

March 2017

The Heart of America Boxer Club Newsletter

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Newsletter for the Heart of America Boxer Club

The next HOABC club meeting- Next meeting will be held approx. 1 hour after Boxer Breed Judging at Kansas City, MO shows. Saturday March 11, 2017 Location - TBD



So...you say you **DON'T** have a spiffy Heart of America Boxer Polo shirt?? You don't want to be the **Odd Man** (or woman) out at our next function!??!! Well.. Get with Mark Ewing!

2016-2017 Club Members and their New Title Holders

Plaque	Full Name	Plate	Call name	Date of Title	Member/Owner
	Papageno's Red October v Eurozone	RATN	Ascan	June 2016	Sabrina Jay
CH	Galaroc N Ewing's Show Biz	NAJP	Carmel	July 2016	Mark and Janet Ewing
				August 2016	
CH	Midnight Sky's Endure The Payne	GCH	Payne	October 2016	Joyce Peckham
CH	GalaRoc N EWING'S Show Off	OA	Shiloh	Sept 2016	Mark and Janet Ewing
CH	GalaRoc N EWING'S Show Off	OAJ	Shiloh	Sept 2016	Mark and Janet Ewing
				Dec 2016 Feb	
CH	LattaLane's Irish Pot of Gold	CH	Kerry	2017	Tom and Carol Latta
CH	Dusty Road's Wild Ride		Graham	Feb 2017	Rachel Jackson

[Remember- April 1 is the cut off for ALL plaques – be sure to get information to Amber Gates](#)

DUPLICATE plaques can be ordered!

Graham- Dusty Road's Wild Ride – finished his championship at the St Joseph, MO shows February 2017- owned by Rachel Jackson and Judy & Randy Pasbrig

Parker- 3R's 4D Crown Victoria of Dusty Road's – earned RWB at her first show in St Joseph, MO shows February 2017 – owned by Rachel Jackson and Judy & Randy Pasbrig and Ann Teply

Kerry- CH Lattalanes Irish Pot of Gold- finished her Grand Championship at the Des Moines, IA shows February 2017 –owned by Tom and Carol Latta

Remi – FarMore's Etched in Stone- was awarded RWD at the St Charles, MO shows in January 2017 he also earned TWO legs towards his Novice Rally title – Owned by Amber Gates and Kristen & Charles Johnson

Parker- 3R's 4D Crown Victoria of Dusty Road's – awarded WB in Denver, CO shows February 2017 – owned by Rachel Jackson and Judy & Randy Pasbrig and Ann Teply

IF you would like to be included in the newsletter brags...please send them to farmoreboxers@yahoo.com by the 20th of each month!

Check out our Facebook page for Updates...



Officers & Directors 2016-2017

President: Thomas Latta (2017)

Vice President: Mark Ewing (2017)

Treasurer: Sabrina Jay (2018)

Secretary: Tiffany Jay

Board Member: Janet Ewing (2018)

Board Member: Karen Emerson (2017)

Board Member: Jeanine Millard (2017)

Board Member: Amber Gates (2018)

Committee Assignments for 2016-2017

Show Chairperson: Jeannine

Trophies: Janet (C), Mark and Tom D

Hospitality: Joyce (C), Liz, Scott, Rachel, and Kyle

Facebook Updates: Amber (C) and Peyton

Fundraising: Jeannine (C), Jim, Peyton, Tom L, Tom D, and Dan

Performance: Mark (C), Janet, and Rachel

Advertising: Tiffany (C) and Nikki

Annual Meeting: Sabrina (C), and Julie

Nominating: Mark

Cards & Flowers: Sabrina (C) and Carol

Historian: Peyton

Website: Tom L

Breeder Referral: Carol

Boxer Rescue: Liz

Membership: Jeannine and Julie

Newsletter: Amber

Public Education: Tiffany (C), Julie, and Joyce

Legislation: Joyce

Door Prize: Carol (C), Hailey



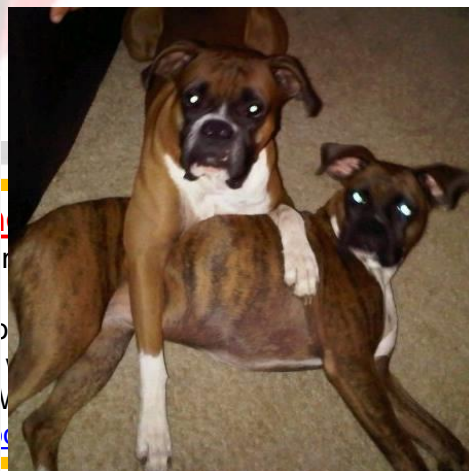
Call 1-855-M6-4Dogs and use code CP542764 to receive your 10% discount – or use their app



