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A Very Happy Birthday To All!

Members are asked to bring a wrapped gift to the club



meeting for the month of their Birthday. The gifts go to the winners of the Sunshine Drawings. Sunshine funds raised are used to purchase cards, flowers, or other expressions of care and concern for club members who need support and comfort. Please support Sunshine by bringing your gifts. If you missed the month of your birthday or

there was no meeting that month, you may bring your gift in a following month! Remember you can always donate to the **Sunshine Fund** on the club's Website.

	Jun-18	YTD 2018
Proceeds	\$80.50	\$389.50
Expenditures	\$(90.52)	\$(254.34)
Net	\$(10.02)	\$135.16

August General Membership Meeting will be held in conjunction with our

Summer Social

August 4

Noon

All you need to bring is you, your dog (if you wish) and a side dish or dessert. See you there!

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August 2018

A Word from Our President

Hi Club!

I am looking forward to seeing everyone at the club social on August 4th. Nothing better than good friends and good food with plenty of time to enjoy it.

Also, be thinking of who would be a good person to have on the nominating committee to select next year's club officers. We will be casting votes at our monthly meeting.

Thanks again to all the instructors and assistants who taught this last session and a big thanks to those who volunteered to instruct next session.

We also really appreciate all the volunteers for the Show-N-Go's and the CGC events.

See you soon!

David Elliott DTCDC President



2018 Officers & Directors

President – David Elliott Vice President – Vicki Jackson Training Director – Jan Bajovich Secretary – Margaret Culbertson Treasurer – Shari Price Member at Large – Carol Ford Member at Large – Donna Heishman Member at Large – Jan Hitchborn Member at Large – Felicia Ruhter

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Lynda Holman Mark Malone Maurine Pearson



Training Committee News

NEW MANUAL: The new student handbook has been submitted for preparation for printing. It will first be unveiled electronically to those participating in the August 12th training. Our plan is to have the manual ready for Session 6. A link to it will be emailed by Eventbrite to Beginner and Puppy students each session and hard copies will be available for those we are not able to access it electronically or, for other reason, request a hard copy.



The Training Committee will turn our efforts to updating the Instructor and Assistant Manual next.



THANK YOU: As always, I want to extend a special thank you to those who have volunteered to instruct or assist this year. I appreciate your contribution of time, planning, effort, and patience to help the students who come to us for training.

We still need a few instructors and assistants for Sessions 5 and 6 so, if you can help us, please contact Carol Ford or Sally Browning. If you are a new

member, you do not need experience to assist. We will train you.

Jan Bajovich DTCDC Training Director

NEW MANUAL ROLLOUT!!!! AUGUST 12TH!!!!

The Training Committee is requesting your presence on August 12th to see the new manual and get up to speed on some cool new methods introduced

there. If you have any plans to instruct or assist a Puppy or Beginner class in the future, we need you there! If you are just curious about the new manual and want to join us, feel free to RSVP and join us.

There will be two sessions offered on August 12th. Session 1 will be from 9 a.m. to Noon and Session 2 will be 1 to 4 p.m. You need only attend one of the sessions. Lunch will be provided Noon to 1 p.m. for both sessions.

Please RSVP to janbajovich@yahoo.com with which session you will attend so we can plan seating and lunches. Thank you to those who have already signed up!

Instructor/Assistant Corner:

Instructors, are you all aware that Eventbrite will generate emails to your students? Once you are given access to your class, click on the class name in Eventbrite, go to the menu on the right-hand side, click "Manage Attendees", then "Emails to Attendees" and then click the blue button in the center of the page, "Create New Attendee Mail".

Eventbrite does not allow attachments, but you can copy and paste a link into the email.

Some links you might want to send are articles in Fido's Extra Reading Material on our website. There are articles on crating, socialization, housebreaking, grooming and many other topics. You can send the link

to articles related to your weekly discussion topics for Puppy and Beginner class.

