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UPCOMING EVENTS

June – September 2023

Water Training Camp Linwood MacDonald Sandyston, NJ

September 16th – 17th 2023

NPD Water Test Beltzville State Park Lehighton, PA

October 13th, 14th, & 15th 2023

Triple Crown Regional Specialty Walkersville, MD



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

We have been busy supporting the many faces of this wonderful breed...Ana Peraza organized the "Stroll" several times this winter and spring..These events were scattered throughout our area and were extremely well attended and lots of fun.

Additionally, draft training from beginner to getting title-ready were offered throughout our area and again well attended.

We hosted a Regional Specialty and Sweepstakes in March at the Celtic Classic!! Our entry was up in numbers...we had a great turnout...

Throughout the year we have been running online raffles, which along with generous membership donations, we have been able to continue to host these events and have been quite successful.

We will be starting up the online raffles again soon!!! We are going to be offering some great prizes!!! It's fun and easy!!!

Elsewhere in this issue you will see that we are offering water training workshops throughout the summer...register online.

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE (CONT.)

Paws n Claws has returned... so happy to see that there is still Super support for this fun day....we partnered with Beltsville, PA to host this event...

We are also busy planning the Water Test, the Triple Crown, and the Annual meeting / Fun Day will be in October...we will again be hosting the Christmas Tree pull to round out the year...among some Strolls!!!

We welcome all members to all events and would love to train volunteers to assist.

Many thanks to the Board of Directors for all their hard work all year long. As you know, we all meet on a monthly basis to keep the events on track...

PLEASE CONSIDER VOLUNTEERING TO HELP AT ANY OF THESE EVENTS...YOUR CLUB NEEDS YOU!!!!

Have a great summer...hope to see you all at some of our events!!!

Best Regards, Chris LaMuraglia New-Pen-Del President



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NPD has partnered with That Newfoundland Place to support local rescue.

Rescue With A Heart

Please reach out to the Rescue Committee below if you're interested in a rescue or need to surrender your dog.

NAME	EMAIL	PHONE NUMBER	REGION / NEED
Nancy Weaver	neweaver@optonline.net	908.413.0855	Need a newf rescued? Contact Nancy.
Sue Ryan	matawansue@aol.com	908.217.1724	Adoptions Central and North NJ
Donna Carroll	riopearl2191@gmail.com	856.498.2588	Adoptions South NJ
Bob Frankenfield	bobfrankenfield@live.com	610.709.4444	Adoptions Eastern PA (Northampton County Area)



WE CAN STILL USE A FEW MORE VOLUNTEERS FOR THE RESCUE COMMITTEE, ESPECIALLY IF YOU CAN HELP SUPPORT PA REGIONS. IF YOU CAN HELP ASSESS POTENTIAL ADOPTERS, DO PRE-ADOPITION HOME INSPECTIONS, AND FIELD CALLS FROM PEOPLE LOOKING FOR A RESCUE DOG, WE NEED YOUR HELP! IF INTERESTED, PLEASE REACH OUT TO KARIN BYSTOL AT IKBZMOMMY@GMAIL.COM . YOU CAN HELP RESCUES FIND THEIR FOREVER HOMES!



MEMBERSHIP



INTERESTED IN BECOMING A MEMBER??

Membership applications can be found on the website: NPD Membership Portal

Please contact New-Pen-Del Membership Chairs, Amy Kroeger (<u>aim72@comcast.net</u>) or Tiffany Reed (<u>Tiffany.newf@gmail.com</u>)

with questions.

Applicants for NPD Membership

The Board of Directors has given preliminary approval to the following applicants. Comments on applicants are solicited from members for a period of 30 days from receipt of publication. All communications are to be sent to New-Pen-Del Membership Chairs:

Amy Kroeger (<u>aim72@comcast.net</u>) or Tiffany Reed (<u>Tiffany.newf@gmail.com</u>)

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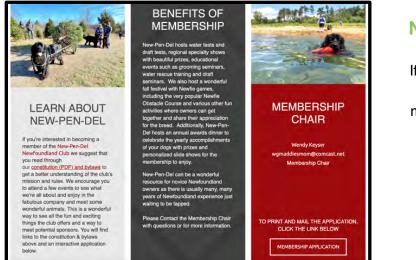
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MEMBERSHIP

STAY CONNECTED TO NPD ...



NEW-PEN-DEL NEWF CLUB GOES DIGITAL!

If you haven't already done so, please check out New-Pen-Del's new membership portal! Check out current and up to date information on our events, our members and products <u>https://npdnewfs.wildapricot.org</u>

MEMBER'S ONLY SECTION

Members are invited to access the *Members Only* section of the Portal. Click the down arrow, next to "Membership" and click on "Members Only". You'll be prompted to enter your username and password. From there you'll have access to Member Only information, including a member directory.





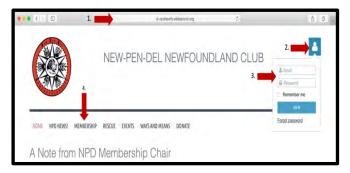
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ACCESSING THE MEMBER PORTAL ...

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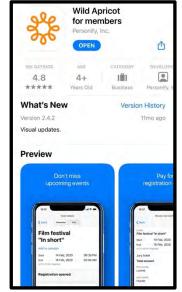
There are several steps to login to the Membership Portal. Follow the steps on the diagram below to enter your email and password. The *Members Only* section of Portal is under the Membership menu tab.

> If you need assistance, please email Amy Kroeger (aim72@comcast.net)



Download the Wild Apricot for Members App on your Smartphone

Go to the App store on your iPhone or Android device and download the Wild Apricot for Members app.

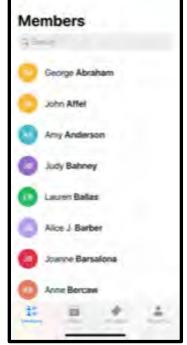




Using the Wild Apricot App to access the Members Directory...

After you download the Wild Apricot App for Members, login using the same credentials you use to login to the Members Only part of the Portal. Open the app and click on Members at the lower left-hand corner of the page.

You will now see a list of all NPD Active members. Search and find the member you would like to contact.





NPD NEWS

Sponsor a Raffle basket

Click Photo below to donate



Raffle baskets help us raise money to support events like working dog tests, educational events, tree pulls, fall fest and more. Please support our events by sponsoring a basket. With a \$25 donation, we'll put together a basket to raffle at a future event. Please contact <u>katlynn4@gmail.com</u> if you'd like to be acknowledged in our newsletter or on the basket for your donation. *Thank you so much for your support*!

POOCH PANTRY

NPD continues to offer the Pooch Pantry to members in need of financial assistance for their dogs. Please visit our website for more information. <u>https://npdnewfs.wildapricot.org/Pooch-Pantry</u>



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WAYS & MEANS



CHECK OUT OUR OTHER STORES FOR NEWFIE MERCH!



Please help support club events by purchasing some fun newfie merch!

https://www.redbubble.com/people/NPDNewfClub/explore?asc=u

Contact our Ways & Means Chair, Kat Lynn with any questions or fundraising ideas at <u>Katlynn4@gmail.com</u>



https://teespring.com/stores/new-pen-del-newfoundland-club

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Valentine's Newfie Stroll



On February 12th 2023, the New Pen Del newfs descended on Liberty State Park in Jersey City, NJ. A group of over 20 newfs and their people strolled through the park, enjoying views of downtown Manhattan, the Statue of Liberty and Ellis Island. We walked through the 9-11 Memorial – walls mirroring the World Trade Center towers and engraved with the names of NJ residents lost on 9-11. The Reclining Lady Liberty was a favorite photo op, and the group photo drew a lot of attention from passersby.

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A large group of Newfs is always a striking sight. People stopped to ask questions and asked to take pictures with the dogs. At the end of the walk, we gathered to share snacks and conversation. Thanks to all who attended and all who brought snacks to share! We'll plan more walks this winter! Please reach out if you have ideas for other fun locations.





Valentine's Newfie Stroll









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Valentine's Newfie Stroll





EVENTS

ForEvergreen Nature Preserve Newfie Walk



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ForEvergreen Nature Preserve Newfie Walk

The Newfie walks continued, this time with a walk in East Stroudsburg, PA at the scenic ForEvergreen Nature Preserve. Lots of dogs and their people joined in, including adorable baby puppies Kelby and Onyx. Thanks to Karen Doman for arranging this event! Our members have been really enjoying these walks. We hope to restart them in the winter and spring!





DRAFT PRACTICE

Spring draft practice was a great success. A day in the park with the dogs is always a good time, throw in a cart and some training, and you have the perfect recipe for a fun newf family day. It was wonderful to spend time with friends and make new ones. We witnessed young dogs grow comfortable pulling carts and puppies happily pulling PVC poles. More experienced teams practiced maneuvering obstacles, and all enjoyed a walk to start conditioning teams for the NCA Draft Test Freight Haul. Some of the teams went on to participate in spring draft tests and we are proud to have two new draft dogs in NPD!

If you missed these but would like to participate, we hope to restart these when the weather cools!

