

August 2017

The Heart of America Boxer Club Newsletter

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Newsletter for the Heart of America Boxer Club

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 farmoreboxers@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)

Treasurer: Sabrina Jay (2018)

Secretary: Tiffany Jay (2019)

Board Member: Janet Ewing (2018)

Board Member: Amber Gates (2018)

Board Member: Thomas Latta (2019)

Committee Assignments for 2017-2018

Show Chairperson: Jeannine

Trophies: Janet (C), Mark and Tom D

Hospitality: Joyce (C), Liz, Scott, Rachel, and Kyle

Facebook Updates: Amber (C) and Peyton

Fundraising: Jeannine (C), Jim, Peyton, Tom L,
Tom D, and Dan

Advertising: Tiffany (C)

Nominating

Historian: P

Breeder Referral

Membership: Jeannine and Julie

Public Education: Tiffany (C), Julie, and Joyce

Door Prize: Carol (C), Hailey

Janet (C), Janet, and Rachel

Sabrina (C), and Julie

Sabrina (C) and Carol

Website: Tom L

Boxer Rescue: Liz

Newsletter: Amber

Legislation: Joyce

**NEW Committee
assignments coming
soon!**



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



Rescue Corner

WE NEED HELP!

Contact mokanboxerrescue@earthlink.net

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.ljkc.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
[joplandogs.com](http://www.joplandogs.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/Allstardogsports/?fref=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/>

www.offa.org

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

<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

Club	City	State	Show Day	Show Date	Breed Judge	Last Year
Crab Orchard Kennel Club, Inc.	Marion	IL	Saturday	5-Aug-17	Mr. Walter J Sommerfelt	12
Crab Orchard Kennel Club, Inc.	Marion	IL	Sunday	6-Aug-17	Col. Joe B Purkhiser	12
Arkansas Kennel Club, Inc.	Little Rock	AR	Saturday	12-Aug-17	Ms. Marcie S Dobkin	10
Arkansas Kennel Club, Inc.	Little Rock	AR	Sunday	13-Aug-17	Mr. John C Ramirez	10
Greeley Kennel Club, Inc.	Greeley	CO	Saturday	19-Aug-17	Mr. Jay Richardson	3
Greeley Kennel Club, Inc.	Greeley	CO	Sunday	20-Aug-17	Mr. Rick Gschwender	4
Greater Emporia Kennel Club, Inc.	Topeka	KS	Friday	18-Aug-17	Mr. Clay Coady	8
Jesse James Kennel Club	Topeka	KS	Saturday	19-Aug-17	Mrs. Nancy D Simmons	13
Jesse James Kennel Club	Topeka	KS	Sunday	20-Aug-17	Mrs. Evie Sullivan	10
Greater Emporia Kennel Club, Inc.	Topeka	KS	Monday	21-Aug-17	Mr. Robert L Robinson	7
Topeka Kennel Club, Inc.	Topeka	KS	Thursday	24-Aug-17	Col. Joe B Purkhiser	29
Manhattan Kansas Kennel Club	Topeka	KS	Friday	25-Aug-17	Mrs. Donna J Buxton	20
Heart of America Boxer Club, Inc.	Topeka	KS	Friday	25-Aug-17		
Topeka Kennel Club, Inc.	Topeka	KS	Saturday	26-Aug-17	Mr. Kenneth A Buxton	27
Heart of America Boxer Club, Inc.	Topeka	KS	Saturday	26-Aug-17	Mrs. Roberta (Bert) Rettick	90
Manhattan Kansas Kennel Club	Topeka	KS	Sunday	27-Aug-17	Rick Blanchard	30
Elgin Kennel Club	St Charles	IL	Saturday	26-Aug-17	Mr. James A Moses	12
Elgin Kennel Club	St Charles	IL	Sunday	27-Aug-17	Dr. Alvin W Krause	14
Cedar Valley Boxer Club	Amana	IA	Thursday	31-Aug-17	Mrs. Judith Voran	57
Tri-City Kennel Club, Inc.	Amana	IA	Friday	1-Sep-17	Mr. Lloyd Graser Jr.	55
Tri-City Kennel Club, Inc.	Amana	IA	Saturday	2-Sep-17	Col. Joe B Purkhiser	44
Cedar Rapids Kennel Association, Inc.	Amana	IA	Sunday	3-Sep-17	Mrs. Anne Marie Taylor	46
Cedar Rapids Kennel Association, Inc.	Amana	IA	Monday	4-Sep-17	Mr. James E Taylor	51
Danville Illinois Kennel Club, Inc.	Georgetown	IL	Saturday	2-Sep-17	Mrs. Catherine Bell	5
Danville Illinois Kennel Club, Inc.	Georgetown	IL	Sunday	3-Sep-17	To Be Assigned	5
St. Louis Dog Breeders Association, Inc.	Gray Summit	MO	Saturday	2-Sep-17	Mr. Sei-ichiro Ishimaru	9
St. Louis Dog Breeders Association, Inc.	Gray Summit	MO	Sunday	3-Sep-17	Mr. Clay Coady	9
West Central Oklahoma Kennel Club	Elk City	OK	Thursday	7-Sep-17	Dr. Steve Keating	12
West Central Oklahoma Kennel Club	Elk City	OK	Friday	8-Sep-17	Mr. Robert J Shreve	12
Peak to Peak Working Dog Association of Colorado	Greeley	CO	Friday	8-Sep-17	Mr. Vincent P Chianese	
Evergreen Colorado Kennel Club	Greeley	CO	Saturday	9-Sep-17	Mr. William (Bill) P Shelton	3
Evergreen Colorado Kennel Club	Greeley	CO	Sunday	10-Sep-17	Mr. Desmond J Murphy	6
Des Moines Kennel Club, Inc.	Des Moines	IA	Saturday	9-Sep-17	Dr. Dana Ann Smith Massey	15
Des Moines Kennel Club, Inc.	Des Moines	IA	Sunday	10-Sep-17	Mr. Walter J Sommerfelt	14