Check back often because in the future, we will be adding more articles and resources to Fido's Extra Reading Material. If you have resources you would like to add to Fido's Extra Reading Material, please let me know. I would like to see this page of our website updated with new information and become a useful resource for instructors and students.

Remember to let your students know about Fido's Extra Reading Material. The articles there are available to the public.

Jan Bajovich DTCD Training Director

Session 5 Instructors and Assistants							
Class	Day	Time	Begin Date	End Date	Instructor	Assistant	Assistant
Beginner*	Mon	7 - 8 p.m.	8/6/2018	9/17/2018	Jeff Young	Benita Zapata	
Puppy*	Mon	8:15 - 9:15 p.m.	8/6/2018	9/17/2018	Teresa York	Terri Shurr	
Conformation	Tues	6:15 - 7 p.m.	8/7/2018	9/11/2018	Jenny Dunaway	Ken	
Foundation Skills	Tues	7 - 8 p.m.	8/7/2018	9/11/2018	Tom Griggs		
Beginner	Tues	8 - 9 p.m.	8/7/2018	9/11/2018	Joe Warner	Kate Zimmer	
Novice Rally	Wed	6 - 7 p.m.	8/8/2018	9/12/2018	Sheryl Barker		
Advanced Rally	Wed	7:15 - 8:15 p.m.	8/8/2018	9/12/2018	Peggy Pelps	Jan Hitchborn	Benita Zapata
Master Rally	Wed	8:30 - 9:30 p.m.	8/8/2018	9/12/2018	Jose Rodriquez		
Beginner	Thur	1 - 2 p.m.	8/9/2018	9/13/2018	Kim Componation	Pam White	
Foundation Skills	Thur	2 - 3 p.m.	8/9/2018	9/13/2018	Pam White		
Trick Class	Thur	3:15 - 4:15 p.m.	8/7/2018	9/13/2018	Michele Hosey		
Novice	Thur	7 - 8 p.m.	8/9/2018	9/13/2018	Melissa Chojnacki		
Beg Open/Utility	Thur	8:15 - 9:30 p.m.	8/9/2018	9/13/2018	Jan Bajovich/ Lynda Holman		
Master Nosework	Fri	7 - 8 p.m.	8/10/2018	9/14/2018	Jan Bajovich		
Beg Nosework	Fri	8:15 - 9:15 p.m.	8/10/2018	9/14/2018	TBA	(9/15 club rente off site?)	d. 9/14 class
Adv Nosework	Fri	8:15 - 9:15 p.m.	8/10/2018	9/14/2018	Georgann Hughes		
Adv Open	Sun	1 - 2 p.m.	8/5/2018	9/16/2018	Various		
Adv Utility	Sun	2 - 3 p.m.	8/5/2018	9/16/2018	Various		



The Dog Days of Summer: Heroic Hounds

Tn honor of the Dog Days of Summer, Lhere is a selection of dogs, famous and less so, who have made headlines, saved lives, and licked the competition.





Dog Days of Summer

The Dog Days of summer are traditionally the 40 days beginning July 3 and ending August 11, which coincide with the morning rise of the Dog Star, Sirius. The Dog Star starts rising soon after the summer solstice and that signals the onset of hot days and sultry nights.

Salty and Roselle, the 911 wonder dogs



Widely honored for their life-saving work at the World Trade Center, Salty and Roselle were yellow labs whose work saved the lives of many people during the September 11, 2001 attacks on the World Trade Center.

The dogs led their owners -- and others -- more than 70 floors down to the ground after the attacks, and then through the blizzard of debris when the towers collapsed.

Roselle's owner, Michael Higby, said: "While everyone ran in panic, Roselle remained totally focused on her job, while debris fell around us, and even hit us, Roselle stayed calm."



Bobbie, the determined dog

Bobbie the Scottish Collie gained fame after 1923 for his breathtaking 3,000-mile trip to find his family.

