

KCTC Accomplishments

Rocky the bull terrier completed his CA title at Chagrin Falls, becoming what we think is the first colored bull terrier with a CA!

Congrats to his owners
Deanna Dean and Tony Matz!

Trump, the Australian Shepherd owned by Pat Zapf, was breeder/owner handled at two different shows on two different days and was Winners Dog, Best of Winners, Best of Breed at both shows from the classes. Way to go Trump!

Pat Zapf

My **Aiden** at B&D Creekside Activity Center surprised me on 7/6/13 by not only achieving his Rally Champion (ARCH) title but also his Rally Level 1 Championship (Individual) title.

Ian, Aiden and I look forward to future WCRL Rally trials.

Trial on....Bonnie McKeown

At the TDAA trial at B&D Creekside on August 24th, I managed to find a way to keep the "Flurry-ing around" to a minimum and **Flurry** completed 5 out of 6 runs. Oh yeah... she also earned her Games I title and her first standard Q - Yay!
Stacy Podplesky

Crystal earned her Preferred Agility Excellent (PAX) title over Labor Day weekend. In order to earn that title, she had to earn 20 double qualifying (2Q) scores. A "2Q" is earned when a dog qualifies in both the Master Preferred Standard and Master Preferred Jumpers With Weaves class on the same date at the same trial. This has been our long-time goal, and I am very proud of her earning her title at age 10! She now has high level titles in both Agility and Rally, and also is an active Therapy Dog.

Pam Lewis

A Great Tea cup weekend at B&D Creekside Activity Center in Latrobe on Saturday August 24th and Sunday, August 25th, by the Bandi's.

Tiffany had 8 out of 10 qualifying runs and received her TMAG 7 title and her long awaited TACH 4 title.

Amber Star hopefully has returned to the Tea Cup agility ring. Our little Yorkie tried her best on Saturday and qualified in 4 of 6 runs with 4 Second Place Ribbons and received her TMAG 4 Title.

We are blessed with our little Yorkies.
Great Work!

Tom & Phyllis Bandi



Amber Star



Tiffany



Teacup Agility Petit Prix October 25-27

KCTC is again co-sponsoring the Petit Prix at B&D in Latrobe, which is the Teacup Agility National Championship, October 25 – 27.

We need the following items:

- Cardigan sweaters for the Mr. Rogers Challenge that we are in charge of. There is a box for sweaters on the table in the long hallway.
- Four or five items for an Italian Raffle Basket (dried pasta, sauces, Italian wine, etc.). Please leave your donations on the desk in the office.

Please contact Pam Lewis (samoyed4@verizon.net) before you donate items for the basket, to avoid duplication of donations.



Fun Day At Winfield Pines

"It was a dark and stormy night" and heck, Winfield Pines wasn't much better the next morning as we loaded up the truck on August 3rd and off Sarah Wiggle Butt and I went to set up a mini agility course with tunnels from the club and some odds and ends we had around the basement with the idea of letting people know that you can do more with your dogs than just go for a walk and it doesn't take all kinds of expensive gear, just a little imagination. The light rain that fell didn't dampen the enthusiasm of the participants as they entreated and cajoled their neophyte canines through the makeshift course. We did a little behavioral problem solving in a question and answer session and provided the participants with information on Keystone and the many opportunities that our Club has to offer.

If you get the chance and you want a new place to take your dog, Winfield Pines, in Upper St Clair across from the Recreation Center on Mayview Road is a dog friendly area which is one of the few places around where you can take your dog "off leash". It is one of several areas available to the public thanks to The Allegheny Land Trust. We are indebted to them for inviting our Club to assist in their inaugural "Dog Days of Summer" event and we look forward to doing this again next year.

Ed Hanke

