

# **WAG-N-TALES**

The Newsletter of Youngstown All Breed Training Club 11801 Mahoning Ave. P.O. Box 397 North Jackson, Oh 44451-0397 http://www.YABTC.com 330 538-2907

### Dog Days.....

- By Marla Belzowski - Editor

We've been very lucky this year to have a mild summer so far. Hope it's been a productive one for all our members. I've been out of state again for work, so I'm a little behind in what's been happening.

So please remember to send in your brag, articles, seminar information to the newsletter so I can get it out to the membership. Please remember to fill out those membership questionnaires and send them to me so I can feature a member in our newsletter.

Hopefully I'll be in town a little more and able to come up with some good articles for the next few months. In the meanwhile, good luck at the shows.

### **Brags!**



#### From Dan & Vilma O'Neill

AKC website has a feature on Ariel! Go to the website (www.akc.org) and on the left hand side it lists: "Coursing Milestone."

They have a slide show about Ariel and an article.



Thank you to Stephanie Smith, AKC Manager of Club

Communication, for the nice coverage.

Kayla made her debut in the agility ring at the Loyalhanna Agility Club trial at B&D Creekside

### August 2014

Activity Center in Latrobe, PA with four straight Q's...earning two legs in Novice B Standard and two legs in Novice B Jumpers. Plus, all Q's were placements...a 1st and three 2nds! Kayla also recently completed her AKC Master Courser title, and was awarded Best of Opposite at the Cuyahoga Hound Show and the Ashtabula Kennel Club Show along the lake in beautiful Madison, OH.

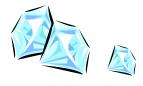
Versatile Kayla, Diamond Ridge's Girl BGCh, DC, Diamond's Seven Carat Cut, MC has taken over RR agility!

First time in ring and gets all BLUE ribbons. Conformation, coursing & agility.

BCh, DC Diamond's Seven Karat Cut, MC, aka "Kayla" had her 2nd weekend of QUAD Q's !!! Hodges Badge & Ribbon Co. is going to run out of blue ink. Mom Ariel is proud of her girl. As are Dan & Vilma



Mom Ariel & Dan & Vilma O'Neill bask in her glorious runs.



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#### **From Kirstie Humes**



Quila ( Arsenic Du Malyce GS-N JS-N) completed her CAA title on May 17th & passed the TT test June 22nd

## Photo of the Month: Caught by Bob Samios

Each weekend during the summer, you can watch the Newfoundlands train for water rescue.





### **Treats!**

### **Super Fruit Doggie Jello**

Looking for a cool, refreshing, healthy treat for your dogs? Try this recipe!

Using fresh or frozen blueberries starts the treat off with a healthy antioxidant boost and adding a cup of pure pomegranate juice kicks up the healthy

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You can cut these treats into squares, use cookie cutters or use a silicone dog pan to shape each doggie jello treat.

#### Ingredients:

- 3 cups of low sodium chicken broth
- 1 cup of pomegranate juice
- 1 cup frozen (or fresh) blueberries
- 1/2 cup water
- 2 ice cubes
- 4 packets unflavored gelatin

#### Instructions:

- 1. Pour chicken broth and pomegranate juice into a small saucepan and stir.
- 2. Set the sauce pan on the stove top, on high heat, and cover. Prepare the other ingredients while it heats to a boil.
- 3. In a blender puree the blueberries and water.
- Pour the blueberry mixture into a medium bowl, add two ice cubes and stir to cool the blueberries.
- Sprinkle in the packets of gelatin and stir. After a couple minutes you will have a thick blueberry mixture or paste.
- Once the broth and juice come to a boil, remove from the heat.
- 7. Using a rubber spatula, scoop out the blueberry mixture and add it to the hot broth and juice.
- 8. Set a timer for 5 minutes and stir until the gelatin is dissolved.
- 9. Carefully pour the hot liquid into a glass 13 x 9 pan or silicone dog treat pan. Refrigerate for at least 3 hours.
- 10. Cut into 1 inch squares or pop out and serve.





It's that time again! The Fall trial is October 24th Rally and October 25 - 26th Obedience.

We need to organize and get ready to put on another great trial.

If you are interested in any of the following Committees, please contact Mary (MiMarAkitas@gmail.com) or Lori (SteLorBuls@sbcglobal.net) and we will direct you in the right direction.

We are in need of helpers for the following:

**Thursday ~ October 23** ~~ Cleaning of the club. Pizza and pop will be provided to those who help. You will also be able to set up your crate after the building is clean.

Friday, Saturday & Sunday ~~ we need helpers with the following:

Clean-up ~ garbage, bathroom, and general cleaning each day after the trial; main clean-up Sunday after the trial.