Bobbie's family, from Oregon, was visiting Indiana when Bobbie got in a dog fight and ran off. Despite a long search, he could not be found and his family returned to Oregon.

But six months later, the dog, straggly and worn, found his family in Oregon, having trailed them back home over mountains and deserts.

The story is not only a triumph of the dog's spirit, but also the kindness of human strangers. Bobbie was helped and nursed by

Togo, the unrequited hero of sled dogs



Courage, leadership, loyalty--Togo the Siberian Husky had them all, though he started his life as a sickly pup and was then repeatedly rejected for the sled because he was too rowdy.

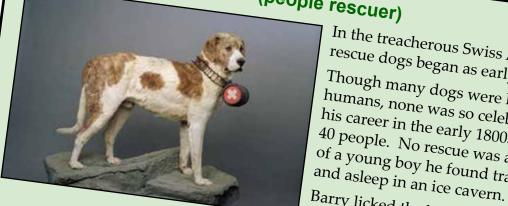
But Togo showed them all. First, when given away as a pet, Togo jumped through a glass window to return to his musher. There, Togo got in dog fights and repeatedly broke out of his kennel to follow the sled. Finally, at 8 months old, he was given a chance in the team. He was a natural leader.

In 1925, 20 mushers were given the task of relaying diphtheria serum more than 600 miles to Nome, Alaska. The heroic feat was a test for man and beast in January with temperatures at 40 below zero and whiteout conditions. Then 12 years old, Togo led his sled 365 miles round trip across ice, up a mountain, and a swim through ice floes, during which he saved the team's lives.

Although the well-known and also heroic sled dog Balto received most of the fame for completing the last leg of the trip, it was Togo whose work is generally acknowledged as the

His owner and musher, Leonhard Seppala, was crushed that Togo's feat of courage and endurance was less recognized than Balto's. Seppala and Togo retired to Maine after many wins in the musher world.

Barry der Menschenretter (people rescuer)



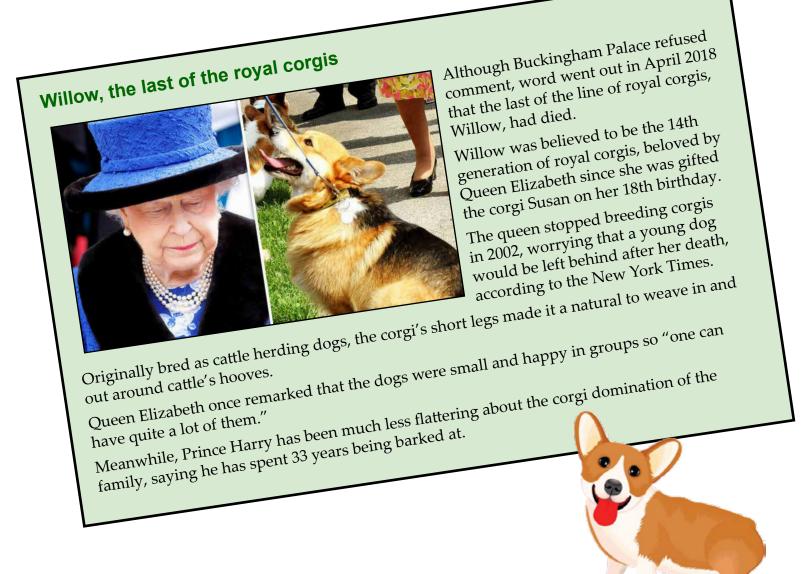
of a young boy he found trapped, partially frozen Barry licked the boy to warm him and wake him. Saint Bernard Hospice, where Barry lived and was trained. The dog then contrived to get the boy to cling to his back and the two made their way to The Great At the hospice, one dog has always been named Barry in honor of the great rescuer.

