean.com/categories/poodle.html>

Poodle chalkboard:

<http://www.k9gifts.com/dog-decor/poodle.html>

Various Poodle shopping links:

<http://www.poodleplayground.com/store/collect.htm>

Adorable pink poodle hand puppet:

<http://www.puppetrevelation.com/index.asp?PageAction=VIEWPROD&ProdID=92>

Poodle and Parti-Poodle signs and mailboxes:

<http://www.brandydesigns.com/Poodles/poodles.html>

<http://www.mailboxcollectionsetc.com/britsigns3.shtml>

<http://www.k9gifts.com/dog-mailboxes/>

Vintage Fabric Poodle Quilt:

<http://craftersbuzz.com/showad.cgi?Quilting&92662yzkx.dat>

Garden Sculpture:

<http://www.fidough.com/catalog/standard-poodle-garden-sculpture.htm>

<http://www.gardencritters.com/poodle.htm>

Cute Toilet Roll Holders from the UK:

<http://www.combecrafts.co.uk/knitting2.htm>

For golf-loving poodle owners:

[http://www.onlygolfgifts.com/browseproducts/Poodle-\(black\).HTML](http://www.onlygolfgifts.com/browseproducts/Poodle-(black).HTML)

Custom Poodle Skirts and Shirts:

<http://www.anniepoodleskirts.com/custinfo.shtml>

The internet is full of fun shopping ideas.... Have a great time!



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## Performance Committee Request

### HIGH PRIORITY!!

The Performance Committee invites you to notify us of your UKC performance titles and accomplishments with your poodle(s) in 2005 so that they can be recognized at the annual meeting in November. Please send your name, your poodle's name, UKC Registration number, with accomplishment and date/place earned to:

Sue Dearholt

[patsy508@paulbunyan.net](mailto:patsy508@paulbunyan.net)

or snail mail:

1929 Van Buren Ave SE  
Bemidji, MN 56601

Please submit all announcements by October 31, 2005 for consideration. If you think there is a member out there that has a qualifying individual and is too shy to submit, let me know that too. I'm happy to encourage participation!

Thank you.

## Editor's Notes

In keeping with my – “we still have a lot to work on” genre, I want to share this ad with you. It is musky fishing time in Northern Minnesota and this has been a popular ad running all summer. When I got my miniature poodle, Marnie, everyone said she was musky bait and this only accentuates that theme! In case you're having a hard time reading the caption it says “Musky Tip: Try Lures with Natural Baitfish Colors”. Ha-Ha.



**I would also like to share with you a post from a friend of a local club member of ours in Northern MN; it really speaks to the relationship we all hope to have with our canine friends:**

I don't know about y'all, but sometimes I feel a little more sappy than others. I had this little story sent to me tonight by another dog friend and it got to me. I thought I would share it because for as much as we all on this list "work" with our dogs, I thought this might help for those “rougher” times.

“Just last week I was reminded of a very important lesson... I teach motivational seminars. The last slide in my presentation talks about “the only lesson that really matters...” The content of that slide clipped and inserted below, is what, to me, is the most important aspect of dog training:

BEGIN SLIDE -- When I lead out on course, every single time, there is one last thing I say to myself before I turn around to release my dog. I pause, take a breath and think... “I love this dog with all my heart...”

You never, ever know when you won't have your beloved companion any longer. You never know if the run you're about to enjoy is the last one you'll ever have together.

You'd better enjoy every single moment while you can. If you do not, you will have missed the only lesson that really matters...the pure enjoyment that

comes from the love and companionship of a trusted, loyal and loving canine partner. - END SLIDE

Last week I made a return visit to a group in Pennsylvania. I had worked with this group in April, teaching two days of motivation. One of the ladies who attended had a Springer Spaniel. She was frustrated with the dog, and the dog was stressed. We worked together during those two days, and at the end of the seminar, I thought to myself that she might actually turn the dog around. I felt there was hope for them as a team, mostly due to the lady's seeming desire to make positive changes and the dog's response in the short time I was there to work with them.

When I returned to Pennsylvania last week, I presented one day's worth of motivation, and two days of handling. The lady I'd worked with in April participated in one of the handling sessions. The difference in her was amazing.

She'd found the recipe for her dog, and she was having fun out there, even in the face of mistakes. She'd learned all her lessons from April, and was putting them to work. It was a joy to watch.

I returned home last Friday, exhausted, but feeling optimistic about some of the people I'd left behind to work on their issues, and in particular, the lady with the Springer Spaniel. On Monday I received a message from this lady that was titled, "sad news". I don't know about you, but I always struggle with messages that carry such a telling title; it can never be good.

The news in the message struck me very hard...the dog had passed away the night before from what they didn't know. I sat at my computer and cried for her, for a long time. Some things just hit you harder than others, and this was a tough one for me. I, of course, sent her my deepest sympathy, which was heart-felt. She wrote back today, telling me what they had found out about the dog. She said,

"I remember what you said in your seminar back in April, about leading out and reminding yourself how much you love your dogs...I just knew you would understand what it means to love a dog."

I had considered taking that slide out of my presentation...I've changed my mind.

