



Keeshond Club of America

Secretary's Report – Vol. 1, Spring 2012

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Upcoming Board Meetings

Phone Conference Calls

Tuesday April 30, 2012
Tuesday June 25, 2012
Tuesday July 30, 2012
October 29, 2012
November 26, 2012

In-person Meetings

May 28, 2012
Location: Vancouver, WA
September 14, 2012
Location: Allentown, PA

2012 and KCA –

This issue of the KCA Secretary Report is a short and sweet version as our timeline was short and your Board wanted to stay on track. While this issue may not have a lot of pictures and stories, it does hold important information in the business of the organization. We hope you will take some time and read what your Board has been, and is going to be, doing for the membership of KCA and the Keeshond breed. We are looking forward to being a progressive and productive Board for the good of the organization.

Every one of our members has a perspective and ideas that could benefit our breed – we hate to squander these resources. We would like to see more of our members actively involved in committee work, rather than sitting on the sidelines saying, “Why don’t you do this?” or “That was stupid - why didn’t you do that?” We all get better enjoyment and value from our club if we get our hands a little bit dirty actually working for the club, instead of just writing out an annual dues check. If we should contact you to be a part of this active working group, we hope you will give careful consideration and join us.

Recently, the size of our treasury grew significantly due to the generosity of Wanda Smith. There are so many things that our club could be doing more of and on larger scales – encouraging and funding more canine and Keeshond health-related research, nurturing current and developing new generations of breeders, educating judges, sponsoring breed-specific activities and reaching out to the public to introduce and promote Keeshonden. But, all of those things take money and we need to manage our funds responsibly. Finding ways to increase our available funds and to ensure that our club will be fiscally stable in perpetuity sounds more like business than fun, but it needs to be one of our goals.

In a few short weeks, we will see many of you in Vancouver, WA at the KCA National Specialty and Mt. Hood Keeshond Specialty events. We know the Mt. Hood Keeshond Club and KCA members have been working tirelessly to bring this special week of events to you. We look forward to and welcome your constructive input into the growth and success of the Keeshond Club of America.

KCA BOARD MEETING

Via Conference Call
December 27, 2011, 9PM ET, 6PM PT

In attendance: D. Lynch, D. Smith, J. Malak, R. Su, H. Myers, B. Blankenship, J. Johnson, J. James
Absent: L. McKnight

President's Report - Debbie Lynch thanks the board for all their hard work this year and effort to work together

Recording Secretary's Report – Beth Blankenship

R. Su motioned to accept the minutes from the November telephone meeting. H. Myers seconded.

Corresponding Secretary's Report/ Policy Manual – Judi James No correspondence has been received since the last meeting. Recently, the board was presented with a new, more user friendly version of the Policy Manual for their review.

Treasurer's Report – John Malak

Ballot for upcoming elections is ready and going out Thursday. There was discussion re: whether to use Pay Pal for members outside the US. Items of concern include how to get ballot, membership form and COE matched up to payment.

Old Business

Code of Ethics and Recommended Practices –

L. McKnight is absent from the meeting but has informed a board member that she has a draft. In addition, the board will poll the membership regarding the need for an update and what items to address.

Website Update on Proposals – Rick Su. A couple of great photos are being requested to start building the home page around.

Schedule of Board Meetings for 2012 – Judi James and R. Su have been working on putting together options

Mailing to judges: a final draft was completed by R. Su and forwarded to J. James for mail out.

Status of current Judges Education DVD

Presentation – D. Smith. Input is being solicited on presentation slides. A therapy page is being added.

2012 National Specialty – J. James requested assistance with some of the tasks i.e trophy

donations and reported on scheduled event sponsored by Donor's Circle. Breeder's education options and possible health clinics were discussed.

New Business

Adding new Keeshond clubs as affiliates is not in current policy manual.

We have new clubs coming up that will need to apply to join KCA.

We have a request from a Russian fancier asking if they can translate a copy of our Illustrated Standard in Russian for their wolfspitz magazine.

Top Keeshond Event at next year's national specialty. The National Specialty guideline lists the TKE as an optional event. A recent policy manual change required consistent guidelines established by KCA.

