



The Butler

HOWLER

The Official Newsletter of the Butler County Kennel Club – Sept. 2009

BRAGS

Let's leave them right here and tell you that those Lefever ladies are at it again. The entry on the MB-F web site reads like this:

BEAGLES, OVER 13 IN. BUT NOT EXCEEDING 15 IN.

JUDGE: [Mrs. Robert D. Smith](#)

BEAGLES, OVER 13 IN. BUT NOT EXCEEDING 15 IN..
Puppy, 9 to 12 Months Dogs.

1/W/OS

#23 [GLADE MILL'S SHARP DRESSED MAN](#). HP 31988703.
10-02-08

(4 Points)

By Ch Gallamont Lanbur
midnight Rider - Ch Merry Music
Watch Her Strut. Owner: Laura
A & Brigitte K & Chanel R
Lefever., Saxonburg, PA 16056.
Breeder: Laura A Lefever &
Brigitte K Lefever.

Beaver County Kennel Club,
Saturday, August 1, 2009. I was

there and Chanel was the
essence of poise and
professionalism.
Congratulations Chanel.

**Bring a Chair
It's a Picnic
At our house.**

**September
1st. @ 6:00 PM**

As always beverages,
meat and buns are on the
club. You bring what you
want and we all get to try
it out.

Give us a shout so we
know how many to
expect.

724-285-1466 or
taigaken@aol.com

**DIRECTIONS TO THE
MCCORMICKS (these
directions are FROM
BUTLER)**

1. Follow PA-8 south
to Litman Road. There
will be a small shopping

center on your left with a
M^cDonalds. You will be
turning left onto Litman-
move into the left lane
when you see the
M^cDonalds. There is a
traffic signal. Wait for the
green arrow.

2. Follow Litman
Road about .6 miles to a
"T" intersection with Old
Plank Road (this road is
not labeled but you will
see a Schramm Farm
Market sign). Turn Right.

3. Follow Old Plank
Road for a few hundred
yards. It will bend to the
right and cross a stream.
Immediately past the
stream make a left onto
Crisswell which begins
there.

4. Follow Crisswell
approximately 2.5 miles
to a stop sign.

5. Proceed through
the stop sign. We
have the fourth house
on the left. The house
sits well back off the
road. The number is
421 and is on the
mailbox opposite the
driveway. Call if you

get lost--- 724-285-1466

Other dates 2009 Shows

Saturday September 19, 2009
Sunday, September 20, 2009

NO NEWS IS NO NEWS *(but you already knew that.)*

As part of our effort to become a household name in the greater Butler area we are expanding the features offered on the web site.

Beginning this month Brigitte Lefever will be writing a regular column for junior handlers on our web site.

Some of you less junior handlers could use the help also.

CATCHING UP

PEPI MEIXNER

Pepi is in the hospital once again. She was admitted last Saturday, September 15th for treatment of what her physician called a "mild" heart attack.

Mike has been running errands and visiting Pepi. He did take some time off last evening to stop by the conformation class and watch the show.

Mike will be taking messages and cards for Pepi at home.

(724) 282-0375

103 Tower View Drive
Butler, PA 16002

JOHN TOWNS

John is still rehabbing at home and receiving mail at;

208 Camelot Drive
Butler, PA 16001

Phyl Schraf

This is your wake up call. If you haven't sent Phyl a card or a note it may already be too late. I spoke to Phyl a few minutes ago by phone and got the following news:

1. Phyl is in therapy working out on a whole bunch of those crazy machines.
2. She has managed to coax someone into letting her drive to and from therapy on her own.
3. There's still a finite amount of time to send Phyl any kind of greeting at:

1612 N. Main St. Ext.
Butler, PA 16001

Conformation Class

Current session began July 15th.

Dates are: 7/15, 7/22, 7/29,
8/12, 8/19, 8/26.

New session will begin
September 2nd

Session dates are: 9/9, 9/23,
9/30, 10/7, 10/14

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You are encouraged to submit articles, stories, announcements etc. If you are submitting something from another publication get permission to reprint.

Send a picture (electronic or printed) with or without your brag and we'll put your dog in the news.

Interim Editor? Surely you jest.

Talking Points

The YMCA has apparently put our recent donation into their Strong Kids Campaign which funds memberships for needy children.

I got a nice thank-you note from the CEO but an even better one from Theresa Springer. You can read it down below.

The date on Theresa's letter which amputated neatly by my scanner is July 1, 2009.



Those of you who came to the July meeting may remember having seen the ribbons won by Frank Eberhart at the Butler show in 1950 and forwarded to us by Don Short who was demolishing Frank's house. Mr. Short has now sent us some

ribbons and a judging schedule from the Sewickley show of 9/29/51.

These relics have special significance for both the Butler County Kennel Club and me.

In September of 1968 I showed my first pure bred dog in my first show ever. I was soundly defeated by George Heitzman. It was the Sewickley September show which several years later became the Butler fall show

when The Sewickley club folded their tent for the last time for lack of interest.

These ancient artifacts will be on display at the September picnic.

To Whom it May Concern;

Thank you so much for the Family Membership to the Y. M. C. A. in Butler. I am ~~of~~ looking forward to making use of this generous gift.

Sincerely;
Theresa Springer
Family