Learning Stuff!

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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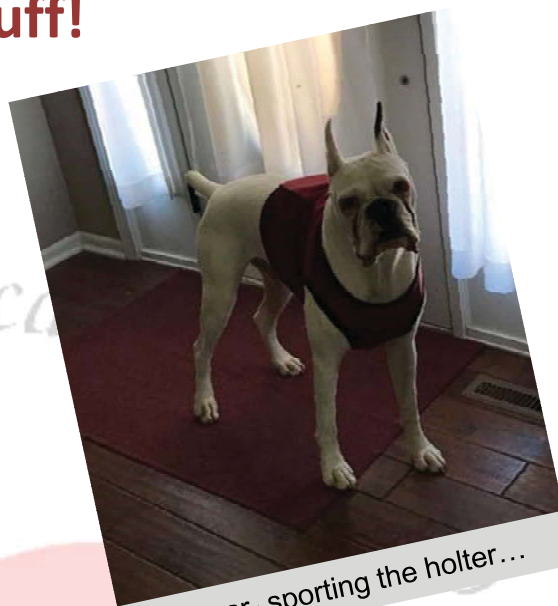
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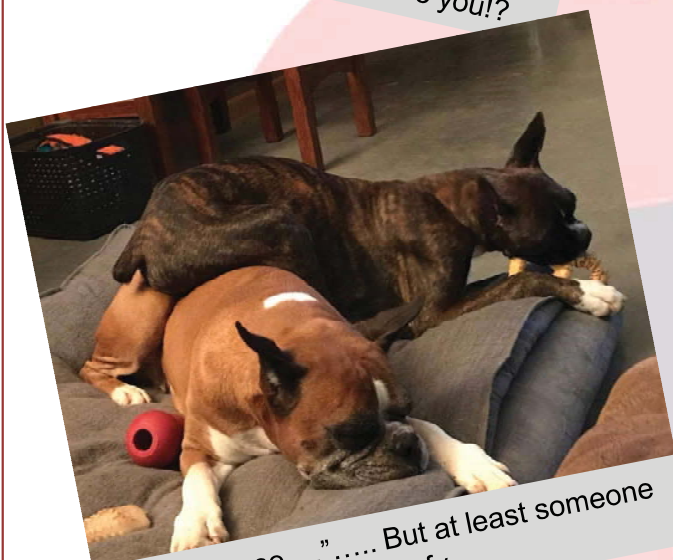
Fun Stuff!



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



Caesar- sporting the holster...



"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!