R. Su will chair TKE event

R. Su motioned to adjourn the meeting at 11:28pm. J. Malak second. Motion carried.



2012 KCA National
Vancouver, Washington
Tuesday, May 29 - Sunday, June 3, 2012

Hosted by the Mount Hood Keeshond Club and KCA at the Red Lion Hotel At The Quay

BaRay Event Services, Inc.
A.K.C. ANNUALLY LICENSED SUPERINTENDENTS
www.keeshondnational.info

KCA BOARD MEETING
Via Conference Call
January, 2012, 9PM ET, 6PM PT

Welcome and Roll Call – D. Smith, H. Myers, J. Johnson, J. James, R. Su, J. Malak, L. McKnight
Absent: D. Lynch

President’s Report – H. Myers called roll.
Debbie is doing well after surgery and hopes to be home Thursday.

Recording Secretary’s Report – Beth Blankenship N/R

Corresponding Secretary’s Report/ Policy Manual – Judi James Policy manual was submitted electronically for review please get back to her with your suggestions.

Secretary’s Report will be submitted to printers later this week and out early next week.

Treasurer’s Report – John Malak Income of 16,000 has been received since July to include dues leaving a balance of \$194, 579.06. A full report will be given at the Spring face-to-face meeting.

John will contact Mike Liosis to inquire re: our tax year differences between KCA fiscal year and IRS year.

Old Business

Website Update on Progress of New Site

R. Su has had a few brief exchanges with our designer. Designer would like to move our website over to a new hosting service before completion. No cost increase to KCA but before making that change R. Su will correspond with C. Schaldecker and get her input. R. Su is still looking to finish off his committee to include other KCA members.

New Business

KCA Logo policy – R. Su will come up with a draft to present to the board on the KCA logo and its use as a representative brand mark.

Eligibility clarification for Annual Awards

(added agenda item)

L. McKnight motions and J. Malak seconds that the Board review and interpret the current wording of policy “Each owner and co-owner must be a member of KCA to be eligible for any KCA annual award or medal.” After discussion, as a group the board came up with the following verbiage in the result of a suspension from KCA. Any points earned by a member-owned dog during a period that the member-owner is suspended from all KCA

privileges shall not be included in the calculations toward any member-owned award.
Article 6, Sec 3

Request to submit a IS for Russian translation (added to agenda):

D. Smith will respond to request and okay the translation of our IS to the Russian language. She will request that once translated it be forwarded to R. Su allowing a review of the translation by a fellow colleague able to translate Russian and check for inaccuracies.

In a response to an inquiry received from AKC, President Debbie Lynch provided a synopsis of the specific issues in question related to the past three years of the Nominating Slate/Committee and failed deadlines which faced each Nominating Committee, KCA Board and ultimately each KCA member. See the Secretary’s Report for Mike Liosis letter in response.

B. Blankenship makes a motion to adjourn. L. McKnight seconds. Time adjourned 11:32pm EST

Schedule of Board Meetings for early 2012 –
Phone conference meeting scheduled for February 28, 2012 9:00pm EST
March 24, 2012 in St. Louis, MO

KCA Annual Membership Meeting

Friday: June 1, 2012
Vancouver, Washington
Red Lion Inn on the Quay

Time: TBD, Friday evening

Be sure to submit your items for discussion to the KCA President at least fourteen days prior to the meeting (May 18th).

KCA Board Meeting

March 24, 2012

Purina Farms, Gray Summit, MO

Meeting started at 9:33am

In Attendance: R. Su, D. Smith, D. Hodges, C. Schaldecker, B. Blankenship, D. Lynch, J. Malak and H. Myers.

President – D. Lynch welcomes new board members D. Hodges and C. Schaldecker. She

encourages the board to move forward in a team effort, working together to benefit the organization.

Recording Secretary – B. Blankenship submitted minutes from two previous phone meetings. R. Su motioned to accept teleconference minutes from Dec 2011 and Jan 2012. H. Myers seconds. Motion carries.

Corresponding Secretary – Correspondence received from DJEF (Dog Judges Educational Foundation) requesting continued support and thanking us for our previous support. C. Schaldecker motions to donate \$250 (Gold level). H. Myers seconds. Motion carried.

Letter from Roberta Draper sent a request for Empire KC to hold back to back specialties in Aug. No approval needed as it does not coincide with any other Keeshond specialties within the 250 miles radius.

