



# Airedale Alley News

## President's Report

Well, it is still summer and too darn hot yet. Those of us in attendance at the fall picnic were able to escape the hot sun and retreat into Frank & Nancy Foster's air conditioned facility for a demonstration on canine massage which was given by our new member Jackie Limosani. It was quite fascinating to watch some of the dogs that Jackie worked on really relax and enjoy the hands on massage they got. I know I tried it on my girls at home and I am sure many of you gave it a whirl when you got home as well. Gloria Urquhart and Nancy Foster then gave a quick run through of what might be expected if you went ahead and pursued your Canine Good Citizenship title (CGC). And of course what picnic would not be complete without some good food. Thanks to all who came and a BIG thank you to our hosts Frank & Nancy Foster.

Last year was a busy year for our little club, especially when it came to tackling several larger projects. When I had the idea of hosting a vaccination seminar in April who would have thought we could bring in almost \$1100, but thanks to everyone in the membership we made it a success. Dr. Schultz gave a wonderful and informative presentation. A grooming seminar, hosted by Heather Schultz, gave us additional \$300 and Andrea Berkowitz who ran our auction items at the specialty cleared close to \$400.00. Not bad. As an aside, the Rock Valley College has never billed us for our room and we were not billed for our food at the specialty. This added approximately another \$500.00 to the kitty. Our balance as of August 31 is \$7,753.63. Thank you to everyone who helped make each of these programs a success.

Our club is required by the AKC to host our state specialty. Our largest expenditure with regard to the specialty is of course our awards and the awards table over the past few years

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## Title Report

Eclipse Light My Fire CDX, GO, GN, BN, RE, NA, NAJ, NF ( Laser ) was very busy these last two months between agility and the 3 different obedience venues we show in.

May 31 We started in AKC Open agility where he Q'd in Standard & Jumpers. We had only entered 1 day.

On June 8 & 9 at the AKC obedience trial in Champaign, Laser got his second leg in both Open & Grad Open. Both were 1st places with the Open leg out of 19 dogs.

The next week we went to GLATA where on the 13th he finished his CDX with a 1st place out of 17 dogs in spite of having a nagging back problem that is being worked on that causes his long sits to be uncomfortable. But, he is getting better. The next day he also finished his Grad Open title too with another 1st place.

The following weekend a friend & I traveled up to Melrose Park where there was a CDSP obedience trial. I thought " what the heck, I'll just try him in Utility A to see where we were at ". He surprised me by Q'ing both trials to give him 2 legs. I guess he was further along in training than what I thought.

We had the next 3 weeks off. The next trial was Champaign's AKC agility trial. He picked up his second leg in both Open Jumpers & Standard.

The last show we were entered in was the UKC show in Champaign. We were still entered in Novice C in order to get All Star points for next years show.

Laser is currently sitting in 3rd place in the country in Novice C. He is also ranked in Open #6. We showed in Open and for the first time in Utility A. He ended the weekend by earning

his UKC Utility title with 3 first places. Laser also had 6 first places and 2 seconds. He earned 2 High in Trials and 1 High Combined.



*Laser  
UUD Title  
8-4-13*



*Laser UKC  
HIT 199  
8-4-13*



*Laser  
UKC HC  
HIT  
Aug 13*

- Linda Sorak

The Tobylinn Clan, Susan Kipp and Huntwood Kennel were fortunate this past quarter of 2013. From Pippa's second litter (sire: CH Huntwood's Wildest Performance) , Jayden, GCH Huntwood's Command Performance of Tobylinn (owned by Christine Vitosh, Janis Linn, and Susan Kipp) earned his GCH Champion status, was awarded Best of Breed at the WATC Airedale Specialty and received several group placements. Jayden's performance in and outside the ring is a pleasure to witness. Congratulations Jayden, Chris, Susan and Huntwood Kennel! Caleb, Am, Mex, PanAm,



*New Grand Champion: GCH Huntwood's Command Performance of Tobylinn (Jayden)*

CR, Caribe & Central Am CH Huntwood's Wildest Expectations of Tobylinn (owned by Janis Linn, Susan Kipp and Alfredo Del Rey Cruz), ventured to San Antonio and Houston in July and participated in the conformation shows. Members of my family and I were very excited to attend the Houston shows and visit with Caleb, Alfredo and his family. Caleb was fortunate to receive a Best of Breed on Saturday of the San Antonio shows and also earned Select points toward his GCH during the shows. Congratulations Alfredo and Caleb!



*Congratulations Alfredo and Caleb !*

Annia Del Rey presented Caleb in the ring the first two days of the Houston shows in Junior Handlers and received First Place both days. Congratulations to Annia and Caleb! Caleb has returned to Mexico to prepare for a sponsored competition and for several other shows this fall. We wish Caleb, Alfredo, Annia and his family continued success.