In the treacherous Swiss Alps, the tradition of

Though many dogs were known for their rescue of humans, none was so celebrated as Barry. During his career in the early 1800s, Barry saved more than 40 people. No rescue was as famous as his rescue

rescue dogs began as early as the 1700s.

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TRICK DOG TITLES

Titles earned on July 19

Instructor Michele Hosey brags that six of her students and their dogs completed new titles in AKC trick dog testing:

- John Cullen and Rex TKN
- Diane Gossett and Caleb TKN
- Jane Bungarz and Ellie TKN
- Lynda Holman and Duncan TKI
- Kay Mashburn and Missy TKA
- Cindy Sullivan and Abbey TKA

Michele and her students extend many thanks to Pam White for evaluating. They all had so much fun!

TKN = Novice Trick Dog

TKI = Intermediate Trick Dog



DTCDC SUMMER SOCIAL

AUGUST 4 @ NOON

 Please bring a side, salad or dessert



- The club will provide
 the meats and vegetarian options
- Following the meal we will have a short August general meeting
- Games and fun to follow
- The August board meeting is at 11 a.m.
- Watch your email for further details...



SEPTEMBER PAW PRINT THEME: AGILITY SUBMISSIONS DUE DATE: WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 22 (or earlier)

UPCOMING MONTHLY THEMES:

OCTOBER	THERAPY DOGS
NOVEMBER	THANKFULNESS
DECEMBER	HOLIDAY FUN

AUGUST DOG CALENDAR:

- August 1: DOGust Universal Birthday for Shelter Dogs. The North Shore Animal League America, the world's largest no-kill animal rescue and adoption organization, declared August 1 as a birthday for all the shelter animals whose birthdays are unknown. Happy DOGust!!
- August 5: Work Like a Dog Day
- August 6-12: International Assistance Dog Week
- August 15: National Check the Chip Day. AVMA and the American Animal Hospital Association (AAHA) joined together to create "Check the Chip Day."
- August 15: International Homeless Animals' Day
- August 16: Saint Roch's Day. Patron saint of dogs.
- August 19: International Homeless Animals' Day®
- August 26 -31: Pet Fashion Week
- August 26: National Dog Day
- August 28: Rainbow Bridge Remembrance Day
- August 30: National Holistic Pet Day

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SHOW 'N GO SCHEDULE:

Aug 11th

- Sept 8th
- Oct none
- Nov 10th
- Dec- none



August 18th Teeth Cleaning Opportunity



The teeth cleaning schedule for August 18th has filled up!

If you signed up and are not able to attend, sent an email to the DTCDC list to see if someone else wants to "buy" your spot so that you do not lose your deposit.

Thank you to those who have signed up. I will send out the schedule to the email list as a reminder before the 18th.

If you have any questions, contact Jan Bajovich.



SHOW & GO SATURDAY * AUGUST 11th

★ Dog Training Club of Dallas County ★

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Doors open at 8:00 A.M. Utility & Grad Open Registration 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM Run-throughs begin around 8:30 AM Other classes Registration 8:00 AM - Noon Run-throughs begin after Utility/Grad Open

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Classes Offered: Beg Nov * Novice * Grad Nov *Open *Grad Open * Utility Pre-entry OR Day of Show: \$7.00 first five minutes 1.00 each additional minute (5-minute minimum/10-minute maximum)

Pre-Entry go to Events on the DTCDC website: DTCDC 8-11-18 Show & Go Pre-entries receive an email with show order Friday after entries close.

Entering day of show? Check the DTCDC Facebook page late Friday afternoon before show for Pre-entry numbers and approximate times

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Novice runs include one Group Sit/Down Stay Exercise ALL Open/Grad Novice run times will have 1 minute added **FOR** stays Additional runs of same dog in same class are done when first entry runs are completed.