Letter received from Rocky Mtn Keeshond Club requesting they host the 2015 KCA National and if not available, then the 2016. B. Blankenship makes a motion that we accept the hosting of the 2016 National by Rocky Mt. KC in 2016. C. Schaldecker seconds. Motion carries.

Letter received from AKC to Sierra Keeshond Club defining their area and stating they can proceed with B matches towards their sanction.

Correspondence received from H. Wisner informing the KCA board of missing items from the 2011 Winter Secretary report, to include a full treasurer's report, the Futurity reminder and the reminder of KCA rescue grant applications submissions.

Correspondence received from AKC requesting permission to share our KCA standard with the National General Kennel Club of China for a judges education project. C. Schaldecker motioned to allow the use of the KCA standard. J. Malak seconds. Motion carries.

Treasurer's report – J. Malak report received from BKC for 2011 National Specialty. R. Su motions to approve the report, H. Myers seconds. Motion carries.
KCA Treasury Report thru 3/22/2012 showing a balance of \$196, 165.29. D. Hodges makes a motion to transfer 150 K and for J. Malak to investigate long term CDs. C. Schaldecker seconds. Motion carries. C. Schaldecker motions

to approve the treasurer's report and D. Hodges seconds. Motion carried.

D. Hodges asked for clarification as to why we made a motion on Dogs USA twice and it was because there were two separate ads.

J. Malak again asks about the fiscal year and whether we should change our year to match IRS. John will contact AKC to confirm.

J. Malak discusses the need to get Futurity judging acceptance in on time so the dues notice can go out on time. NOTE: Discussion included possibly handing out a postcard at the Nationals to each eligible Futurity judge and requires it be sent with a response by a certain date.

AKC Delegates Report – J. Sawicki – report received via email of the March 11 and 12, 2012 AKC Delegates meeting in Newark, NJ. This meeting is the annual meeting where board members are elected. John attended the Parent Club Committee, Delegate Caucus and Delegate meetings. The attendance at these meetings was high not only because of the election, but also the re-alignment vote.

A major item of this report that was discussed is the Meet The Breeds program

H. Myers made a motion that R. Su will draft a letter to the new AKC president A. Kalter encouraging AKC to replicate the AKC Meet The Breeds event to be represented at other major cities around the country. C. Schaldecker seconds. Motion carries.

Website Committee – R. Su – Update on Progress of New Site – A template site is up and information has been plugged in for board and committee review. C. Schaldecker, Diana Pesek (a Keeshond owner but not a KCA member) and K. Denton will be added to the committee. D. Smith suggested the minutes be posted in the members-only section of the site as soon as the meeting is complete in lieu of awaiting the Secretary Report delivery.

Top Keeshond Event – R. Su A list of prospective judges is in place. Invitations will be sent out as quickly as possible.

Registration of the KCA logo – D. Smith did some research on the logo and the ways we could protect the logo. D. Smith will consult an attorney and get a price to get a Trademark™ D. Hodges makes a motion to spend up to \$1200 to get the TM for our logo. C. Schaldecker seconds. Motion passes. R. Su put together a

Visual Identity Guideline regarding the Logo and its use.

Break 11:45 – 1:00 (tour of Purina Event Center)

2012 National Specialty update – Robin Skinner. Well over 500 hotel room nights booked and grooming has been rearranged so there is still room there. Banquet menu is selected and now the premium list is complete and the superintendent has that. We will be sending notices via postcard to all KCA members to let them know the premium list is available on line or they can contact the superintendent to have a copy mailed to them. This will save us quite a bit on printing and postal costs. Agility premium is already done and available. All events and judges are on the schedule and ready to go except for actual setup. Trophies are ordered, deposits paid and the artists are working on them. Kathy Easter is taking on calling all the KCA members to solicit donations for the trophies and is working with Cathy Bosnic and Anita to get that done promptly. It would be great if each of the board members would go home and encourage all their members who haven't done so to make a donation even if just a small one to the general trophy fund.

2013 National Specialty update – C. Schaldecker – host hotel is The Capital Plaza in Topeka, KS. Event Center is attached to the host hotel. Agility venue is proving to be unavailable and unless a solution can be found, no agility will be offered at 2013 national. Committees are established. Regional judges for conformation and sweepstakes are hired. The theme is Keeshond Klass Reunion.