Rocky & Jada entered rescue after life issues of their owners left them homeless. Rocky is 8.5 years old and is just the sweetest thing you've ever met. Jada is 7.5 years old and a tiny little thing but also very very sweet. Both are housetrained, crate trained and know basic commands. They love to snuggle up and watch TV and already Rocky has picked his person in our house and checks on her regularly. (Our 8 yr old niece) He'd love to sleep with her, but we haven't allowed that (yet). They both get along well with our other boxers as well as our small furry dog in the house. They walk nicely on a leash and overall just a very nice couple of boxers. They both had very bad teeth and had extensive dental work done recently with several teeth needing to be pulled. They are on the road to recovery and will be back to playing with chew toys and eating dry food soon. If you have ever wanted two boxers – this is the easiest couple you'll ever own.

Rescue Corner

WE NEED HELP!



Contact mokanboxerrescue@earthlink.net

Helpful Links

Kansas all breed clubs

<http://sunflowerkc.wordpress.com/>
<http://www.heartofamericakc.org/>
www.wichitakennelclub.com
www.gardencityKSkennelclub.com
www.hutchinsonkennelclub.org/
www.ljkc.com/
www.salinakennelclub.org/
www.TopekaKC.org

Kansas Obedience Clubs

www.wichitadogtrainingclub.com

Missouri all breed clubs

www.JCKC.org
<http://www.stjosephkennelclub.com/>
www.missourirhinelandkc.com
www.heartlandkc.org
jopbindogs.com

Missouri Obedience Clubs

kansascitydogtraining.com/
www.gsltc.org
www.mcotc.org
www.showmek9.com

AWESOME stuff to do with your dog!

All Star Dog Sports (BSMO)

<http://www.allstardogsports.com/>
<https://www.facebook.com/Allstardogsports/?fref=ts>

Mo-Kan Dock Diving

<http://www.mokandockdogs.com>
<https://www.facebook.com/mokandockdogs>



Ozarks Mischief Barn Hunt

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/347414932104557/>



Important Links- health/clinics

BLUE PEARL

<http://kansas.bluepearlvet.com/>

www.offa.org

Overland Park

913.642.9563
11950 West 110th St
Overland Park KS 66210

Kansas City North

816.759.5016
139 NE 91st Street
Kansas City, MO 64155

<http://www.merckmanuals.com/vet/index.html>
<http://www.cavalierhealth.org/Cardiologists.htm>

CLUB HOLTER

The club has an analog Holter that is available for use by club members.

1. No rental fee
2. Member needs to purchase the number of tape kits needed
3. Rental time is 10 days- adequate to test 5 dogs
4. Shipping to and from the member is the members' responsibilities.
5. Member is responsible for the condition of the Holter and accompanying vest.
6. Members must sign the usage agreement prior to use.
7. Contact Sabrina @ sabrina@lattahomes.com for availability