*Congratulations Annia and Caleb !*

On June 1st, Azul Celeste (Del Rey Terriers) presented her owner (Daniel Barbosa) with seven (2 girls & 5 boys) beautiful, healthy and happy puppies. This was the first litter that Caleb has sired and I was doubly excited to bring three of the boys back with me from Houston. The puppies and I stayed with my sister and her family while in Houston and my sister, Jean, was brave enough to volunteer to accompany me on my drive back from Houston with the puppies. Thank you Jean!



*Welcome Caleb and Azul puppies! L - R: Easton, Jackson and Monte*

The puppies spent approximately one week with Pippa, Gabi and me and then were off to attend "Puppy Camp" before moving to their new "forever" homes. Christine Vitosh of Ro-Chaven Airedales graciously agreed to conduct a Puppy Camp and provided an environment teaching fundamentals such as crate training, games to build self-confidence and coordination, good manners and exercise. Chris also provided the new owners with guidance for continued training of their pups at the end of Puppy Camp. Thank you Chris, terrific job!!



*The three amigos leave for Puppy Camp.*

Piper, Canadian CH Tobylinn's Mahubah of Huntwood, (owned by Mary and Atlee McFellin and Janis Linn) expertly handled and presented by Doug Belter, recently earned a BW in an Airedale Specialty held in Toronto and most recently received her Canadian Championship. Piper is taking some well-earned time off at the moment, but we hope to see her back in the ring this fall. Congratulations Piper, Mary, Atlee and Doug!



*New Canadian Champion: Can CH Tobylinn's Mahubah of Huntwood (Piper)*

From Pippa's third litter (sire: GCH Joval On Angel's Wings), Willin', CH Huntwood's Willin' and Able of Tobylinn (owned by Tom Pedersen and Janis Linn) expertly handled and presented by Jorge and Susie Olivera, also participated in the San Antonio and Houston shows in July. It was truly wonderful to see Willin' again; see him presented in conformation and enjoy how he has matured. Willin' took the breed several days over the specials during the shows and was fortunate to earn his Champion status in Houston. Congratulations to Willin', Tom, Catherine, Jorge and Susie!



*New Champion: CH Huntwood's Willin' and Able of Tobylinn (Willin')*



*Houston: Willin' and Jorge Olivera*

As always, we are very proud of Pippa, the sires, the litters and grand-pups that have been produced! We thank their owners for providing the opportunity for their Airedales to enter the ring and wish them all continued success in reaching their individual goals.

We would also like to thank the Kennel Clubs, their members and the Judges for their time and effort in organizing, hosting and judging these shows. Without these dedicated individuals, breeders would not have the vehicle needed for our dogs to be evaluated thus maintaining this magnificent breed's standard. We thank you all!

- Janis Linn

## A Different Kind of Best In Show

**Heather Roozee**, of A Groomery Pet Grooming Salon, in DeKalb, IL (specializing in terriers) won Best In Show at the All American Grooming Show in Wheeling, IL, with her Airedale Terrier CH Timberwyck Peak Performance "Zeppelin" on August 18th.

The All American Grooming Show is the longest running grooming industry trade show in the world. Groomers compete in 3 levels, from novice to expert, and then each winner competes for the "group" placement. Group winners then go on to Best in Show from each class. (small poodle, large poodles, terriers, mix breeds, sporting, and all other purebreeds.)

In grooming contests, the dogs must come in ungroomed. The dogs are all prejudged, and each breed has an allowed amount of time to complete the groom. Handstripped Airedale Terriers are allowed 2.5 hours. The dogs are then combed thru and the grooming examined by the judge.

Heather has been competing in grooming contests since 2005, and while she has had numerous placements, this is her first Best in Show honor. Heather also received a 3rd in class with a Standard Poodle. Heather is now ranked the #12 groomer in the United States, per GroomTeam USA point rankings.



### CJ Patrick and her Airedale Ellie

On July 6, 2013, ATCI club member CJ and her Airedale Ellie suffered a horrible car accident on the way home from Ellie's grooming. Ellie was in an Emergency Animal Hospital for 2 days with minor trauma to her bladder. She recovered beautifully, but does seem to have a bit of post-traumatic stress to noises, from the car crash and sirens. Ellie is in a wonderful new home in Marshalltown, Iowa. Ellie can stay in her new home as long as CJ needs to recover or forever. Ellie loves to play with the family's two other Airedales, Otis and Daisy.



CJ had severe orthopedic injuries to her two legs, right arm and ribs. She will be going between hospital and nursing home for surgeries and rehab for months, if not more than a year. CJ is coping with the day to day, but her life as she knew it, is destroyed. CJ very much appreciates club members phone calls, cards and support of all kinds.