2014 National Specialty update – B. Blankenship – going back to a host hotel in Charlotte, NC or Greenville, SC and comparing that option to an event center in Hickory, NC.

H. Myers makes a motion to donate \$250 to each host club of a National specialty to use towards hospitality or trophies. C. Schaldecker seconds. Motion carries. H. Myers motions to go back and donate this amount to Buckeye Keeshond Club. B. Blankenship seconds. Motion carries.

Health Committee and Health Survey – Tawn Sinclair CHF Donor Advised Fund: \$21,474.73

and KCA Health Funds Acct: \$13,268.23. Total \$34,742.96.

We have a timeline agreement with Dr. Grayson with a plan to have the final or preliminary report of the Health Survey in time for the KCA National. No financial contract is in place however the amount estimated to be owed Dr. Grayson for completion will be no more than \$1000. Discussion was also involved with the Health Committee funds and disbursement between KCA and CHF but at this time no changes will be made to these placements of funds.

Code of Ethics and Recommended Practices Committee – L. McKnight submitted a request to expand the Code of Ethics and Breeders Best Practices committee. This committee will be dissolved until the membership can be polled as to the need of a revision of the COE and what those revisions should be.

Old Business

Policy Manual – D. Smith will take the current policy manual and take her mark ups and submit her changes and edits to the board and ask for board input in time for the May meeting to improve readability.

Rescue Grants – The current policy needs clarification as to requests related to veterinary receipts and IRS tax forms. A board member will review the current revisions and get back to the board with wording recommendations for clarity.

Keeshond Children's Books – D. Hodges motions we do not sell the book Fluffy's Guardian Angel. J. Malak seconds motion carries.

Membership Applications received:

Marlene Green Sponsors: Lynnette Losacco and Tari Casey

Lori Hooper Sponsors: Janit Johnson and Vickie Louie

April Horton Sponsors: Suzette LeFebvre and Ruthann Seibert

Valarie Kimpel Sponsors: Karen O'Neil and Liz McKnight

Madeline McDougall Sponsors: Jennifer Sturgeon and Maureen Winters

Leslie Perkins Sponsors: Diane Wright and Jennifer McClure

Deborah Herd Sponsors: Janit Johnson and Linda Moss

Brian and Carol Miyamoto Sponsors: Anita Williams and Jan Bundsen

Melissa Umerski Sponsors: Terri Van Schyndel and Susan Cullen

Kellie Siekierski Sponsors: Janit Johnson and Jean Smith

C. Schaldecker motions to approve them all. J. Malak seconds. Motion carried.

Nominating Committee for Officers J. Malak and B. Blankenship presented a slate. Following additional nominations the officers below were elected:

Officers:

President Richard Su

1st VP Debbie. Lynch

2nd VP Debbie Hodges

Rec Sec Donna Smith

Corr Sec Carolyn Schaldecker

Treasurer John Malak

Heather Myers resignation from KCA was received by Carolyn Schaldecker during the meeting.

Resignation of Janit Johnson was received in February, 2012. Three KCA members from each the East and West Coast will be approached to confirm interest in serving on the board before choosing.

Wanda Smith Award – upon researching past minutes, the exact item that will be offered was not clear. D. Lynch made a motion to offer a plaque. D. Hodges amended the item be pewter engraved item and request Anthea to order along with other annual awards. J. Malak second. Motion carried.

Mail Chimp and PR communication tasks – D. Lynch will ask Joan Malak to assist her in setting up the mail chimp using one of the email addresses associated with our KCA website.

Meeting Calendar established for 2012. May 28th, 2012 in Vancouver, WA and September 14th, 2012 Allentown, PA, March 15th, 2013 in Louisville, KY. Teleconference schedule April 30th, June 25th, July 30th, October 29th, November 26th, January 28th (2013) and February 25th (2013).

Board By-Laws Committee – D. Smith will chair and develop a sub-committee to examine the bylaws for any potential changes.

Judges Education Committee - D. Hodges makes a motion to appoint D. Smith as Judges

Ed Coordinator and order enough Illustrated Standards to make it through the KCA nationals and to include the upcoming mailing to AKC judges. C. Schaldecker seconds. Motion carries.

