



KNOSHABOCKER

Knickerbocker Standard Schnauzer Club Newsletter

We are happy to bring you the **SPRING KNOSHABOCKER** issue, give you an update on happenings in the Standard Schnauzer world and deliver a quarterly message from the KSSC President.

Dear Standard Schnauzer Community,

I hope we are gearing up for all the spring events for our dogs. Astro attended Meet the Breeds, a barn hunt event in Trenton, and has been to the Edison and Syracuse conformation shows. Astro will be out for CATs in April, conformation in May at Trenton and Ottawa, Canada, as well as more barn hunts. We all need to do our bit to showcase our breed. When you do, make sure to tell us!

Meet the Breeds was a successful event. Stan, with some help from our friends, got Astro and Karen's dogs, Toby, Kolt, and Hanna, to the event on Saturday. It was a long day but a successful day. There was quite a contrast between the two sides of the table with the knucklehead 1-½ year old and the sedate older crowd. Sunday was covered by Leah, Romana and her daughter, Sophia, as well as Vera with their dogs, Luna, Blueberry, Eggie, and Astra. Another well represented day. Thank you for your support.

Coming up is our Match on Sunday April 27th. A flyer with information about the event and to RSVP was sent out. There will be lunch for KSSC members, CGC and Trick Dog testing as well as the conformation match. Astro will (hopefully) be in concert mode for Trick Dog.

Keep the Fall FastCATs on your calendar. We will need help on the 18th and 19th of October at North Branch Park.

Elizabeth Rogacki

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We'd love to see your Schnauzer in the next Newsletter! Get your cameras ready and send your pictures & stories to the [Editor](#).

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MARK YOUR CALENDARS

2025

APRIL 27

AKC 2025 Annual Sanctioned Match

Location: North Branch Park at the Pavilion, NJ

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Annual Awards Presentation

Location: North Branch Park at the Pavilion, NJ

SEPTEMBER 5

Supported Entry

Location: Tuxedo Park KC, North Branch Park, Bridgewater, NJ

Breed Judge: *Ms. Vicki Allenbrand*

SEPTEMBER 6

Annual Specialty

Location: Somerset Hill KC, North Branch Park, Bridgewater, NJ

Sweepstakes Judge: *Ms. Ingrid Lyden*

Breed Judge: *Mr. Douglas A Johnson*

SEPTEMBER 7

Supported Entry

Location: Westchester KC, North Branch Park, Bridgewater, NJ

Breed Judge: *Miss Ying Helen Chen*

OCTOBER 18 & 19

Fast Cat Weekend

Location: North Branch Park in Bridgewater, NJ



Knickerbocker Standard Schnauzer Club

AKC 2025 Annual Sanctioned Match

SUNDAY, April 27, 2025 9:00am – 3:00pm

All Standard Schnauzers welcome! ***

\$10.00 for Conformation (each additional dog \$5.00)

\$10.00 AKC Canine Good Citizen / \$10.00 Trick Dog

******There will be a limit of only 5 additional evaluations (trick or CGC)
for breeds other than STANDARD SCHNAUZERS.***

North Branch Park at the Pavilion

355 Milltown Road, Bridgewater, NJ 08807

Entries begin at 9:00AM with Judging to follow

CONFORMATION Judge: Patricia Enright

AKC Canine GOOD CITIZEN and TRICK DOG Evaluator: Lauren Keltos

**Those interested in participating in a Canine Good Citizen / Trick dog evaluation
please visit the AKC website to review information about:**

CGC <https://www.akc.org/products-services/training-programs/canine-good-citizen/>

Trick dog <https://www.akc.org/sports/trick-dog/>

Any questions please Contact AKC Evaluator Lauren Keltos at: sskobold@msn.com

A Club meeting will follow the Match

Lunch for club members prepared by Wegman's

*****Please RSVP Peter Twill via email by Friday April 18th, 2025**

With your Name and Standard Schnauzers attending

AND which match events you will enter to: peter1twill@gmail.com

2025 AKC Meet the Breeds



It was a huge honor and an absolute pleasure to represent the Standard Schnauzer family in January at the 2025 AKC Meet the Breeds weekend event at Jacob Javits Convention Center in New York. We had a lot of fun, great chats with the visitors and thousands of admirers. Simply said: we were BIS for two whole days and it was amazing!



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| Saturday: | Sunday: |
| Toby | Astra |
| Kolt | Greta |
| Hannah | Eggie |
| Astro | BlueBerry |



2025 AKC Meet the Breeds – Saturday

Astro, Kolt, Hannah & Toby with Ed, Jessica, Karen, Stan



2025 AKC Meet the Breeds – Sunday

BlueBerry, Eggie, Astra, Greta with Leah



AKC Meet the Breeds



Celebrating Milestones

CH Blue Berry od Dalajského potoka - 149th Annual Westminster Kennel Club Dog Show (pictured Blue Berry & Romana)



Toby's 15th Birthday party. He is in the green hat and celebrated with Kolt, Hannah & Astro.



Featuring: Puppies Expected

Leah Socker

<https://www.crusadestandardschnauzers.com/upcoming-litter>

Greta, BISS GCHB BCAT Crusade Silver Lining to Barron, GCHS Mystic's Early Rizor

Greta's pregnancy will be confirmed on April 22. The puppies will be under the Crusade Standard Schnauzers Kennel name and will be raised with Leah Socker in Bethlehem, PA.

We believe this litter will produce exceptional puppies with excellent coats, movement, and overall structure.

Please contact crusadesch@aol.com be placed on the wait list for a puppy from this litter.

Those interested in showing their puppy are preferred, but companion homes available as well.



Canine Crossword Agility – Winter Edition Solution

Can you solve this AI created crossword puzzle in 30 seconds?

Across

- 1 A dog's favorite toy often has this shape
- 2 A dog's wagging body part
- 4 Popular dog breed with a curly coat, often in 'toy,' 'miniature,' or 'standard' sizes
- 7 The type of coat Schnauzers are known for
- 8 Dogs use this sense to recognize people and places
- 10 Schnauzers originate from this European country
- 11 The sound a dog makes
- 12 Command for a dog to stop barking

Down

- 1 Schnauzers are known for this facial feature
- 3 Smallest of the hound breeds, often with a loud bark
- 5 Puppy training school
- 6 Famous TV collie
- 7 Schnauzers were originally bred for this purpose on farms
- 9 Special leash-free area for dogs

