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Deep South All Breed Obedience Training Club Newsletter

December 2011

Monthly Meeting

Next Scheduled Meeting is December 12, 2011 at 7:30 PM, Johnny Bright Playground, 3401 Cleary Avenue, Metairie, Louisiana.

The January meeting is scheduled for **January 09, 2011.**

Weather/Class Info Hotline

(504) 454-8858
Call after 5:30 PM

President's Message

Hope you all had a Happy Thanksgiving Day. This year is going very fast. Our Herding Trial was held on November 19-20, 2011. Many thanks [goes] to Mary Lee Oliphant-Wood for our successful trial. It was fun watching all the herding dogs work. I would like to thank all the people who helped to make our trial great. There were too many for me to list them all.

Our last training class will be on December 13, 2011. We will have a party on the training lot. Everyone is welcome to attend and to bring something to nibble on. Classes will resume on January 10, 2012.

Remember to pay your club dues of \$25 to our Treasurer David Medo. Dues are due December 31st, and delinquent after that. Failure to pay dues before February 1, 2012 will require a new application for membership and a \$75 fee. Pay your dues early. If by error you did not pay your dues for 2011 and are still receiving a newsletter by e-mail, then you need to print a new application from the website and submit it with a \$75 fee to the Membership Chairperson.

Every member who has earned a title with their canine companion should submit the annual awards application to me as soon as possible. Awards will be presented at the annual installation and awards party on

January 16, 2012. More info will follow regarding location and price.

Our Nominating Committee consisting of Evelyn Audler, Connie Back and Rhonda Ruiz will be meeting this month to select a panel of officers for 2012 and will present their recommendations at our December meeting. Hope to see more of you at our December meeting.

Janice Kalczynski
President

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DSABOTC 2012 DUES ARE NOW DUE!!

Yes, it is that time again!! Deep South All Breed Obedience Training Club Membership Dues are now due. Please pay by deadline of December 31, 2011. For club membership renewal, make your check out for the amount of **\$25.00** payable to **DSABOTC Inc.** Mail your membership dues checks to:

David Medo
547 Jewel Street
New Orleans, LA 70124

<i>Upcoming Events</i>	<i>Our New Members</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Last Day of Training Classes and Christmas Party: December 13, 2011. Christmas party to be held on Training Lot. Classes will resume on Tuesday, January 10, 2012. • DSABOTC Regular Meeting Date and Election of Officers: Monday, January 9, 2012, 7:30 PM. • DSABOTC Awards Dinner: Monday, January 16, 2012. Location, Time and other details to be determined and included in the January 2012 newsletter. 	<p>Welcome to our new members. Please be sure your information is correct in our records. Any corrections should be given to Jody Legendre at (504) 738-3831. DO NOT CONTACT THE EDITOR.</p> <p>No new members were approved at the regular club meeting of November 14, 2011.</p>
<i>Important Notices For Members</i>	<i>DSABOTC Collection for Military Dogs</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Awards Application included in the November 2011 edition of the newsletter was incorrect. The application included in this newsletter has been corrected to submit to <u>Janice Kalczynski</u> at the address: <u>5205 Cross Creek Drive, Marrero, LA 70072.</u> The Editor regrets the error. • In the regular club meeting on November 14, 2011 the following motion was made and approved. Starting with the January 2012 edition of the newsletter, hardcopies of the newsletter will no longer be sent by regular mail. Members who do not receive the newsletter by email can get a hard-copy newsletter either at training class or at the regular club meeting each month. Members are also urged to update their information with Jody Legendre, Membership Chairperson at (504) 738-3831 and at deepsoutheditor@yahoo.com to add or correct email address information for the newsletter email mailing list. • The Nominating Committee has been selected for nominating the slate of club officers to be elected for 2012, the election to be held on January 9, 2012. The Nominating Committee members are Evelyn Audler, Connie Back and Rhonda Ruiz. The slate of officers will be named in the January 2012 edition of the newsletter. • DSABOTC T-Shirts and Polo Shirts are available. Please see Janice Kalczynski at training class or call at (504) 341-6725. The T-Shirts are \$10.00 each and the Polo Shirts are \$16.00 each. 	<p>Deep South All Breed Obedience Training Club is currently collecting money from members to make a contribution of requested items to the United States Military TEDD program. TEDD stands for Tactical Explosive Detector Dog, and it is the canine unit in the United States Army responsible for the sniffing and detection of Improvised Explosive Devices (IEDs) in combat situations. There are 725 working dog teams in the United States Central Command, most of the teams serving in Afghanistan. Because of their work, these dogs have saved thousands of lives.</p> <p>John Long, our club Vice President, has received an email requesting assistance in obtaining much needed working dog supplies that you and I take for granted. The need includes toys, shampoo, booties , muzzles, water bowls, sleeping mats, poop bags, etc. The officers of Deep South feel this is a very worthy cause to support, and we ask ALL members to please support your military canine service dog teams by making a monetary contribution. At the end of the collection period, Deep South will purchase the items requested at wholesale prices and forward them to a TEDD Team member in the name of the club.</p> <p>This is a golden opportunity to show your support for our military personnel and the dogs who risk all to save lives. When you submit your monetary contribution to our Treasurer, David Medo, please make note that it is for "TEDD Teams." Thank you for supporting this cause.</p> <p>(info from http://www.thedogfiles.com/2011/09/20/more-bomb-sniffing-dogs-to-be-put-on-armys-front-lines)</p>

