

Chatter-Barks

Obedience Club of Daytona, Inc.



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Meeting Location

OCOD

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

President: Linda Hudak
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Vice Pres: Kris Davenport
Secretary: Linda Campagna
Treasurers: Renee' Johnson
Todd Traster

Board of Directors:
Claire Israelson
Pat Mozden
Linda Brendlinger

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web site
www.ocodb.org

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or the editors.



Next Meeting 7:00 PM
Monday, March 8, 2021

"Program"
General Club Business



President's Message,

It was a year ago this March that COVID-19 became a reality and changed how we live our daily lives. I have to say I am proud of how the Club has risen to meet these unprecedented challenges and I am proud of how our members have adhered to local regulations and CDC recommendations. I believe the safety protocol put forth by the Club has enabled us to continue to conduct business in a safe and responsible manner and I would like to thank everyone for doing their part to ensure the safety of our students and members. We have been luckier than many of our northern friends as our classes, trials, and Saturday ring rentals have resumed, and the demand and response has been overwhelming positive. We have risen to the challenges presented and have persevered, but I ask everyone to remain vigilant and safe as we continue to move forward.

It's important to remember that everything we do, every class that's taught, every trial we hold, depends on our members to volunteer. This month I would like to spotlight our Volunteer Instructors and assistants who are essential to the existence of our club – without our wonderful Instructors there would not be a club. Please join me in saying a true heartfelt "Thank you" to our Instructors and Assistants who support the Club and their students.

Stay Safe and Train on My Friends,

Linda Hudak

Happy St. Patrick's Day!!!



New Members

Barbara Harris
Lindsay Moore
Ernestine Selby
Liz Watson



Club Member

When: Saturday, March 27th

Time: 5:00 Sharp !

Where: **River Grill on the Tomoka**
950 N. US Hwy 1
Ormond Beach,

Call Carol Mason
for reservations or cancellations

386-228-3965 or e-mail her
carolsjeep@hotmail.com

*Join other Club members
and their quests !*

**TIME
CHANGE
THIS
MONTH !**

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



Club Shirts

Please contact:
Dana Connolly
386-479-0442
dsconnolly1984@gmail.com



Please pay with a Check !

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



Therapy Dog Visits

NO VISITS AT THIS TIME



Please carry current parasite test and rabies shot records at all times.

Ormond / Holly Hill Area

First Tuesday: Riviera 10:30

Second Tuesday: Health Center of
Daytona Beach 10:30

Fourth Tuesday: Claire Bridge 10:00

Deland Area

Third Tuesday: Grand Villa, Deland 10:30

Port Orange / Daytona Area

First Wednesday: Port Orange Nursing &
Rehab Center at 10:00

Second Monday: Brookdale on Dunlawton 10:30

Third Wednesday : Carlton Shores 10:00
on Nova Rd.

Fourth Monday: Brookdale on Dunlawton 10:30

Every other Tuesday: Halifax Hospital 1:30 pm
rear entrance, Halifax needs
current parasite test & rabies
shot records.

OCOD's Testers for Alliance of Therapy Dogs

if you are interested in joining the group
please contact them

Ralph Orlando 386-788-4268
rorlando2@cfl.rr.com

Janet Berry 386-527-5255
jdaussie@bellsouth.net

Linda Eastlake 386-761-1355
leastlake@bellsouth.net

Wins & Brags !

Jean Vanhorn and "Sassy" at the OCOD Agility Trials earned a 1st Place Win on Saturday and Sunday January 23 & 24."Sassy" also earned a Novice Title on Sunday.

Jill Smith and Chambray You Had Me At Hello "Bliss" earned the AKC Winners Bitch Major Win at the February 2021 Show!

Karyn Bersteinn Angel and Cody earned their RACH Title.

Marti Touchstone and "Promise" her Belgian Malinois, finished her Utility Title, got her first UDX leg and first OTCH points, and took High in Trial at the Lakeland shows. Rick Clark and Promise's mother, Alli, picked up two Graduate Open legs.

Marilyn Strout and "Maniac Mayhem" knocked it out of the park at a recent Scent Trial, having a 100% pass rate. She earned her DDEndurance, DDDistance; Novice Exterior, Novice Interior, Advanced Container and her overall Detective Dog Novice title. She's now the #1 Manchester in Scent work.