## MARK YOUR CALENDERS FOR UPCOMING SHOW N GO DATES: September 8<sup>th</sup> – November 10<sup>th</sup>

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<u>Directions</u>: Driving South on 67, take Cockrell Hill Rd exit, continue thru that intersection. Stay on access road-Turn Right at first street (Crest Lane) -Turn Left at next street (Crestside). Clubhouse is on your left at the end of the block. White building with black paw prints across the front.

Questions??? Contact Pamela Chrystal @ (214) 415-1955 or valimar1@msn.com

## Paw Print - August 2018



Michele Hosey brags about her Trick Dog class:



I have some brags on students in the Tricks class this session! 6 titles were earned! John Cullen and Rex (Novice), Diane Gossett and Caleb (Novice), Jane Bungarz and Ellie (Novice), Lynda Holman and Duncan (Intermediate), Kay Mashburn and Missy (Advanced), and Cindy Sullivan and Abbey (Advanced). Congratulations to all! Horst Bungarz and Kaiser had already earned their title, but came to provide family support! Many thanks to Pam White for evaluating. So much fun!

### Kay Mashburn brags:

Parrie Mashburn's Goldendoodle, Dulce, earned her AKC STAR puppy on July 16<sup>th</sup>.

Kay Mashburn's Sheltie, Missy, has now earned her AKC Trick Dog Intermediate and Trick Dog Advanced titles. We are very proud of our two wonderful girls!

Thanks for letting us brag!

### Georgann Hughes brags:



The Jazz Man & Swish are adding to their Nosework achievements! On July 14 & 15 we travelled to Mineola, TX, for the United Dog Owners Club first UKC Nosework trials. Jazz passed two more PreTrial tests for Superior & Master odors. He also earned his Novice Interior



Title with a 4<sup>th</sup> place and Advanced Container Title with 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> places. Jazz is attracting a following with people coming into the search areas to watch him. Not many Pekingese in Dog sports!



Swish came away with her Superior Container Title and a 1<sup>st</sup> place in her first run! She's getting into the tougher levels! Jazz & Swish travelled with me to Tulsa, OK, the end of Iune for UKC Nosework at the

Companion Dog Training Club of Tulsa. Swish finished two titles - Novice Handler Discrimination (& earned an Advanced leg) & Advanced Interiors. She earned two 4<sup>th</sup> places & two lovely New Title rosettes.

Jazz earned a Novice Vehicles leg with a 1<sup>st</sup> place, a Novice Handler Discrimination leg with a 2<sup>nd</sup> place & a Novice Interior leg, also with a 2<sup>nd</sup> place. We had a fun weekend trialing alongside other DTCDC members!

### Ken Hagmueller & Sandi Myers brag:

Sammy has had a busy summer so far. He earned his CGC. In Conformation, they earned a 5 point major at the Dallas shows with a Select towards his Grand Ch. At the Houston shows, they earned a 4-point major with another Select giving Sammy all of his majors & defeats (now we are only a few points away in limited showing). Ken and Sammy also won Best Owner Handled Longhaired Dachshund at the Houston KC show, and went on to win a Group 1 in the Owner Handled Hound Group under breeder judge Luis Sosa.

### Jan Hitchborn brags:



June 29, 2018 we went to Tulsa for the Companion Dog Club of Tulsa nosework weekend. They graciously assigned Logan to his first DIW run since earning his EN title. On June 29 he earned his UKC Advance Handler Discrimination Title with a first place and Maggie



earned her first two legs in UKC Novice Handler Discrimination with two 3<sup>rd</sup> place times. June 30 Maggie earned her Novice interior title with a 4<sup>th</sup> place and Logan ran elite

interiors for fun earning a 2nd place.

July 14/15 we were in Mineola for UDOG's first UKC nosework trial. Logan worked all weekend at various DIW assignments in addition to the elite runs in which I had entered him for practice. Maggie earned her Advance Container title and her first leg in Advance Interiors with a 2<sup>nd</sup> place. Logan earned a first in Elite Containers and a first in Elite Interiors. Biggest success of both trials was Miss Maggie Mae's blooming confidence and excitement to go to the trial and work and meet and see all the people. As this partnership with her grows, she has just bloomed everywhere and she burst out of her crate with enthusiasm to go search.

