



# NOVEMBER 2011



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## HOLIDAY GATHERING

Who: All Ithaca Dog Training Club members and their guests  
What: Holiday Party When: Sunday, December 11, 11:00AM - 2:00PM  
Where: Ramada Inn 2310 N. Triphammer Road, Ithaca in Ballroom ABC  
Price: \$14.00 per person paid in advance. Check made payable to the Ithaca Dog Training Club and mail, with the names attending to: Pat Welch, 1164 East Shore Drive, Ithaca, NY 14850  
Deadline: Thursday, December 1  
Menu: Buffet consisting of lots of good things to detailed later.

This not-to-be-missed event is at a new venue this year. You will be pleasantly surprised at the decorated banquet rooms complete with gas fireplace! We will have our own buffet in our private banquet rooms consisting of many brunch items, drinks and dessert. We are also invited to the bar and the made-to-order omelet bar in the hotel's main brunch location. TITLE AWARDS see the newsletter and send the form to send to Betty Baldwin.

QUESTIONS Jen Patterson [jlp8@cornell.edu](mailto:jlp8@cornell.edu) or Diane Krause [windkisst@aol.com](mailto:windkisst@aol.com) or Pat Welch [pwelch@twcny.rr.com](mailto:pwelch@twcny.rr.com)

## NOVEMBER MEETING

Date: November 22  
Where : the Pavilion  
Board meeting @ 6:30  
Program @7:30  
General meeting To follow program  
Program is on Nosework presented by Abbie Tanner

### MEMORIAL PAGE IN HOLIDAY PARTY PROGRAM TO HONOR DOGS WHO HAVE PASSED OVER THE BRIDGE THIS YEAR

We'd like to dedicate a special memorial page in the holiday party program to honor club members' dogs that have passed on this year. If you have a dog that you would like to honor, please send the following information to Betty Baldwin by November 24:

Your name \_\_\_\_\_  
Your e-mail address/phone number in case additional information is needed \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of dog \_\_\_\_\_ Dog's call name \_\_\_\_\_  
Titles \_\_\_\_\_  
Breed \_\_\_\_\_  
Any special tribute you have for the dog:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Please send information to Betty Baldwin before November 24, 2011. Information can be sent by email to [bhb5@cornell.edu](mailto:bhb5@cornell.edu) or by snail mail to 590 Asbury Rd Freeville, NY 13068.

**DEADLINE** FOR THE DECEMBER NEWSLETTER IS NOVEMBER 25TH

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## BOARD MEMBERS

Jennifer Patterson (1/10-1/12)  
Lucille Straub (1/10-1/12)  
Sharon Garland  
Jan Estes  
Diane Krause

## TRAINING COMMITTEE

### **Training Director -**

Kerry Boisvert - [bigskyborder@verizon.net](mailto:bigskyborder@verizon.net)

### **Appointed Members -**

Deb Bain (2/10-2/12)  
Ray Corey (2/11-2/12)  
Anne Williams (2/11-2/13)

### **Elected Members**

Suzanne Etherinton 2/10-2/12  
Tammy Osmeloski 2/11-2/12  
Debbie Keith 2/11-1/13

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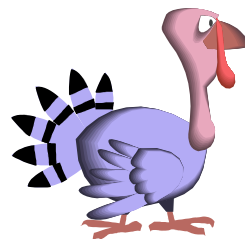
## Address Corrections

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753-8966 (W)  
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Web Pages - General - Lisa Mitchell 532-4686  
Welcoming Chair - Cheri Jackmin



# General Meeting Minutes

IDTC General meeting Minutes  
October 2011  
Submitted by Hannah Robinson

**Minutes:** Were accepted for last month as read.

**Treasurer's Report:** Total of all accounts, \$44,968. There was an increase in Beginner Registrations, and overall income year to date.

CPE Trial, Sept., 2012 – Rose Zontek has been approved as the judge for next year's CPE agility trial.

**Training Committee:** Classes for Jan. 2012 will be available soon. Club's evening obedience show and go for members will be Nov. 15<sup>th</sup> at the pavilion, including Lisa Mitchell's Beginner Novice class demonstration.

