



The Butler County Kennel Club "Howler"

The Butler County Kennel Club is dedicated to the promotion of excellence in all-breed conformation. Founded in 1939, we are an AKC member club.

Newsletter - Winter 2012-2013

The Butler County Kennel Club Board of Directors -

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Reba Namachar, rnamachar@zoominternet.net



2013 Meeting Schedule & Highlighted Events

(Unless otherwise noted, all meetings are held at 7pm, the first Tuesday of the month at the Butler YMCA - Trustees Room)

January

February

March - **Final Reminder** - all dues must be received by the treasurer no later than March 1, 2013

April

May

June

July

August

September - Annual Picnic at McCormick's home and BCKC Dog Show - 21 & 22

October

November - Christmas Party

December

(Meeting refreshment responsibility schedule)

December 2012 - Mick & Kathie McCormick

January - John & Reba Namachar

February - Ross & Sue Chapin

March - Jinnie Stora

Membership Dues

\$10 for a single membership and \$15 for a family membership.

Article II Membership Section 6.

"Any member who has not paid his/her dues on or before the first of March shall not be considered in good standing for that club year."

Please bring your dues to the next meeting or mail them to Ross Chapin, BCKC Treasurer. Please make all checks or money orders payable to BCKC.

Newsletter Publication News

As of December 2012 Reba Namachar will take over the editing, publication and distribution of the club newsletter. In this capacity she will make the rules as to how information is to be submitted, the scheduling of input and it's format. If you are aware of something that the club membership should be informed of please get that information to Reba Namachar at her email address rnamachar@zoominternet.net or you may contact her at 724-482-2078 or send correspondence to 445 Whitestown Road, Butler PA 16001. Beginning in 2013, we are planning on publishing our newsletter on a quarterly basis. We would like to add photos of your dogs to each edition. So please send those pics in .jpg format. Also, each month we plan on including a quick introduction to the general membership of the board members who serve the members of this club. This month we will highlight our new Treasurer, Ross Chapin and new Board Member, Reba Namachar.

Service Dog Partner

2012-2013

<http://caesarinc.org/contactus.htm>

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Introducing Ross Chapin, Treasurer

I currently have 2 degrees, one in accounting and the other in information systems. I've been married for 40 years, had 3 children, and MANY dogs and cats over the years. I was a contractor doing strictly residential building and remodeling. I've been involved with Samoyeds since 1980, and have been a member of the Greater Pittsburgh Samoyed Club since 1981, and the Samoyed Club of America since 1983. Over the many years I have been the treasurer for several organizations. I currently maintain the most comprehensive single-breed electronic database (Samoyeds) in existence. I also do some genealogy research for my family.

Introducing Reba M. Namachar, Board Member



Prior to joining the Butler County Kennel Club, I served and continue to serve since 1986, as an active member of The Allegheny Pekingese Club, Inc. holding all offices at least once, and am currently serving as club Secretary and Show Secretary for our Independent Specialties. I also serve as a board member of

the Pekingese Triple Crown Event (currently the largest Pekingese Specialty cluster). I am an active member of the Pekingese Association and a former member of the New Castle Kennel Club.

My breed is Pekingese and has been since the early 80's. I started showing when a friend who had been showing my Peke, slapped an armband on me and virtually pushed me into the ring. That day, my boy Mike took Reserve Dog and I have been in the ring ever since. I personally have finished 3 Pekes to their titles (2 of which took Specialty Best of Breed) and my husband has finished our fourth Champion. We currently are showing another promising bred by puppy bitch, Cimarron Apassionata. I have completed 6 Sweepstakes judging assignments, having judged the prestigious Pekingese Association Match this past August and have since been invited to judge Sweepstakes for the Pekingese Club of New Jersey at the Triple Crown Pekingese Event in August 2013.

I served 15 combined years in the Army (WACs) and Army Reserve, departing as a Master Sergeant Senior Logistics Specialist, and retired about 5 years ago from the 99th Regional Readiness Command (Department of the Army Civilian) after working the past 20 years as their Support Services Specialist, providing administrative support, records management, and postal support for all Army Reserve units in 5 states.

I joined the Butler Kennel Club because I believe in their efforts to strongly support and promote the sport of showing dogs, and their personal commitment to booster all things canine within Butler County.

2012-2013 Membership List

Regina Beilstein	405 Olive St Butler PA 16001 (Samoyed) Snowball493@aol.com
Susan & Ross Chapin (Ross - Treasurer)	641 Kiester Rd Slippery Rock PA 16057 (Samoyed) lrchapin@zoominternet.net
Todd Fox	1346 W. Park Rd Slippery Rock PA 16057
Clint & Altha Graham (Clint - Vice President)	526 Robertson Rd Hermitage PA 16148 (Fox Terrier) cgrahamswft@gmail.com
Jennifer & Michael Joy	213 Sunbury Rd Slippery Rock PA 16057 (Australian Shepherd) jjoy75@hotmail.com
Marty & Jean Kroll	1429 Nobles Lane Pittsburgh PA 15210 (Belgium Turv, BWCG, Sheep & Pom)
Harry & Adrienne Logan	4436 Oakdale Rd Butler PA 16001 (Wire Fox Terrier)
Patricia Luce	84 Cawmona Rd Grove City PA 16127 (Shar Pei) pgizie7631@aol.com
Jim Martin	PO Box 202 East Butler PA 16053 jimsmartin@aol.com
Mick & Kathie McCormick (Mick - President)	421 Crisswell Rd Butler PA 16002 (Alaskan Malamutes) wcmenterprise@aol.com
Zane Meixner	2774 Beverly Blvd SW Roanoke VA 24015-4026 (Poodles)
Lois Metelsky	147 W. Currant St Mercer PA 16137 (Vizslas) vizsla@zoominternet.net
John & Reba Namachar (Reba - Board)	445 Whitestown Rd Butler PA 16001 (Pekingese) rnamachar@zoominternet.net 724-482-2078
Gary & Jeanette Nestor (Jeanette - Board)	125 S. Isabella St Saxonburg PA 16056 (Bassets & English Cocker) bassett@zoominternet.net

Patricia Pavetti (Board)	1157 Cole Rd Apollo PA 15613 (Boxer) pattysruby@gmail.com
Karen Robertson	204 W. Boyd Ave Butler PA 16001 (Keeshondens) Keeshond104@aol.com
Phyl Schraf	1612 N. Main St Ext Butler PA16001 (Collies - rough) curtaincall@zoominternet.net
Micki Sobota	Indian Hill Rd Leechburg PA 15656 (Boxer) bourbonhill@aim.com
Jan Stitt	619 Geidel Rd Ford City PA 16226 (Boxer, French Bulldog) jstitt@state.pa.us
Jinnie-Ann Stora (Secretary)	111 Wonderland Park Rd Evans City PA 16033 (Black & Tan Coonhound) jerzblu@zoominternet.net 724 538-5430
Agnes C. (Maggie) Toth	130 Dunkle Rd Parker PA 16049 (Siberian Huskies) Dwinds2@aol.com

All members please review the above information as pertains to you and email all corrections to rnamachar@zoominternet.net. I will ensure that necessary corrections are made in the next edition and that the club Treasurer and Secretary are also updated on the changes. Note that I have left off phone numbers. Please let me know if you would like me to include them in the next edition as well.

Reba Namachar

If you have an interesting article you would like to share with your fellow club members in the upcoming Spring Newsletter, please forward it to the Newsletter Editor no later than April 1st.