SCHOOLEY'S MTN PARK, LONG VALLEY, NJ



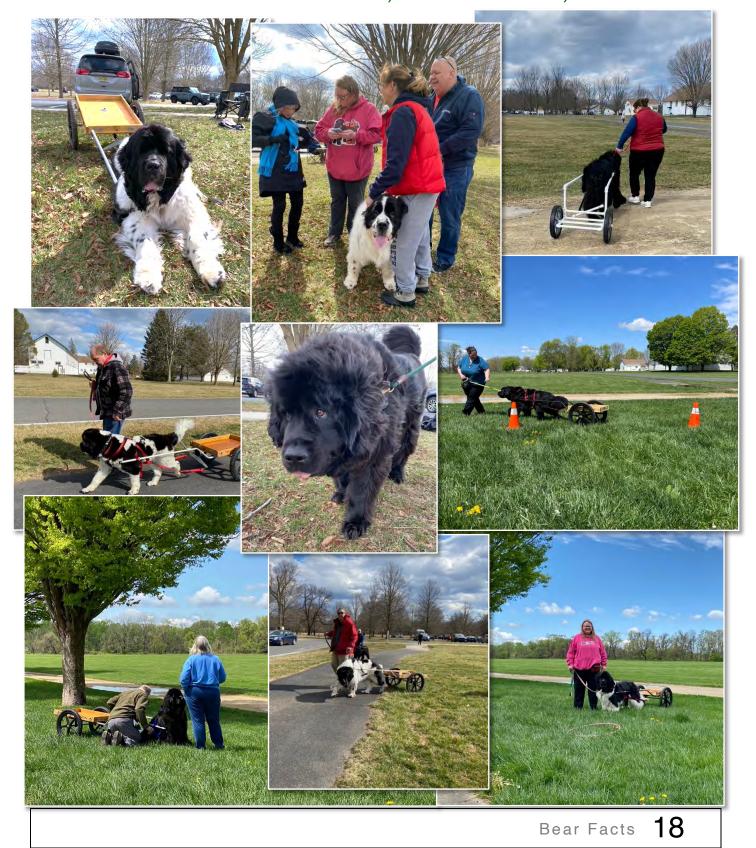
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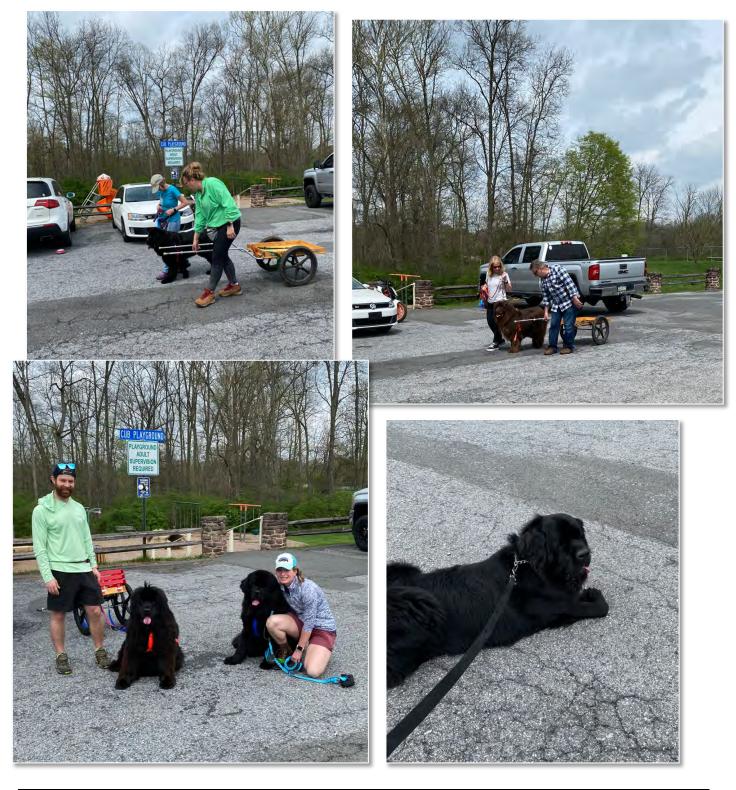
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DRAFT PRACTICE THOMPSON PARK, LINCROFT, NJ





DRAFT PRACTICE BRUBAKER PARK, EAST EARL, PA



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CELTIC CLASSIC REGIONAL SPECIALTY

Congratulations

NEW PEN DEL REGIONAL SPECIALTY SATURDAY, MARCH 18, 2023

Information listed below was taken from the Rau Dog Shows Website. We have made attempts to fill in any missing information. Dog Name, Breeder, Owner Information may be incomplete

JUDGE: CARL LIEPMANN Sweeps Judge: Kandy Adams



BEST OF BREED/GROUP 1 CH POUCH COVE'S WHAT SAY YOU AT CAYUGA By: CH Pouch Cove's Southwind Game On & GCHB Ursinus Velutus Yes We Can At Cayuga, Breeders: Peggy Helming & Riccardo Quartiglia, Owners: Robin Benoit & Chantal Rioux

BEST OF OPPOSITE

GCHB DREAMHAVEN'S CASCADING WATERFALLS AT OLD BAY By: GCH Southwinds Pouch Cove Dark Star CD RE & GCHB Old Bays Keep It Simple, Breeders: Andrea Jung, Cindy Flowers, Owners: Wendy Sparks, HW Sparks, Andrea Jung





SELECT DOG

GCH DREAMHAVEN'S SUM IT UP WITH OLD BAY BN RN WD By GCH Southwind's Pouch Cove Dark Star CD RE & GCHB Old Bay's Keep It Simple, Breeders: Andrea Jung, Cindy Flowers, Owners: Sue Lynn Morton & Robin Love

SELECT BITCH

GCH POWDER RIDGE'S BEWITCHING GIRL

By GCH Pouch Cove's Alright Alright Alright & CH Dreamhaven's Frozen In Time With Old Bay, Breeders: Donald & Julia Sharkey, Owners: Donald & Julia Sharkey

BEST OF WINNERS/WINNER'S DOG

SUN VALLEY'S SIR JAKE By GCHP Gold Cup's First in Flight & Sun Valley's Always in Style, Breeders: Lou Ann Lenner, Owners: Michelle Kassees

WINNER'S BITCH

TOP SHELFS ON THE RUN TO NAKISKA By GCHS Nakiska 'N Pouch Cover Love The Journey & GCHB Top Shelfs First Class Flight To Gold Cup, Breeders: Dr. Erin Murphy & John O'Neill,DVM, Owners: Deb Wigal & Ingrid Lyden

BEST OF BREED OWNER-HANDLED/OH GROUP 3

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PUPPY 6-9 MOS. DOGS

1 JOHNSON FARMS ASTON MARTIN By Kenemu Given The Gauntlet & Johnson Farms Loyale, Breeders: Clancy Johnson, Owners: Clancy Johnson

12-15 MOS. DOGS

1/RW ANCHORBAY'S MADE FOR PARAGON By GCH Micmac Won't Let You Go Windhaven & GCH Anchorbay's An Original By DaVinci, Breeders: Karen Moore, Brooke Beck, Owners: Nancy Weaver, Lauren Lang, Brooke Beck



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BOWATER'S EVENKEEL AFTER HOURS

By CH Pouch Cove's Where There Is A Way Cayuga & CH Bowater's Permission To Come Aboard Evenkeel, Breeders & Owners: Megan Goldin, Debra Sylvester, Caleb Liston, Ryan Platt

PARAGON'S LIVES IN A DREAM

By Ch Bear in Mind's A Whale of a Tale at Bear Harbor & Ch Anchor Bay and Paragon's DaVinci Hoosier Baby, Breeders: Nancy Weaver, Owners: Alexandria Hammersla

BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOG

1 AMITY'S INVISIBLE TOUCH OF BEARFORT By CH Pouch Cove Where There Is A Way Cayuga & Ch Amity's That's What Friends Are For, Breeders: Michelle & Kevin Vanderbeck, Diane & Tom Broderick, Owners: Diane & Thomas Broderick, Michelle Vanderbeck

OPEN DOGS

1/BW/W SUN VALLEY'S SIR JAKE By GCHP Gold Cup's First in Flight & Sun Valley's Always in Style, Breeders: Lou Ann Lenner, Owners: Michelle Kassees

2 TIMBERKNOLL'S SEAS THE DAY

By GCHS Chateaunewf N/ Nakiska's Legend of The Stoned & Ch Timberknolls Tempted By Tradition, Breeders: Benita Edds & Patti Sutherland, Owners: Benita Edds & Lynne Hamilton

3 BEAR N MIND'S TOGETHER WE ARE MORE RN

By Ch Bear N Mind's A Whale Of A Tale At Bear Harbor & Daybreaker's Because She Can At Bear N Mind RN, Breeders: C Gorsuch D Gorsuch, Alice Harwell, Owners: Andrea & Gary Ottey



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PUPPY 9-12 MOS. BITCH

1 AVALON BEY'S PAY ME IN PEARLS By Avalon Bey's I'll Fly A Kite At Newcrest & Avalon Bey's Promise Of Love, Breeders: Laura Rader, Owners: Laura Rader





12 - 15 MOS. BITCH

1 BEAR N MINDS CHARISMATIC LADY AT TRISKELION CGC

By Ch Bear N Mind's A Whale of a Tale at Bear Harbor & Ch Bear N Mind's Don't Stop Me Now BN RI, Breeders: Christine & Dwight Gorsuch, Owners: Diane Knudsen, Christine & Dwight Gorsuch

<u>15 - 18 MOS. BITCH</u>

1 NITE SKY'S KEY TO THE STARS By Chateaunewf's Completely Unique And Unmistakable & CH Gold Cup's Nonstop to Mid Nite Sky, Breeders: Jan Boggio, E. O'Neill, Owners: Jan Boggio

2 AVALON BEY'S QUEEN OF HEARTS

By GCh Avalon Bey's Count Dracula & Avalon Bey's Elektra, Breeders: Laura Rader, Owners: Laura Rader

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1/RW ANCHORBAY'S FORGERY IN PROGRESS CGC TKN By GCH King of Helluland Vertical Limit & GCH Anchorbay's An Orginial by DAVinci, Breeders: Karen Moore, Brooke Beck, Owners: Mary & Dan Costello, Brooke Beck

OPEN AOC BITCH

1 THREEPONDS I PUT A SPELL ON YOU CGC TKN By Gchs Oukaya Forever Louder Than Words Paramount'N'Bowater & Gchs Threeponds Sarah's Hocus Pocus CGC, Breeders: Laura & Scott Davidson & Lynne Anderson, Owners: Ana Peraza, Amy Kroeger & Lynne Anderson

VETERAN DOG

1 CH PARAGON'S XANDER THE GREAT By: Ch. Mississippi-Missouri Opportunity Knocks & Ch. Paragon's Pouch Cove Carbon Copy, Breeders: Nancy Weaver, Owners: Nancy Weaver, Lisa & Bob Turiano



VETERAN BITCH

1 GCH POUCH COVES MOMENT IN TIME By: Gch Haytees Gustav I, The Conqueror & Pouch Coves Material Girl, Breeders: Christine LaMuraglia, Owners: Christine LaMuraglia

2 GCHB SHADRACK'S EVERYTHING'S RELATIVE By Ch. Longship Sails With Shadrack & Ch.Windswept & Shadrack Aim's To Up the Ante, Breeders: Steve McAdams, Owners: Arlene Proebsting











COLONIAL REGIONAL SPECIALTY SUNDAY, MARCH 19, 2023

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CH POWDER RIDGE'S ALRIGHT I AM THE CAPTAIN OF MY SHIP By Gch Pouch Cove's Alright Alright Alright & Ch Dreamhaven's Frozen In Time With Old Bay, Breeders: Donald & Julia Sharkey, Owners: Donald & Julia Sharkey

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After a few years without Paws 'N Claws, we're so happy we were able to offer this fun event again! It was so great to meet some new NPD members, see old friends and watch the future NCA water dogs take on the guppy tests! The weather held up and there were so many new Guppies, Tadpoles and Frogs!

Special thanks to Lea Johnson and her family for doing so much work to plan this event. Thanks to Susie and Bill Matangos and Gary Ottey for cooking delicious meals and helping to set up! Thanks to Chris Lamuraglia for making so many raffle baskets and to all who contributed raffle baskets, salads and desserts to share!

Thanks so much to all who helped with the water training and tests...the water wasn't exactly warm! Especially, Megan Morgan, Andi Ottey, Donna Campbell, Caleb Liston, George and Kate Abraham and so many more!

