



# Chatter-Barks

## Obedience Club of Daytona, Inc.



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December 2023

### Meeting Location

OCOD

Training Center  
1276 8th Street  
Corner of 8th  
& Derbyshire  
7:00 pm General  
Meeting with  
Members & Guests

President: Michelle Lemole  
Vice Pres: Kris Davenport  
Secretary: Linda Campagna  
Treasurers: Renee' Johnson  
Chris Franczek

Board of Directors:  
Anna Johnson  
Sarah Beaudoin  
Claire Israelson

### OBEDIENCE:

761-1095 Joan C.  
677-4528 Renee' J.

### AGILITY:

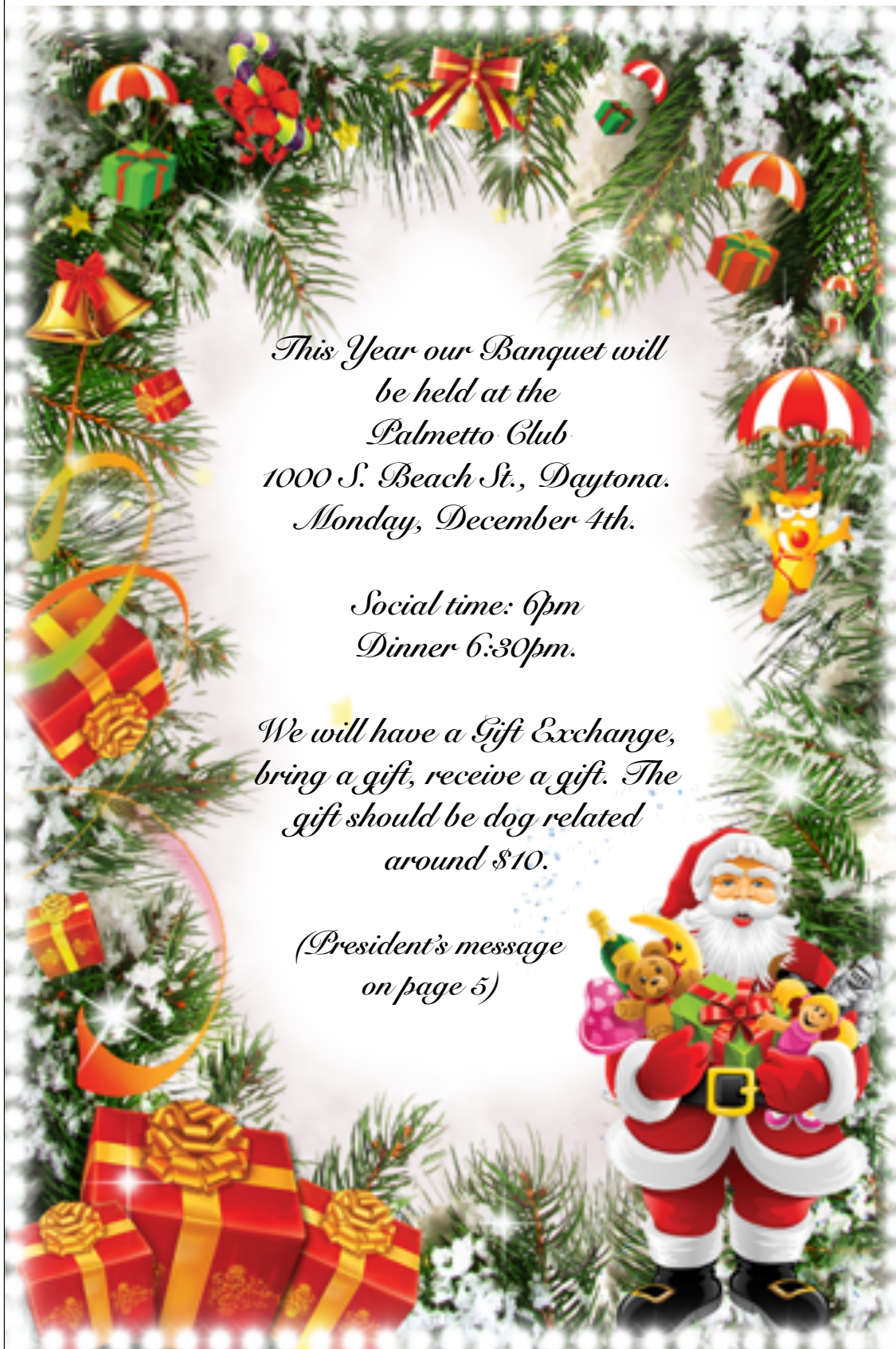
Linda Hudak  
386-295-3240

### APPLICATIONS:

Can be found on our  
web site  
[www.ocodb.org](http://www.ocodb.org)

### Disclaimer:

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expressed herein do not  
necessarily represent the  
views and opinions of the  
Obedience Club of Daytona,  
Inc. or the editors.