I hope each and every one of you will remember, in your frustrations in dog training, what really matters. We just never know how much time we'll have with our beloved dogs...don't let the last run you have be a bad one." Leslie Renaud

With this thought in mind, I get my obligatory photo of one of my dogs in each issue for no particular reason other than I "submit" it to myself! Hence, here is my 6 month old puppy, Quigley, the day before entering his first "show", a little local 4-

H open show. He was the youngest competitor, and this counted for the 4-Her's for the State Fair, so competition was keen!

Anyway, they had ample trophy sponsors, so had to come up with extra awards; one of them being Highest Obedience Score of Any Purebred Dog. We only entered 2 classes – Adult Showmanship and Beginning Obedience and came home with 3 trophies, including high score obedience against a field of 42 purebred dogs! I was so thrilled since my only objective was to have him behave well in a group of strange dogs. I was keen on the message of this post since I started training him; let it only be fun – I love this dog no matter what. I am looking forward to greater venues in the future, but there's nothing like relishing today!



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**Thank you everyone** who contributed to this quarter's edition! The next newsletter deadline is November 30, 2005. Please send any suggestions you may have along with your articles, photos, accomplishments, and anything poodle! Anyone interest in composing a history or performance article – welcome!! Also, consider reporting on the books or videos you are processing – we'd all benefit from the experience.

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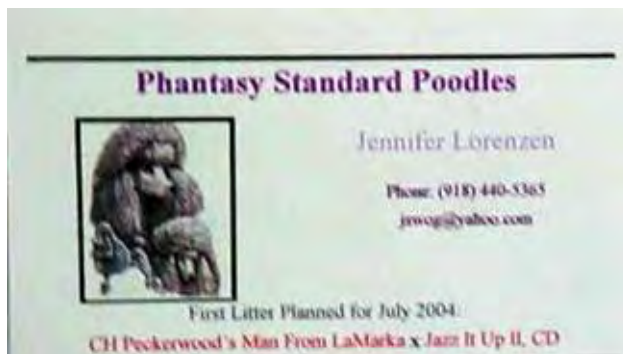
## UPBA Support Page



**This Space Available**  
Business card ads are available  
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\$20 for 1 year.

Submit your business card and payment to:

UPBA  
PO Box 305  
Flemington, WV 26347





invites you to join us at our first United Kennel Club "Multi-Breed Show"  
for Poodles, Multi-Colored Poodles,  
Standard Poodles, and Multi-Colored Standard Poodles  
on Friday, November 4, 2005.  
Held in conjunction with the Boykin Spaniel Club shows  
November 4, 5, and 6, 2005.

**Judge: Rachel Murphy**

In addition to the Licensed Classes, we are also offering Puppy, Veterans, and Altered.

**Entry Fee Schedule:**

Pre-entry.....\$18  
Day of Show.....\$25  
Jr. Showmanship.....\$8  
Non-licensed.....\$8

**Closing date for pre-entries is October 24, 2005.**

**Mail pre-entries to UPBA Show Secretary: Elizabeth Glew  
412 S. Magnolia Ave. Lansing, MI 48912  
[gleweliz@comcast.net](mailto:gleweliz@comcast.net)**

**Day of show registration is from 4 pm to 5 pm.  
The show begins at 6 pm.**

**Standard UKC entry form is available on the UKC Dog Events web site at  
<http://www.ukcdogs.com/rg/pdf/fo1fbl.pdf>**

**Location: Piedmont Kennel Club Show Site  
13609 Choate Circle, Charlotte, NC  
(near Carowinds Theme Park)**

From I-85 North or South of Charlotte: Follow I-85 towards Charlotte, North Carolina Junction with I-77. North of Charlotte, exit onto I-77

South. Proceed to Carowinds Blvd exit #90 on South Carolina side of NC/SC line. Follow remainder of directions under exit #90. From I-77,

North or South of Charlotte: Take I-77 South to North Carolina/South Carolina State line. Take exit #90. Carowinds Blvd. Follow remainder of directions under exit #90.

From exit #90 proceed west on Carowinds Blvd, past Carowinds Amusement Park. Proceed to S Tryon. (NC 49) turn left, proceed 1.3 miles to Choate Circle (Bait Shop at corner). Left onto Choate Circle. Follow Choate Circle to show site which will be on left.

**Show Chair: Janice Bennett  
P.O. Box 651, Pawley's Island, SC 29585  
[Topknot@peoplepc.com](mailto:Topknot@peoplepc.com)**



The United Poodle Breeds Association  
Proudly hosts an  
**APDT All Breed Rally-O Show & Go**

Held in conjunction with the Boykin Spaniel Club shows  
Location: Piedmont Kennel Club Show Site  
13609 Choate Circle, Charlotte, NC  
(near Carowinds Theme Park)

**Saturday November 5, 2005**

featuring

Rally 1 (on lead) and

Rally Juniors (on lead, shortened course) Courses

APDT Rally Judge Susan Conklin

Runs start at 10 am

Registration starts at 8:30 am

\$5- 1<sup>st</sup> run; \$4- 2<sup>nd</sup> run; \$3 each additional run

\$3 Juniors

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**contact information... Gloria Ogdahl [gogdahl@verizon.net](mailto:gogdahl@verizon.net) or 828-524-1107**

**APDT welcomes ALL dogs and handlers.**