Last but not least, thanks to anyone who shared photos...the pro-type photos are by Caleb Liston, the rest are by Amy & Ana Peraza-Kroeger! The full album can be found on our website, by clicking the link! https://npdnewfs.wildapricot.org/NPD-News



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Training of all three levels of NCA water test exercises! Newfies doing what they were bred to do!

Register

Now

Come learn to steward for our Sept. Water Test!



Linwood MacDonald YMCA Camp, Sandyston NJ

- Sunday, June 4th 9 am 4 pm Sunday, June 11th 9 am 4pm
- Sunday, July 9th 9 am 4 pm Sunday, July 16th 9 am 1pm
- Sunday, Aug 6th 9 am 4 pm - Sunday Aug 13th 9 am - 4 pm
- Sunday, Sept 10th 9 am-4 pm



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NEW-PEN-DEL 2023 WATER TRAINING



NPD members have started water training at Camp Linwood MacDonald in Sandyston, NJ. The last two sessions have been a wonderful start to the season, with the dogs learning to get comfortable in the water, around boats and learning the NCA Water Dog Exercises. From puppies to experienced training teams, all are enjoying getting back out on the water. There's nothing better than watching a newf doing what they're bred to do!

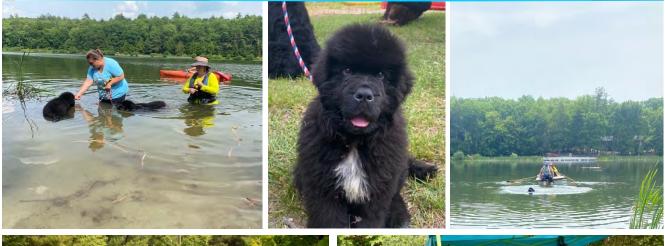
Finding a place to train in NJ has been a challenge over the last several years. Special thanks to Amy Supko for finding a nice place to train. Thanks so much to Dave Supko for bringing the boat. Thanks to Donna Campbell and Karin Bystol for being in the water all day, helping teams address challenges and encouraging hesitant swimmers! Thanks to Doug Fish and Donna for the use of their van as an equipment shuttle and for helping carry all the equipment required to spend a day lakeside! Training these dogs turn strangers into friends...hope you'll join us at one of the upcoming training sessions. Register online at https://npdnewfs.wildapricot.org/event-5294736.



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EVENTS TRIPLE CROWN REGIONAL SPECIALTY SAVE THE DATE



NEW-PEN-DEL INTEREST ARTICLE

OUR FAVORITE SUMMERTIME INDOOR TRAINING PRACTICE

BUCKET WORK

By Amy Kroeger



Summer is a tough time for our heavy coated Newfs at the Jersey Shore. Either we are up at 6 am to walk the dogs before the world wakes up, which doesn't appeal to us or the dogs, or we are looking for swimming venues for regular exercise. We are lucky to have the Raritan Bay nearby that is available to the dogs all year long, and we're looking forward to participating in the New Pen Del Water Training sessions, but swimming options require full grooming sessions to avoid itchies and hotspots, and weekly is about all we can manage. We have had to come up with some dry, indoor air-conditioned alternatives!

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We like to do training sessions during the day to tire out the dogs by getting them up and moving as well as thinking! Thinking seems to tire out our dogs more than just about anything. So we work through all the obedience exercises, heeling, sits, stays, dry land training for water work, different exercises to get ready for Draft Training but one of ours' and the dogs' favorite training methods is Bucket Work.

Bucket Work

Pull out a rubber feed bucket in our house and the dogs come running! They love these exercises so much that we have had to get separate buckets for each dog to avoid them pushing each other off to "play". The skills acquired are so useful in so many situations: hind end awareness; a very smooth 'Get In' to begin heeling; learning how to isolate the front or back feet that is necessary for skills like 'One Step' to make tight turns in Draft; so many things, and they think it's fun!

To get started you'll need to purchase a rubber feed bucket. We get ours from Tractor Supply and use the 3 gallon size that is approximately 17" in diameter at the rim, 14" in diameter at the bottom and about 5" high. We brought our newfs into the store to find the right size, a benefit to shopping at Tractor Supply! For the weight of a newf, we also use a foam Yoga brick underneath to avoid crushing the bucket when the dogs step up. Some people get two buckets and stack them, which



also works perfectly, but the double buckets are heavy to carry to Obedience class, so the brick has worked better for us. Our Obedience Club has these buckets for most sized dogs, but unfortunately the newfs big feet just don't fit on the available tiny dog buckets, so we bring our own.

Getting Started



Start off in an area of at least 8'x8' with one dog (two dogs and two buckets is definitely an advanced skill) and one yoga brick supported or stacked bucket in the center of the space. Often our dogs will immediately step up with their front feet. Newfs seems to love a pedestal. If your newf is not as narcissistic as ours, lure the dog to step up with a cookie to stand with their front feet on the center of the bowl. Treat and praise the dog for stepping up. If they are hesitant to step up, lure them toward the bowl. Give them treats for touching the bowl, stepping up with one foot or anything that is moving toward both feet on the bowl. Shape

the exercise with treats until they comfortably stand on the bowl with both feet. Practice this a few times. We use the command 'Bucket' for this exercise. Some people use 'Perch'. Practice having the dog getting off the bucket, then hopping back on with their front feet, using the command you chose. They tend to learn quickly that stepping up means a cookie. We use tiny treats for this because we use a lot. Plain Cheerios are a favorite, or anything tiny and quickly swallowed. We usually practice this step for a week or two in between their other training, sits, stays, downs, etc. But don't be surprised if they're running to the bucket the minute you put it down by day 2!

Get In





Once your dog is comfortable stepping up on to the bucket, stand in front of the dog perched on the bucket and hold a cookie in your LEFT hand just above the dog's head to lure them to move with you. Take a step to the right around the bucket. If the dog stays with their front feet perched on the bucket, while moving their back feet to stay facing you, give them the treat. Praise enthusiastically! Sometimes at the beginning the dogs will step off the bucket, it is confusing to perch and move at the same time. This is totally normal! Just lure them back up on to the bucket and praise, try again! The goal is to get the dog moving around the bucket in a circle while you move around facing them while holding your left hand above their head. We call this movement 'Get In', which will make sense as you progress. Use the command 'Get In' each time you want the dog to take one step. Say 'Get In', you take one step, dog takes one step with you, give the cookie from your left hand and praise. Then Practice!

Pivot

Pivot always reminds me of the Friends episode where Rachel, Chandler and Ross are trying to get the huge couch up the narrow stairs, I can't help it, I'm a Gen Xer!! But my dogs think of Pivot as the somewhat harder training game on the bucket. I'm not sure why, but this one is always a little harder for them to learn and remember. It may be because it moves them toward my right side, which as Obedience dogs, they are most comfortable on my left. Or perhaps we don't do Pivot as much in real life. But it's always a little more of a challenge. Perhaps it is related to whether the dog is left or right-handed? Not sure, we continue to practice both exercises though, because it keeps the dogs working both sides of their bodies for strength and balance. And being a little harder to learn makes them more tired, and a tired puppy is a good puppy!



Pivot is the opposite of Get In. In this exercise, the dog perches with their front feet on the bucket, we hold the cookie in our RIGHT hand just above the dog's head and take a step to the left around the bucket. Again, handler takes one step, dog follows with one step, cookie, dog and handler take one step, cookie. They should stay facing you on the opposite side of the bucket as you move around. If they hop off the bucket, just lure them back on, lots of praise!



Practice

Work on both sides for a few practice sessions. Never be worried about going back a few steps to reinforce, perching on the bucket with their front feet and cookies and praise. Mix it up. Give them cookies for perching, cookies for 'Get In', cookies for 'Pivot' and cookies for getting off the bucket. This is a favorite game because there are lots of cookies!

Next Level

When you feel like your dog is comfortable moving in both directions, begin giving them the command while you stay in one place. If they need a reminder, take one step to get them started, but you want the dog to move around the bucket with the hand signal of your LEFT hand above their head and the command 'Get In' or your RIGHT hand above their head and the command 'Pivot'. It will not take long for the dogs to be spinning on the bucket with just the single command and hand signal.

Moving On With Back Feet



We start practicing putting their back feet on the bucket when puppies are a little bit older, in fact I think our younger dog didn't start learning it until she was about 2 years old. It is a more advanced skill and it seems to confuse the dog if you start at the same time as the front feet 'Bucket' command. It is not as natural a position, so we use cookies to lure the dog's back feet on to the bucket. We are extremely creative and use the command 'Back Feet'.

Learning this tends to take a while. It requires more hind end awareness, and the dogs can seem clumsy trying it at first. Shape the exercise as you did with front feet. If the

dog gets one foot on the bucket at the beginning, reward them, then keep working at it until both back feet sit comfortably on the bucket.

Once the dogs are skilled at putting their back feet on to the bucket by using the command you choose or our genius 'Back Feet' terminology, you can start to teach them moving around the bucket with their front feet. For this exercise, we stand in front of the dog and take one step right or left. It is not important which hand you hold the cookie in for this exercise because the goal is to teach one step, rather than spin. The single step, using only their front feet is the key to beautiful 90 degree turns during the draft test. It's also a hard skill to learn, so again, making them think, making them tired, and a tired puppy is a good puppy!



Applications

I've mentioned a few applications for these exercises while detailing the steps, but I wanted to suggest a few more that we use all the time.



'Get In' is perfect for getting the dogs into heel position. Obviously, our creative method of naming commands strikes again! If your dog does competitive obedience, this is a great way to train moving the dog to the left side of your body. I have been able to transfer this skill off the bucket and I use the LEFT hand signal above our dogs' heads and they will spin to my left side. It's pretty amazing to see how agile these big dogs can be with a little practice and some strengthening in their hind end.

'Pivot' is useful for moving the dogs to the right side of your body in a similar way. This can be useful for dogs that do agility. Sometimes they need to move to the right side of the handler to approach equipment from the correct angle.

Both 'Get In' and Pivot' were useful in a Triebball Class that I took with our Abby, where the dogs need to move a large ball into a hockey type net from different directions.

'One Step' is so perfect in Draft Exercises where their hind ends are limited in movement because of the cart, and they need to adjust their position by only rotating their front feet. Tight Turns, adjusting their body to get into the narrows or around obstacles benefit from this skill. It's harder to learn, but so worth it if you plan to do Draft Work.



All these exercises can help the dog achieve the AKC Trick Titles, and probably many other applications that we haven't yet encountered. Yet, even if your newf is not an obedience dog or a draft dog or an agility dog, at the end of the day, it's still just a lot of fun for you and your favorite pet to do some training together and Bucket Work is perfect for indoor Summertime fun!



Our Easter Bunny, Lily DeFilippis having fun on Easter! –Laurie DeFilippis

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Hope you all enjoyed the Spring Holidays. Our members have shared some adorable photos from their spring celebrations!



Sophie Doman and her landseer, Anjin. –Karen Doman



Winnie & Abby, our cutest Easter Bunnies!

