

Ramapo Kennel Club GROWL

April 2005

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DATES to REMEMBER

May 11th **Membership Meeting** - 8:00 p.m. Elections. Closed meeting

June 8th **Ramapo Kennel Club Awards Dinner** – *Rupports*,
92 Route 23 North, Riverdale, NJ 7:30 p.m.

June 18th **Ramapo Kennel Club Match Show**
9:00 a.m. New Jersey Veterans Home, Paramus

September 14th **Membership Meeting** - 8:00 p.m. Program to be announced

October 12th **Membership Meeting** - 8:00 p.m. Program to be announced

**October
16th and 17th** **POINT SHOWS**

Special Note: Ken Grohbrugge has resigned from the board because of business pressure making it impossible to attend meetings. His Board position will have to be filled. Do you know someone who would like to serve and has experience? Nominate them at the election meeting and let us vote on them.

GROWL editor

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Ramapo Kennel Club

BREED & OBEDIENCE MATCH SHOW WITH JUNIOR HANDLING & RARE BREEDS

Ramapo Kennel Club Website <http://britthavenkennels.com/RKC/>

Saturday June 18, 2005

New Jersey Veterans Home, Paramus, New Jersey

**AKC Sanctioned B All Breed Conformation Match
Obedience "C" Match**

ENTRIES TAKEN 9:00 - 10:00 AM

Entry Fee: \$8 Additional entry same dog \$5
Junior Handling \$2 Handling Clinic \$2

Classes: Breed Puppy 3-6 months, 6-9 months, 12 - 18 months, Open

Obedience: Pre Novice, Novice, Open, Utility "C" Match

Judging Times: Handling Clinic **9:30 AM**

Obedience **10:00 AM**

Breed **10:30 AM**

Match Chair: Joanne Silver
silverck@carroll.com (201) 848-9229
Obedience Chair: Louise DeBlois
loui2389@aol.com (973) 239-6742

Assistant Chair: Jeffrey Ball
jball@hpae.org (201) 689-1323
Obedience Assistant Chair: John Piznak
rottiedobe@aol.com (973) 696-8419

BREED

Sporting Group **Mari Kennedy**
Hounds **Joseph Lara**
Working and Herding **Grace McGlynn**
Toys and Non Sporting **Lena Tamboer**
Terrier Group **Betty McDonnell**
Juniors **Deborah Maltby-Evans**
Best Puppy in Match **Grace McGlynn**
Best Adult in Match **Betty McDonnell**
Handling Clinic

Small Breed: **to be announced**

OBEDIENCE "C"

Pre-Novice **First Available Judge**
Novice **Paul Allen**
Open **Karen Ray**
Utility **Roberta Berman**
Verbal and gentle corrections will be allowed
Food and Toys allowed

Large Breeds: **Jeffrey Ball**

Directions: Route *17 North or South, Exit Ridgewood Ave, East, Oradell. Go to the 5th traffic light make a right onto Pascack Rd.. Stay in right lane, and follow the Veterans Home signs. Make first right, next right at the Army tank. You may not park in the front lot, but along the road or in the rear parking area.

Route 287 traveling North. Exit 59 for Route 208 and continue to Route 4. Take exit for Route 17 North. Follow directions above.*

Route 287 traveling South from NY. Take Route 17 South and follow directions above.*

From NJ Turnpike take exit for Route 80 West to Route 17 North and follow directions above.*

Garden State Parkway North: Exit 165. Follow sign for Oradell. At first traffic light make a right onto Pascack Rd. .. Stay in right lane, and follow the Veterans Home signs. Make first right, next right at the Army tank.

Snacks and beverages will be for sale.

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RAMAPO KENNEL CLUB April 13, 2005 General Meeting Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 8:55 p.m. by President, Joanne Silver.

Members and Guests were asked to sign the Roll Call sheet on the back table.