Linda Brendlinger and "Piper" Aircraft On The Beach BN RN BCAT SCA SIN SHDA RATO CGC TKI , competed in her first National Association Canine Scent Work trial in January and earned her NW 1 Title!!

Debra Cail and "Tiki" earned 5 out of 6 Q's giving her enough for the New Title of RatCHx4 !
Out of 1787 Australian Shepherds registered in Barn Hunt, Tiki is only the 15th one to achieve this Title!!!
I am so very proud of her!!

Dale Parks and Sleepytime's Believe It Or Not ML "Ripley" her 9 ½ month old miniature, longhair Dachshund,, earned the CGC title at graduation from Advanced Basic/CGC class on 2/24/21.

Patricia Albano and "Gabriel" passed his CGC test today. We are grateful and happy. Onward to the next chapter of his little Gabriel life

Nancy Wadelton and "Ripley Believe it or Not Forever" "Ripley" earned his Bcat and his CGC titles this month. Thanks to Anna for such a great class preparing for the CGC.

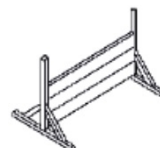
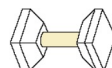
Congratulations Everyone !

Committee Chairpersons 2021

1. AKC LEGISLATION: Edd Gordon
2. AKC AMBASSADORS: Renee' Johnson & Joan Costello
3. AKC PUBLIC EDUCATION: Sandy Bailey
4. AUDIT COMMITTEE: _____?
5. BUILDING COMMITTEE: Ralph Orlando, Claire Israelson, Bob Balas, Linda Decastro, Janet Berry
6. CANINE GOOD CITIZEN: Ralph Orlando, Renee' Johnson, Janet Berry, Joan Costello,
7. CLASS REGISTRATION OBEDIENCE: Joan Costello
8. CLASS REGISTRATION AGILITY: Lisa Liguori
9. CLUB PINS: Shirley Shalansky
10. CLUB SHIRTS: Dana Connolly
11. DOCOF: Linda Hudak
12. EQUIPMENT: Ralph Orlando
13. LEASHES, COLLARS: Bob Balas
14. EVENTS: _____?
15. FAKC (Florida Association of Kennel Clubs): _____?
16. HUMANE SOCIETIES: Halifax- Pat Mozden, SEVHS _____?
Flagler _____?
17. HISTORIAN: Joan Costello
18. MAIL: Joan Costello
19. MEMBERSHIP: Linda Brendlinger
20. Newsletter: Joan Costello, Sandy Bailey
22. Obedience Trials: Ralph & Maria Orlando
23. PARADE: Linda Campagna
24. PROGRAMS: _____?
25. PUBLICITY: _____?
26. PRINTING-COPIER: Pat Mozden
27. RALLY: Nancy Miles, Kelly Zen
28. RIBBONS: Kelly Zen
29. SOCIAL EVENTS: Carol Mason
30. SUNSHINE PERSON: Kelly Zen
31. SCENT WORK: _____?
32. TRAINING CENTER CONTRACTS: Coralee Leon
33. THERAPY DOG TESTER(s): Ralph Orlando, Janet Berry, Linda Eastlake
34. THERAPY DOG VISITS: North End: Renee' Johnson South End: Ralph Orlando & Janet Berry
35. TRACKING: Patricia Dean
36. TRAINING COMMITTEE OBEDIENCE: TBD
37. TRAINING DIRECTORS: Obedience: _____?, Agility: Lisa Liguori
1. RECORDS FOR BOTH: Renee' Johnson
38. WEB SITE: Barb Perez, Chris Franczek
39. Window/Pictures: Dana Connolly

We have a few positions open, please contact
Linda Hudak at randylindahudak@bellsouth.net if you would like to fill one.





Jill Smith and Chambray You Had Me At Hello
"Bliss" earned the AKC Winners Bitch Major
Win at the February 2021 Show!



Huge Congratulations for
Karyn Bersteinn Angel and Cody
on their RACH Title !



Marti Touchstone:
Wrapping up a great Valentines
Obedience weekend for me and my gal,
Finished her Utility title, got her first
UDX leg, first OTCH points and a
High In Trial.



Obedience Club of Daytona*** General Meeting Minutes*****Date February 8, 2021**

Meeting was called to order at 7:05pm by Linda Hudak, President. (Rally Free Demo after meeting)

Sign in sheet was passed around-24 members present and 2 guests.