–Ana & Amy Peraza–Kroeger









BEARSCAMP "WITH A LITTLE HELP FROM FRIENDS" CGC, TKN





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Welcome to New Pen Del!

Introducing Billi! Billi recently got her CGC and TKN Titles!

Congratulations to the Cavagnaro family!



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NEW-PEN-DEL



Lily turned 3 years old on April 23rd. **Happy Birthday Lily!**

Lily is owned by Laurie DeFilippis

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Miss Charlotte got to participate with the University of Scranton's "Pet Therapy Day!" Miss Charlotte sure did enjoy all the lovies and hugs. Such wonderful students and faculty.

My favorite picture is her looking back at me —that's her favorite spot to scratch. She was in hog heaven!!!

Carolyn Hoos





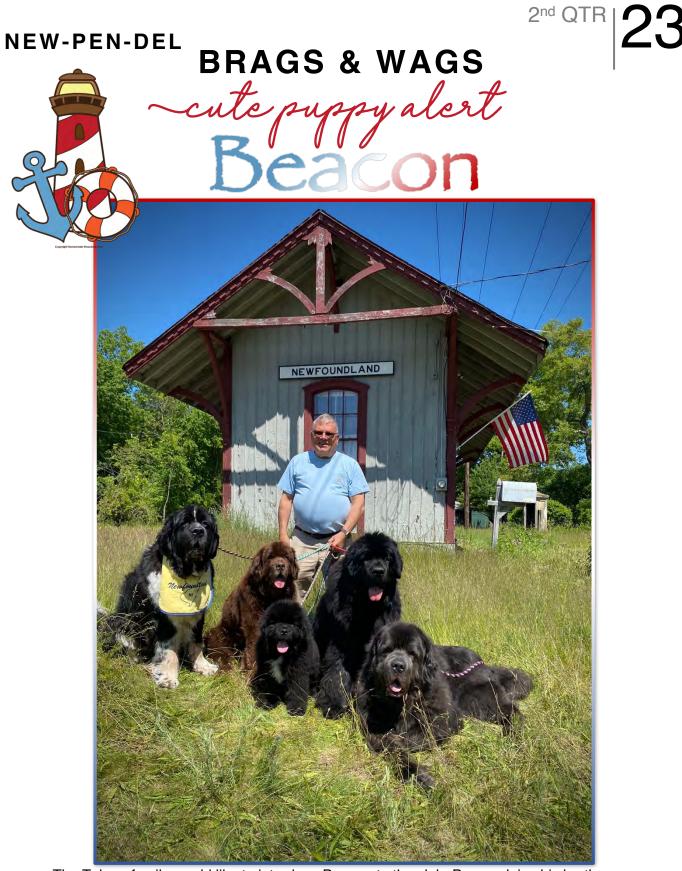


Congratulations! ABBY & HENRY



NEW DRAFT DOGS

We're so proud of Abby and Henry. These littermates both got their DD Titles at Colonial's Spring Draft Test! We are so thrilled that they passed together as these two have always been two peas in a pod. Abby is owned by Ana & Amy Peraza-Kroeger and Henry is owned by Kat Lynn! These experiences are so much sweeter when shared with friends!



The Tokarz family would like to introduce Beacon to the club. Beacon joins his brothers, Scuba - 11 1/2 yrs, Diver - 11 yrs, Fin - 10 1/2 yrs, Buoy - 1 yr old, and of course their honorary newf, Woody - 9 yrs old. **Welcome Beacon! Congratulations to the Tokarz Family!**



BRAGS & WAGS cute puppy alert

EVENKEEL N BOWATER'S PIPE DOWN SCUTTLEBUTT



Welcome to New Pen Del, Katie! Katie joins big sister Zoe and big brother Ethan! Congratulations to Donna Campbell and Doug Fish on their adorable new puppy!

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Kelby was born on December 13, 2022 and is a perfect fit with our family! She shares bigh sister Oakley's love of the water, there isn't a puddle of water that goes untouched by her. It's been amazing to watch her learn and grow every day. Welcome to the club, Kelby! Congratulations to George and Kate Abraham!



After losing our first Newfie Riley 3 years ago, we knew something was missing. So let me introduce our newest member of the family Ozark Legend Onyx. After seeing all the beautiful puppies, we could not resist, so Joe and I drove out to Missouri and picked her up. She is now 6 months old and made it to a Frog at Paws and Claws, did some water training, and is an AKC Star Puppy. Can't wait to see what else is in store for her and us. Onyx is looking forward to meeting everyone and learning new things. - Nadine & Joe Byczkowski

Welcome Onyx and congratulations to the Byczkowski Family on the new addition!

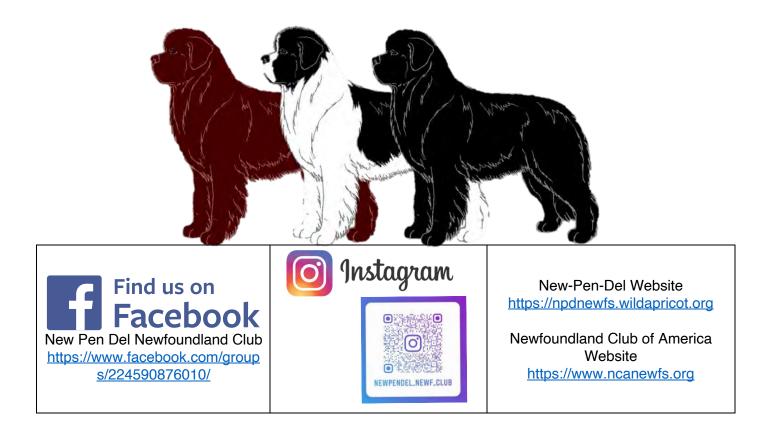


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This is your newsletter. Your input is always appreciated. We welcome human-newf stories, brags, memorials, canine (especially Newf) interest articles, health/research articles, and photos of newf activities. We can accept virtually all formats from word processors & graphics packages. Bear Facts will be issued on or around the 15th of the month, February, May, August and November. Submissions are requested by the end of the month previous to issue. Submissions for the next Bear Facts are due July 31st 2023.

The easiest way to get us the information is via email to Ana Peraza Kroeger at npdbearfacts@gmail.com





MEETING MINUTES

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NEW-PEN-DEL BOARD MEETING MINUTES Date: January 19, 2023 Time: 7 PM Location: Online (Teams)

Attendees:

x	Chris Lamuraglia	President
x	Ana Peraza Kroeger	Vice President
x	Karen Doman	Secretary
x	Jody Grunfeld	Treasurer
X	Amy Supko	Working Dog Secretary
x	Tiffany Reed	Board Member
X	Karin Bystol	Board Member
x	Donna Campbell	Board Member
X	Kat Lynn	Board Member
X	Pat	Board Member
x	Amy Kroeger	Membership Co-chair
	Nancy Weaver Smith	Trophies
	Gary Ottey	Property

Meeting Called to Order: 7:02pm

Meeting Adjourned: 9:01 pm

Type of Meeting: Board Meeting

Notetaker: Karen Doman

Agenda Item: Approve Minutes

Discussion:

Motion to approve meeting minutes:

Motion to Approve: Donna Campbell.

Motion Carried Yes Second: Kat Lynn

Unanimous

Agenda Item: President's Report

Presenter: Chris Lamuraglia

Chris reported that That Newfoundland Place Rescue has saved 11 Newfs and recommended the board consider a donation. Last year, NPD sent a \$2,000 donation.

Discussion:

Question was asked how much has been spent. Chris said the average of \$500 is probably low. Brown Newfoundlands have been sold from a Lancaster farm that have developed a nasty streak. We are not taking them as they are biting family members. They are not able to be re-homed.

That Newfoundland Place is a private non-profit dedicated to the rescue of newfoundland dogs and along with Nancy Weaver (our last rescue chair), they have been handling an influx of dogs from NJ and PA. Donations from NPD are not associated with any specific dogs, but instead an overall donation to the organization to use how they see fit.

No receipts for services related to the rescue of NJ and PA dogs will be received.

We have approx \$16,000 in our rescue account.

Concern was raised about maintaining the level of our donation in the future. Point was made that we have it and it is sitting in an account. Jodi felt that \$6,000 was not excessive. Amy Kroeger pointed out that we may have this large number of rescues due to the pandemic.

The Board has agreed to move forward with the Rescue Committee, to help support Nancy Weaver's efforts to rescue Newfoundland dogs in our area. Donna Carroll and Jean Bogey were presented at a previous board meeting but there are a few other members who were interested in helping. The rescue committee should be identified in Bear Facts so people know who to contact if they know of a dog in need or if someone is looking for a rescue.

Motion to make a donation of \$6,000 to That Newfoundland Place Rescue.

Motion to approve: Ana Peraza Second: Karin Bystol

Motion Carried

8 members voted yes

Objection: Two members

Agenda Item: Vice-President's Report

Presenter: Ana Peraza Kroeger

Please send your budget to Ana by January 28.

Jody and Ana will be auditing the books before the annual meeting in the fall.

Ana is organizing a walk on Valentine's weekend at Liberty State Park. The New Year's Day went well with new people joining. Ana checked out Liberty State Park this past weekend. If there are twenty or less you don't need a permit. There were 30 last time. Ana is checking on getting a permit. If we do need one it will be c. \$60. Ana will notify the board of the decision.

The proposed date is February 12th.

Question was asked if Ana needs board approval to organize a walk. As long as the board is notified it should be fine. Should we ask participants for a donation if there is a cost? Ana would prefer not. Some parks have different regulations for paid events.

