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“ANY POODLE  
REGARDLESS OF  
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IN WHICH TO BE  
VALIDATED”



Hi everyone,

Hope your holidays were full of happiness and family. We had an exciting ice storm that left us without power for four days. It was our pioneer Christmas with candles and heat from the wood stove. I hope everyone remembers to keep their poodles and other pets warm and safe in this uncertain weather.

We are looking at a New Year and another fresh start. Our club has many events planned for 2014. We have plans in the making for our biennial Poodle Specialty in conjunction with Premier. We also hope to have a handling seminar along with our regular Meet N Greet Parti. I hope that all of you are marking your calendars and getting vacation plans made.

This year all the specialties will be held on Wednesday to give everyone enough time and energy to make all the other events. We hope to have the handling seminar on Wednesday also so everyone can use their new learned skills during the weekend. Please remember to start saving items for our raffle table and please be generous with trophy donations. This year we would like to do something new and purchase trophies with donated money to make the show run smoother and be less work for our club members.

We have elected to have Phil Tanner be our event manager. Phil was the show secretary for our 2012 Specialty show and he did an awesome job. Phil will hire a ring steward for us and his wife Stephanie will again do our win photos at the ring. So you can see exciting times ahead for 2014 and hope to see everyone there. Until next month –stay warm!

*Kathy Esio-King,*  
MCPCA President

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## MEMBERSHIP UPDATES.....

*MCPCA welcomes new member.....*

*Terri Creech from Richmond, KY  
Bear Cove Standards*



From around the globe

## MEMBER CHAT.....

Attention New or Returning MCPCA members.....

If you are not already signed up....  
contact our membership secretary for information on getting signed up for the  
MCPCA Chat.

This is a members only chat group for MCPCA members

<http://pets.groups.yahoo.com/group/MCPCAChat/>

## BUSINESS CHAT.....

The club also has a business chat group which announces monthly  
meeting information, phone # and conference access code.

To receive meeting announcements subscribe to this group link ....

<http://pets.groups.yahoo.com/group/MCPCA/>

**Next Meeting**  
**-Monday-**  
**January 6, 2014**  
**9:00 p.m. EST**

## MEMBERSHIP MEETING.....

**Monthly Membership Meeting : Monday**

**Time: 9:00 pm - 10:00 pm**

**This event repeats every month on the first Monday unless notified of a  
meeting date change.**

**Attend the meeting via a Conference Call**



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## DECEMBER MEETING MINUTES

### In Attendance: (need 8.4 people to vote)

Kathy Esio-King	Lina Wainiola
Karen Gordon	Gloria Ogdahl
Karen Scopel	Chris Musson
Melanie Schlaginhaufen	Lorraine Gentile
Angela Bieber	
Gina Wainiola	



Total members including spouses are 41 members. New Quorum amount is 8.4 people.

### Revisions to Minutes from 11/4:

Poodle Club of Canada did not hire a lawyer. Outside breeders had hired a lawyer to fight the approval of Partis in the conformation ring.

Membership Secretary does not send Code of Ethics & bylaws to new members, but rather directs them to the website and suggests they review each.

### Premier Specialty Meet and Greet- Possible Handling Seminar:

Karen Scopel suggested hosting the seminar on Wednesday night after the Speciality

1 Hour Seminar on handling by Pro AKC Handler

If hosted on Wednesday then a handler might have time in schedule. Traverse City AKC show that weekend, so we should try to avoid a weekend seminar.

Have a video camera set up to record the seminar so we can post on the website

Should also try to record the Speciality so members who don't attend the seminar can benefit

Things that need to be worked on:

Watching what the judge is doing in the earlier breeds, so you know what to do when it is your turn.

Need better ring presence

How to enter Ring

Where to set up your dog/line up

How to hold Lead

How to stack a dog

What to wear in the ring

Karen Gordon suggested asking Pat Murray, AKC All Breed Handler who has shown poodles to their Championship

Kathy motioned to have Karen G. ask Pat Murray if she is available. Karen S. seconded the motion

If Pat Murray cannot runs seminar, Kathy suggested Daphne Stover

She shows field spaniels and is a Top AKC owner/handler in all breeds

Has trained top Junior Handler and is active in performance work. She is usually at premier.

Payment for handling seminar would be \$250

Kathy motioned to authorize this amount to be spent on seminar and Chris Musson Seconded the motion.

### Poodle Specialty at Premier 2014

David Anderson of Jay Ray offered to make stained glass sun catchers for prizes

Will be sold to the club at cost (Kathy to find out prices and pictures) to possibly use them for BIS and BOB

Club to still buy ribbons for show

Possibly use gift certificates for prizes for winning classes

Raffle items to be donated to Ruth. Include a notice in the Newsletter

UKC will soon require a photo for single registration of Poodles

Website: Kathy will include Karen G. on future emails/communications to obtain passwords for the website.

Will transfer new site to MultiColoredPoodleClubofAmerica.org

Will work on trying to transfer ownership of domain name to the club.

### Change of Officer's Form:

Must be signed and sent into UKC. Kathy will get all signatures

Treasures report that was included in the newsletter was approved with no objections

At 10:13 PM EST, Kathy motioned to adjourn meeting. Karen G. seconded the motion.



## REGARDING “MERLE COLORED POODLES”

Club Members,

Some of you may have noticed and some may have missed it, we have a change to our UKC breed standard. Starting January 1, 2014 the standard list “merle colored poodles” as a disqualification. The change came about because of the quick action of our club members and a signed request sent in to the UKC standard committee. This was agreed upon by our members during our September meeting, and was signed by fifteen individuals, including the entire board and two UKC judges (poodle breeders). I have included the request sent to UKC so that you can read what was sent and hopefully understand why it was requested. After receiving agreement from UKC, we also asked them to require photo proof for single registration and to have the term “brindle” included in the standard. If anyone has any questions feel free to contact me.