Joanne Silver gave the Treasurer's report for Jackie Makoujy. The reported balance in the Money Market account is \$20,114.16 and the checking account balance is \$27,046.69. Jackie will be transferring some of the funds in the checking account into the money market account shortly as all the receipts from the Point Show are final.

Also, the monies collected from the Bingo Night for the victims of the Tsunami will be disbursed to the American Red Cross. The Club raised \$300.00 which it will match for a total donation of \$600.00.

Also, all applicable refunds for obedience and show handling classes have been sent.

Corresponding Secretary: Shirley Irwin received a thank you note from the Neapolitan Mastiff Club Rescue for the \$100.00 which was returned to them for the "booth space" they paid for at our Point Show.

Also received was a thank you from the (Bill) Delaney Medical Fund for our donation on behalf of the Club.

Recording Secretary: Pat Paladino advised the minutes were prepared by Joanne Silver and published in the GROWL. Minutes approved as published: Joyce Wilson/Jack Berlet.

Refreshments for the next meeting will be graciously supplied by Stephanie Whitey, Joanne Silver and Gail Yingling. THANK YOU!

Sunshine: Lorraine Fennemore advised everyone that member April Rothwell is back in Chilton Memorial Hospital for problems with her leg.

The June Awards Dinner will be held at Ruppert's Restaurant, the site of our Holiday Party. Gail Yingling reported that the menu will be published in the GROWL and any feedback about menu choices can be directed to her.

Paid Members and Life Members are free and the cost to Guests will be \$25.00 (to cover the meal, tax and tip.)

Elaine Barone will also be accepting donations of pet items at the Awards Dinner which she will distribute where needed.

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Jack Berlet thanked Jeff Ball for all his help in getting the GROWL put together, published and sent.

The Match Show will be held this year on Saturday, June 18, 2005 at the Paramus Veterans Home. Flyers are available on the back table for distribution and Rare Breeds will be included.

Also, all the equipment stored at the VFW in Little Falls, tables, gates, mats, etc. needs to be picked up. Due to a recent newspaper article, it is apparent that the hall will not be ready anytime soon to resume our obedience/show handling classes.

If anyone should know or become aware of a place where these classes can be held, and will accommodate us, please let a Club Officer know.

Point Show: Elaine Barone circulated a form for people interested in sponsoring either the Group Trophy or Rosettes. Individual breed trophy forms will be available at our next meeting and will also be published in the GROWL.

Any Vendors interested in attending our shows can contact Janis Hayes or Elaine Barone for details.

Advertising is being handled by Jeff Ball and those forms will be available at our next meeting and will also be published in the GROWL and available on line.

Joanne Silver has located some additional Puppy Development books by Pat Hastings. They are available for sale at a cost of \$11.00. If you are interested please see Joanne.

The Nominating Committee has offered the following slate of officers for our Club election in May, 2005. It should also be noted that there were NO additional nominations from the floor.

President	Jack Berlet
Vice President	Ruth Henningsen
Corresponding Secretary	Shirley Irwin
Recording Secretary	Pat Paladino
Treasurer	Jackie Makoujy
Board	Jeffrey Ball and Dee Bracken

Jack Berlet also advised the Membership of a puppy buying scam that is going on. Breeders are asked particulars about purchasing a puppy, mostly for 2 or 3 times the asking price, then reimbursement for the shipping of the puppy (which is never picked up) all with an International Money Order that is eventually returned to the breeder unpaid.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Pat Paladino
Recording Secretary

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Ramapo Kennel Club Obedience Trophy Sponsor Form
Sunday October 9 & Monday October 10 2005

SPONSORSHIP OF OBEDIENCE CLASSES

Please fill out the form below with your choice and how you wish your listing to read.
Note: **Deadline for premium listing must be received by May 30th.**

	Sun \$40.00	Mon \$30.00
HIGH COMBINED	_____	_____
CLASSES 1ST -4TH	Sun \$35.00	Mon \$35.00
UTILITY A	_____	_____
UTILITY B	_____	_____
OPEN A	_____	_____
OPEN B	_____	_____
NOVICE A	_____	_____
NOVICE B	_____	_____

PLEASE INDICATE CHOICE IN SPACE PROVIDED ABOVE.