Wins & Brags were not announced - any new ones submitted to Joan via email will be posted in Chatterbarks.

Guests were asked to introduce themselves and were welcomed.

Minutes of the last meeting were not read but were published in Chatterbarks

Report of the Secretary: We have 4 new membership applications: Barbara Harris (SM) NSB , Lindsay Moore (SM) Ormond Beach, Ernestine Selby (SM) NSB, and Liz Watson (SM) Flagler Beach.

Welcome to our new members. no other correspondence

Report of the Treasurer:

February Income/expenses *no report given Treasurer went home early

Report of the Board of Directors:

Linda Hudak spoke about revamping our entry area at the club. We will not be having a report on expenses and money coming in tonight because Renee' had to leave early.

Report of Committees:

Lisa Liguori, the trial chair for OCOD's Agility Trial, wants us to know what a big undertaking the trial was a few weeks ago. She wants to thank all the club members and volunteers who worked hard to make the 2021 trial a success. Entries were up by 72 for the weekend. The judges chose beautiful, fun courses that were favorites of the competitors. Some of the compliments from them were about how good the members were taking care of everything and how efficiently the rings were run. Silver Sands has also upgraded all their RV pads with crushed shell to accommodate our traveling competitors. Overall we did great. The trial brought in \$5400, followed by FastCat at \$1600. We are already making plans for next year.

Ralph Orlando, in charge of our annual February weekend Tracking Trial, was up bright and early Saturday driving down to farm acreage near Orlando Airport. On Saturday he walked together with judges who were determining where Ralph would lay the scent track on Sunday. Pat Dean the Trial Secretary was involved with everything else and was also successful in registering 5 entries. One of the tracks Ralph laid was called a TDU which stands for Tracking Dog Urban. Ralph really likes Tracking because you are working out in a natural environment where the dog is the leader and is using his nose to find the extra heavy work glove at the end of the track. Of all the 21 various AKC Titles Ralph's dog Smokey has gotten over the years the ones Ralph and Smokey have enjoyed the most have been Tracking. We will have the Trial at the same time next year.

New Business:

Joan said all classes are pretty well filled. The Basic Port Orange class has a couple of more openings. Joan would also like to thank Linda Eastlake for stepping up to teach 2 Puppy classes and also Bob Balas has stepped up to teach 2 classes. Classes will be listed in the newsletter. Confirmation classes will be once a month. Also, to check Nancy's Rally class schedule for availability before arriving. Anna is teaching scentwork on Friday mornings at 9 AM.

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Saturday morning the training center is open for ring rental.

Ralph made an inquiry regarding reimbursing veterans taking Basic Obedience classes from the military dog fund if they attend all the classes and follow the rules of the program. Discussion will be continued.

Linda Hudak reminded everyone that we are all volunteers and there is a shortage of teachers and assistants, so if you would like to help out or assist contact Joan.

At the March Meeting we will have a Scent Detection Demo by the Port Orange Police.

Rally Free Demo: Dana Connelly with the help of club member Theresa Bennett and her handsome Standard Poodle Louis showed off some moves in Rally Free tonight. There are four categories: Novice, Intermediate, Advanced, and Encore. You need three legs to get a title in the category. There are 15 signs on the course not including the start sign; If you use only verbal commands and no body movements you will get more points toward your score.

Thanks to Dana, Theresa, and Louis for putting on a really great demo.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:04pm

Respectfully Submitted,
Linda Campagna



Important notice about Cleaning & Class Discounts

In order to be able to be eligible for the class discounts you must help with one of the Cleaning Dates in the first 6 months and again in the last 6 months of the year. This applies to everyone **unless you have contacted Linda Brendlinger** about a physical problem as to why you can't help, we realize there are some that just aren't able to help but you must contact Linda at lindabrendlinger@gmail.com



This is Lucy, Jim Polito and Pat Mozden's new dog. Lucy is an 18 month old lab mix adopted from Halifax Humane Society and weighs 40 pounds. We adopted her on February 12th.



Anna Johnson has a new family member, Meet Twotwo. She is about a 1 ½ year old border collie. She came to me from a close friend who had a change in circumstances. She is adjusting nicely to her new life and will be starting classes soon.



*Sincere Sympathy to Laurel Hendricks on the loss "Zoey," her beloved Boston Terrier.
Precious Zoe's Delight*

RATS,SWA,SINE,SCM,SIE went over the Rainbow Bridge on Feb. 13th. She was a great dog that was rescued and live with our family for 7 years. She was the first Boston in AKC to earn 13 Scentwork titles. She will be missed greatly.