AKC Delegate position J. Malak makes a motion to continue J. Sawicki as our AKC Delegate. C. Schaldecker seconds. Motion carries.

KCA Award of Distinction – D. Hodges made a recommendation of a KCA Award of Distinction honoree. C. Schaldecker seconds. Motion carries.

6:20 pm C. Schaldecker motions to adjourn. D. Smith seconds. Motion carries.

Welcome New Members

The following were recommended to you in the last Secretary's report and are now members.

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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS

Your Board reviewed applications at its October meeting and recommend these applicants to you as prospective members.

Your Board asks you to forward written comments and supporting documents that may reflect on the Board's recommendation to the Corresponding Secretary within 30 days of this report. Your Board may request additional information from you or the applicant at its discretion.

If negative comments are received, the applicant will be notified and given the opportunity to review the comments and respond. Such applications will be held over until the next Board meeting for Board review.

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A Keeshond Sighting

I'm writing to let you know that Reba (Seacrest Bepop Rebob Rhubarb Pie, CD RE OA AXJ THD) received the new AKC Therapy Dog title in September.

Reba and I have volunteered at the Children's Hospital Saint Paul Campus for about three years. Getting certified and volunteering there is one of the best decisions I have ever made. We do Animal Assisted Therapy in Rehab and Occupational Therapy with the kids. Reba is very versatile and can be used in many, many ways. Sometimes as a means of helping with fine motor skills (such as letting a child dress her up, or brush her, or even unscrew the cap on her water bottle). Sometimes with more physical activities like taking turns with a child on an obstacle course or letting a child "train" her to do



a trick. And sometimes with something as simple as sitting in a chair beside a child while they complete a drawing.

CBS filmed a story this month about a girl named Ally and the difference therapy dogs made in her remarkable recovery from a rare neurological disease. Although we did not work with directly with Ally, we are shown in the story with a current patient doing Animal Assisted Therapy work. We were very honored to be included as part of the segment. Here is the link for it:

<http://www.cbsnews.com/video/watch/?id=7392397n&tag=contentMain%3BcontentBody>

I've also attached a photo of Reba at work ;-)
and a glamour shot of her as well.

Best,
Karen Sheahan (KCA member)

2012 REGIONAL SPECIALTY CLUB RESULTS

Keeshond Club of Southern California

January 27, 2012 (2 specialties)

Ms. B. Capstick, Judge (morning) (44 Ent - 26d - 18b)

BOB – GCH CH Windrift's Follow The Money (D), B Ryan/R Ryan

BOS - CH Bellakees Double Click NA NAJ (B), L

Losacco/J Monday/B Houston/T Casey

Select Dog - CH Kemont's Grand Prize BN RN G Gradowski/M Dix

Select Bitch - CH Windrift's Rock Star II J Reed

BOW - Kemont's Foolish Pleasure (B), J

Corrington

WD - Windrift's Coxswain Times Square J

Dewald

RWD - Wyndspell Sera's Toy Story D Sung/S

Sung

WB - Kemont's Foolish Pleasure (B), J

Corrington

RWB - Klompen's Gabriel K Stewart/D Stewart

Mr. A Mills, Judge (afternoon) (43 Ent - 25d - 18b)

BOB – GCH CH Daimler's Caviar Dreams (D), T Benz/D Benz

BOS – CH Daimler Surprise Delivery 4 Designer (B), R Jacobs/J Cardwell

Select Dog – GCH CH Windrift's Follow The Money B Ryan/R Ryan

Select Bitch – CH Windrift's Rock Star II J Reed

BOW – Windrift's Negotiating The Tango (D), C

Kommerstad-Reiche/L Reiche

WD – Windrift's Negotiating The Tango C

Kommerstad-Reiche/L Reiche

RWD – Wild Heart's International Asset L

McKnight/R Spaulding

WB – Windrift's Moondancer For Wildheart L

McKnight/J Reed

RWB – Windrift's Outback Betty D Boyce

Nor-Cal Keeshond Club

February 18, 2012 (2 specialties)

Mr. RJ McClary, Judge (morning) (27 Ent - 14d - 13b)