*This Year our Banquet will  
be held at the  
Palmetto Club  
1000 S. Beach St., Daytona.  
Monday, December 4th.*

*Social time: 6pm  
Dinner 6:30pm.*

*We will have a Gift Exchange,  
bring a gift, receive a gift. The  
gift should be dog related  
around \$10.*

*(President's message  
on page 5)*

## New Members

Laraine Mittleman and Rae Towsley

*Welcome*



## Therapy Dog Testing

**OCOD's Tester for  
Alliance of Therapy Dogs**

If you are interested in being  
evaluate please contact them

Ralph Orlando 386-788-4268  
[rorlando2@cfl.rr.com](mailto:rorlando2@cfl.rr.com)



## Please Note !

### **Fix It Board in the hallway.**

Please write down anything you notice in  
the Training Center that is broken or needs  
to be replaced.

Thanks!

The Sheets for mirrors are to be used solely  
for covering the mirrors and nothing else!

Military War Dogs,  
Volusia Sheriff 13  
K-9 Teams,  
Daytona and  
Port Orange K-9 Teams  
Always Need Our Help

Contact:

Ralph Orlando  
386-788-4268 or  
[rorlando2@cfl.rr.com](mailto:rorlando2@cfl.rr.com)



## Club Shirts

Please contact:

Pat Mozden

386-451-0848

[patmozden@cfl.rr.com](mailto:patmozden@cfl.rr.com)



**Please pay with a Check !**



### **Committee Chairpersons you may need to contact**

**Sunshine Person:** Kelly Zen if you know  
of someone who is seriously ill  
or had surgery;  
Jhett2000@aol.com

**Membership Director:** Patty Mills to  
answer questions or make changes on the  
club's roster.  
[pattylou.mills@gmail.com](mailto:pattylou.mills@gmail.com)

**Yearly Awards:** Vicki Owens  
for Annual Banquet  
[OCODawards@yahoo.com](mailto:OCODawards@yahoo.com)

### **Please Help the Humane Societies**

1. Southeast Volusia Humane Society  
386-428-9860
2. Flagler County Humane Society  
386-445-1841
3. Halifax Humane Society  
386-274-4703

### **Nominating Committee Report**

We are pleased to report that the nominating  
committee recommends the following individuals for  
the 2021 OCOD Board:

President:	Pat Mozden
Vice-President:	Kris Davenport
Treasurer: (Temp)	Renee' Johnson
Treasurer Assist:	Chris Franczek
Secretary:	Linda Campagna



Members at Large:  
Anna Johnson  
Sarah Beaudoin  
Michele Lemole  
All named individuals have accepted their nomination.

Respectfully,  
Linda Hudak  
Michele Lemole  
Janet Berry

Alternate:  
Chris Franczek  
Claire Israelson

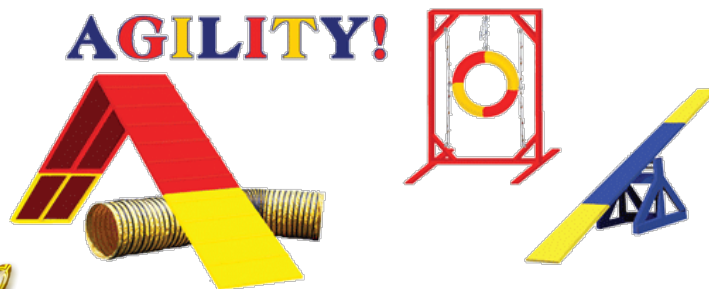


***There will be no  
Judges Dinner for Obedience & Rally Trials  
this year.***



## *Wins & Brags*

None received this month.



*We have received word that Mickey Fitzgerald has passed away. She was a long time club member. I will always remember her beautiful smile and how kind she was to everyone.*



## **OCOD'S Agility Trial Coming Soon! January 20, 21, 22**

**Michele Lemole**  
Trial Chairman 386-316-7134  
goldenspurgldns@aol.com

I prefer to work: Friday, Saturday  
Sunday

Excellent Large, Excellent Small,  
Open, Novice Standard JWW FAST  
T2B Premier

I prefer to do this job: Course Builder

Anywhere Needed, Scribe. Ring  
Steward, Gate Steward, Timer  
Sheet/Leash Runner

Anywhere  
EXCEPT \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone/email: \_\_\_\_\_

Class(es) Entered: \_\_\_\_\_

**Thank You !**

*President's Message,*

Happy December 🎄👤

I cannot believe it is already December and we are getting ready for Christmas and a brand new year!