			BOARD P	OSITION	TERM YEARS		
All terms are 2 years No member may serve	as an Officer or Dire	ctor on the Board for more	e than four (4) consecutiv	e full terms.			29-Mar-22
	0	ing Dog Secretary and two irectors shall be elected o			the second s		
Position	Name	Original Year on Board	Limit of 4 Consecutive Terms	Term Started	Next Re-election	Odd/Even Election	Notes
President	Chris Lamuraglia	2017	2025	2019	2023	Odd	Taken over for Tom Broderick
Vice President	Ana Peraza	2020	2028	2019	2023	Odd	Taken over for Wendy Keyser, who took over for Chris L. 2020-partial term
Secretary	Karen Doman	2020	2028	2020	2022	Even	
Working Dog Secretary	Amy Supko	2017	2025	2019	2023	Odd	
Treasurer	Mark Keyser	2020	2028	2020	2022	Even	
Treasurer	Jody Grunfeld	2022	2030	2022	2024	Even	Taken over for Mark, when he resigned Jan 2022.
Board Member 1	John O'Neil	2013	2021	2019	2021	Odd	
Board Member 1	Kat Lynn	2021	2029	2021	2023	ODD	Taken over for Euny Warren, who decided to not take the board position.
Board Member 2	Tiffany Reed	2020	2028	2019	2023	Odd	Taken over for Ana, who took over for Nancy Weaver 2020 - portiol term
Board Member 3	Donna Campbell	2020	2028	2020	2022	Even	
Board Member 4	Karin Bystol	2020	2028	2020	2022	Even	Originally took over for Wendy Keyser who moved to VP, then re-elected in 2020.
Board Member 5	Cathy Wisniewski	2020	2028	2020	2022	Even	

Agenda Item: Treasurer's report

Jody GrunfeldzJody

asked for the P/L reports from those who have them as soon as possible

New Pen Del Treasurer's report 12/31/2022

Cash Balances	10	/31/2022	11	/30/2022	12,	/31/2022	1/23/2023		
Operating Checking	\$	13,535	\$	11,070	\$	10,302	\$	9,651	
Operating Savings		3,440		3,440		3,440		3,440	
Certificate of Deposit		26,022		26,022		26,023		26,024	
Rescue Checking		2,191		2,191		2,191		2,191	
Rescue Savings		13,918		13,918		13,918		13,918	
	\$	59,106	\$	56,641	\$	55,875	\$	55,224	
Beginning balance		9,771		13,535		11,070		10,302	
Activity									
Deposits									
Ads		60							
Brown bag Water		280							
Donation								19	
Dues		1,125		80		35			
Fall Fest		1,435							
Fall Fest Revenue		850				618			
Red Bubble								5	
Tree Pull Donations						565			
Water Test Fee		45							
Ways and Means		565							
Total Deposits		4,360		80		1,218		24	
Checks Written									
Baskets		75							
Celtic Classic Registration				15					
Fall Fest				993					
Judge Expenses - Lonergan				1,129					
Pay Pal						28			
Postage				18					
Triple Crown						1,031			
Triple Crown - Judge Travel				346					
Triple crown Trophies		170							
Triple Crown Fans Weaver		100				926			
Water Test Food		162							
Water Test Gifts								675	
Water Test Refund		90							
Water Test Score Sheets				44					
Total Checks written		596		2,545		1,985		675	
Activity		3,764		(2,465)		(768)		(651)	
Ending balance		13,535		11,070		10,302		9,651	

Motion to Approve

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There will be no draft test this Spring.

And offered to chair a test. Putting it off til the fall may be difficult as the club already has a lot of events in the fall

Chris said we could offer the draft test at the Triple Crown in October. There is plenty of space. It could be any day including Thursday. In the past there has been draft training at the classic.

Amy asked if bringing all the equipment is feasible for Gary and Andi. Gary and Andi would need to be consulted.

Several board members felt it would be better in the Spring.

Amy will talk to Andi and will let us know.

Paws n Claws

Treasurer's Report: Second: Motion to approve: Motion Carried Yes

Agenda Item: Secretary's Report

Unless directed otherwise Karen will keep the most recent files (c. 2004-2009) and store them. They were reviewed for important information- especially financial- nothing notable was obvious. Karen will store them.

Agenda Item: Working Dog Secretary's Report Presenter: Amy Supko

Draft Test Training has been organized. There are four locations of interest. Karin and Andi will organize them. How do we offer this in an organized fashion? Brubacker, Mercer, Schooley's and Thompson (near Red Bank) parks.

How often should we offer the training? Ana suggested that people who are offering the training should determine the dates. They can sign up on line on Wild Apricot. If we can get all the dates out at the same time that will help participants decide.

Date information should be sent to Karin. Cell numbers should be included for participants.

Kat was asked by Colonial if they could participate in draft training. They will be welcome. We participate in their training participate

Draft Test

Unanimous

Presenter: Karen Doman

Amy talked to Leah Johnson. We are trying for a Saturday in May. Leah is willing to run the event.

There will be weekday water training at Round Valley this summer and Amy and Dave will coordinate.

Water Test

Unless a chair and secretary volunteer there will be no water test in 2023.

Chris asked if we could look for other members to step up.

Amy pointed out that there really needs to be a strong committee.

We need to work on bringing people on.

Ana can send out an email to the membership. The walks can also offer a source for volunteers.

Ana offered to be the secretary.

Agenda Item: Awards

Presenter: Karin Bystol/Donna Campbell

Donna reported that they have developed a new form. It will go to Ana for the newsletter after the board sees it. The deadline will be March 31, 2023.



2022 NPD AWARDS FORM

Please review the guidelines to determine whether your Newfoundland(s) are eligible for an award/certificate.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE NEW PEN DEL BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAS REVISED THE POLICY TO STATE THAT ALL AWARDS ARE BASED UPON THE CALENDAR YEAR JANUARY 1 - DECEMBER 31, 2022.

This form must be submitted to: Donna Campbell 147 Field Avenue Hasbrouck Heights, NJ 07604 donnacampbell2835@gmail.com

DEADLINE: March 31, 2023

AKC Titles:

Dog's Registered Name:

Dog's Call name

_____ Breeder/Co-Breeder:

____ Owner/Co-Owner:

_____ AKC Titles earned:

____ Date Finished:

NCA Titles:

Dog's Registered Name:

Dog's Call name

_____ Breeder/Co-Breeder:

____Owner/Co-Owner:

____ NCA Title(s) earned:

___ Date(s):

Versatility – The versatile Newfoundland award will be presented to each memberowned Newfoundland designated as a Versatile Newfoundland by the Newfoundland Club of America.

Dog's registered name:

Dog's Call name

Working Achievement: The working achievement award will be presented to each member-owned Newfoundland designated as receiving a working achievement title by the Newfoundland Club of America.

Dog's registered name:

Dog's Call name

Non-Competitive Certificates: Certificates will be awarded to each member-owned Newfoundland earning an AKC Canine Good Citizenship (CGC), Living Legend or any level of Trick Dog (TD) or Therapy Dog (TD).

One time designation, please include a copy of CGC certificate or Therapy dog certification.

Dog's registered name:

Dog's Call name

General Guidelines

1. Each member-owned Newfoundland completing the requirements for a Breed Championship, CH, GCH, all AKC obedience titles, ThD, DD, DDX, TDD, WD, WRD and/or WRDX will receive an award. Owner is responsible for sending copies of all certificates of titles achieved with this form.

2. In case of multiple titles for the same dog, one award will be given per year.3. The awards year for all AKC titles and/or NCA titles, will be based on the calendar year January through December.

4. Additional awards for breeder and/or co-owner may be purchased by the owner of a dog receiving an award at the club's cost. Please contact Donna Campbell or Karin Bystol directly for such requests.

5. To qualify for an award/certificate, the owner of the dog must be a member or have applied for membership as of January 1st of the year for which the award is given. Dogs owned or co-owned by New-Pen-Del members are eligible for awards/certificates only if the dog permanently resides with the New-Pen-Del member.

6. A photocopy of CGC, recognized therapy dog registration must be attached to the awards form.

Agenda Item: Trophies	Presenter: Chris LaMuraglia
Event Chairs are responsible for handli	ng trophies and having a committee for each event.
Agenda Item: Bench Show	Presenter: Chris LaMuraglia
York: NPD is sponsoring Saturday. Co specialties and two sweepstakes.	lonial will be doing Sunday. There will be two
Soft goods will be sold online	
There will be three items for an online r	affle that will done on Wild Apricot.
Triple Crown - Judges have been secur	ed

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Presenter: Chris LaMuraglia

The following club members have volunteered to help with rescue and will liaison with Nancy Weaver. We will still be working with The Newfoundland Place in Connecticut.

Jean Boggie Donna Carrol Bob Frankenfield Tom Richards Sue Matawan

Agenda Item: Rescue

Agenda Item: Bear Facts

Bear Facts will come out by the mid February. Input is needed by the end of January. The next issue will be in May. Therefore, any activities between now and May requiring advertisement in the Newsletter needs to be included in this issue.

The photographer at the Tree Pull agreed to share a couple of professional photos she took of
the tree pull and asked if NPD could share her contest on the NPD Facebook page. She is
promoting a contest on her website to give away a photo session. You get a 45 minute
session if you win. The Board agreed to share her contest on our FB page in return for her
tree pull photos.

Agenda Item: Ways N' Means

Presenter: Kat Lynn

Ways n Means has been decentralized for each event. Kat will continue to do soft goods.

Proposal from Rough Coat photography:

Fundraiser #1 - Cameras for Canines

1 day event (proposed location Brubaker Park – requires proximity to Lancaster) 30 15-minute Time slots will be sold at \$39/per (this \$ goes directly to the Club) People order packages a la cart Typically nets approx. \$1000/event Proposed date late February- the next date would be in October. Kat doubted if we would have enough people to fill 39 slots.

Fundraiser #2 - Club Calendar

Members submit their own photos to a website which collects \$ and tabulates votes in real time Votes are \$1/vote (voting drive lasts 4 weeks)

Top 13 dogs win professional shoot for the calendar

Club keeps all the voted dollars plus 10% of calendar sales

Target competition for April – shoot will be in October

NPD can also incentivize products/services (like local grooming, small businesses etc) for donations for inclusion in the calendar.

Timeline: start on-line campaign in April, winners announced in May, Final shoots in October, calendar ready for December

Presenter: Ana Peraza Kroeger

Typical net \$5000+ depending on # of participants typical net \$5000+ depending on # of participants

Kat feels the calendar is more manageable.

The photos we submit will not be used in the calendar. Photographer will photograph the winners for the calendar.

With the calendar we are not out any money. If you win, you drive to Lancaster for the photo shoot and the package is \$500 if you buy it. Board members expressed reservations about the cost, the timing, and the profit for NPD.

Kat has gotten feedback that people were very happy with the recent quality of Spider Web. No Brown Bag at the Celtic. Here is the logo for the Celtic Classic soft goods.



Agenda Item: Digital Committee

Peraza

Ana demonstrated Wild Apricot to the board and walked us through the admin site. Ana will give read-write access if you need it. This is a great tool in organizing events.

Agenda Item: Membership

Presenter: Amy Kroeger- Tiffany Reed

Presenter: Ana

Presenter: Kat Lynn

Presenter: Gary Ottey

No new members

Agenda Item: Education Committee

No report

Agenda Item: Property

Several members are investigating acquiring a boat for water work- both training and tests in the future.

Steering Committee:

Report will be discussed at the next meeting.

New Business

There was a problem with the CGC/Tricks testing at Fall Fest. It should be sorted out soon.

Does NPD want to host or co-host the National in three years.? It will be in Rhode Island at a site that has been used before. Chris said it would take work and support but would be working on it with other clubs.

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Ana asked to form a committee for this year's National. We need someone to lead it who would organize a basket , the parade and t-shirts. Ana will send out an email to general membership.