Kitchen ~ donating money, water, food, and/or dessert and helping to work the kitchen any (or all) of the days (even a few hours is a huge help!!).

#### Parking

Raffle ~ donating, making, and working the table.

Stewarding ~ Two Rally Trials on Friday; Three Obedience rings Saturday & Sunday.





### QUALITY PET MARKET

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Hours: Mon - Sat 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., Sun 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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### **Member Item for Sale: \$25**

Utility Scent Articles with Bag. Sized for golden retriever sized dog.

Slightly used but in good condition.

Contact John Monte: johnmonte@gmail.com



### **Up-Coming YABTC Activities**

### **August**

4 Board Meeting 7:30 PM YABTC Building

16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> Agility Trial 7:00AM – 5:00PM
Niles Wellness Center

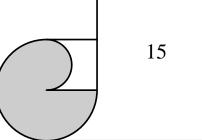
20<sup>th</sup> Agility Committee Meeting 6:00 PM YABTC Building

### **September**

Board Meeting 7:30 PM YABTC Building

General Member Meeting 7:00 PM

YABTC Building 7:00 PM





### **Newsletter DEADLINES!**

25<sup>th</sup> of Every Month - Final Submissions of all Brags, Welfare and Articles. 28<sup>th</sup> of Every Month - Final Draft sent to Proofers and Contributors for final edit. 1<sup>st</sup> of Every Month - Final Copy sent to Printers

Newsletters should be available during the first week of each Month. If you miss the deadline, don't worry, your submission will just go into the following month's issue!



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#### 2014 OBEDIENCE CLASS SCHEDULE

PRE-REGISTRATION, PRE-PAYMENT, AND COPIES OF PROOF OF VACCINATIONS ARE REQUIRED PRIOR TO THE START OF CLASS TO HOLD YOUR SPOT. A Bordetella Vaccine is highly recommended. MASTER CARD, VISA & DISCOVER CARD ARE ACCEPTED. ALL PHONES HAVE ANSWERING MACHINE FOR MESSAGES

<u>PUPPY KINDERGARTEN CLASS (FOR PUPPIES 10 – 24 WEEKS OLD)</u>	Puppies must have the first two shot series by the second
class. A Pardatalla Vassina is highly recommended Dunny Class is \$90.00 for 6	5 Wooks

<u>class</u>. A Bordetella Vaccine is <u>highly</u> recommended Puppy

June 10 Tues 8:10 PM Aug 6 Wed. 7:05 PM Sept 24 Wed 7:05 PM July 9 8:10 PM Aug 12 6:00 PM 7:05 PM Wed Tue Tue Nov. 4

BEGINNERS I OBEDIENCE CLASS The 8-week course will consist of 1-hour sessions each week during which time the handler and dog will be taught basic obedience commands. Vaccinations must be current and must be presented by the first class. A Bordetella Vaccine is highly recommended. Training collars are included in class fee for non-members and are available to members for a nominal fee. Cost of class is \$100.00 for 8 weeks.

7:05 PM July 8 7:05 PM 7:05 PM 7:05 PM May 28 Sept 9 Tues Oct 22 6:00 PM Wed June 3 Tues July 23 6:00 PM Sept 30 Tues 6:00 PM Oct 28 Tues 8:10 PM 6:00 PM June 17 Tues 8:10 PM Aug 5 Tues 8:10 PM Oct 1

BEGINNERS II OBEDIENCE CLASS Prerequisite: Beg. I class or equivalent. Pre- Registration is required. The Canine Good Citizen (CGC) test is given the last week. Vaccinations must be current and must be presented by the first class. A Bordetella Vaccine is highly recommended. Cost of class is \$100.00 for 8 weeks

May 28 7:05 PM 8:10 PM Oct 21 Wed Aug 19 Tues

8:10 PM 8:10 PM Aug 6 Wed Oct 15 Wed

BEGINNERS RALLY CLASS Prerequisite: Beg. II class or permission of instructor. Pre-Registration is required. An introduction to the sport of Rally Obedience. Signs used in AKC Novice are covered. Vaccinations must be current and must be presented by the first class. A Bordetella Vaccine is highly recommended. Cost of class is \$80.00 for 6 weeks.

Aug 27 Wed 8:10 PM

RALLY ADVANCE CLASS\_Rally Advance Class is for handlers and dogs that have learned the basic Rally signs and want more advanced course work. Advance Rally is for dogs and handlers that have completed Beg. 1 and Beg. 2, who would like to continue on from Rally Novice Work and prepare for the higher level rally and obedience work. The cost of the class is \$80.00 for 6 weeks.