I want to thank everyone for their help and support these past two year as President. It was an honor!!! Especially those of you who helped tirelessly with our classes, trials, building maintenance, behind the scenes and to the board of directors! I look forward working with Pat Mozdon who will be our new president!

Now for my last bit of wisdom. Be kind to one another. Life is a precious gift but a short one.

Merry Christmas, Happy Hanukkah,  
Happy Holidays!!!



*Michele Lemole*

**CLEANING DATES FOR THE  
TRAINING CENTER**

**-Friday 12/01/23** -Vacuum floors and general cleaning.

**-Sunday 12/03/23** - Scrub floors and general cleaning

**-Saturday 01/06/24** Vacuum floors and general cleaning

**-Sunday 01/07/24** Scrub floors and general cleaning

Also we have our Obedience and Rally Match on December 2nd .

Our Obedience and Rally trials are on December 8th, 9th and 10th.

Your help will really be appreciated.

Thanks,

Anna/Claire

Claire 386-238-7976, email

cisraelson@cfl.rr.com. if you have any questions.



OBEDIENCE CLUB OF DAYTONA

GENERAL MEETING

NOVEMBER 13, 2023

President Michele Lemole called the meeting to order at 7:15pm. The sign in sheet had been passed around and 15 members were present.

Minutes of the last meeting were not read because they were published in the Chatterbarks newsletter.

Wins and Brags were announced and Michele congratulated everyone. Any new wins and brags should be submitted to Joan for the Chatterbarks.

Report of the Secretary: There was one new application for membership. Laraine Mittleman and Rae Towsley, (HS) NSB. There was no correspondence.

Report of the Treasurer: Renee said we need a lot more money. Michele said to boost our student numbers we can go find people whose dogs need some help and say "come on out" and we'll teach you and your dog. Andria suggested having a table with flyers at fastcat events. Lately we have not had volunteers to man those tables on the weekends they were having fastcat. Recently we have done that for an event in Flagler County.

Joan said we have to have a minimum of 35 for the Holiday dinner. The deadline is the 26<sup>th</sup> of November. Ask all the club members you know.

Ralph saw an obituary for Mickey Fitzgerald recently. She was a lovely person and did agility for a long time with her golden retriever. Erin Gold is coming back to take pictures for the trial. He will also take pictures for people not in the trial. Ralph said the pictures of his 5 dogs were the best he has ever seen. Mr. Gold took pictures of Claire's dogs also. Claire has pictures on her cell phone that she can show you. Ralph will make a roster for all the stewards in the trial. We still need more. Please call and volunteer. We have lots of great judges for the trial. Ralph called AKC and they walked him through putting our premium on the AKC website. He had thought that it was the trial secretary's job to send the trial premium to AKC. The trial sign up closes on the 22<sup>nd</sup>. The match is on Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup>. The trial is on Dec. 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, and 10<sup>th</sup>.

Linda Hudak asked everyone to be careful and not let dogs urinate outside on the brick by the door or on the garbage can.

Michele said to keep in mind that we will need volunteers for the agility trial that's coming up. It's one of our fund raisers for the year. Fastcat will be at that trial. Michele said this is the last month she will be president. Claire said we all appreciate what you've done and everyone broke out into applause to thank Michele for being our club president for the last two years. Michele said thank you to all and asked if we could adjourn...Renee motioned to adjourn and Claire seconded the motion.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:42pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Linda Campagna



## **OCOD CONFORMATION CLASS**



Class Dates: Wednesday

**NEW Start Date**

**January 10 – February 14**

Time 7:00 – 8:00pm

***Instructor: Jim Danhauer***



1276 8<sup>th</sup> Street (corner of 8<sup>th</sup> and  
Derbyshire)

Dayton Beach

Come train/handle in an air-conditioned  
Matted ring setting



*"Female dogs in heat are NOT  
allowed in the building"*



**\$10. per night**

or Class Credits

Bring shot records if you don't have  
one on file with us



Mask may be required  
But up to the  
Instructor at this time



# "2024 Membership Dues"

Dues paid on new memberships accepted after  
September 1, 2023  
will be considered current and paid for the following year 2024

**Note: IF DUES ARE NOT PAID BEFORE  
JANUARY 1, 2024  
THERE IS A LATE CHARGE OF \$10.00**

Junior Membership: \$20.00  
Single Membership \$30.00  
Household Membership: \$45.00  
Life Membership (25 years) \$-0-

Mail to OCOD c/o Dues  
P.O. Box 290822  
Port Orange, FL 32129

***Dues can be paid online at our  
Club's website.***

Want to add your obedience  
trial trophy donation too?  
All in one check makes it  
easy \$10.00 (or more)  
for the Trial.

