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The Official Newsletter of the Butler County Kennel Club for February 2010

It's A Date

**Meetings: General, March
2nd at
7:00pm.**

**Puppy Match – Sunday,
Sept. 12, 2010**

Deadlines

Correction

**Premium List Due In To
Show Chair By
May 1, 2010**

**Catalog Advertising Due,
August 14, 2010**

Conformation Class

**Next session begins
2/24/10**

**Session dates are: 2/24, 3/3,
3/10, 3/17, 3/24, 3/31**

**The first class of the new
session included 9 students.
This is very near the limit for
the Mitchell Hill school so be
sure to call if you want to
drop in.**

STILL REHABBING.

JOHN TOWNS

John Suffered a second stroke around the holidays. He is currently in re-haab at Sunnyview Hospital in Butler.

If youo would like to correspond with John, his mailing address is:

John Towns
107 Sunnyview Circle
Butler, PA 16001

If you would like to visit John is in room 112. Visiting hours are 9-9, seven days a week.

PASSAGES

PEPI MEIXNER

Thursday, January 28, 2010

JO TOWNS

Thursday, February 18, 2010

Editor (Interim)

**I apologize for the brevity
of this newsletter but things
have been hectic here.**

General Meeting Minutes – Butler County Kennel Club, Inc. (BCKC)

Meeting Date: Tuesday, February 2, 2010

The meeting was called to order at 7:10p.m. by President Mick McCormick.

There were 9 members in attendance.

Minutes of last meeting: Approved

Presidents Report:

Mick had sent news to everyone prior to the meeting regarding the passing of Pepi Meixner. The possibility of making a donation to Hospice was discussed. A motion was made by Harry, seconded by Micki to donate \$500. The motion was approved by the Club.

Secretary's Report:

Nothing at this date.

Treasurers Report:

Jennifer reported that she will be looking for a C.D. or some other form of investment to move our "stray" account into.

Committees

1. Education -

- a. Classes - The see schedule on the Web site for current dates.
- b. Mick reported that he is looking into a possible new site in which to hold classes. The location is on Whitestown Road. He is waiting on some additional information.

2. Public Relations – Karen will investigate the possibility of having something aired on the Armstrong Cable information channel.

Brag: None at this time.

Fall Show:

1. The Sussex Spaniel Club of America is still considering our 2011 show for their National Specialty. They would prefer and indoor ring. This is an event in process.
2. The Fairgrounds are going forward with the new building. At this time no additional information is available, and it will probably be late Spring before we know more.
3. PA System – Mick talked with the Fair Board and their cost to rent the PA System is \$500 for the

weekend. This is more than we want to put out for that service, and will work at improving the system that we have.

4. Canopy – we need to obtain a new canopy

5 judges have been hired, and the judging panel will be put together in the next month and submitted to AKC.

Puppy Match:

Kathie reported that the show date has been moved. This year it will be one week earlier (September 11)

Unfinished Business: none to be discussed

New Business:

Mick provided the club with a list of "Toys and Tools" that are needed. Discussion was done around all, and individuals volunteered to investigate pricing.

1. Canopy – Mick
2. Walkie Talkies – Patti
3. Leaf Blowers – Mick
4. Digital Projector and Screen – Jennifer
5. Coffee Dispensers (Air Pots) – Jinnie
6. Computer & Software – to be used by the Treasurer for maintenance of the financial records. Software needs to be determined. Mike to investigate.

Kathy discussed our membership in the ADOA and their work on legislation problems. She made the motion that we donate \$500 towards their legislative program. The motion was seconded by Patti, and approved by the Club.

Kathy made the motion that the meeting be adjourned, seconded by Patty. The motion was approved by the Club Members, and the meeting was adjourned at 8:00 p.m.