Old Business	
None	
Executive Session	
None	
Agenda Item: Motion to Adjourn	Presenter: Chris LaMuraglia
Discussion: Next Meeting –February 23.	. 7 pm
Motion to Adjourn. Ana Peraza	Second: Karin Bystol
Motion Carried Yes	unanimous
<i>Meeting Adjourned</i> 9:01 pm	



NEW-PEN-DEL BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Date: February 23, 2023 Time: 7 PM Location: Online (Teams)

Attendees:

X	Chris Lamuraglia	President
X	Ana Peraza Kroeger	Vice President
X	Karen Doman	Secretary
X	Jody Grunfeld	Treasurer
X	Amy Supko	Working Dog Secretary
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X	Kat Lynn	Board Member
XX	Pat Matthews	Board Member
X	Amy Kroeger	Membership Co-chair
	Nancy Weaver Smith	Trophies
	Gary Ottey	Property

Meeting Called to Order: 7:01pm

Type of Meeting: Board Meeting

Meeting Adjourned: 8:44pm

Notetaker: Karen Doman

Agenda Item: Approve Minutes

Discussion:

Motion to approve meeting minutes:

Motion to Approve: Pat Matthews

Motion Carried Yes

Second:Donna Campbell Unanimous

Agenda Item: President's Report

Presenter: Chris Lamuraglia

President's Report Received a thank you note from That Newf Place for our recent donation.

Met with John Affel and Ana Peraza Kroeger to review Treasurer's reporting. Jody was unable to attend at the last minute. Jody took over during Covid and there was not much activity. We are back to hosting events and want to use the NPD format developed years ago in Quickbooks. John is available to assist in getting these reports transferred to Jody. I requested Jody meet with John to review and implement these reports. Quickbooks will generate budgets for each event... Jody has now been filled in- payments and receipts will be organized in a more concise manner.

I would like the board to consider a donation to the National top 20/10

Here's Looking At You Kid

2023 Newfoundland Club of America National Specialty Top 20/10 event

Name Address City Phone Number Email Address

Mail Order Form with check payable to 2023 NCA National Specialty to: NCA 2023, Susan Wagner – Treasurer, PO Box 649, Rush City, MN 55069

Total Price

Item

Special Casablanca Ringside tables includes a close-up view of the Top Newfoundland Dogs, 2 seats, Custom Banner*, VIP snacks, and 2 catalogs.

Custom Banner* to be displayed ringside at the event.

Event Catalog Ad* – Full Page (5 x 8)

Event Catalog Ad^* – Half page (5 x 4)

Event Catalog

Donations are Greatly Appreciated

Qty

Order Form

Price Each \$500.00 \$150.00 \$125.00 \$75.00 \$12.00

\$ Total \$

* Please email artwork for the banner and catalog ads to Deborah Bridge (bridge@newfs.com). Deadline to order Banners and Catalogs is April 7, 2023.



https://store.ncanationalspecialty.org/shop/top20

Merchandise is available online with the Here's Looking at you kid logo: T Shirts, Women's cut T Shirts, Long sleeve T's, Dry Blend Hoodies, Unisex tri-blend french terry hoodie and an Adult Lap Top backpack.

Also available this year to go with the youngster theme: Long sleeve onsies NB- 18 months, Toddler T shirts, Toddler sweatshirts, Baby Bib

\$24.50 - \$55.00 \$15.00 - \$24.50

Discussion

Question was asked what other clubs are doing. Suggestion was made to do a catalog ad. Chris can check with some other clubs to see what they are doing. Secretary will send out the information when Chris gets it.

Agenda Item: Vice-President's Report

Presenter: Ana Peraza Kroe

Updated board position table. We need to form a nominating committee.

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Ana started to put together the budget- we will put it on the agenda for the next meeting.

Motion to approve:

Agenda item: Treasurer's Report

Second:

Unanimous

Motion Carried

Presenter- Jody Grunfeld

Jody asked about condensing some of the headings to make it easier for everyone to understand.

Kat suggested we categorize things by event to clarify how each event is doing.

Kat will join the finance group of Jodi, Chris, Ana who are working on this.

Next month Jody will getting the tax forms together even though we don't pay taxes.

Treasurer's Report will be approved at the next meeting.

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Agenda Item: Secretary's Report

No Report

Agenda Item: Working Dog Secretary's Report WORKING DOG UPDATES

Paws n Claws- Leah Johnson called Amy to tell her that Round Valley is no longer available. Chris suggested we try Beltzville.

Amy will ask Leah to talk to Beltzville. Codorus was also suggested.

Chris brought up the possibility of running it with CNC.

Amy asked people to text her with suggestions. Chris asked to get an update in a week or so.

Water test. Amy is concerned that without training a water test is not viable. There was discussion about other options.

Draft Test- Spring of 24 will be the next test with Andi Ottey chairing, Pat and Rose as secretary. It will be held at Brubaker.

Agenda Item: Awards

Presenter: Karin Bystol/Donna Campbell

Discuss adding ROM as an Award on the form for next year. Chris will check to see if we have ROM's this year.

A lot of people are using the on-line forms.

Agenda Item: Trophies

so set

Nancy is ready for the Celtic Classic and ring favors are also set.

Agenda Item: Bench Show

Celtic Classic entries close 3/1 -Entries have been coming in. Will have breakfast or lunch ringside depending on judging time Fund raising...3 online raffles Sea bag custom won by Jan Boggio Dryer will pull 3/2 Grooming Basket will pull at the Regional Soft goods -Kat will report on status.

Triple Crown- We should be fine- judges are lined up.

Presenter: Amy Supko

Presenter: Karen Doman

Presenter: Chris LaMuraglia

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NPD will have two shows on Friday, New England Saturday **Colonial Sunday**

There was some discussion about some other clubs signing off on the Triple Crown due to proximity.

Agenda Item: Rescue

Our committee is working.

Ana suggested that we have a member of the committee join board meetings.

Agenda Item: Bear Facts

1st Quarter Bear Facts went out mid February. Next BF will go out end of May. I need the board's help with the newsletter. It's a huge effort. If you need something added for an event or a committee, please provide the information by the due date and don't just expect me to keep track of everything or wait til I send out the for review copy to ask for information to be added.

We have a bunch of events/raffles currently listed on the website. Please use your admin rights to use the website to track registrants for your events. I'm happy to help, if you need help.

Agenda Item: Ways N' Means

Net profits from the Celtic Classic soft goods campaign is \$247.80. Kat is getting excellent feedback on the product.

Suggestion was made to have a t-shirt design for the Newfie Strolls. Kat needs designs by July for an event in October.

Item: Digital Committee

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Agenda Item: Membership

- Proposed new members this month:
 - Catherine Malavarca
 - Long Valley, NJ
 - 1 Newfoundland
 - Sponsor: Amy Kroeger
 - Individual Membership

Presenter: Ana Peraza

Presenter: Amy Kroeger- Tiffany Reed

Presenter: Kat Lynn

Presenter: Ana Peraza Kroeger

Presenter: Chris LaMuraglia

- Previous NPD Member, attended the Liberty State Park Stroll
- o Marianne Stark
 - Martinsville, NJ
 - 2 Newfoundlands
 - Sponsor: Lisa Turiano
 - Individual Membership
 - Previous Member of the Newfoundland Club of New England now lives in our area.
 She is a vet who went to the Liberty State Park Stroll would like to get a show puppy soon and start doing conformation. Her dogs are also therapy dogs
- o Stephanie Cabrera Andeer
 - Branchburg, NJ
 - 1 Newfoundland
 - Sponsor: Kat Lynn
 - Family Membership
 - Found NPD when they were researching breeders to get a puppy
- Karen Lilley's membership dues issue is resolved.

Agenda Item: Education Committee

Presenter: Kat Lynn

Great turn outs for the workshop with all levels of ability. There was some discussion of doing water workshop on land. The suggestion was made to demonstrate the skills during the walks.

We are hoping to change the culture with the participants to encourage their participation in other activities.

Agenda Item: Property

Presenter: Gary Ottey

Steering Committee:

We are making progress on cultural change in the club with the walks and training sessions.

New Business

NCA is forming a FB page for Regional Club discussions... John Affel as our Regional liaison will participate and keep the board apprised. Please make sure John receives invites to meetings

Passwords on Wild Apricot do expire.

The 2023 NCA SPECIALTY is requesting donations for the Top 20/10Ringside banner for \$150 or a straight donation.

NCA CHARITABLE TRUST is looking for clubs and individuals to donate to a project to expand other breed DNA Tests for crucial ligament rupture risk.

Does the club want to make a donation? Other clubs are. Idea was suggested to do a t-shirt as a fundraiser.

Old Business

National Specialty Committee -We need a basket and ad. Comment was made that not that many people are going this year. Chris will do the basket. Ana can do an ad

Executive Session

Motion to enter Executive Session at 8: pm

Motion to approve: Kat L	.ynn Seco	ond: Ana Peraz	za
Motion Carried Yes.	Unar	nimous	
Prospective new members were discussed and voted on.			
Motion to Approve: Chris La Motion carried: Yes	•	Seconded: imous	Pat Matthews
We need to appoint a nominating committee. This will be discussed next month. Motion to Exit Executive Session at 8:42pm			
Motion to Approve: Ana Per	raza	Second: Kat	Lynn
Motion Carried Yes		Unani	mous

Agenda Item: Motion to Adjourn

Presenter: Chris LaMuraglia

Discussion: *Next Meeting –March 30. 7 pm* Motion to Adjourn. Karen Doman Motion Carried Yes *Meeting Adjourned* 8:44pm

Second: Pat Mathews unanimous

Adendum to the minutes

President Chris Lamuraglia asked for a board vote on the following for the National Specialty

Per the fund raising chair for the top 20/10 they have commitments from the following Regional Clubs: Seattle GRNC NCNC SCNC...

The clubs are all doing the \$150. Banner. I would imagine there will be more clubs to follow once they have meetings.

Board voted for the \$150 banner



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Meeting Called to Order: 7:04pm

Type of Meeting: Board Meeting

Meeting Adjourned: 9:06 pm

Notetaker: Karen Doman

Agenda Item: Approve Minutes

Discussion: Ana wants to update the table for the board positions

The prices for the ads doesn't look right on the minutes

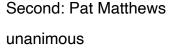
Motion to approve February meeting minutes based on amendments.

Motion to Approve: Ana Peraza Second: Tiffany Reed Motion Carried Yes Unanimous

Agenda Item: President's Report

Presenter: Chris Lamuraglia

General Liability renewal: \$925 Chris asked to move forward with the same carrier Motion to renew General Liability insurance Motion to approve: Karen Doman Motion Carried Top 20/10 Banner & National Specialty Ad







NEW PEN DEL NEWFOUNDLAND CLU sends best wishes to all exhibitors at the 2023 NCA NATIONAL SPECIALTY

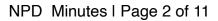
New Pen Det serves New Jersey, Pennsylvania & Delaware Newfs by aining to provence, protoct and improve the Newfoundland Eneed and to do all possible to bring their natural qualities to perfection.

If you're in the area, join us at one of our many upcoming events: Paws & Claws, Newfie Strolls, Draft Practices, Fall Water Test and the NPD Regional at the Triple Crown Newfoundland Specialty.