**Old Business:** The Agility League pre-Christmas Party will be Friday, December 9<sup>th</sup> Public Show and Go (both obedience and agility) will be Saturday, December 10<sup>th</sup> at the pavilion.

SEE ATTACHED POSTER. If you have a good place to post this notice, please do so!

Anyone wishing to help should contact Kathy Hildreth for obedience, or Hannah Robinson for agility.

We are looking for set-up, take down, stewards, jump crew and general help - for any part of the day.

The Holiday Party will be December 11<sup>th</sup> at the Ramada on Triphammer Road again. We are still looking for someone to organize the Raffle. Amanda Pough volunteered. Please bring donations to the Brunch.

Marian and several other members attended the Pet Expo at the Mall on Saturday the 15<sup>th</sup>. They handed out information and answered questions. There was also a pets in costume parade, including a Chihuahua dressed as a pumpkin. We could do some small demonstrations next year's Expo – October 12<sup>th</sup>, as there is enough space.

Plans are in the works for an obedience seminar next year. Bruce is establishing a good location and time, then finding a clinician. He emphasized that this process needs to be started more than a year in advance.

**New Business:** Margie Peech, who has organized the graduation refreshments for several years, gave notice that she is retiring this year. We need to find one or more peo-

ple willing to take on this job. At a minimum, someone needs to do the calling/emailing around for food donations, and get a cake.

The Kennel Club is putting on an Obedience/Breed/Rally Match at Cornell on March 4, 2012. It will be in the Equestrian Center on the dirt floor. Both Lisa and Pat worked there last year, and said the surface was not distracting to dogs or difficult for handlers. If we are going to participate (as the membership was generally in favor of doing), we need an organizer.

The board discussed providing nicer trophies for Rally, but Betty Baldwin will need a helper if there are more awards given out, as she is about at her limit with the work load at present. Tammy Snyder and Lisa Mitchell said they might be able to assist Betty, but wanted to know what they would have to do. Marian will find out. A suggestion was made about cash prizes, but AKC will not approve cash prizes at matches or shows.

New T-shirts need to be ordered. Suggestions for colors, styles, and size of logo are requested.

The meeting adjourned at 8:10 pm for Sue Yanoff's talk on her experience at the Susan Garrett Obedience Seminar.



## 2011 ANNUAL AWARDS

### OBEDIENCE / PERFORMANCE TITLES EARNED BY IDTC MEMBERS

Each active IDTC member that earned a title in 2011 will be recognized at the Annual Holiday Party with a certificate recognizing that achievement and will be able to choose an IDTC trinket – one for each dog.

#### About the Owner / Handler

\*Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address and/or phone number (in case additional information is needed) \_\_\_\_\_

#### About the Dog

\*Call Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Registered Name (if you'd like it on the certificate): \_\_\_\_\_  
\*Breed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

#### About the Title(s)

\*Titling Organization (AKC, CKC, CPE, ASCA, AMBOR, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_  
\*Title (s): \_\_\_\_\_  
Scores obtained in earning title: \_\_\_\_\_

Other special achievements worthy of note (HIT's, class placements, etc)  
\_\_\_\_\_

\*Required information

Please send title information to Betty Baldwin before Thanksgiving November 24, 2011.

Information can be sent by email to [bhb5@cornell.edu](mailto:bhb5@cornell.edu)

or by snail mail to 590 Asbury Rd  
Freeville, NY 13068

It is not necessary to use the form or to fill out a form for each title as long as the information is clear.

Please read the list below and if you qualify for any of the special awards (e.g. junior or senior handler, IDTC puppy graduate, and especially Novice A (vs Novice B) for CD and Open A (vs Open B)), please be sure the pertinent information is included.