If you want to give CJ a call or send her a card, here is her contact information:  
 CJ Patrick c/o Manor Care  
 1500 S. Milwaukee Ave room 228  
 Libertyville, IL 60048  
 224-805-2188

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has really looked nice. All the other programs that we have tried to have over the year take time and, of course, your participation to make them successful. We will be having election of officers soon and I encourage you to volunteer and help host an event for the club. It could be an educational event or maybe a new idea for making some money for the club. We need

your ideas and help so this club can continue to offer programs for our membership and most importantly for our Airedales.

Lanny Duttlinger  
 President  
 Airedale Terrier Club of Illinois

### New Members

**Ann Fredericks** of Crystal Lake has just joined our club. You may have met her at the annual fall picnic with Gio and her new Airedale puppy, Finn. Finn's new family also includes John, Ann's husband, who is a physical education teacher, freshman football coach and track coach at Woodstock High School. They have two sons, Ben who is 16 and Sam is a Jr. at NIU. When Ann isn't chasing after Finn or his playmate, a 3 year old Labrador, she keeps busy attending all the sporting events for Ben and Sam, gardening and she very much enjoys water related activities in the summer.

**Jackie Limosani** of Pawsitively Peaceful Canine Massage is a proud member of NBCAAM (National Board of Certification for Animal Acupressure and Massage) [www.nbcaam.org](http://www.nbcaam.org) and IAAMB (International Association of Animal Massage and Bodywork) [www.iaamb.org](http://www.iaamb.org).

Jackie is also a member of Rand Park Dog Training Club, (where my dogs, three Standard Poodles, Bailey, Oscar and Molly competed and won obedience titles), North Shore Dog Training Club, and Rainbow Animal Assisted Therapy, (where my dogs are pet therapy dogs for children).  
 WELCOME!

### DUES

It's that time to renew your club membership. Annual Membership runs from September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2014. Just fill out the information below and send it directly to: Norbert Duttlinger  
 5116 Crestdale Drive, Rockford, IL 61114.  
 Checks should be made out to the Airedale Terrier Club of Illinois. Thank you.

AIREDALE TERRIER CLUB OF ILLINOIS DUES 2013-14	
Membership @ \$15.00 each \$	_____
Trophy Donation	\$ _____
Other	\$ _____
TOTAL	\$ _____

# WHAT'S YOUR CLUB UP TO?

## *An ATCA Spotlight Report on the*

# AIREDALE TERRIER CLUB OF ILLINOIS

*Lanny Duttlinger, President*

Our club, like countless others, has seen many changes over the years. In 1946 when Mrs. Harold Peet started our Airedale club I suspect its primary focus was getting their Airedales to the conformation ring. I've been told that everyone used to get together in different homes and help each to learn how to groom. Today, we still have that goal of getting to the ring, but it is also coupled with offering a wide range of other activities for members who might not have that same interest. During the last five years while I've been at the helm of this club we have undertaken a range of projects designed to appeal to those who love to do a whole variety of activities with their Airedales and to promote the health and welfare of their pets.

Educational programs are always an important aspect and this year was no different. In April we offered a seminar which addressed vaccination related diseases and appropriate vaccination protocols to help minimize these problems. We were



fortunate to be able to have as our guest speaker Dr. Ronald Schultz of the U.W. Veterinary School, Madison, Wisconsin, a nationally recognized authority on this subject. This topic is so relevant in helping to maintain the health of our dogs that we opened it up to dog owners of all breeds in the states around us and had 80 people come to listen and ask questions. It was an extremely timely presentation and everyone who attended left with a much greater appreciation of the issues. Especially for puppies, timing of vaccinations, the specific vaccinations given, and the use of antibody titers to minimize the number of unnecessary vaccinations all can play a critical role in keeping your dog from having vaccine related problems.

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Our yearly late summer cook-out and fun day consists of a dog walk and program that everyone can try with their Airedales. Among the various recent programs we have had a rally trial, tracking demonstration and an ear gluing clinic. This year's fun day is going to be hosted Frank and Nancy Foster in Antioch. The dog walk is going to start right at the end of their driveway and then the path goes into the Forest Preserve. As an added bonus we will be having a certified canine massage therapist train us in giving our beloved pets a much deserved rubdown. After our luncheon there will be time to have an introduction on CGC testing. The goal here is let everyone know what might be expected of them should they decide to get certified. It will be a busy day.