Visit cur website for more information: https://npdnewfs.wildapricct.org

https://www.facebook.com/groups/ 224590876010/



Agenda Item: Vice-President's Report

Presenter: Ana Peraza

Ana sent out the budget for the year. It is a guide and is flexible. It will be up for approval at the next meeting.

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Agenda Item: Treasurer's report

Presenter: Jody Grunfeld

This is February's report which needs to be approved at this meeting.

Motion to accept February's treasurer's report

Motion to approve: Pat Mathews

Motion carried

Second Tiffany Reed

Unanimous

New Pen Del Treasurer's report 2/22/2023

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	Celtic Classic trophy fans		_				
	Celtic Judge Gift					-	

Motion to Accept: March Treasurer's Report

Motion to approve: Pat Mathews

Motion carried

Second: Ana Peraza

Unanimous

Agenda Item: Secretary's Report

Nothing to report

Agenda Item: Working Dog Secretary's Report

Presenter: Amy Supko

Presenter: Karen Doman

Water:

Paws N Claws - need trainers to help people in two water stations and one land station Need someone to bring club boat for one of the water stations. Lea Johnson is working with Beltzville. The date is May 20. Ana will ask for volunteers on Wild Apricot. Donna can bring the boat. The insurance policy will need to be updated for May 20.

Water Training: possible site at YMCA Linwood McDonald in Stokes Forest, Branchville NJ-Amy Supko and Donna Campbell to meet with them to discuss viability, how to gauge interest and payment of lifeguard. It is the site of NPD's first water test. It is a 12 acre lake with 220 acres. It would be open on the weekend. Hours are flexible. Pat suggested we ask the membership to indicate interest. Whoever participates will share the cost. We would be the only people on site.

Water Test: discuss judges and boat: Ana has agreed to chair the water Test. Pat will be the secretary, John Lynn, Kathy Wiznewski and Zach Rosario will help set up. Ana talked to Gary about the boat. The application needs to be submitted by mid May. We can use Paws n Claws to practice site set up.

<u>Draft</u>

Draft Test: Andi Ottey proposed to chair a Fall Draft test this year on Nov 4-5 or Veteran's weekend Nov 11-12 at Brubaker Park. We could still have a Spring 2024 test since we are allowed to have one test a year. Jodi suggested we put this out to members to see if there is any interest. The board felt that the fall was already full of events., Amy will go back to Andi and see if we can pick a date in the Spring.

Amy was contacted by Sue Marino with the following question concerning running 1 or 2 draft tests at NCA National in 2025

"Would New Pen Del be willing to host one or two draft tests at the National in New England in 2025? We would provide all of the equipment and it's easy to get stewards at a National. Just so you know, the National will pay for one night hotel for each judge, the site and equipment use is free. Your club would be responsible for all other costs and can fundraise." We would need a chair and secretary. Kat pointed out it would be much easier for us to host a draft test at the NCA than hold our theoretical test in the Spring. Karin offered to chair the test. She is willing to do two days. We have time to develop some good fundraising ideas.

Amy will confirm this with Sue Marino.

Draft Training: Andi Ottey offered to host a draft practice at Brubaker Park on Sunday, April 16th. Ana set up the event on WA. Karin will attend and help.

Awards: 126 awards have been received

Agenda Item: Trophies

Presenter: Chris LaMuraglia

No report.

Agenda Item: Bench Show

Presenter: Chris Lamuraglia

Celtic Classic- Entries were up from last year

Fundraising efforts were very successful

Raffles and Soft good should come out in the black

Review preliminary P&L - a few minor items still outstanding

Triple Crown: All is progressing well. We are still waiting for one all breed club to provide their release of Newf classes.

Chris reported on the P/L

\$2898 Income

\$2554 Expenses

Triple Crown: Judges are hired, AKC application will be submitted. It will be in October

Agenda Item: RescuePresenter: Chris LaMuragliaWe would like to have one rescue volunteer report/attend meetings. The committee could
designate one person or they could rotate. Karin will contact them and have them give a
report at the next meeting.

Jennifer Leicht would like to join the rescue committee. She was at the last stroll and is a member of NPD. Karen will ask her to contact Karin.

Agenda Item: Bear Facts

Presenter: Ana Peraza

April 30 is the deadline.

Agenda Item: Ways N' Means

Nothing to report

Agenda Item: Digital Committee

Wild Apricot is raising their prices. \$972 that includes \$162 per year to use another system (paypal) Ana is recommending that we drop the pay pal option. We will drop it.

Agenda Item: Membership

- Proposed new members this month:
 - Jen McClure
 - Lehighton, PA
 - 1 Newfoundland
 - Sponsor: Ana Peraza
 - Family Membership
 - Ana emailed with this lady who was looking for a puppy, and suggested she go to the Triple Crown show. When she arrived Ana introduced her to a few breeders there and she now has a puppy from Nancy Weaver.
- Proposed New Members to be included in the next issue of Bear Facts:
 - Catherine Malavarca
 - Marianne Stark
 - Stephanie Cabrera Andeer

Agenda Item: Education Committee

No report

Agenda Item: Property

Property Committee is working on acquiring a boat. We would consider selling the other club boat.

Steering Committee:

No Report

New Business:

Presenter: Gary Ottey

Presenter: Kat Lynn

Presenter: Amy Kroeger

Presenter: Kat Lynn

Presenter: Ana Peraza

The question was raised as to whether or not a board member needed to be in attendance at the Newfie Strolls or if any member could organize one and have it advertised.

Chris said that you need an experienced Newfoundland owner to supervise the event. Kat pointed out that we need board oversight but not necessarily have a board member in attendance. The following members will handle the following areas.

Northern NJ- Jodi Gruenfeld , Southern NJ-Kat Lynn, NJ shore-Ana Peraza, PA-Karen Doman

John Affel will chair the Fall Fest. October 28 is available at Mercer Park. The cost is \$300.

Motion to have Fall Fest October 28 2023

Motion to approve: Kat Lynn

Motion carried

Unanimous

Second: Amy Supko

Old Business:

Status of project to raise funds to donate to NCA's study of a DNA test for CCL predictability

Kat will put summertime art on some soft goods and is always in the market for ideas.

Unanimous

National Specialty basket budget is \$300. Nancy will transport.

Ad for the catalog completed and submitted

Executive Session

Motion to enter Executive Session at 8:29pm

Motion to approve: Ana Peraza

Motion Carried Yes.

Second: Kat Lynn

Membership submission

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Agenda Item:

Nominating committee: appoint a chair and committee Chris moved to accept the following for the nominating committee Gary Ottey will chair the committee, members: John Affel, Amy Tokarz Alternates Sue or Jim Lonergan, Kathy Weber, Diane Weber will be asked Motion to Approve Kat Lynn Seconded: Donna Campbell Motion carried: Yes unanimous

Motion to Exit Executive Session at 8:56 pm Motion to Approve: Ana Peraza Motion Carried Yes

Agenda Item: Motion to Adjourn

Discussion: *Next Meeting . April 20th 7 pm* Motion to Adjourn. Karen Doman Motion Carried Yes *Meeting Adjourned* 9:06 pm Second: Karen Doman Unanimous

Presenter: Chris Lamuraglia

Second: Tiffany Reed unanimous



NEW-PEN-DEL BOARD MEETING MINUTES Date: April 20, 2023 Time: 7 PM Location: Online (Teams)

Attendees:

X	Chris Lamuraglia	President
X	Ana Peraza Kroeger	Vice President
X	Karen Doman	Secretary
X	Jody Grunfeld	Treasurer
X	Amy Supko	Working Dog Secretary
А	Tiffany Reed	Board Member
X	Karin Bystol	Board Member
Α	Donna Campbell	Board Member
X	Kat Lynn	Board Member
Α	Pat Mathews	Board Member
А	Amy Kroeger	Membership Co-chair
Α	Nancy Weaver Smith	Trophies
Α	Gary Ottey	Property

Meeting Called to Order: 7:12pm

Type of Meeting: Board Meeting

Notetaker: Karen Doman

Meeting Adjourned: pm

Agenda Item: Approve Minutes

Correction will be made to number of awards

Motion to Approve: Kat Lynn

Second: Karin Bystol

Motion Carried	Yes	Unanimous
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Agenda Item: President's Report

General Liability Insurance was renewed-effective May 1,2023

Agenda Item: Vice-President's Report Presenter: Ana Peraza

I read that losses due to fraud can be reported on our taxes. May be worth discussing with an accountant.

Please see updated Board Position Terms. Highlighted rows represent positions being reelected this year.

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Position	Name	Original Year on Board	Terms	Term Started	Next Re-election	Odd/Even Election	Notes
President	Cinis Lamuraglia	2017	2025	2019	2023	Odd	Taken over for Tom Broderick
Vice President	Ana Peraza	2020	2028	2019	2023	Odd	Taken over for Wendy Keyser, who took over for Chris L. 2020-partial term
Secretary	Karen Doman	2020	2028	2020	2022	Even	
Working Dog Secretary	Arny Supko	2017	2025	2019	2023	Odd	
Treasurer	Mark Keyser	2020	2028	2020	2022	Even	
Treasurer	Jody Grunfeld	2022	2030	2022	2024	Even	Taken over for Mark, when he resigned Jan 2022.
Board Member 1	John O'Neil	2013	2021	2019	2021	Odd	
Board Member 1	Kat Lynn	2021	2029	2021	2023	ODD	Taken over for Eury Warren, who decided to not take the board position.
Board Member 2	Tiftany Reed	2020	2028	2019	2023	Odd	Taken over for Ana, who took over for Nancy Weaver 2020 - purtial term
Board Member 3	Donna Campbell	2020	2028	2020	2022	Even	
Board Member 4	Karin Bystol	2020	2028	2020	2022	Even	Originally took over for Wendy Keyser who moved to VP, then re-elected in 2020.
Board Member 5	Cathy Wisniewski	2020	2028	2020	2022	Even	
Board Member 5	Patricia Mathews	2022	2030	2022	2024	Even	