Our Member's Successes



**MERRY CHRISTMAS
AND
HAPPY HOLIDAYS**

To all the members of Deep South All Breed Obedience Training Club, I extend to you my best wishes and prayers for you and your families, that you will have a safe and happy holiday season. It has been an honor and a pleasure to serve as your Newsletter Editor this past year. I look forward to continuing to serve in that position. Thanks to all who contribute to make this newsletter a joy to publish.

AWARDS

If you have earned an AKC recognized title on your dog this year, or you think you are eligible for the Lucy Neeb Award, please complete the Awards Application and send to **Janice Kalczynski** at address: **5205 Cross Creek Drive, Marrero, LA 70072** by December 12, 2011. Deadline is final. See Page 4 Attachment: Annual Awards Application.

Mary Lee O Wood reports that she and The Showboat Collies enjoyed another great Deep South Obedience Trial. Two year old Storm grabbed her 8th AKC title by qualifying 3 times in Rally Advanced. Storm also racked up 2 beginner novice legs. Her sire, Colt, beat her with a 94 & 89 for 2 Rally Advanced legs. Thanks to all the hard working members for the opportunity - the trial was so well run, as usual. Showboat collies were blessed with 5 baby rough collies on Oct 1 by Showboat's Seminole Colt HT PT RN X MAJOR POINTED Bitsy(8 PTS) Showboat's Bold Blue Bit of Tel CD RE HT PT HSAsd HSId NAP NJP.

Miniature Poodle, Cricket, is pleased to announce that he helped his owner, Steve Foster, earned Steve's first-ever obedience leg in the Beginner Novice B class on Sunday, October 9th, at the Orlando Dog Training Club trial while on a business/pleasure tour of Florida. Hopefully he will be able to earn the other two legs before year's end and give Steve his first obedience title. Sorry we had to miss Deep South's trials but it couldn't be helped.

Ray Lang & Caesar earned their 3rd & 4th legs toward an RAE title at the recent Deep South trials. Also, at Sunday's Rally Advanced trials, Caesar earned his first 1st Place ever!

Karen Badilla's Doberman, Bella, received two BN legs at the Deep South trials in Mandeville. On Saturday afternoon, Bella took 1st place in the Beginners Novice B class with a score of 198 and also won High Scoring Working Dog.

Brant Broom and Terry Mayers' Italian Greyhound, GCH Cantex Gris Gris' Sonofa Doc, returned from the St. Louis shows getting 3 Best of Breeds, a Group 1 and a Group 3. Suede qualifies for the AKC/Eukanuba Invitational by being in the top 25 of his breed and achieving his Bronze Grand Championship. He's still in the top 5 in his breed rankings.

Karen Badilla's Doberman, Bellagator ("Bella") received her Coursing Ability (CA) title this past Saturday at the LKS test in Bush, LA.

Rose Quebedo's Miniature Poodle Nikki placed first on Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 8 & 9 at the DSABOTC Obedience Trial in the Veterans Class.

Jeanne Stephens' Angelica's If I Can Dream, BN "Saydee" earned her Beginner Novice Title at the DSABOTC Obedience Trial on Sunday, Oct. 9th with a 4th place. Saydee earned her first two Beginner Novice Legs at the Swamp Dog Obedience Trial in September 2011 with a first and second place. Three trials - three legs and her title.

At the recent Deep South Obedience/Rally Trials, Marlane Mayo and her 13 inch Beagle "Beany" earned 3 Legs for the title of Companion Dog. In July, her 15 inch Beagle "Mister" became a Champion .

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DEEP SOUTH ALL BREED OBEDIENCE TRAINING CLUB

ANNUAL AWARDS APPLICATION

Owner: _____ Breed: _____

Dog's Registered Name with Titles: _____

_____ Dog's Call Name: _____

New Titles with Date Earned: _____

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LUCY NEEB AWARD APPLICATION

Owner: _____ Breed: _____

Dog's Registered Name with Titles: _____

_____ Dog's Call Name: _____

AKC No.: _____

To be eligible for this award ones dog must have the highest average score of three shows in the same obedience class from October through October. Please list the exact names and dates of each show and the score received:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____