Listing to read:

Name _____ Tel: _____
Address _____
Email _____ Total enclosed \$ _____

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Ramapo Kennel Club Mail or give to :

Dolores Bracken	or	Vivian Breier
65 William St		8 Midvale Ave
Little Falls NJ 07424		Fairfield NJ 07004-1348
973-256-1137		973-808-7432
Email brackendee@aol.com		Email breier531@aol.com

Thank you for your generous support of our two day show!!

NO ADDITIONS OR CHANGES WILL BE MADE AFTER May 30th EXCEPT CORRECTIONS TO THE PREMIUM LIST.

NOTE: USE SEPARATE TROPHY SPONSOR FORM FOR BREED SPECIFIC OBEDIENCE AWARDS. USE THIS FORM FOR MONETARY CLASS SPONSORSHIP

- d. Are you able to provide suitable clothing with many pockets?
- e. Do you have anything that can be groomed (often shag carpeting, stuffed animals or other family members) that can calm eager hands?
- f. Are you able to listen for hours on end, patiently, and supportively?
- g. Do you have thousands of extra dollars needed to properly support a dog show H. O. R.?

If you've answered "yes!" to these questions, you may be dog show H.O.R. material!

Adopting a dog show H.O.R. can be a very rewarding experience. They are usually so willing to please, and often are happy with only an occasional class ribbon to play with. They can pick up droppings, are willing to help groom and show your own animals, and already know directions to every fairground and showground in the lower 48 states. They can have vast amounts of knowledge and wisdom that they are willing to impart to anyone who has the patience to listen for hours.... and hours.... and hours. While some may need a bit of resocializing, better nutrition and regular exercise, most adjust very well to their new dog show families when given appropriate time, reconditioning, patience and access to liver.

We also get a few breeder/handler/owner rescues (B. H. O. R. s) from time to time. Dog show B.H.O.R.s are often more difficult to place as they are usually alphas and may have a harder time getting along with existing dog show breeders. They tend to be less submissive, and often will try to control the household and existing breeder's program if strong boundaries are not set. There is hope for B.H.O.R.s, though. For those with the experience, extra patience and a strong hand, even dog show B.H.O.R.s can find new and useful lives.

So, if you're interested in fostering or adopting either a dog show H.O.R. or B.H.O.R., please contact us. If you are not able to foster or adopt at this time, if you know of a dog show H.O.R. or B.H.O.R. in need of rehoming, or would just like to make a much needed donation, please give us a call at 800-555-HORS! You can also visit one of our Dog Show B.H.O.R.s and H.O.R.s booths located at most major dog shows.

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Linda Hardman

"Angels fly because they take themselves lightly"

May be cross posted!

New Dog Show Handler/Owner Rescue Assoc. Opens to the Community

LOS ANGELES, Calif. (ARP)-- Looking for someone special to help around the kennel or on dog show trips? Would you like that special companion, who understands, to share your home and life? Why not consider adopting a rescued handler/owner!

The Dog Show Handler/Owner Rescue Association is currently screening families who might be interested in adopting or fostering a handler/owner rescue (or H.O.R.s for short). While there are a great many canine breed rescue organizations in our communities, there has been nothing (until now) to help the displaced, neglected or abandoned handler/owner. The need is greater than ever and the Dog Show H.O.R. Assoc. needs your help to address this growing problem.

Who are the H.O.R.s that need help? Well, we see them every day. Some are lost or abandoned, then picked up in parks attempting to stalk squirrels. Others are turned in by parents or spouses who didn't realize how much time, care and responsibility it takes to keep these special H.O.R.s. Often, these H.O.R.s are turned in with their own dogs. A number of H.O.R.s come to us because of bad knees and their families have decided they have outlived their usefulness. Many require medical attention due to years of caring for their dogs, yet neglecting their own diet, exercise and medical care.