Presenter: Chris Lamuraglia

2022-2023 NPD Committee/Events Yearly Budget

Budgets are from September to September in accordance with the NPD Fiscal Year

budget	Ana _{Actuals} 2020-2021 for Net income (Loss)	Proposed 2021-2022 the Net Income (Loss)	Actuals 2021-2022 Net Income <mark>(Loss)</mark>	Proposed 2023 (September 1, 2022 - September 1, 2023) Net income (Loss)	prepared the coming ^{Notes}
Awards Banquet	\$0.00	\$100.00		\$0.00	
Awards	(\$510.43)	(\$1,000.00)	(\$1,000.00)	(\$1,100.00)	
Trophies				Included in individual event budgets.	
Bear Facts	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Bench Show					
Celtic Classic York Regional		(\$2,500.00)	\$483.24	\$400.00	
Philadelphia					No Philadelphia Regional in 2022-2023
Triple Crown	(\$1,434.39)	(\$1,000.00)	\$40.08	(\$200.00)	
Morris & Essex			\$ 1,033.00		Next M&E in 2025
Education					
Membership	\$2,805.00	\$2,930.00	\$3,915.00	\$4,000.00	
Property	(\$150.00)	(\$150.00)	\$0.00	(\$1,000.00)	Estimate - Potential Test equipment
Rescue		(\$3,000.00)	(\$3,000.00)	(\$6,000.00)	Actual Donation to TNF sent in February 2023
Ways N Means				Included in individual event budgets.	
Digital Committee	(\$777.60)	(\$800.00)	(\$777.60)	(\$810.00)	
Payment Fees			(\$583.06)	(\$375.00)	
Fall Fest		\$1,450.00	\$439.73	\$400.00	
Paws N Claws		\$400.00		\$200.00	Actuals from 2019 was \$449.00
Working Dog					
Water Test	year.	\$497.27	(\$1,162.24)	(\$1,500.00)	
Draft Test		(\$650.00)	(\$309.67)		No draft test in 2023
Draft Workshop		\$350.00	(\$375.94)		No draft workshop in 2023
Water Training	\$310.00	(\$150.00)	\$0.00	(\$250.00)	Water Training will cost \$25/hour for lifeguard
Draft Training		\$0.00			
Tree Pulls		\$100.00	\$565.00	\$100.00	Plow Farms Donations
Donations			\$1,100.00		
Insurance				(\$925.00)	
Miscellaneous	(\$450.00)	(\$500.00)	(\$600.00)	(\$600.00)	Includes Sympathy Gifts, NCA donations, etc.
Total	(\$207.42)	(\$3,922.73)	(\$232.46)	(\$7,660.00)	
Total w/o Rescue	(\$207.42)	(\$510.43)	\$2,767.54	(\$1,660.00)	

Agenda Item Approve the budget

Motion to approve the budget	Ana	Peraza	Second: Amy Supko
Motion carried. Yes		Unanimous	

Agenda Item: Treasurer's report

Presenter: Jody Grunfeld

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Treasurer's report 4/18/23	-			_	_	-			_
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Cash Balances Operating Checking	9/30/22 5 9,771	10/31/22	11/30/22 \$ 11,070						
Operating Savings	- ages	3,440	3,440	3,440	3,440	3,440	3,440	3,440	
Certificate of Deposit	T i	26,022	25,022	26,023	26,024	26,024	26,025	26,025	
Rescue Checking		2,191	2,191	2,191	2,191	1,191	1,191	1,191	
Rescue Savings	5 9,771	13,918 \$ 59,106	13,918 \$ 56,641	13,918 \$ 55,875	13,918 \$ 55,224	8,919 \$ 50,889	8,919 \$ 50,537	8,919 \$ 50,237	
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	9/30/22	10/31/22	11/30/22						
Beginning balance	9,523	9,771	13,535	11,070	10,302	9,651	11,315	10,962	
Profit and Loss									YTD Total
Revenue	-								
Event Revenue	-	-		-		-			
Celtic Raffie Rev						2,145	825	1	2,97
Fall Fest	_	1,435		618					2,05
Paws and Claws	-		_				24		2
Total Event Revenue	-	1,435	1.1	618	<u> </u>	2,145	849	1	5,04
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Brown bag Water		280	-	-			-	-	28
Pay Pal Deposit	-		-	12.7		1.25	3.0		
Donation	1	110	-	565	20	50	500	-	1,13
Dues	1,445	2,018	80	35		110	35		3,72
Red Bubble					5	-			
Kevin Vandeveer Spider		565							56
Working Dog Income	275	45			-				320
Other Revenue	1,720	2,967	80	600	25	160	535		6,08
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Total Revenue	1,720	4,402	80	1,218	25	2,305	1,384		11,13
Expense									
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Celtic Expenses	_		_		-				
Celtic Raffle Purchase						254	176		43
Celtic Classic Registration			15						12
Celtic Classic trophy fans-				926			512		1,43
Celtic Judge Gift							106		10
Celtic Judge Hotel						-	185		10
Celtic Lunch						-	368		36
Cettic Sea Bag Raffle	-	_				250	368		36
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Celtic Total Expenses	1		15	926	•	504	1,346		2,79
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Motion to approve treasurer's report:

Karen Doman

Second Karin Bystol

Motion carried Yes

Unanimous

Agenda Item: Secretary's Report

Presenter: Karen Doman

Nothing to report

Agenda Item: Working Dog Secretary's Report

Presenter: Amy Supko

Updates on Paws n Claws- only 5-6 people have signed up and no one for dinner. We need volunteers to work at the water stations and one person to man the land station Water training at Linwood McDonald- Donna and Amy will meet with the director on Tuesday

Water Test (Ana): Judges John Peterson and Lori Littleford (CA) have agreed to judge. They'll fly in on Thursday and fly out Monday. Water Test application was submitted to NCA and approved on 4/10. It's too late to get in the next Newf Tide as the deadline for submittals was 4/1.

Water Test will be 2 days:

- Saturday, 9/16 WD and WRD
- Sunday, 9/17- WD, WRD, WRDX.
- All-breed must be done once all newfs are finished and is considered a separate test. We can do all Saturday after WRD or split up all breed WD and WRD on Saturday and all breed WRDX on Sunday. Thoughts? Decision was made to test all breed WD and WRD on Saturday, and all breed WRDX on Sunday

Pat is working on the premium. Karen has reserved the park/pavilion and blocked out hotel rooms. She'll book judge's hotel rooms and ask Jody for the credit card to pay for it. The following makes up the committee:

- Water Test Chair: Ana Peraza
- Co-chair: Karen Doman
- Secretary: Pat Matthews
- Chief Steward: Tiffany Reed
- Site Setup: Cathy, Zach, and John Lynn. Karin has volunteered to get the water test equipment from Gary and bring it to the test site (Grounds?).
- Safety officer: ??

Gary has offered to go over the site setup with the Grounds committee at Paws 'N Claws. Gary will also build a platform for the newly donated/acquired boat and bring it to Paws 'N Claws so we can get the pictures necessary to submit the boat application to NCA.

The proposed budget for the water test is included below. This does not include any fundraising, though I'm planning to do some raffles, maybe brown bags. Waiting on whether soft goods company can do detailed design (Kat is checking).

2023 Water Test Cash Flow	Projected	ii
Total Income		825
Total Expense		3,864
Total Cash		-3,039
2023 Water Test Income	Projecter	1
Entries		765
Brown Bags		
Catalog Advertising		60
Raffles		
Total income		825
2023 Water Test Expense	Projecter	4
Meals (Breakfast/Lunch - 2 days)	5	400.00
Site Rental	5	142.50
State Park Permit/Insurance Certificate (Active from Paws 'N Claws)		
Judge's Airfare/Car Rental (Airfare \$850/person=1700, Car Rental=\$300)	5	2,000.00
Judge Hotel	5	1,071.00
Judge's gifts	5	200.00
Admin		
Catalog	5	50.00
Trophies (Embroidered Towels left over from last year)	5	
Welcome Bags	5	-
Total		3,864

Chris is proposing that we send a letter to NCA working dog committee concerning the shortage of judges and the requirements NCA requires and what can be done to assist local clubs.

Amy will write a letter for Chris to review and send to NCA working dog chair.

Karin and Andi Ottey ran a Draft training at Brubaker that went very well. With only one exception all participants were new to drafting.

Ana will be having the last practice this coming Sunday.

All the draft trainings and walks have been a big success.

There will be a draft test at Brubaker in Spring of 2024 with Andi Ottey chairing

Karin is chairing the draft test on Tuesday at the 2025 national.

Awards:

Agenda Item: Trophies

Presenter: Chris Lamuraglia

No report.

Agenda Item: Bench Show

Presenter: Chris Lamuraglia

Triple Crown October 13-15, 2023 There will be a Silent auction- Chris will be asking for donations NPD day is Friday

Celtic Classic Still need judges and ideas for sweepstakes

Agenda Item: Rescue

Presenter: Karin Bystol

Karin contacted all members of the rescue committee and invited members to join our board meeting. Karen will forward the next meeting invitation to all rescue members. Chris has heard that rescue has slowed down to a normal pace.

Agenda Item: Bear Facts

Presenter: Ana Peraza

Next Newsletter is due out mid-May. May 5th is the deadline. Please submit any events or announcements we want published before August (the next publication). I'll need President's report, new members, event flyers, articles/brief write up or descriptions for past events – i.e. Celtic Classic, draft practices, walks, meeting minutes, interest or relevant health articles, etc.

Agenda Item: Ways N' Means

Kat is still waiting for the summer design and will email it to us when she gets it. Kat forwarded some art to the vendor who responded that they could not transfer to soft goods.

Agenda Item: Digital Committee

Ana will be working on terminating pay pal

Agenda Item: Membership

- Proposed new members this month:
 - o Sarah Bush
 - Stroudsburg, PA
 - 1 Newfoundland
 - Sponsor: Robert Gerri
 - Family Membership
 - Michelle Corbett
 - Yardley, PA
 - 1 Newfoundland
 - Contacted NCA about Newf Ambassador
 - Sponsor: Mary Costello
 - Individual Membership
- Proposed New Members to be included in the next issue of Bear Facts:
 - Catherine Malavarca
 - o Marianne Stark
 - o Stephanie Cabrera Andeer
 - o Jen McClure

Agenda Item: Education Committee

No report from Kat

The NCA offers a program for breeder's education.

Presenter: Amy Kroeger

Presenter: Ana Peraza

Presenter: Kat Lynn

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Agenda Item: Property

Gary picked up the boat this past weekend. He'll build a platform for it so that it's ready for Paws 'N Claws.

George Abraham picked it up in Massachusetts and is donating it to the club.

Steering Committe	ee:	Kat Lynn
New Business:		
None		
Old Business:		
Budget for the natic	onal basket is \$300	and Nancy Weaver will take it.
Executive Sessior	1	
Motion to enter Exe	ecutive Session at	8:15pm
Motion to approve:	Amy Supko	Second: Karin Bystol
Motion Carried Ye	S.	Unanimous
Agenda Item: Nev	v Members	
Motion to Approve	Karen Doman	Second: Kat Lynn
Motion carried:	Yes	Unanimous
Motion to Exit Exec	utive Session at 8:3	33 pm
Motion to Approve:	Ana Peraza	Second: Kat Lynn
Motion Carried Y	es	Unanimous
Agenda Item: Moti	ion to Adjourn	Presenter: Chris Lamuragli

Presenter: Gary Ottey

Motion to Adjourn.	Karin Bystol	Second: Jodi Grunfeld
Motion Carried	Yes	unanimous
Meeting Adjourne	d 8:36 pm	

Next Meeting is May 16, 7 pm