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MEETING INFORMATION

The next meeting will be on held on Nov 20, 2009. The meeting starts at 7:30 p.m. Most members come early and have dinner.

DIRECTIONS:

From 422 West—Follow 422 West (do not take Business route). Continue to Wyomissing Blvd. exit At the top of the ramp turn left. Go to 1st traffic light and turn right. Go to next traffic light and turn left. Go to the stop sign and turn right. Go to the next traffic light and turn left. Go thru the shopping mall area to the end at the traffic light (State Hill Road) turn right—Giannotti's is on the left hand side.

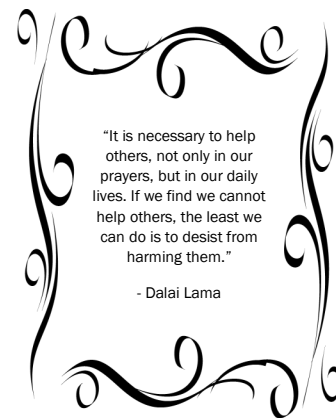
From PA Turnpike—Exit at Morgantown exit. Take route 176

North to Route 422 West and follow directions from above.



DATES TO REMEMBER

- Nov meeting-program. See below.
- Jan 23 & 24, 2010—Clubs next shows
- July 24, 2010 –Club picnic .
- Oct 10, 2010-Club match –not confirmed .



"It is necessary to help others, not only in our prayers, but in our daily lives. If we find we cannot help others, the least we can do is to desist from harming them."

- Dalai Lama

CLUB STUFF

Club dues are due before December 2009. Please use the attached form so we can update our records. The Clubs match was a great success. Many thanks to everyone who helped. 28 bulldogs were shown (note-last year we had 29) so it was a great registra-

tion. Of course the food was great. Great job everyone. The nominating committee has nominated the same officers for President, vice-president, secretary and treasurer. They also nominated Pauline DeVito, Bonnie Baxter and Debbie Wurster for the board. Floor nominations will be taken in November and

elections will occur at the November meeting. Thanks to the nominating committee.

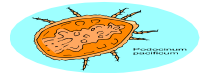
This meeting will have a guest speaker on the female reproductive system (canine). This was scheduled for Oct but had to be rescheduled due to weather.



DEMODEX

Sounds like it is something out of a “B” movie at Halloween but all animals including humans seem to carry a natural population of demodex—microscopic parasitic mites—that live on the skin and in hair follicles. But when there is an overpopulation we call it demodectic mange. For a lot of unknown reasons the dog’s immune system fails to control the number of mites and the increased population results in inflammation or mange. Demodectic mange most commonly occurs in pup-

pies under 8 months of age, although adult and even senior dogs can become affected if they have a breakdown in their immunity says Michael Paul, DVM. The most common method of transmission is the mite being passed from mother to her nursing puppies. Otherwise, it is not contagious. Usually you will notice patchy, localized hair loss. In severe, or generalized, cases, widespread hair loss, itching, and secondary bacterial skin infections are seen. The vet can do a micro-



scopic exam of skin scrapes or a skin biopsy. Generalized and stubborn cases require aggressive treatment with special shampoos and various pills and/or dips. Some Vets used heartworm medication to assist in killing the mites. Antibiotics can treat any secondary infections. Localized cases will sometimes clear up on their own. There is little that can be done to prevent the increased infection. Good foods and careful watching seems to be the best treatment for prevention.



KEEPING KIDS AND DOGS SAFE FROM ONE ANOTHER

According to the national Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, about half of all children in the United States will have been bitten by a dog by the time they reach age 12—and among those children, the most severely injured are younger than 7. The American Humane Association wants to change those statistics by launching American Humane KIDS: Kids Interacting with Dogs Safely. This is a dog bite

prevention program targeted to children under the age of 7.

The program tries to teach the children to be considerate of a dog’s feelings to help prevent dog bites. The program is great but a real help is parents teaching children the following rules:

1. Never approach a dog you don’t know or a dog who is alone without her owner.
2. Always ask the owner’s

permission before petting a dog (how many times has the opposite happened to you at a show?).

3. Never approach a dog who is eating, sleeping or has something she really likes, such as a favorite bone or toy.
4. Don’t allow your child to poke at a dog or tease him.
5. Never run towards or away from a dog.

DON’T DISCARD THAT OLD VODKA.

Who knew????

To remove a bandage painlessly, saturate the bandage with vodka. The stuff dissolves adhesive.

To clean the caulking around bathtubs and showers, fill a spray bottle with vodka, spray the caulking, let set 5 minutes and wash clean.

Add a jigger of vodka to 12 ozs of your shampoo. The alcohol cleans the scalp, removes toxins from hair, and stimulates the growth of healthy hair.

Fill a 16 oz. trigger spray bottle with vodka and spray bees and wasps to kill them.

Pour vodka over an area affected with poison ivy to remove the

urushiol oil from your skin.

Fill a clean used mayonnaise jar with freshly packed lavender flowers, fill the jar with vodka, seal the lid tightly and set in the sun for 3 days. Strain the liquid through a coffee filter, then use this to apply the tincture to aches and pains.

Vodka will disinfect and alleviate a jellyfish sting.

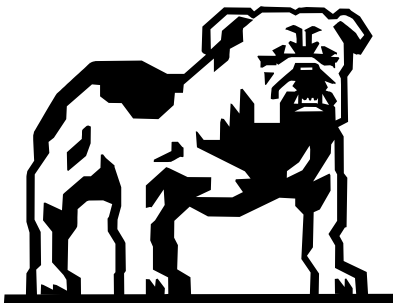


**LENAPE BULLDOG CLUB OF PENNSYLVANIA
TROPHY PLEDGE FORM
JANUARY 2010 SHOWS**

The Club needs and appreciates all donations made towards the trophies we give at our Saturday and Sunday shows in January each year.

All pledges are placed in the general trophy funds and those who donate are recognized on a special sheet in the catalog for the shows.

We hope you will assist the Club in our continuing effort to give out great prizes.



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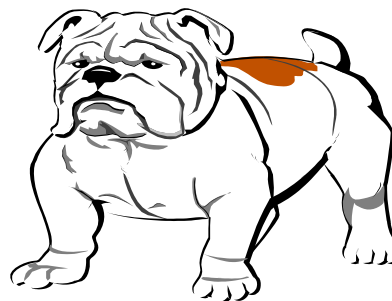
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2010 DUES FORM



NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

DUES ARE \$10.00 PER PERSON .

TOTAL ENCLOSED: _____

If you joined the Club after June 2009 you do not need to pay again BUT we ask that you complete the information fields and send the form in to verify you mailing information and email address. If this applies to you please check the box { }.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO LBCP.

MAIL FORM AND CHECK TO:

LISA TREFFINGER
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BACK TO BACK SPECIALTY SHOWS

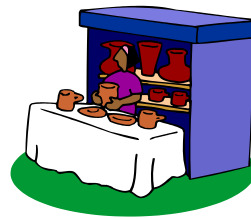
Riveredge Convention Center 2017 Bernville Road Reading, PA
19601

January 23, 2010

Sweepstakes - **Jennifer Thomas**

Judge - **Mr. Dale Flippin**

Match - **Denise DeAcosta**



VENDORS

Veterinarian, **Dr. Dana Clarke**, will present her soon to be published paper “Resolution of Severe Hypoplastic Trachea in Six English Bulldog Puppies with Bronchopneumonia, Following Growth to Maturity” on Saturday night after the match.

January 24, 2010

Judge - **Mrs. Paula Flippin**

Showchair

Mrs. Debbie Wurster

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