Any Changes?  
(Changes only please)

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, STATE, ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

CELL: \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\* Trial Donation: \$** \_\_\_\_\_



Deadline for next issue  
December 24  
Editor: Joan Costello  
c/o P.O. Box 290822  
Port Orange, FL 32129  
386-761-1095







## OBEDIENCE CLUB OF DAYTONA, INC.

Is Proud to Present

### RACHEL FLATLEY Two Day Obedience Seminar

**Date:** January 13-14, 2024

**Start Time:** 8:30

**Location:** 1276 8th Street  
(corner of 8th & Derbyshire)  
Daytona Beach, FL 32117

**Cost:** 2 Day Working Spot \$225

2 Day Audit Spot \$100

1 Day Audit Spot \$ 75

Early bird working spot \$200. Must receive registration form and check by October 15, 2023

**Fifteen (15) Working Spots and Unlimited Audit Spots** are available.

No refunds after December 20, 2023, except on a case by case emergency basis, unless your spot can be filled from our waiting list.

**Lunch:** Please bring your own lunch. **Bring:** High and lower-level treats to use for dog

**Seminar:** Open for all dogs Pre-Novice thru Utility.

#### "Recipe for Ultimate Obedience/Rally Performance Cake"

1. Making Your Icing First. What are the little details you can adopt and practice to make your practices and ring performances appear more polished? Let's make some "Icing" for your "performance cake"
2. Making Sure Your Oven (Your Dog) is in Working Order
3. Are you Using a "Smart Oven"?
4. Greasing your Cake Pan with Joy
5. Assembling Your Ingredients: (Ingredient #1: Focus/Attention, Ingredient #2: Impulse Control, Ingredient #3: Heel Position, Ingredient #4: Front Position, Ingredient #5 Staying Where I Put You, Ingredient #6: Marking an Object or Location, Ingredient #7: Retrieving, and Ingredient #8: (other assorted spices)

Please fill out the form on page 2 and Mail to: Robin Scott 23042 Eques Lane, Eustis, FL 32736

Register early so you can receive an "equipment" list & pre-seminar homework.

**Any Questions contact:** Kris Davenport 407-267-3865 kport16@gmail.com

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Rachel Flatley Seminar January 13-14, 2024 OCOD

Individual Troubleshooting Sessions: Each working spot will get individual help on a single problem area of their choosing.

When you register for a working spot, please be sure to email BOTH Rachel [Bordercoolies@aol.com](mailto:Bordercoolies@aol.com) and Kris at [kport16@gmail.com](mailto:kport16@gmail.com) with your choice for the individual problem solving session. Please be sure you use the subject line "OCOD seminar individual problem solving" Rachel will reply that your email has been received so if you don't get that response, please send it again. These emails have a deadline of December 30, 2023. After that date your request cannot be worked into the lesson plan for the seminar.

**\*\* A limited number of private lessons with Rachel will be available on Friday, January 12. Contact Kris at [kport16@gmail.com](mailto:kport16@gmail.com) for more information.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Dog's Call Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Level dog is working: Novice Open Utility  
(please circle)

  x   2 Day Working: \$225             2 Day Audit: \$100             1 day Audit: \$75

Please make checks payable to OCOD, Inc.

Mail to: Robin Scott 23042 Eques Lane, Eustis, FL 32736

**PLEASE INCLUDE SIGNED RELEASE**

I understand that my participation in any of the activities is not without risks such as tripping, falling, etc. I further understand that due to the way dogs interact with one another, cuts or scratches can occur to me or my dog during play or training with other dogs.

I will not hold OCOD, INC Board Members, Instructors or Members, the Property Owners or Rachel Flatley responsible for any injuries or misfortunes (to or by me or my dog) while training or any other work, should they occur.

I certify that I have read and understand the rules and regulations set forth herein and that I have read and understand this agreement.

