Wigglebutt news & updates from Bulldog Club of Denver

February 2020

Upcoming Club Events

February 8, 2020

BCOD Board Meeting 10:00AM BCOD General Meeting 10:30 -12pm

Valdez Perry Library 4690 Vine Št Denver, CO 80216

Upcoming Local Shows Colorado Kennel Club February 14, 15, 16 **Click Here for Premium List**

Member Updates Birthdays, Anniversaries, Milestones & Announcements Click Here to Celebrate!

Member Spotlight Get to Know Sandra Coffman

Please keep Mrs. Edythe Schor, widow of Dr. Saul Schor, both lifetime Bulldog Club of Denver members in your thoughts and prayers. Mrs. Schoe is a well respected, retired Breeder Judge and became a Club member in 1960. She has recently been transferred to hospice.

The photo to the right is Mrs. Schor in 1991.



Show Some Love with Club Awards

Nominations are being accepted for 2019 calendar year club awards!

Deadline for submission of the award nomination form to Nancy Brown is March 31, 2020.

Forms and information on how to submit for can be found at www.bcod.org/member-award-plagues

A PDF of the nomination form is available by clicking HERE





Denver President, John Thompson

Dear Members,

Is it me, or did January just fly by? It seems like only a few days ago that I was wishing you all a Happy New Year and trying to compose something interesting for the January Wigglebutt. I hope, at least, that your new year is going well so far.

It is February already, and the show committee is continuing to organize the specialty show. The premium list will come out soon, and the on-line entry will be launched for the 5th year. In reviewing the club's history, I found that the very first AKC sanctioned Bulldog Club of Denver Specialty Show occurred on February 5, 1950. This year will mark the 70th anniversary of our show. It is an exciting time, and the specialty show looks to be shaping up well.

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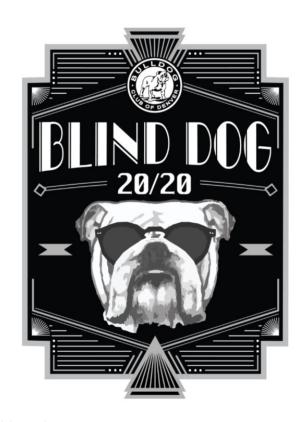
2020 Bulldog Club of Denver Spring Classic

April 24, 25 & 26 Arapahoe County Fairgrounds, Aurora, CO 25690 E. Quincy Ave., Aurora, CO

Join the Bulldog Club of Denver Specialty Show Facebook group!

Click Here to go to the Facebook Group

The show committee continues to promote the show through various channels, including social media, email and direct mailing. Please join the Facebook group and invite your Bulldogger friends to join the group as well. If you prefer to receive a hard copy of the Premium List (available mid-February), please email the show secretary. Likewise, if you know someone else who would appreciate receiving emails or hard copies of promotional show materials, please email the show secretary with their name, address and/or email address.



Show Secretary

bcdshowsecretary@gmail.com

Click Here to View the Latest Show Flyer

April 25 - 1920s Theme Attire April 26 - Casual Attire

Trophy Sponsorships Available Contact Sara French saredman@gmail.com

Trophy Sponsorship Form Available Here

Trophy Sponsorship Rates (Per Show)

Best of Breed \$75.00
Best of Opposite Sex \$60.00
Best of Winners \$55.00
Best Puppy \$40.00
Best Bred By Exhibitor \$40.00
Select Dog \$50.00
Select Bitch \$50.00
Winners Dog \$50.00
Winners Bitch \$50.00
Reserve Winners Dog \$35.00
Reserve Winners Bitch \$35.00
Dog & Bitch Classes \$30.00

Catalog Advertising Available Contact Moira Bright moira.jane@hotmail.com or text 970-690-1286

Catalog Advertising Rates
Deadline to Reserve Advertising is March 31, 2020
Artwork Due April 8, 2020

Full Page, Black & White (5"x8.5") \$40.00
Full Page, Premium Placement at Inside Front Cover, Full Color \$65.00 (one available)
Full Page, Premium Placement at Inside Back Cover, Full Color \$65.00 (one available)
Half Page, Black & White (5"x4.25") \$25.00
Quarter Page, Black & White (2.5"x4.25") \$15.00

Vendors receive a complimentary quarter page ad with the purchase of their 2020 specialty show booth space as well as a listing in the vendor directory. Vendors can elect to upgrade their ad at a reduced rate.