Wed 6:00 PM June 4 Sept 29 Mon 6:30 pm

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**AGILITY INFORMATION** Contact: agilityclass@yabtc.com VISIT US AT WWW.YABTC.COM

**OBEDIENCE & RALLY INFORMATION** (330) 398 - 9270/ Registrar@YABTC.com

Help is needed for our Agility Set-up 3:00 PM on FRIDAY August 15<sup>th</sup> for the Trials on August 16 & 17<sup>th</sup> at the Niles Wellness Center.

Both judges are VMOs so if anyone wants to get both measurements on a new dog for the agility height card, they can come on out and get it done in one day! No need to be entered in the trial.

Three of our normal people will not be able to attend.

We especially need men who can carry and lift equipment out of the trailers. Of course we can use any Volunteers we can get for the actual trials as well.

Contact Rae Reinhart, (Worker Herder), billrae05@aol.com if you can work Sat. or Sun. at the trial. We could also use help loading the trailer on Thursday night at 6:30 PM at the club if anyone is available.



### \* Next Agility Committee meeting is Wednesday, August 20 at 6:00 \*

If you are interested in becoming an active member of the agility program, please come join us!

\*\*\*\* Agility Class Schedule for classes starting in September \*\*\*\*

Classes in blue and followed by '?' will only be offered if the other classes fill.

Please contact JoAnn Fedyski (dodgem2@neo.rr.com) to register for classes.

Fourth Agility Session .					
Class	Day	time	start date	end date	instructor
JWW - advanced	Thursday	10:00 AM	Sept 11	Nov 13	Liz Wise
JWW - advanced	Thursday	11:00 AM	Sept 11	Nov 13	Liz Wise
JWW	Thursday	12:00 PM	Sept 11	Nov 13	Pam Benus
Agility 3	Thursday	6:30 PM	Sept 11	Nov 13	Cris Conery
Advanced Agility	Thursday	7:45 PM	Sept 11	Nov 13	Cris Conery
Agility 1	Friday	5:30 PM	Sept 12	Nov 14	Jay Wootten
Agility 1 / 2	Friday	6:35 PM	Sept 12	Nov 14	Sharon Phillips
Agility 2	Friday	7:40 AM	Sept 12	Nov 14	Cindy Zeisler
Agility 2	Saturday	9:00 AM	Sept 13	Nov 15	Sharon Phillips
					Marcie Marly, Cheryl Christy,
Intro to Agility	Saturday	11:00 AM	Sept 13	Nov 15	and ??
Beginners Agility	Saturday	12:00 PM	Sept 13	Nov 15	Marcie Marly and ??
Agility 1	Saturday	2:30 PM	Sept 13	Nov 15	Cindy Steeves
Agility Fun Runs	Sunday	7:30 AM	Sept 14	Nov 16	JoAnn Fedyski
					Stacie and PJ Rosenburg (and
Agility Fun Runs	Sunday	10:00 AM	Sept 14	Nov 16	Cindy Zeisler)
Agility 1 / 2	Monday	9:30 AM	Sept 15	Nov 17	Carol Kershner
Advanced Agility, small	Monday	11:00 AM	Sept 15	Nov 17	Lotta Shafer
Advanced Agility, large	Monday	12:15 PM	Sept 15	Nov 17	Lotta Shafer
Beginners Agility	Monday	5:30 PM	Sept 15	Nov 17	Jay Wootten, JoAnn Fedyski
Intro to Agility	Monday	6:45 PM	Sept 15	Nov 17	Pat Goodwin, JoAnn Fedyski
Flyball	Monday	8:00 PM			Bill Reinhart

#### SUNDAY AFTERNOON AGILITY GAMES

Games will start at 4:30 Sign-up begins at 4 PM

DATE	GAME	<b>PRESENTER</b>
June 8	Time to Beat (AKC)	Lotta Shafer
June 29	Colors (CPE)	Cheryl Cristy
		Barb Manion
July 13	Wildcard (CPE)	JoAnn Fedyski
July 20	Snooker (CPE)	Susanne Stiffler
July 27	FAST (AKC) /Gamblers (ASCA)	Cindy Zeisler
•	Jackpot (CPE)	•
August 3	Tunnelers (NADAC)	Susanne Stiffler
August 10	Fullhouse (CPE)	Sandy Irish
August 24	Box Game (Teacup)	TBA
	Pizza Party	



### Agility items for sale: - Marla Belzowski - 740-817-0022 (legendhold@johnstown.net)

I made these agility jumps about 20 years ago. They were built to the old Agility standard which has changed but still all the items are useable for training and with a little craftsmanship, the height of the jump pole cups can be changed with a power drill or screw driver. Jump positions set at 8", 12", 18", 24" (I think). They were built from the designs from Jane Simmons-Moake's book.