Below and the following page are the two letters sent to UKC. First is the thank you letter.

*Kathleen Esio-King,*



Multi-Colored Poodle Club Of America  
United Kennel Club Sanctioned May 5, 2005

The Multi-Colored Poodle Club of America would like to thank the standard committee for recognizing the need to disqualify the merle pattern in poodles. With that in mind we would also like to ask the registration department to require photo proof with single registration for solid and multi-colored poodles, in standard, toy and mini varieties. We would also like to request that the color pattern “BRINDLE” be added to the current Multi colored acceptable patterns, the standard currently reads to “allow stripping” and would like the term “brindle” to be added to again, clear up confusion for judges. Currently many brindle patterned poodles already hold their championship and grand championship titles.

Thank you again for helping us keep our breed pure,

*Kathy Esio-King*  
MCPGA President



## LETTER TO UKC....



Multi-Colored Poodle Club Of America

United Kennel Club Sanctioned May 5, 2005

We the board members, club members, UKC judges/Poodle breeders would like to petition the UKC breed standard committee to adjust the current standard for Multi colored Poodle / Multi Colored Standard Poodle. We would like that the color/pattern MERLE be listed as a disqualification, along with "any blue coloring in the eyes". This color/pattern is not recognized as a natural color occurrence within the genetic makeup of poodles. Many of these dogs have been popping up from doodle breeders who have cross-bred breeds such as Australian Shepherds with Poodles, selling them as "Aussie doodles". Once the Merle gene is introduced, the color is passed on as a dominate gene, the poodle crosses can then be bred back to pure poodles to give them Poodle characteristics. They have then had registration paper work falsified to make them look legitimate. We feel this is detrimental to our breed since merle will produce blindness, deafness, missing pigment on the nose and blue eyes or eyes with blue specks, besides the fact that these are not purebred poodles. This is a new development within the breed, and not a mutated gene, and always from breeders with questionable ethics – we recognize "doodle" breeding as such.



## SHOW BRAGS....

*From Karin Gordon*

I would like to announce Ellie's grand Championship and finishing 2013 in the top ten.



## HEALTH TESTING BRAGS

*from Lina and Gina Wainiola*

- Ref Mozaic Dare To Party....Cerf Normal
- Ref Mozaic Crystal Blu Persuasion....Cerf Normal
- Rivers Edge Midnight Jewel....Cerf Normal
- Ref Dreamers Lil Trace O Mischief.....Re Cerf Normal



## SHOW BRAGS CONT'D....

from *Kathy Esio-King of Jacknic*

We are so excited to finish the year of 2013 with the # 1 Multi Colored Standard Poodle.  
GrCh Jacknic's Get Off Of My Cloud – "Micky".

"Micky" has earned 216 Top Ten points making a record number of points that a MCSP has earned, and beating the past record by almost one hundred points. Part of his year end accomplishments have been winning five out of six breeds at Gateway Nationals and also earning a Group One and a Group Two. He has won several Reserve Best in Show and also had several Best in Show wins with multiple group placements. "Micky" is second generation home-bred and owned. We would like to thank everyone for their support and appreciate every single "congratulations".

Thank you Kathleen Esio-King and Nicole Esio.



**Ch Jacknic's Danaroh Patr4success** —  
"McCall" earned her URO1 title at Gateway Nationals and won two Reserve Champion class, earning her a Total Dog ribbon. Then at Richmond, KY show "McCall" won two legs towards her Grand Championship and has also earned two legs towards her BN with AKC. "McCall" is Co-owned by Kathleen Esio-King and Danetta Ohning. "McCall" is a very dark brown and parti factored.



# SHOW BRAGS CONT...

*from Kathy Esio-King of Jacknic*

We have been very busy since October and have missed a couple of our accomplishments.

**Ch Jacknic’s Call Me Navy** – “Sailor” won reserve champion and two champion class wins earning two legs towards his Grand championship at Gateway National, he now has three grand legs and just turned a year old in December.

**Ch Jacknic’s Samba In A Indigo Mist** –“Indigo”, also earned a reserve champion ribbon at Gateway and earned his third Grand leg at Michigan Classic in Kalamazoo. Indigo is Co-owned by Kathleen Esio-King and Rob Winters. Photo is from Gateway Nationals. Littermate puppies bred by Kathleen Esio-King and Melinda Hedges.



*Our solid pups have made a splash!*

**Ch Jacknic’s Mint To Do That** – “Pepper”

and **Ch ByRequest Aldean**



have both earned their UKC Grand Championship at Richmond, Kentucky shows in December.





# BREEDER SHOW BRAGS

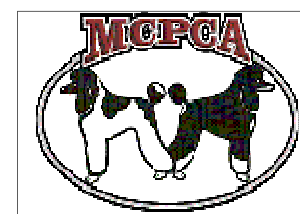
*from Gina Wainiola and Rivers Edge/Mosaic Poodles*

**U-Ch URO1 Mosaic Unique Mirage aka “Mariah”**  
is our latest UKC multicolor Champion finishing in GRAND style.  
She earned four Best Females, Best of Breed and a Group 1  
in a “Great” Gun dog group. She accomplished all of this against Top Ten ranking dogs.  
K9 Fanciers....Kalamazoo, MI December 7-8, 2013  
Mariah is now back to her former routine with her foster mom working on  
adding more letters to her name in performance.



*Her Sable sister below did well too!*

**Mosaic Unique Sequel aka “Nikki”**  
earned two passes towards her Grand Champion title  
which makes her a total of three.  
December 7-8, 2013 in Kalamazoo, MI at the  
K9 Fanciers Dog show



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