Nancy Wadeldon's Ripley earned his Bcat Title.



Word has been received that a past club member Marilyn Coleman has passed away. She was very active in agility and many of our member knew her.





MONDAY

- 9AM** OPEN Maria Orlando (Must be pre-approved, limited to 6)
10:15 UTILITY Joyce Swegle
4-6:00 RALLY Nancy Miles by appt.
(not on meeting nights)
6:00 ADV. BASIC CGC 3/1 - 4/26
Linda Brendlinger Assist: Pat Mozden

WEDNESDAY

- 10:00** PUPPY 3/10 - 4/21 Linda Eastlake
Assist: Sylvia Diamond, Barbra Bray,
6:30 CONFORMATION Susan Winters
(2ND WEDNESDAY of the Month ONLY)

STARTING MARCH 10TH

- 5:30** RALLY FREE DANCE Dana Connolly
7:00 BEG. RALLY FREE Dana Connolly
6:30 PUPPY 2/24 - 4/7 Todd Traster,
Assist: Patricia Dean
10am PUPPY Linda Eastlake
Assist: Sylvia Diamond, Barb Bray

FRIDAY

SPRAY 1ST FRIDAY OF MONTH
(3 hours to dry)

- 9:00** BEGINNER SCENT Anna Johnson
9:00 ADVANCE SCENT Anna Johnson
(Everyone must help set up and put away)

SUNDAY

Instructor: Linda Campagna

- 12:30**
2:00 Beginner Dance
3:30 Adv. Beginner

MARCH / APRIL

TUESDAY



- 10:00** BASIC MANNERS 3/2 - 4/13 Anna Johnson,
Assits: Claire Israelson
11:30 BEYOND BASIC 3/2 - 4/21 Linda Hudak
Assist: Karyn Angel
1:00 PUPPY 4/6 - 5/18 Cheryl Johnson
Assist:
6:00 BEG. OPEN / UTILITY Renee' Johnson
7:00 BASIC MANNERS 3/2 - 4/13 Bob Balas
Assist: Constance Yuschok, Terri Brensinger
6:30 BASIC MANNERS 3/30 - 5/11 Sandy Bailey,
Assist: Linda Campagna (Port Orange)

THURSDAY

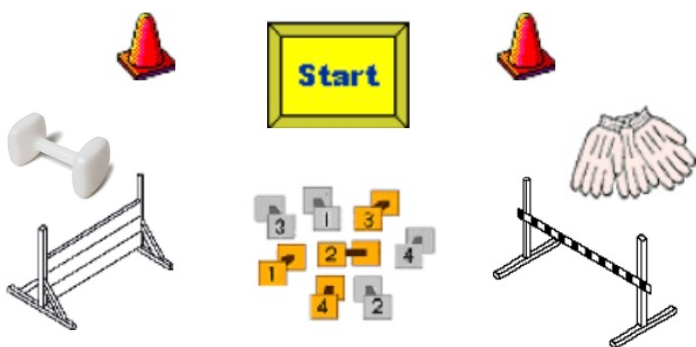
- 9:00** NOVICE COMP. Renee' Johnson
Robin Scott
10:15 VERSATILITY Joyce Swegle
6:00 INTERMEDIATE 2/25 - 4/8 Linda Brendlinger
Assist: Sarah Beaudoin
6:30 PUPPY 3/25 - 5/6 Linda Eastlake
7:00 Basic Manners 3/11 - 4/22 Bob Balas
Assist: Ashliegh Wallace
6:30 PUPPY 3/25 - 5/6 Linda Eastlake
6:00 AGILITY FOUNDATION Lisa Liguori

MARCH -- SATURDAY RING TIME (9AM - 12 NOON)

- March 6 Todd Traster
March 13 Anna Johnson
March 20 Susan Handy
March 27 Claire Israelson

Updated 2/26/21

Dog Training



2021 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

May 8 & 9	K9 Jacksonville
July 10	Eye Clinic 8am - 12 Noon
July 16	OCOD 2 Rally Trials
July 17	OCOD 2 Obedience Trials
July 18	OCOD 1 Obedience Trial
Aug. 13-14-15	Golden Retrieve Club of Mid Fla.

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St. Patrick's
Day



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