



Bucks Barker

Newsletter of The Lower Bucks Dog Training Club, Inc.

October 2024

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Next Meeting

Monday
October 7, 2024
7:30 PM

LBDC Training Site
8746 New Falls Road
Levittown, PA 19054

Congratulations!

Roz Rosenblatt tells us - In one day at Burlington County Kennel Club's September Scent Work trial Bette qualified and titled in Advanced Interiors, Advanced Exteriors and Advanced Buried, and earned her all-around Advanced Scent Work title. She is now eligible to trail in all Excellent searches. I'm proud of my girl. She's rock solid!

Linda Morrin says – Beautiful Burlington Kennel Club Scentwork Trials on 9/14/24 and 9/15/24

Ruby finished her excellent exterior and excellent container titles

Emily finished her advanced buried title with 2 q's and her overall advanced title. Emily also qd in 2 advanced interior legs towards elite advanced interior.

They both are in excellent now so I have to split them to compete. They love it. Especially today when the Mr. Softee ice cream truck showed up.

Thanks Burlington. Thanks, Dan, for being our wingman!!! Terri Kerr thanks!



We Competed at The West White Highland Terrier club Scent Work Trial at Kimberton Fair Grounds

Ruby Finished her Interior Title with. A 3Rd place., her Buried title with a 4th place earning her overall Scent Work excellent title

I am so proud of her. She also earned second place in Advanced Buried elite leg and a 2nd place in advanced interior leg.

Emily competed in Excellent containers with a 1st Place and qualified in excellent exterior.

Emily also earned an elite leg in advanced interior.



Training Committee

Unfortunately, the training committee did not meet as planned in September due to Ken and Carol having Covid. I do apologize to everyone, and I will let you know when the meeting will be rescheduled. Probably in early January.

Fall classes are pretty full and off to a good start.

Notice: Intro to Nosework class
Peggy Lehnen is instructor
Wednesdays: 10/23-11/13
7:30 - 8:30 PM
Fee: \$50. Members - \$40 payable at first class
Contact Carol McKinney to register

Starting this coming winter session, the Intro to Nosework class will be included on the website for registration. Enjoy your fall, and keep healthy.

Carol



Pet Food Drive

Dear Club Members,

It's official! Save the date. Our 2024 Holiday Pet Food Drive has been confirmed for Saturday, November 9, 2024 (Rain Date: November 10) from 10am to 2pm at ShopRite in Fairless Hills in the Queen Anne Shopping Plaza.

All we need now are YOU AND YOUR DOG(S). Come and join the fun and at the same time, support LBDTC's commitment to the community. Whether you have only 1 hour or all 4 hours to share, your dogs will thank you for letting them bring their ultimate brag to the community: their charm.

To help me plan treats for both our members and dogs, please email me to confirm your participation. Email is Johannapaws@comcast.net

There will also be a sign-up sheet at the October and November monthly meetings. Thank you.

Regards,
Johanna Molitano,
Chair - LBDTC Community Service Committee

WAG MORE, BARK LESS

Please see flyer below.

LBDTC 2025 Board Nominations

The LBDTC slate of officers for 2024 is:"

Liz Turner **President**

Helen Shaup **Vice President**

Ken McKinney **Recording Secretary**

Judy Youngken
Corresponding Secretary

Kris King **Treasurer**

Nancy Andreas **Member at Large**

Terri Kerr **Member at Large**

Nominations will also be accepted from the floor at the November meeting. The election will be in December and Board Members will be sworn in at the January 2025 meeting.

Kris King
Nominating Committee
Chairperson

LBDTC Obedience January 1, 2025

**LBDTC Obedience Trial
Wednesday, January 1, 2025**

Up Front Dog Training Center
128 Arneystown-Hornerstown
Road
Allentown, NJ 08501

Opening Date – September 25,
2024 at 8:00am
Closing Date – December 13,
2024 at 6:00pm

[Premium List](#)