Upgrade to a Half Page, Black & White \$5.00 Upgrade to a Full Page, Black & White \$15.00

www.bcod.org/specialty-show



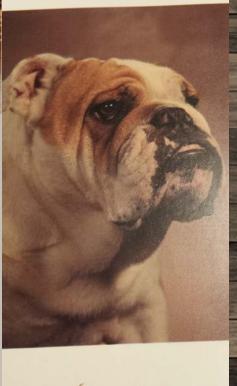


Read the Q&A with Sandra by Clicking Here

Bulldog Club of Denver is fortunate to have many longstanding members. Sandra Coffman has been a Bulldog Club of Denver member since 1975, having achieve Lifetime Member status. She graciously agreed to be our Then & Now member profile for the month of February 2020. Thank you, Sandra, for being a member and supporter of Bulldogs for 45 years!







BCOD Meeting Minutes

January Board Meeting Minutes

Board Meeting Minutes:

Date: January 18, 2020

Start time: 10:05am called to order by Club Vice President Sara French Location: Green Valley Ranch Library 4856 Andes Court Denver, CO 80249 Minutes by Stacie Gleeson, Bulldog Club of Denver Secretary

Report of President:

Delayed until president arrived.

Once arrived no further report.

Report of Secretary

Membership Dues. Only 50% of membership have paid. Several members brought their fees to meeting. Will have updated list and follow up. Last day to pay 02/29.

Discussion of Colorado Bill 1085 (Humane Pet Act) and Colorado Federation of Dog Clubs and Owners renewal to be reviewed at General Meeting by club President.

Treasurers Report: Karen Trevino

Operating Account - \$3538.68

Show Account- \$9473.36

Savings Account - \$11830.53

CD-\$10642.31

Total- \$35,484.88

See attached spreadsheet for figures. Expenses discussed, Data Recovery fees, income of \$210.00 in dues, no show committee figures obtained as of this date.

Committee Reports:

Nominating committee. Election should be prior to February. Committee will consist of 5 members and no more than 2 board members. Volunteers from the board: Danny, Stacie, and Brianna. Membership volunteers are: Sandy C., Karla, and Moira. Will be discussed further in general meeting later. Two board positions to expire open in 2021.

Unfinished Business:

2020 club meeting times for board.

Saturday Feb 8th 10-12pm Valdez Perry.

Motion to combine board and general meeting for February. Seconded. Approved by majority 7 board members.

March meeting will be Saturday March 14th Green Valley Ranch Library 10-12pm.

Open to other future venues in anyone has ideas.

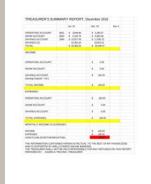
New Business:

Service Award nomination of Rod and Marzetta Peterson.

Club Secretary to follow up and report back on guidelines/procedure of award and any information available in past minutes.

For all future correspondence: Please copy Stacie Gleeson Club Secretary.

Adjournment. By President at 10:23am.



Treasurer's Report Click Here for a PDF Version

Upcoming Meetings Board of Directors: Feb. 8, 10AM-10:30AM General Meeting: Feb 8, 10:30AM-12:00PM

Board of Directors

Board Officers
President, John Thompson
Vice President, Sara French
Secretary, Stacie Schilling-Gleeson

Treasurer, Karen Trevino Past President, Danny Trevino

Board Members Jacqui Bester, Kim Bolas, Brianna McGee

Bulldog Club of Denver Member of the Bulldog Club of America and the American Kennel Club

The BCD was founded to encourage and promote the breeding of purebred Bulldogs and to do all possible to bring their natural qualities to perfection. We urge our members and breeders to accept the standard of the breed as the only standard of excellence and protect and advance the interests of the breed by encouraging sportsmanlike competition at dog shows.

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Conformation Show Achievement

Help us celebrate the success of Bulldogs and club members at conformation competitions! We want to feature your significant wins and achievements in sportsmanship, handling ability, acts of kindness and other notable achievements should also be submitted.