These are not made of pressure treated lumber, so they are not completely rot proof but they are all painted or stained and almost all have been garage/trailer kept so they are in pretty good condition. They are a little lighter than a pressure treated lumber would be to handle. Since I have no time to work on agility with my dogs anymore, I'm willing to part with this very nice jumps to someone who wants to use them or training.

**Flag jump**. This jump has holes at the top which are suitable to put a pole through to hang a flag from. 4 red and blue striped poles go with it. Stained uprights. - **\$25.00** (with PVC jump poles).



**Seesaw-teeter support stand**. This is built to allow a pipe to be added attached to a teeter plank. The wings come off with wing nuts so the system can be stored in a smaller area. Stained sides, blue painted centerpiece. Additional paint is available to touch it up. - \$20.00

**Tire jump support**: This red frame has two stained side pieces which come off with wing nuts. Made to Jane Simmon-Moake original designs. This frame can hold a regular real tire, PVC ones, or a newer break away one. Just add chains or bungees to the hooks on the frame. - \$25.00

"Brick faced" solid wing jumps which I can cut down to make them easier to handle and more in accordance to current agility wing jump standards - these are very pretty jumps with poles -\$40.00.

**Lattice wing jump** which is stained sides and white lattice mesh with poles - \$40.00.

Three clean blue plastic drums. Two are suitable to hold the poles or could be a barrel jump if pole cup holders were attached to them. One plastic drum has already been converted to be the mouth for a collapsed chute but needs a new base support plywood piece or sand bags to keep it held down.. \$20.00 each. (total of \$60 for all of them)

Collapsed-Chute fabric that has some holes that need work but is ok for training. - \$35 (originally this was over \$180 to have made)

**Misc weave poles and PVC poles for markers**. I don't have a weave base, these were to stick in the ground. All will need cut down more for current standards: **\$15 for all of them.** (total of about 12)

**Top for a pause table**. Green felt coated plywood with wood stain sides. Great for show photos. Needs legs or a PVC support base. - \$50

- Or take it all for \$275 (\$35 savings from individual prices) and I'll deliver them to you with the touch up paint I have left over -



### Debbie Sacerich Seminar! Youngstown All Breed Training Club Building

### 13210 Mahoning Avenue, North Jackson, OH 44451 (Exit Baily Rd or 534 from 176)

No non working dogs permitted.

Dogs must be in control in a group setting

#### Sunday August 31

AM - Foundation work for pups/young dogs with equipment PM - Perfecting skills on how to direct your dogs.

Foundation work for pups/young dogs with equipment—both on the flat skills and introduction to proper contact and other equipment will be covered. Focus for dogs who are just beginning or who need remedial work on equipment. Depending on time we will cover at least one contact obstacle. Weaves will not be covered.

Perfecting skills on how to direct your dogs— improving communication between handler and dog- review of basics then application in short sequences. Dogs should understand all obstacles and be ready or almost ready to start showing in Novice.

#### Monday September 1

AM - Increasing Speed and Motivation PM - Distance

Increasing Speed and Motivation-learn to improve your dog's desire to run agility with you. Take home several skills that you can apply to improve your teams speed and increase your dogs motivation. Any level team from Novice to Excellent can benefit as long as dogs know obstacles and stays with owner.

Distance- Learn how and when distance can enhance your teams performance. Learn the progressive steps you can apply to be able to confidently use distance. Walk away saying "distance is fun!!!!"

Any level team can benefit as long as dogs know obstacles and stays with owner.

#### Cost

\$100 for Working Spot for 1 Day \$60. for Working Spot for 1 Seminar on one Day \$30. for Auditing for one Day Hours Both Days
Morning (AM) Session 9-1

Lunch 1 - 2 (Pot Luck provided by our Members)
Afternoon (PM) Session 2-6

Sign Me UP for a Working Spot! Sunday August 31  Foundation work for puppies or young dogs with equipment Perfecting skills on how to direct your dogs.			
Monday September 1			
$\triangle$ Distance $\triangle$ Increasing speed and motivation.			
I would like to Audit these Days  Sunday	Name Dogs' name Email address or phone number		
Monday	Amount Enclosed		

Sharon Phillips at sharon\_phillips14870@aol.com Or see me at the club.

Sharon Phillips, 14870 Western Reserve Rd, Salem, Ohio 44460 Make Checks payable to YABTC



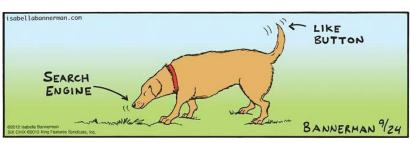
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