LBDTC ISC Agility Trial February 20, 2025

**LBDTC ISC Agility Trial
Thursday, February 20, 2025**

Gloucester County Dream Park
400 Rt.130 South
Swedesboro, NJ 08085

Pending

**LBDC Obedience/
Rally Trials
April 19 & 20, 2025**

**LBDC Obedience Trial
Saturday, April 19, 2025**

**LBDC Rally Trial
Sunday, April 20, 2025**

Up Front Dog Training Center
128 Arneystown-Hornerstown
Road
Allentown, NJ 08501

Pending

**LBDC Agility Trial
May 18, 2025**

**Agility Trial
Sunday, May 18, 2025**

United Dog
1957 Pioneer Road, Unit B-6
Huntingdon Valley, PA, 19006

Pending

**LBDC
Agility Trials
June 6, 7 & 8 2025**

**Lower Bucks Dog Training
Club, Inc. Agility Trials**

Friday, Saturday & Sunday
June 6, 7 & 8, 2025

United Dog
1957 Pioneer Road, Unit B-6
Huntingdon Valley, PA, 19006

Pending

**LBDC Obedience
and Rally Trials
July 5 & 6 2025**

**LBDC Obedience Trial
Saturday, July 5, 2025**

**LBDC Rally Trial
Sunday, July 6, 2025**

Up Front Dog Training Center
128 Arneystown-Hornerstown
Road
Allentown, NJ 08501

Pending

Happy Birthday

The Lower Bucks Dog Training
Club, Inc, would like to wish the
following members a Happy
Birthday!

October

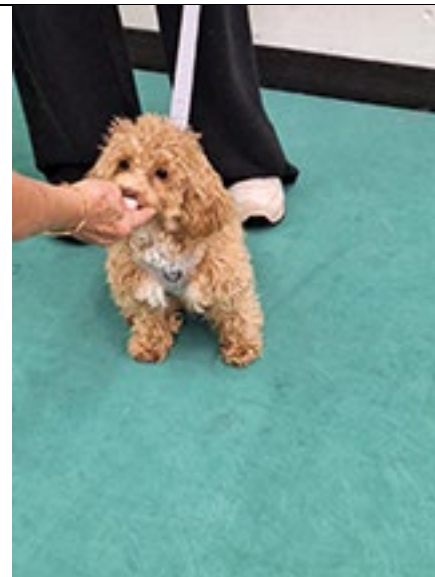
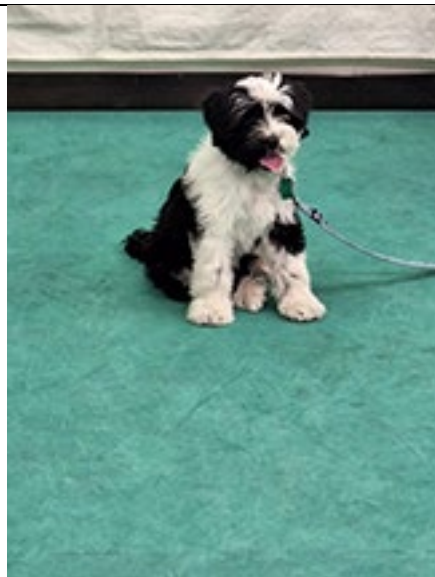
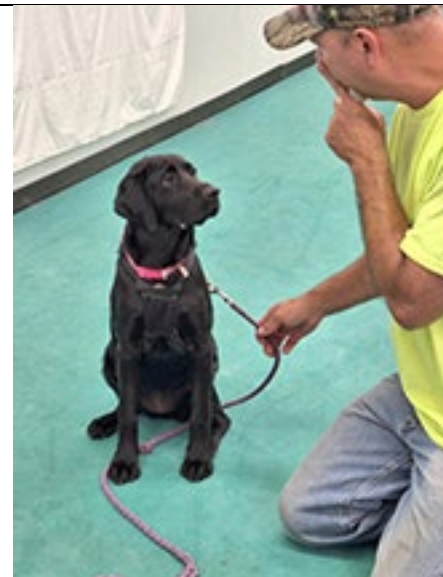
Howard Andrews
Mary Brooks
Janis Garbutt
Terri Kerr
Kris King
Robin Murphy-Kinley
Adrienne Sparke
Elizabeth Turner

Happy Birthday

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**Puppy Class
Photos by
Kim Anderson**





Travels With Harry

As you may know, Harry and I are in the midst of an eight-week cross-country trip. Here are a few of the places we have visited



Monument Valley



Petrified Forest National Park



Grand Canyon



Joshua Tree National Park

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Lower Bucks Dog Training Club

ANNUAL HOLIDAY PET FOOD DRIVE

November 9, 2024

Help support LBDTC's Holiday Pet Food drive by bringing un-opened and un-expired dog and/or cat food to the Shop Rite in Queen Anne's Shopping Center.

All donations will be distributed to local food pantries to families in need, so they may keep their pets fed and comfortable during the coming winter.



WHERE: Shop Rite in Queen Anne's Shopping Plaza
547 South Oxford Valley Road
Fairless Hills, PA 19030

WHEN: Saturday, November 9, 2024
10AM until 2PM

Rain Date: Sunday, November 10, 2024 from
10AM until 2PM

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