OWNER NAME SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

OCTOBER TO APRIL CLASS SCHEDULE			
October to April Class Schedule		Revised 11/26/23	
CLASS & TIME	Start/End Date	Notes	Instructor and assistant
<b>Puppy</b>			
Wed 6:00PM	10/18 - 11/29	Rings 4 & 5	Eastlake, Govoni
Thu 5:00PM	1/4 - 2/15	Rings 4 & 5	Daly, Collar
Tue 9:00AM	1/16 - 2/27	Rings 4 & 5	Eastlake, Govoni, Collar
Wed. 6:00PM	2/7 - 3/20	Rings 4 & 5	Eastlake,
<b>Basic</b>			
Tue 1:00PM	10/17 - 11/28	Ring 3	McLachlan, Mills
Thu 6:00PM	10/19 - 12/7 (skip Thanksg	Port Orange Cit	Tomlinson, Bell
Thu 7:00PM	1/4 - 2/13	Ring 4	Daly, Collar
Wed 6:00PM	1/17 - 2/28	Ring 3	Angel Hendricks
Tues. 7:00PM	2/13 - 3/26	Ring 4	Harrington,
<b>Canine Good Citizen</b>			
Wed. 6:00PM	3/6 - 4/17	Ring 3	Brensinger, Mozden
<b>Intermediate</b>			
Thu 6:00PM	1/4 - 2/15	Ring 3	Costello, Cail, Gordon
Thu 6:00PM	2/29 - 4/11	Ring 3	Costello, Cail, Gordon
<b>Intermediate Plus</b>			
Wed 6-7:30PM	starts Jan. if any interest	Ring 1	Connolly
<b>Novice Comp.</b>			
Thu 6:00PM		Ring 2	A. Johnson
Mon 11:45		Ring 2	Massaro
<b>Open</b>			
Mon 9:30AM	Mondays	monthly	M. Orlando
	Mondays	monthly	M. Orlando
<b>Utility</b>			
Mon 10:30AM	Mondays	monthly	Scott, Massaro
<b>Open/Utility Comp.</b>			
Tue 5-6:30PM	Tuesdays	limit 8, sign up	R. Johnson, Berry
<b>Rally</b>			
Mon 4-6PM	Mondays	By Appt: 386.25 Miles	
<b>Fun Agility</b>			
Wed. 6:00PM	Wednesdays	monthly	Israelson, VanHorn
<b>Agility Handling</b>			



<b>Conformation</b>			
Wed 7:00PM	January, 2024	Ring 2	Danhauer
<b>Beginner Rally Free</b>			
Wed - 3:00PM	Jan-24	Ring 1	Connolly
<b>Rally Free Dance</b>			
Wed 5:00PM	January, 2024	Ring 1	Connolly
<b>Proofing &amp; Distractions Adv. Utility</b>			
Mon 8:30AM	Mondays	Must be an acti	Swegle, Hulett
<b>1 on 1 Prob. Solving</b>			
Thu 10-11:00AM	Reserved appt. members only	Rings 1 & 2	Massaro
<b>Ring Time</b>			
OB/RLY Match	12/2		
OB/RLY Trials	12/9		
Maybe	12/16		
Maybe	12/23		
Maybe	12/30		
Maybe	1/6		
<b>Beginner Dance</b>			
Sun 2:00PM	call Linda Campagna	386.848.4594	NO TEXT
<b>Advanced Dance</b>			
Sun 3:30PM	call Linda Campagna	386.848.4594 n	
<b>SPRAY</b>			
1st Friday	first Fridays of month	3 hours to dry	
<b>Ring Rental</b>	call Linda Hudak	appt. only 386.295.3240	
<b>Legend:</b>	7 Week Class GREEN	Monthly Class R Pay By Night Class BLUE	
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# Dog Training



## 2023 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Dec. 2      OCOD "C" Match  
 Dec. 4    OCOD Awards & Christmas Banquet  
 Dec. 8-9-10   OCOD Obedience & Rally Trials

## 2024 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Jan. 13-14      Rachel Flatley Seminar  
 Jan. 19-20-21   OCOD Agility Trials  
 Feb. 4          OCOD Tracking Trial  
 Apr. 19-20-21   Scent Work Trials  
 Apr. 27          Eye Clinic  
 May 4-5          K-9 of Jacksonville Trials  
 July 19          Clean Toy for Sent Work Trial  
 July 12-13-14   OCOD Obedience & Rally Trials



Training Center Address:  
 1276 8th. Street  
 Daytona Beach, Fl. 32117  
 (Corner of 8th Street & Derbyshire)  
*No mail received at  
 Training Center*

*Don't forget our  
 C -Match on Dec. 2nd  
 and our Obedience &  
 Rally Trials  
 at our Training Center  
 on Dec. 8,9, & 10th*

**A VERY MERRY  
 CHRISTMAS**  
*and Happy New Year!*