BOB – GCH CH Windrift's Follow The Money (D), B Ryan/R Ryan

BOS – GCH CH Summerwind's Sonic Boom (B), S Berrend/J Gauchat-Hargis/J Hargis

Select Dog – GCH CH Summerwind's Rumor Has It J Gauchat-Hargis/J Hargis

BOW – Summerwind's Who Cut The Cheese (B), J Gauchat-Hargis/J Hargis

WD – Parrkees ' N Shoreline Practical Joker S Pierce/E Parr

RWD – Nightwatch Ooo Rah Rah J Nelson/M Huck

WB – Summerwind's Who Cut The Cheese J Gauchat-Hargis/J Hargis

RWB – Windrift Show Me The Money V Pettit

Mr. R. Eisele, Judge (afternoon)(27 Ent - 14d - 13b)

BOB – GCH CH Summerwind's Rumor Has It (D), J Gauchat-Hargis/J Hargis

BOS – GCH CH Windrift's Southern Star (B), S Shipek/J Reed

Select Dog – GCH CH Windrift's Follow The Money B Ryan/R Ryan

Select Bitch - GCH CH Windrift's Rock Star II J Reed

BOW – Summerwind's Who Cut The Cheese (B), J Gauchat-Hargis/J Hargis

WD – Windrift's Negotiating The Tango C

Kommerstad-Reiche/L Reiche

RWD – Windrift's Dance Card For Nightwatch M Huck

WB – Summerwind's Who Cut The Cheese (B), J Gauchat-Hargis/J Hargis

RWB – Nightwatch Mona Lisa M Huck

Heart of America Keeshond Club

March 16, 2012

Ms. Rene Sauser, Sweepstakes

BISw – Trumpet's Shake It Up, J Miller/J Miller

BOSw – Daimler's Purple Passion, J Miller

Mr. R.D. Smith, Judge (41 Ent - 26d - 15b)

Best Jr. – Grace Stewart

BOB – GCH CH Daimler's Caviar Dreams (D), T Benz/D Benz

BOS – GCH CH Jen'Ndi's Foolish Games (B), J McClure

Select Dog – GCH CH Baronwood Infinity And Beyond K Denton/D Smith

Select Bitch – CH Misty at Smokee Ridge E Sicard/C Sicard

BOW – Jenndis Elite Force (D), D Wright

WD – Jenndis Elite Force D Wright

RWD – Windrift's Star.Com K Trieschmann/J Reed

WB – Ikon's Lamborghini Reventon T Siegers/K Fleischer

RWB – Daimler's Triple Threat J Elbling/J Elbling

Buckeye Keeshond Club

April 20, 2012

Sue Kite, Sweeps Judge

BISw – KJ's Hot Date, K Dowd

BOSw – Troublekees Gift From Above, C Sicard/E Sicard

BIVSw – CH Jo-Lyn's Ferrari, T Siegers/J Johnson

BOVSw – CH Paragon's Sky Blue Topaz, T Williams

Mrs. M. Canestrini, Judge (33 Ent, 17d, 16b)

BOB – GCH KJ's It's Nothing Purrsonal, K Dowd

BOS – GCH Skyline's Walk Of Fame, K Fleischer
 Select Dog – GCH Daimler's Caviar Dreams, T Benz/D Benz
 Select Bitch – CH Misty At Smokee Ridge, E Sicard/C Sicard
 AOM – GCH Keenorth All About U Haiti, E Fortino
 AOM – CH Foxfair Essex, J Buente/D Lynch
 BOW – Ikon's Aston Martin Special Edition, J McGee/T McGee
 WD - Ikon's Aston Martin Special Edition, J McGee/T McGee
 RWD – Olefort Hank Snow, C Stover/E Stover
 WB – Allante's Pickin' Wildflowers, J Caldwell/D Caldwell
 RWB – Copykees Ice Is Right In Paradise, J Treber/C Treber

Note to Specialty Clubs:

We would love to publish the results of every specialty, but can only publish what is provided. If you would like to see your specialty win photo and results in the Secretary Report, please email or post them to the KCA Corresponding Secretary.