*ATCI Grooming classes are offered most years. Everyone has fun and the Airedales look great with their new do's*



Grooming classes have been offered on an almost annual basis. With the chance to put a lot of hair on the floor no one wastes any time resulting in piles and piles of the stuff. And with a little luncheon thrown in it seems that everyone has a good time and the Airedales leave the shop looking fabulous with their new do's. To help promote our breed we have had many club members participate in Meet the Breed with their Airedales not only at our specialty, which is held in June, but also at the Chicago International Dog Show. And of course I would be remiss if I didn't mention the annual Christmas party. One of the club members volunteers their home to host the get together and that sets the stage for a fabulous luncheon and a gift exchange too. The chatter for the day is of course about our Airedales and we all leave with a little more holiday cheer in our hearts while looking forward to the new year.

Our club keeps in touch through our quarterly newsletter, which is done by club member Lin Hartnett. She does a great job keeping us up on recent events, health issues for our Airedales and various club goings-on. She also highlights a club member each quarter and, of course, their Airedales too with a short article and photos. We are very fortunate to have Lin in this capacity.

Enclosed are a few photos of various members/events that are held in conjunction with Airedale Terrier Club of Illinois. If you are ever in our area, please do not hesitate to look us up at [AiredaleTerrierClubofIllinois.com](http://AiredaleTerrierClubofIllinois.com).



*The ATCI Regional Specialty is held in June. It is always lots of work, but also lots of fun, visiting with Airedale friends and watching our Airedales 'strut their stuff' in the show ring*



*ATCI Regional Specialty 2013*

# The *Dawg* House

You don't have to be **BAD** to be in This House

My dogs are GCh. Huntwood's Command Performance of Tobylinn, aka Jayden, and Ch. Stone Ridge Packin' Lipstick 'n Rouge, aka Paxston.

I have taken in several dogs for training, Archie 1 (with his nose stuck in the grass by our creek & with the lab glasses) stayed with me for three months and transitioned to his home in Indiana.

Archie 2 came from Omaha at six months old and stayed with me for three months being retrained and now is happily living in Omaha and Detroit with his wonderful people.

My newest project is Rusty, a 10 month old training pup from Lake Forest. He has been here two weeks and is doing great on learning to behave calmly around people, dogs and children.

Currently I also have at home Silver GCh. Huntwood's Spylas of Stone Ridge Tobylinn, aka Caelan, who i am fortunate to have gotten here to help Rusty learn and also a bit of a well deserved vacation for himself.

Yes, I love Airedales!  
*Christine Vitosh , Leland, IL*



Jayden



*Paxston, sharing the same stick with my daughter's visiting Collie, Tyler*



*"Here, kitty, kitty, kitty, the Airedales want to play!"  
Caelan, Rusty, Xander & Paxston*



Archie



*Paxston and Archie, an 8 month old I had in for training. This big adventure to the city was his last test, and he passed with flying colors!*

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Send information submittals and photographs to Lin Hartnett: [Bhartn48@ameritech.net](mailto:Bhartn48@ameritech.net)

For show ring reports please provide

1. Winner's AKC name and call name
2. Winner's sire and dam
3. Winner's breeder(s) and owner(s)
4. Show and Titles won

For title reports

1. AKC name and call name
2. Breeder(s) and owner(s)
3. Show and Titles won

For whelping pen reports please provide

1. AKC name and call name
2. Number of males and females
3. Breeder(s) and owner(s) of litter
4. Date of whelping

Anecdotal information concerning shows, titles and whelping is also welcome.

**Sylvia Bishop Competition Obedience Seminar  
Oakview Pet Resort  
27645 Case Rd  
Wauconda, IL 60084  
November 8th, 9th, and 10th 2013**

To register visit: [www.oakviewpetresort.com](http://www.oakviewpetresort.com)

Questions regarding the seminar can be emailed to: [oakviewfunruns@gmail.com](mailto:oakviewfunruns@gmail.com) or call maureen at 1-224-612-3432  
World renowned dog trainer Sylvia Bishop has been training, instructing and exhibiting dog obedience for more than 38 years. She is the only trainer to have been invited to the prestigious Cruft's Dog Show 30 consecutive years with 10 different dogs. She has won the event twice and was a member of the winning 2004 Obedience World Cup team. Sylvia Bishop is highly acclaimed in Great Britain for the competing style of her many champions. You can enhance your dog's training using Sylvia's unprecedented combination of fun and motivation using just a simple buckle collar and YOU. If you are interested in a dynamic, thought provoking seminar to stimulate your training program, don't miss this chance to work with "The Bishop!"

Working students should expect to spend time and energy out on the training floor with their dogs. Auditors are encouraged to ask questions. Sylvia tailors each seminar to the participants, with an emphasis on building and improving the relationship between dog and handler.

Breakfast is included all three days. Water, tea, coffee, soda and snacks available all day.

Lunch will be provided on Saturday. List of local eateries will be provided for lunch on Friday and Sunday.