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## A Word from the President

**Mike Williams**

Just a few notes and worthy dates to get on our calendars. I want to thank again all those that came out and worked on July 23<sup>rd</sup> at our Work Day. Your time and hard work is appreciated.

I want to encourage all our members to put September 17<sup>th</sup> on your calendar, because that is the day of our fund raising hot dog sales just west of Augusta at TSC. More details forth coming. Our annual microchip clinic will be September 18<sup>th</sup> at our club house. At noon we provide sandwiches for the workers, and 1:00 PM is the start time to implant chips. In accordance with our by-laws I appointed a nominating committee to select our board for the 2017 and 2018 years. More on their selections next month.

Our annual picnic will be on our regular meeting night on September 12<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM. The club is furnishing the chicken, and we ask our members to bring sides, salads, and desserts.

We are in discussions with Century II on our use of their facility for our dog show next April. We have a few things to iron out and will be putting out more information on this as items are accomplished in the talks.

I would encourage all our members to be watchful of your pet in this intense heat and humidity we are experiencing at this time. Your dog can become too hot in a hurry. You really have to watch them in this heat. Have plenty of water out, and the best thing is to keep your dogs in doors under air conditioning.

Thanks again for everyone's hard work on our work day. Your time and hard work are appreciated.

See you all on September 12<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m.

Mike

## ⌘⌘⌘⌘ August 2016 Membership Meeting ⌘⌘⌘⌘

**Topic: To be announced**

**Time: 7:00 PM**

**When: Monday, Aug. 8, 2016**

**Wichita Kennel Club, 3448 North Emporia**



*September General Meeting  
Annual Picnic*

*Monday  
September 12th*



🏆🏆🏆 **WKC Member's Brag** 🏆🏆🏆

Blessed with the love of my life, my Whiskey. My first havanese to finish. I will continue to enjoy him. His name is Adorabull Angel Hearts Firehouse Whiskey with a CH in front now!



**American Brittany Club Presents:  
Pat Hastings Seminar**

Pat Hastings will be presenting a seminar on "A Glimpse at Structure in Action" seminar, and we would like your organization to know about it.

Pat does not get to present in this area of the country very often, and we would like to invite your organization to join us. She will be presenting on Friday, November 18, from 1:00 to 5:00 PM at Kay Rogers Park in Fort Smith, Arkansas. The cost is \$50.00. Deadline for registration is October 22, 2016.

This seminar is not only for conformation, but is also good for obedience, agility and field trials.

For more information, contact:

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## Wichita Kennel Club General Meeting Minutes

July 11, 2016

The meeting was called to order by Mike Williams at 8:10 PM.

June meeting minutes were accepted as published in the WKC newsletter.

**Treasurer:** Bev Benjes was not present, but President Mike Williams reported for Bev that the Wichita Kennel Club has \$9,479 in checking and \$4,000 in CDs. A deposit of \$700 has been paid to Century II for the 2017 Sunflower Cluster shows.

**Fundraising:** Joanne Fletcher told members about TSC Animal Appreciation Week coming up in September. WKC will participate on Saturday, September 17<sup>th</sup>, by hosting a hot dog sale, bake sale, and breed showcase at the Augusta TSC store on east Hwy 54. Please call Joanne and let her know, if you can help out either by cooking and serving hot dogs or by baking something for the bake sale. Her number is 655-8517.

**WKC Building Clean Up Day:** We will spruce up our building on Saturday, July 23<sup>rd</sup>, from 8:30AM to 3:00 PM.

**Cluster Meeting:** Kim Jennings reported that the three club presidents voted to have the 2017 Sunflower Cluster of dog shows at Century II Convention Center. We are now in the process of getting AKC approval for the new site. Please volunteer to help out at the shows. New member Sheryl Wineburner has stepped up and volunteered to be WKC Trophy Chairman for 2017. She is taking pledges for trophy support now. Groups and breed classes available until October 1st.

**Facebook Page:** WKC is now on Facebook. Check our Facebook page for up to the minute information about meetings and weather cancellations.

Meeting adjourned at 8:24 PM.

Kim Jennings  
Vice President

**Camo Cross Dog Training Presents:  
Margaret Simek from One Happy Dog  
Foundation Nose Work Seminar  
Saturday, November 12<sup>th</sup>, in Topeka, KS**

The seminar is open to all dogs and handlers at all levels, but the exercises demonstrated will be at the foundation level. All you need are a dog and some treats to get started. Nose work is all-inclusive for dog-reactive dogs and physically limited dogs and handlers and is a great indoor sport for the summer heat!

For more information on the seminar contact Trisha at [trisha.rettig@gmail.com](mailto:trisha.rettig@gmail.com). For location information contact Kelli at [camocrossdogtraining@gmail.com](mailto:camocrossdogtraining@gmail.com).



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