If you have a success you would like to have considered for publication in the Wigglebutt, please email a photo and description to wigglebuttbcod@gmail.com. Please note that by submitting a photo, permission is granted to use the photo on Bulldog Club of Denver social media and other marketing.

Please keep in mind that photos should be of a quality resolution for best viewing.



Don't forget to let us know about the photo! Include information such as Date, Show Location, Judge, Handler, Owner & Breeder Names, Name and Age of the Dog and all titles the Dog has earned.



Email Photos to wigglebuttbcod@gmail.com

By providing photos, you consent to BCOD use the photo for promotional and archive purposes.



Photos Courtesy of April Paulman

https://bulldogclubofamerica.org/events/civic-achievement/

Bulldog Club of America Fun Zone



How it all started...adventures on the dark side

by April Paulman

Recently there has been a bright light shown on Bulldogs doing performance. Rudy, the lightning-fast bulldog won hearts at the Westminster running agility in finals, and for weeks following the event people were asking about him. The Bulldog Club of America has embraced performance in a way it has never done before in the last few years by forming a Performance and Civic Activities Committee formed to promote performance activities by bulldogs. New programs have been introduced already by the committee to recognize bulldogs doing these activities throughout the year (Versatility Awards), as well as during nationals week (Most Versatile Bulldog Contest), and more are planned for the future. These awards not only recognize the individuals and dogs who compete in these activities, but also serve to illustrate that our breed is healthy and very capable of performing various functions.

The full article is the story of how one little bulldog changed my life and launched us into performance. I hope that it encourages the reader to give it a try....it just might change your life too.

Click Here for the Full Article



ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP

Dues are Due!

\$15 per person is to be delivered to Karen Trevino by January 1. If you have not paid your dues, please be sure to provide payment ASAP.

Please send dues in the amount of \$15 per person to BCD Treasurer

C/O Karen Trevino

2006 26th Avenue Court

Greeley, CO 80634

Questions? Contact Karen Trevino, Treasurer karen_a_trevino@msn.com

Training Opportunities

Please help us build a list of trainers & training opportunities throughout our area!

Email wigglebuttBCOD@gmail.com to have a trainer or training event added to this list.

Link to Training Resources



Fun Match Opportunities! AKC Sanctioned B-Matches

Sunday, February 9, 8:00am The Ranch, Larimer County Fairgrounds, Loveland, CO AKC Event 2020083525 Hosted by Buckhorn Valley Kennel Club

Thursday, February 13 National Western Complex, Denver, CO AKC Event 2020041121 Hosted by Colorado Kennel Club

Do you have training tips or health information to share? Please consider

Bulldog Health Education

Thank you, Brianna McGee, for providing the educational article featured this month.

Fading Puppy Syndrome in Dogs

by Krista Williams, BSc, DVM: Ernest Ward, DVM

What is fading puppy syndrome?

Fading puppy syndrome is a term used to describe puppies that are apparently normal at birth but gradually fade and die within the first two weeks of life. Normal pre-weaning losses in dogs, including stillborn puppies, can be up to thirty percent (30%), with about half of these deaths occurring within the first week of life.

Click Here for the Full Article

writing a training article for the Wigglebutt! Email wigglebuttbcod@gmail.com to let us know your topic and when you would like to submit your article!

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Show Sponsorship (Coming Soon!)

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Jan's Dog Show Boost Survey

Access the 25 Minute Survey Presentation Here

This presentation is designed to be viewed by AKC clubs, committees, groups or individuals.

Jan's Dog Show Boost Survey was completed November 15, 2019 in memory of Jan Breitenfeldt and her daughter Skye. Jan and Skye were killed travelling home to Whitehall, MT in May 2019 from a conformation dog show. Her family, including husband Todd and daughter Sari, have committed to dedicating resources in Jan's name to increase participation in and enjoyment of showing dogs. In life, Jan was inspired to mentor many beginners and prevent the frustrations she and her family experienced as dog show rookies. Jan's Pekingese line is expected to continue under the expertise of her husband.

Link to Show Info