KCA 2012 Calendar Key Dates

January 1 Beginning of Awards Year
 15 Ballot for Board Election Due to Teller
 30 Teller Election Report Due/Results Announced
February 1-3/31 Period for First Board Meeting/Beginning of Official Year/Rescue Grants Determined
 28 Last day to submit requests for Rescue Grants/Statistician Receives December issue of AKC Awards
March 1 Deadline for Futurity/Maturity Enrollment
 1 Treasurer Opens New Bank Account/Updates signature cards, New packets coordinator reminder to Corresponding Secretary for new membership lists
 31 Corresponding Secretary Requests Crufts qualifying cards
April 15 Earliest date possible for KCA membership meeting
May 1 Annual report of local Specialty clubs activities due to Corresponding Secretary
 1-6/15 Period for second Board meeting/KCA Membership Meeting Awards Banquet/ Treasurer's Report at Membership Meeting
June 1-31 Treasurer sends statement of dues to members
 15 Latest possible date for KCA Membership Meeting
July 1 Deadline for Board to appoint Nominating Committee/Lapsed Members requests for reinstatement due.
 15 Deadline for Nominating Committee to mail letter of acceptance to Nominees
 31 End of Club's fiscal year

August 1 Deadline for members dues payment/
 Nominating Committee Report due/ Start of club's fiscal year

11 Nominees letter of acceptance due

15-9/15 Treasurer sends overdue dues notices

September 1 Mailing of Nominating Committee's slate for Board of Directors

21-12/21 Period for third "fall" Board meeting

October 1 Treasurer accepts no judges ballot votes after October 1, Deadline for Nominees running by petition

November 1 First day to Submit requests for Rescue Grants/ Deadline for reinstatement – late dues payments

15 Nominations by petition due

December 1 Mailing of ballots for Board of Directors if petitions received

31 End of KCA Awards year ❖



See you there!

Upcoming Specialties – 2012

08/05/12 – Great Lakes Keeshond Club of Michigan
 Marshall, MI
 Conformation & Sweepstakes

08/16-17/12 – Pacific Crest Keeshond Club
 Enumclaw, WA
 Conformation (2), Sweepstakes (1),
 Obedience (1)

08/18-19/12 – Empire Keeshond Club
 Apalachin, NY
 Conformation (2) & Sweepstakes (2)

09/09/12 – Rocky Mtn. Keeshond Club
 Greeley, CO
 Conformation(2), Jr.Shw (2), Sweepstake(1)

10/06-07/12 – Keeshond Fanciers of the Central States
 Warrenville, IL
 Conformation(2), Sweeps(2), Obedience(2)

**Keeshond Club of America
Summary of Funds**

	Balance @ 07/01/2011	Income	Expense	Balance @ 03/22/2012
<u>SUMMARY OF RESERVED</u>				
General Fund	\$179,536.26	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$179,536.26
Health Fund	\$14,581.73	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$14,581.73
Rescue Fund	\$4,314.41	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$4,314.41
Trophy & Awards Fund	(\$2,267.11)	\$0.00	\$0.00	(\$2,267.11)
	\$196,165.29	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$196,165.29

**Keeshond Club of America
Financial Report (by Category) thru 03/22/2012**

	YTD Income	YTD Expense	Total YTD
		Balance @ 07/01/2011	186,515.9
9/11 Ceremony	0.00	-1,701.63	-1,701.63
Advertising	0.00	-520.00	-520.00
Awards	0.00	-145.96	-145.96
Bank charges	25.00	-25.00	0.00
Board expenses	0.00	-468.00	-468.00
Dues	10,445.00	-25.00	10,420.00
Election expenses	0.00	-1,040.20	-1,040.20
Health Advisory Fund	3,304.50	0.00	3,304.50
Health survey	0.00	-598.00	-598.00
License fees	0.00	-20.00	-20.00
Logo income	75.00	0.00	75.00
Miscellaneous	0.00	-15.69	-15.69
New member packets	0.00	-17.65	-17.65
Postage	0.00	-116.91	-116.91
Rescue Fund	1,981.00	0.00	1,981.00
Secretary's expenses	0.00	-1,884.97	-1,884.97
Seed money for nationals	2,000.00	-2,500.00	-500.00
Specialties	3,118.55	-400.00	2,718.55
Treasurer's expenses	0.00	-760.83	-760.83
Trophy & Awards	1,421.00	-1,444.68	-23.68
Website	0.00	-1,036.20	-1,036.20
	22,370.05	-12,720.72	9,649.33
		Balance @ 03/22/2012	\$196,165.29



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Keeshond Club of America

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2011-2012

As of October 2011

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