#### Special Awards

*Anke Award:* senior dog (at least 6 years old) with 3 Highest Scores (HS) earning a First CD

*Bingo Memorial Award:* dog with 3 HS earning a Club Title with a mixed breed

*Bonnie Jean Memorial Award:* senior handler (at least 65 years old) with 3 HS in AKC Open A or Utility A Obedience

*Carol Matyas Award:* junior handler (age 6-18) with 3 HS in AKC Novice A Obedience

*Dusty Award:* 3 HS in AKC Novice A Obedience

*Frosty Award:* 3 HS in AKC Open A Obedience

*Marie Reed Award:* 3 HS in AKC Obedience Trial (tie goes to the HS while earning a title)

*Rosy Ann Memorial Award:* 3 HS while earning a CKC title

*Skookie Memorial Plaque:* 3 HS in earning a First club or AKC CD (i.e. from Novice A) by a graduate of the IDTC Puppy Class

**2012 MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL FORM**  
**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

NAME : \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS : \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE : \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL : \_\_\_\_\_  
DOG BREEDS : \_\_\_\_\_

**MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION**

2012 MEMBERSHIP (circle one)      SINGLE - \$30      FAMILY- \$40      LIFE MEMBER  
ACTIVITY STATUS (circle one)      ACTIVE      INACTIVE      NEW WITHIN 1

**VOLUNTEER ACTIVITY AND MEETING ATTENDANCE**

Activity hours and meeting attendance to be maintained by member

Activity/Event	Hours	Event Chairperson
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____

**Meeting Attendance (circle months - must attend 3)**

January      February      March      April      May      June  
July      August      September      October      November      December

**Shared Personal Information:**

- Please **omit** part or all of my contact information in the IDTC membership Information to omit: \_\_\_\_\_
- Please **do not** sign me up for the IDTC Yahoo Group List (you can unsubscribe at any time)
- Newsletter/Roster Delivery:** Offered to members who do not use internet options
- Please send a newsletter to my mailing address listed above.
- Please send a 2011 membership roster to my mailing address listed above.

Make checks payable to IDTC. Mail to:  
Liz Corey, 645 Jewett Hill Rd., Berkshire, NY 13736  
Phone: (607) 657-4458      Email: turkeyridge645@frontiernet.net



Ithaca Dog Training Club Presents  
**Agility & Obedience Show and Go's**  
**Saturday, December 10<sup>th</sup> ~ 9 am to 4 pm**

At the Cornell Livestock Pavilion, Judd Falls Rd, Ithaca, New York 14850  
Agility Show & Go Opens at 8:30 am for Sign up and Crating  
**Course Designed by Tammy Osmeloski**

**Agility Standard Nested Novice/Advanced**  
9:00 am – 11:00 am ~ Big Dogs – 16” - 24”  
11:15 am - 12:15 pm ~ Small Dogs – 4” - 12”

**Obedience sign up before 1 pm 2 rings**  
Utility and Open start at 1pm approx. or as soon as set up  
Followed by Novice and BN/GN as soon as a ring becomes available

**Rally sign up, walk and run 1 pm til end.**  
Nested Novice and Advanced courses  
No Judge, play on your own

*No Pre-registration*

**Fee: Public - \$6 per run/2 runs \$10 (can be different dogs and split between events)**  
**IDTC Members - \$3 (Active) per run \$4 (Inactive) per run**

Facility: Restrooms, 8”sawdust floor over concrete, crating space, parking near facility or in nearby lot.  
Club is providing coffee and donuts in the morning.  
Pizza, burgers and grocery are approximately 1 mile away.  
Please keep barking dogs outside until getting on line to run.

**For further information contact:**  
Hannah Robinson – Agility info 607 659-3621, or 607 343-4724 (cell),  
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***Please call or email if weather is blizzard condition, we may cancel.***

# November 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15 Show & Go @ Pavilion	16	17	18	19
20	21	22 <b>IDTC MEETING</b>	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

# December 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31



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**IDTC BRAG FORM**

NAME : \_\_\_\_\_

DOG'S NAME & BREED \_\_\_\_\_

SHOW DATE & KENNEL CLUB \_\_\_\_\_

TITLE EARNED : \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE SEND TO : LINDA L. HOWELL  
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