### Lynda & Gary Holman Brag:

Kate and Duncan earned their AKC Novice Trick Dog (TKN) titles on April 12, and Duncan earned his AKC Intermediate Trick Dog (TKI) title on July 12. Our thanks to the wonderful instructors and assistants of the club's Thursday afternoon Trick Dog Classes!





# **Paw Print Photo Album**





Logan and Jan Hitchborn have it in... Determination...

Desire... Intensity...

Concentration...

Committment...



Maggie has it... Look at the eyes... On your mark... Get set...

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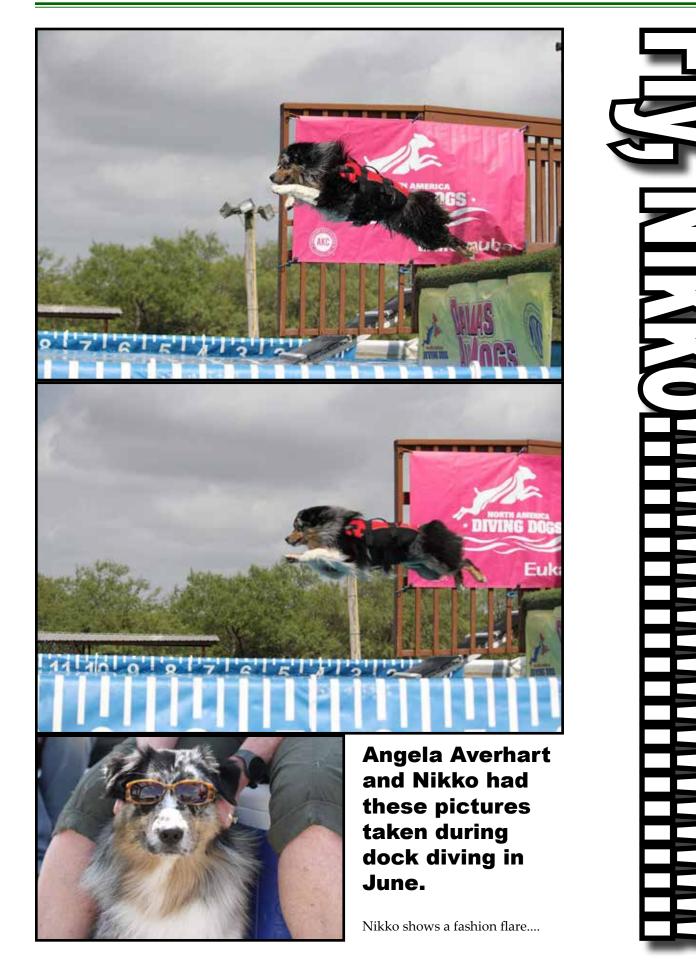


Bear and Shannon Quinn have that competitive edge....

"I see it...

I can get it...

I can FLY!!!!!!!!!!



## Paw Print - August 2018



## Raiden and Benita Zapata (with the assistance of Jan Hitchborn) have had great success in Dock Diving.

(Left) Raiden at a UKC Dock Jumping Trial on June 2-3 in Greenville, Texas.

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(Right) Raiden gets ready to take her dock jumping dive.









# **Carol Lautzenheiser and Monet enjoy dock diving.**

This is CH Nightrunners Final Choice CD, RN, TKA, DS "Monet." Monet is very new to dock diving. When Carol thought about giving it a try to see what it's all about, Monet took to it immediately and loved it. At her first trial she earned her Dock Senior Title.







This is a picture of a group of therapy dogs that visited the Dallas VA on the 4<sup>th</sup> of July. This group included Sheryll Barker and Daisy and David Elliott and Mickey.



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