Mark your Calendars

Garden City Kansas Kennel Club	Garden City	KS	3-Mar-17	Ms. Karen J Hynek	4
Garden City Kansas Kennel Club	Garden City	KS	4-Mar-17	Grace M Fritz	4
Garden City Kansas Kennel Club	Garden City	KS	5-Mar-17	Andrea Bradford M.D.	4
Greater St. Louis Boxer Club	Gray Summit	MO	3-Mar-17	Mr. Alberto Berrios	62
Greater St. Louis Boxer Club	Gray Summit	MO	3-Mar-17	Mr. Thomas J Latta	64
Belle-City Kennel Club, Inc.	Gray Summit	MO	4-Mar-17	Mr. Joseph E Gregory	60
Belle-City Kennel Club, Inc.	Gray Summit	MO	5-Mar-17	Mrs. Terry L Berrios	54
Leavenworth Kennel Club	Kansas City	MO	9-Mar-17	Mr. Charles E Trotter	19
Leavenworth Kennel Club	Kansas City	MO	10-Mar-17	Mrs. Sulie Greendale-Paveza	25
Heart of America Kennel Club, Inc.	Kansas City	MO	11-Mar-17	Ms. Linda Robey	26
Heart of America Kennel Club, Inc.	Kansas City	MO	12-Mar-17	Mrs. Patricia V Trotter	26
Clinton Iowa Kennel Club	De Witt	IA	25-Mar-17	Mrs. Paula Nykiel	19
Clinton Iowa Kennel Club	De Witt	IA	26-Mar-17	Carolyn A Herbel	18
Mid-Continent Kennel Club of Tulsa, Inc.	Claremore	OK	29-Mar-17	Ms. Joanne (Jan) N Paulk	14
Mid-Continent Kennel Club of Tulsa, Inc.	Claremore	OK	30-Mar-17	Ms. Beverly Capstick	12
Mid-Del-Tinker Kennel Club, Inc.	Claremore	OK	31-Mar-17	Mr. Ralph (Sonny) Ambrosio	11
Claremore Kennel Club of Oklahoma	Claremore	OK	1-Apr-17	Ms. Victoria M Jordan	9
Claremore Kennel Club of Oklahoma	Claremore	OK	2-Apr-17	Mr. Charles E Trotter	9
Scottsbluff Kennel Club	Mitchell	NE	31-Mar-17	Mrs. Judith A Brown	4
Scottsbluff Kennel Club	Mitchell	NE	1-Apr-17	Mr. Joe C Walton	5
Scottsbluff Kennel Club	Mitchell	NE	2-Apr-17	Col. Joe B Purkhiser	5
Columbia Missouri Kennel Club	Gray Summit	MO	1-Apr-17	Vicki E Allenbrand	4
Columbia Missouri Kennel Club	Gray Summit	MO	2-Apr-17	Mr. David W Haddock	2
Wichita Kennel Club, Inc.	Wichita	KS	6-Apr-17	Mrs. Joan P Scott	7
Wichita Kennel Club, Inc.	Wichita	KS	7-Apr-17	Mrs. Judith A Brown	8
Hutchinson Kennel Club, Inc.	Wichita	KS	8-Apr-17	Ms. Patricia W Laurans	10
Salina Kennel Club, Inc.	Wichita	KS	9-Apr-17	Mr. Joseph E Gregory	10
Terry-All Kennel Club, Inc.	Brighton	CO	8-Apr-17	Ms. Lee Whittier	7
Terry-All Kennel Club, Inc.	Brighton	CO	9-Apr-17	Ms. Gloria Kerr	6
Northeast Oklahoma Kennel Club	Grove	OK	13-Apr-17	Mrs. Mary Ann Alston	12
Northeast Oklahoma Kennel Club	Grove	OK	14-Apr-17	Carolyn A Herbel	13
Bartlesville Kennel Club	Grove	OK	15-Apr-17	Mr. Roger R Hartinger	14
Bartlesville Kennel Club	Grove	OK	16-Apr-17	Mrs. Nancy D Simmons	8
Grand Island Kennel Club	Grand Island	NE	22-Apr-17	Dr. Steve Keating	11
Grand Island Kennel Club	Grand Island	NE	23-Apr-17	Mrs. Houston (Toddie) Clark	11
Heart of Iowa Kennel Club	Marshalltown	IA	29-Apr-17	Arley D Hussin	2
Heart of Iowa Kennel Club	Marshalltown	IA	30-Apr-17	Mr. Ralph (Sonny) Ambrosio	2
Seward County Kennel Club	Seward	NE	29-Apr-17	Mrs. Paula Hartinger	7
Seward County Kennel Club	Seward	NE	30-Apr-17	Mr. Roger R Hartinger	6
Rolla Missouri Kennel Club	Gray Summit	MO	5-May-17	Ms. Jan C Sigler	6
Spirit of the Heartland Kennel Club	Gray Summit	MO	6-May-17	Mr. Richard J Lewis	8
Jefferson County Kennel Club of Missouri	Gray Summit	MO	7-May-17	Mr. Warren D Hudson	6

Learning Stuff!

Socializing Older Dogs and Adult Dogs

[Dogs](#) in the wild grow up in packs and they are socialized almost from birth. A dog becomes socialized by interacting with other canines and learning their verbal cues and body language. The boundaries in the pack are very clear and each pup learns to understand their elders or get thrown out.

Domestic dogs also begin socialization in their litter and when they come into a human family, socialization with humans begin. The initial socialization period of a dog is four to 12 weeks. It is during this time that social skills are imprinted on them and their interaction with other dogs and humans is, hopefully, positive. The socialization then should continue into adulthood. But many dog owners choose to [adopt older dogs](#) who sometimes were not socialized during this time. When a dog owner brings an adult dog into their home, it's important to find out early on how socialized he is. His initial interaction with you will be telling – is he fearful or [aggressive](#)? Does he back away when you approach or send warning signals such as raised hackles? When you take him on walks, is he nervous around different sounds and sights? Does he shy away from people or other dogs? If you see any of these signs, it's likely he was not socialized well in his early days. But there are several things you can do to socialize your adult dog with other dogs and humans.

