We have a NEW board!! Congrats to all!
The next HOABC club meeting- Next meeting will be held on Saturday August 26, 2017 in the HOABC reserved grooming area- Time to be Determined

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!

Reminder- the HOABC Hospitality night is Friday August 25 in Topeka!! Get with the Hospitality folks- for more info! We need items for the buffet, drinks, desserts, we need YOU!!

Member Brags
Who is out and about??

Anything to brag about? Please get the brags (show, dates, judge, award, full dogs name, and owners)

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

Check out our Facebook page for Updates…
Officers & Directors 2017-2018
President: Karen Emerson (2019)
Vice President: Mark Ewing (2019)
Secretary: Tiffany Jay (2019)
Treasurer: Sabrina Jay (2018)
Board Member: Janet Ewing (2018)
Board Member: Amber Gates (2018)
Board Member: Thomas Latta (2019)
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Committee Assignments for 2017-2018
Show Chairperson: Jeannine
Hospitality: Joyce (C), Liz, Scott, Rachel, and Kyle
Fundraising: Jeannine (C), Jim, Peyton, Tom L, Tom D, and Dan
Advertising: Tiffany (C), Jim, Peyton, Tom L, Tom D, and Dan
Nominating: Mark
Historian: Peyton
Breeder Referral: Carol
Membership: Jeannine and Julie
Public Education: Tiffany (C), Julie, and Joyce
Door Prize: Carol (C), Hailey

Committee Assignments coming soon!

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Contact mokanboxerrescue@earthlink.net

WE NEED HELP!

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

Rescue Corner

URGENT need for foster homes!!!
Please! Help get the word out! MO/KAN Boxer rescue is in need of qualified Foster homes.

Some BASIC requirements to be considered for a Foster Home.....
•Fencing is not required but is preferred; not having a fence will limit placement options.
•All other pets in the home must be UTD on shots and on HW prevention year-round.
•Contact Elizabeth or Joyce for more information at 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.jk.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
joplindogs.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/Allstardogspo?ref=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/

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

www.offa.org
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

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Dramatic Differences Between Adenoviruses in Dogs

Several strains of adenovirus exist, but two clinically significant adenovirus types have been identified in dogs: adenovirus type 1 (CAV-1) and adenovirus type 2 (CAV-2). Interestingly, these two adenoviruses are spread similarly, but the resulting diseases are vastly different. Both adenoviruses are spread from dog-to-dog interactions through infected respiratory secretions or contact with contaminated feces or urine. High risk exposure areas are considered to be shelters, rescue centers, breeding kennels, pet stores, doggie daycares, dog parks or multi-dog households.

CAV-2 is a member of the kennel cough complex – or simply a canine-type cold. Kennel cough is produced when more than one virus, bacteria and other multiple pathogens are combined. Kennel cough usually resolves on its own and serious illness is unusual. Death from kennel cough is extremely rare, unless the animal has other serious concurrent conditions that are immune suppressant (terminal cancer, systemic immune deficiency).

On the other hand, various signs of CAV-1 can possibly include fever, abdominal pain, anorexia, thirst, apathy, conjunctivitis, vomiting, elevated blood clotting, convulsions, elevated heart rate and diarrhea. However, CAV-1 causes infectious canine hepatitis (ICH), which has varying degrees of severity, and can cause death. As the liver is the site of most clotting factor synthesis, severe liver disease can result in excessive bleeding. This bleeding can be seen around the teeth, and from mucosal surfaces like the nose and bowel. The mortality rate for clinically expressed ICH is 10-30%.

To prevent ICH, veterinarians give a parenteral (injectable) vaccination against CAV-2, which provides cross-protection for CAV-1. When veterinarians gave the CAV-1 vaccines, “blue eye” from formation of antigen-antibody protein complexes in the eye could result; and so this vaccine was taken off the market some years ago. It is scientifically and medically interesting that this vaccinal cross-protection exists for two related viruses that result in quite different symptomatic outcomes.

At the current time, I do not recommend routinely giving the CAV-2 vaccination for either ICH or kennel cough. In the United States, there has only been one documented and isolated domesticated dog ICH incident in the past fifteen years. If and when a true outbreak does happen, my vaccination protocol can be revised appropriately to include CAV-2 vaccination for a specific region.

Some field biologists may disagree with my current protocol. In a survey of 387 free-roaming gray wolves in Minnesota, 88% of adult wolves and 45% of their puppies had high exposure to both CAV-1 and CAV-2. Yet, we should remember that no unvaccinated domesticated dogs have been reported to have contracted the CAV-1 disease. Another survey of 60 free-roaming raccoons in New York City’s Central Park demonstrated zero seropositivity for adenovirus-1. It should also be noted that the same study showed zero incidence of canine distemper virus from 108 raccoons, but that 54 out of 59 raccoons were seropositive for canine parvovirus.

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Fun Stuff!

Mark and Shiloh are ready for the Solar Eclipse... are you!?  

Caesar - sporting the holter...

“elder abuse....” ..... But at least someone is comfy

WAY elder abuse... Delilah – pushing on poor Patton... and NOT sharing her antler

Have a GREAT summer!