Your probably asking yourself right now, "How can I help?" We've prepared some questions to help you decide if you might be a suitable dog show H.O.R. family:

- a. Do you have a fenced yard?
- b. Do you mind the smell of liver in the house?
- c. Do you have a spare RV or Camper?

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SAVE THE DATE!!!!

June 8th 2005

Ramapo Kennel Club Awards Dinner

Location

Rupperts

92 Route 23 North

Riverdale, New Jersey

7:30 p.m.

Buffet Dinner

Please RSVP to

Gail at (973)256-6566, email Gyinglin@aol.com or
Jeffrey (201) 689-1323 email jeffbetsyball@yahoo.com

by May 25th, 2005

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Dear RKC Member,

Dues for the coming year, 2005 – 2006, are now due and payable by August 15th 2005.
Please make checks payable to the **RAMAPO KENNEL CLUB** and *mailed to:*

Ramapo Kennel Club
Jackie Makoujy, Treasurer
694 Ginger Lane
Franklin Lakes, New Jersey 07417-2208

_____ Junior Membership - \$7.00 (10-18 years old)

_____ Family Membership - \$30.00 (Husband and Wife)

_____ Regular Membership - \$20.00

_____ Life Membership – No Fee required

LIFE MEMERS, PLEASE NOTE: You must return this form if you wish to continue receiving THE GROWL and the RKC Membership Roster/Phone Directory.

*Please help us update our records. If there are any corrections or additions to your current listing in the roster, please make the changes below. **Please print:***

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Fax: _____ Email: _____

Kennel Name: _____ Breed: _____

Interests: _____

Please return this entire form with your payment, thank you.

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TROPHY SPONSOR

PLEASE INDICATE WHICH DAY(S) YOU ARE SUPPORTING

<i>Breed or Variety:</i>		
<i>Class</i>	<i>Trophy</i>	<i>Offered By</i>
<i>Best of Breed</i>		
<i>Best of Opposite Sex</i>		
<i>Best of Winners</i>		
<i>Winners Dog</i>		
<i>Winners Bitch</i>		
<i>Reserve Winners Dog</i>		
<i>Reserve Winners Bitch</i>		
<i>Puppy Dog 6 - 9 Mo. - First</i>		
<i>Puppy Dog 9 - 12 Mo. - First</i>		
<i>12 - 18 Month Dog - First</i>		
<i>Novice Dog - First</i>		
<i>Bred-By-Exhibitor Dog - First</i>		
<i>American Bred Dog - First</i>		
<i>Open Dog - First</i>		
<i>Puppy Bitch 6 - 9 Mo. - First</i>		
<i>Puppy Bitch 9 - 12 Mo. - First</i>		
<i>12 - 18 Month Bitch - First</i>		
<i>Novice Bitch - First</i>		
<i>Bred-By-Exhibitor Bitch - First</i>		
<i>American Bred Bitch - First</i>		
<i>Open Bitch - First</i>		

<i>Name:</i>	<i>Check #:</i>
<i>Address:</i>	<i>Date:</i>
	<i>Order:</i>
<i>Tel. Day:</i>	
<i>Tel. Night:</i>	

Send to: Elaine Barone, 10 Birch Road, Kinnelon, NJ 07405
 Or email Elaine.bowow@juno.com

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RAMAPO KENNEL CLUB
MEMBER AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB



NAME: _____ TELEPHONE: _____
 ADDRESS: _____ CITY, STATE, ZIP: _____
 DOG BREED(S): _____ E-MAIL: _____
 Are you 18 years old or over: () Yes () No
 For Jr. Membership (10-18 only) - enter date of birth: / /
 List other All-Breed or Specialty Clubs to which you now belong or have belonged and offices held (if any): _____

- If elected to Membership, will you be willing to serve on a Committee(s):
- () Yes () No Committee(s) interested in working on:

- | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| Advertising/Catalog | <input type="checkbox"/> | Dinner Arrangements | <input type="checkbox"/> | Membership | <input type="checkbox"/> | Publicity | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Audio/Photography | <input type="checkbox"/> | Eye Clinic | <input type="checkbox"/> | Obedience Classes | <input type="checkbox"/> | Roster | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Awards | <input type="checkbox"/> | Historian/Librarian | <input type="checkbox"/> | Pet Therapy/Health | <input type="checkbox"/> | Show Handling Classes | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Breed Trophies | <input type="checkbox"/> | Match Show | <input type="checkbox"/> | Point Show | <input type="checkbox"/> | Special Events | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Budget | <input type="checkbox"/> | Material/Property | <input type="checkbox"/> | Programs | <input type="checkbox"/> | Sunshine | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Community Service | <input type="checkbox"/> | Meeting Hospitality | <input type="checkbox"/> | Public Education | <input type="checkbox"/> | The GROWL/Newsletter | <input type="checkbox"/> |

If elected to Membership, I hereby agree to abide by the Constitution and By-Laws of the Ramapo Kennel Club and the Rules and Regulations of the American Kennel Club.

Signature of Applicant

Annual Dues check applicable box(es):

ONE time Application Fee:	\$ 2.00	_____
Individual Membership:	\$20.00	_____
Two Members of Immediate Family:	\$30.00	_____
Junior Membership:	\$ 7.00	_____

NOTE: 1) \$2.00 Application fee must be included with membership application.
 2) Annual dues should not be paid until membership is accepted
 3) This application WILL NOT be considered until you have attended at least one regular meeting of the Ramapo Kennel Club.

THE FOLLOWING PORTION IS TO BE COMPLETED BY THE SPONSORS

NAME OF SPONSOR	SIGNATURE OF SPONSOR	LENGTH OF TIME KNOWN
APPLICANT		

Letters of Recommendation from each Sponsor must accompany this application!
 Please send application, \$2.00 application fee and letters of recommendation from the two Sponsors to:
Patty Paladino, Ramapo Kennel Club Membership Chairperson, 22 Summit Avenue, Garfield, NJ 07026-2814
 Telephone: (973) 772-9594 E-Mail: PPPigs@aol.com

THIS PORTION FOR CLUB USE ONLY

Received by Membership Chairperson: _____	Attendance at Meeting: _____
Read at Meeting: _____	Notice to Membership: _____
Voted on: _____	Disposition: _____

Ramapo Kennel Club Proudly Presents Canine Reproduction Seminar

By

Dr. Robert Van Hutchison, DVM,

**One of the leading canine reproduction experts in the
world!**

29 October 2005

Holiday Inn

One Route 46 W

Totowa, NJ

973-785-9000

800-443-5943

About 15 minutes from Giants Stadium

Learn about the latest advances in canine reproduction from one of the foremost experts in this field. Dr. Hutchison is the author of many articles and magazine presentations. This is an absolute must for all breeders, and Dr. Hutchison is an excellent and entertaining speaker. His passion for canine reproduction makes this seminar riveting and most informative. Topics include missed breedings, artificial insemination with fresh or frozen semen, pinpointing ovulation, estrus induction and postponement, problem pregnancies, bitch management, neonatal mortality, caesarian sections and more. Bring your difficult cases for extensive Q &A. This form is available for printout at www.britthavenkennels.com/RKC, the RKC website

Program:	8AM- 9AM	Check-in	Coffee and Danish
	9AM-12	Seminar	
	12-1PM	Lunch	
	1PM-5PM	Seminar	with soda break

Name _____

Address _____

Phone/email _____

Registration fee is \$80 (early bird \$75 until 1 September 2005) Deadline for registration is 12 October 2005. Remit to RKC and mail to Shirley Irwin, 268 Hoboken Rd., East Rutherford, NJ 07073. Phone 201-896-1156 Meadowlbgl@aol.com Reserve early to assure a seat and save \$5.