Socializing an Adult or Older Dog with Other Dogs

Take Your Dog Out to Observe

1. Go to a dog park but don't go in.
2. Allow your dog to watch the other pups and observe their behavior.
3. Every time a dog comes near the fence, give your dog [a treat](#). This creates a positive association with other dogs.
4. If your dog reacts [aggressively](#) towards the dogs in the park, move further away and slowly move up until he is quiet.

Resist Tugging While Walking

When out walking and another dog comes into view, resist jerking on the lead and yelling at your dog. This reinforces seeing other dogs as a negative experience. Instead, distract your dog with [a treat](#) or [toy](#), use the command "Watch me!" and praise him when he pays attention to you.

Go to Obedience Class

[Dog obedience class](#) is a great way to help socialize an adult dog before attempting going into dog parks or having playdates. Because your dog is [learning commands](#), he is distracted most of the time. Speak to your trainer about the issue and she can help you introduce your dog slowly to other dogs in the class. This is also a safe place for your dog to learn to interact with other humans.

Socializing an Adult Dog with Humans

The first step is to socialize your dog with your family. This is best done slowly and patience is a virtue here. Dogs and humans speak a different language so you'll both be learning how to communicate.

Ignore Your Dog

When your dog runs to hide from you, don't go after him and pull him from under the bed. Ignore him and do something that will persuade him to come out like playing with his toys or frying up some bacon. Dogs are curious and social creatures and they'll eventually become bored and lonely by themselves. Reward him with a bit of that bacon when he comes out.

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Be Casual

It's sort of like when your teenager comes down the stairs with an enormous pimple on her forehead. You don't mention it and act as if there's nothing wrong. By acting as if your dog's behavior is no big deal, you're creating a calmer environment and, thus, a calmer dog. So when he streaks under your legs because the postman is at the door, go on about your business as usual.

Introduce People Slowly

Only add one person a week at the most into your dog's life. When they meet your dog, have them offer a treat and speak in a happy, low, encouraging voice. You don't want to use a high pitch which could excite him. Keep your dog on a leash at first but do not force him to go near the person. Let him take his time.

The main thing to remember when socializing an adult dog is to be positive and to make each new experience a good one with praise and treats. Corrections do not work well here and will likely will create a more nervous dog. In time, your new companion will become at ease at home and in public and will truly be a member of the family.

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In Memorial

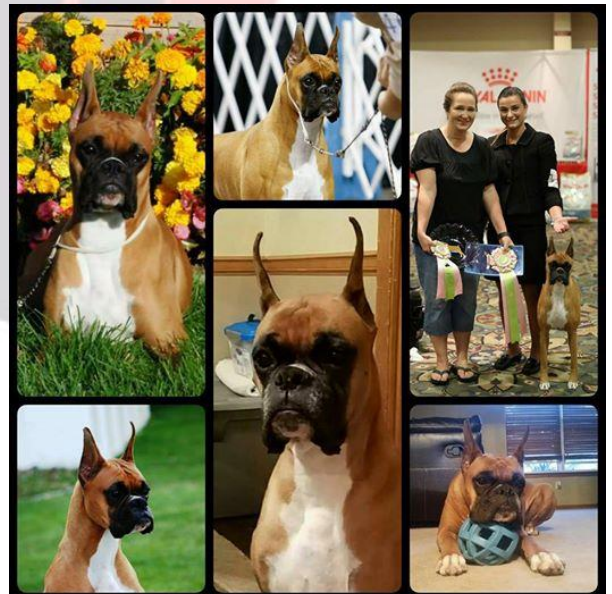
Our club mourns the loss of
one of our members Boxers-
forever in our hearts

CH Envision Talk Is Cheap, DOM

'Miley'

11-30-2009 - 2-15-2017

Owned and Loved by the Higgins
Family...



Fun Stuff!

Not much I can say.... Kendall.. Being adorable....



STOP!!!! Who goes there...OH!!
It's Grandma~!! Delilah..on guard!

WE'RE GOING TO BUILD THE
GREATEST DOG PARK. IT'S
GONNA BE GREAT. PROBABLY
THE GREATEST PARK EVER
BUILT.....



.....AND THE CATS.
THE CATS ARE
GOING TO PAY
FOR IT.



Parker...doing her best impression of a frog....



A Boy...and his dog...nothing more
perfect than that....