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I wish they'd
lay my tracks in
the pool !!!



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Art Work for cover or any other column of your Newsletter would be greatly appreciated. Send this material to Peg Forte.

As this is written, July has just ended and in my area of Pennsylvania it was the second driest July on record. A total of 0.68 inches of rain for the month. (Normal rain fall is 3.88 inches). On 17 of the 31 days the temperature was in the 90's. Jersey statistics were no doubt similar. Such conditions make tracking difficult, especially for a beginning dog. But one handler who was introduced to tracking at the April Experience Day has certified his Springer Spaniel and is entered in a September trial. This dog is also worked in the field and in obedience classes, so Good Luck to Paul and "Damon" in September.

Let's hope for cooler weather for the picnic so the dogs can play their games. We hope many dog and people teams will show-up at the picnic so we have a majority opinion when we vote on the Amendments to the Lenape Constitution and By-Laws.

See you there!

FRAN WILMETH

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

August 20 - Annual Picnic and General Meeting at the MacKinnons
September 24 - Last TED follow-up for 1983

November 12 & 13 - Fall Certification

March 1984 - Annual Dinner Meeting

April 1984 - Tracking Experience Day

PROPOSED NEW MEMBERS

Mae Aspinall Dell, 9 Mill Road, Matawan, New Jersey - Bouvier Des Flanders
Paul N. Harris, 676 Tanger Avenue, Franklinville, NJ - English Spr. Spaniel
Geraldine Sullivan, 75 Lake Road, Morristown, NJ - Standard Poodle

These prospective members will be voted on at the August 20th Picnic and General Meeting.

TRACKING TESTS

Sept. 18: NY, Great Bend NORTH COUNTRY KENNEL CLUB, INC. Knighttime Kennel., Champion Road; Jane Eckelman, Trial Sec., Rt. 18: Carthage, NY. 13619 Closes: Sept. 7, Fee: \$25

Sept. 25: PA, Quakertown ALLENTOWN DOG TRAINING CLUB, INC. Smith's Farm. Jeanne M. Smith, Trial Sec., RD 4, Box 275, Quakertown, Pa. Closes: Sept. 14 Fee: \$25

Oct. 16: NY, Oyster Bay SUFFOLK OBEDIENCE TRAINING CLUB, INC. Schiff Estate. Hedy Juffras, Trial Sec., 3134 Riverside Drive, Wantagh, NY 11793 Closes: Oct. 14 Fee: \$25

Oct. 16: PA, Reading BERKS COUNTY DOG TRAINING CLUB. Tulpehecker Farms, Joanne P. Ney, Trial Sec., RD 1491, Club Rd., Bethel. Pa., 19507 Closes: Oct. 5 Fee: \$20.

Oct 22: NJ, Holmdel TOWN AND COUNTRY DOG TRAINING CLUB, Laura Harding's Bayonet Farm, Mrs. John Drzewiecki, Trial Sec., 33 Nottingham Way, Millington, NJ 07946 Closes: Oct. 4 Fee: \$20 (?)

Oct 22: MA, Southboro CONCORD DOG TRAINING CLUB, INC. Lynbrook Farm, Roanne Center, Trial Sec., 13 Aberdeen Rd., W. Chelmsford, Mass. 01863 Closes: Oct. 14 Fee: \$35

Oct. 29: NY, New Paltz PORT CHESTER OBEDIENCE TRAINING CLUB, INC. Mahonk Fields, Lila Wolfman, Trial Sec, 484 Harrison Ave., Harrison, NY 10528 Closes: Oct. 19 Fee: \$20

Oct. 30: MD, Clarksburg HYATTSVILLE DOG TRAINING CLUB, Communications Satellite Corp., Hazel Moseley, Trial Sec., 2604 Kenway Lane, Bowie, MD 20715 Closes: Oct. 22 Fee: \$20

TRACKING TESTS EXCELLENT

Oct. 22: NJ, Holmdel TOWN & COUNTRY DOG TRAINING CLUB, INC. Laura Harding Bayonett Farms, Isabel B. Drzewiecki, Trial Sec. 33 Nottingham Way, Millington, NJ 07946 closes: Oct. 4 Fee \$30 (?)

OCT. 23: MA. Southboro CONCORD DOG TRAINING CLUB, INC. Lynbrook Farm, Roanne Center, Trial Sec. 13 Aberdeen Rd., W. Chelmsford, MA 01683 Closes: Oct 14 Fee: \$35

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

At the picnic on August 20th we will be asking members to vote on the Amendment changes below and on the following three pages. A lot of thought and work went into these revisions, please read them before the picnic so discussion can be brief and the business meeting short.

Your comments in writing are welcomed whether or not you are planning to attend the picnic. Send your comments to Fran Wilmeth, President, Lenape Tracking Club, Inc.

LENAPE TRACKING CLUB, INC.

Suggested changes to existing Constitution and By-Laws

BY-LAWS

ARTICLE I

Section 2 Dues: The annual dues for membership shall be as follows:

Regular Membership - The annual dues for a regular membership in one household shall be \$10.00 per year payable on or before the first day of January of each year. The annual dues for each additional regular membership in one household shall be \$5.00;

Change to: Regular Membership - The annual dues for a regular membership in one household shall be \$10.00 per year payable on or before the first day of January of each year. The annual dues for each additional regular membership in one household shall be \$5.00. BEGINNING JULY 1st DUES WILL BE 50% FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE YEAR.

Section 4 Election to Membership - (second paragraph)

All applications are to be filed with the Secretary and each application is to be printed in the current newsletter and acted on at the first meeting of the club following its publication. The application will be voted upon and affirmative votes of 3/4 of the members present and voting at that meeting shall be required to elect the applicant.

Change to: All applications are to be filed with the Secretary AND/OR MEMBERSHIP CHAIRPERSON, and each application is to be printed in the current newsletter. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE RECEIVED WITHIN FOUR (4) WEEKS THE PROVISIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AUTOMATICALLY CHANGES TO A REGULAR MEMBERSHIP.

ARTICLE I - Membership

- Section 1 (c) While membership is to be unrestricted as to residence, the Club's primary purpose is to be representative of the breeders and exhibitors in its immediate area.
- Change to: (c) PROVISIONAL MEMBERSHIP, --IS THAT APPLICANT AWAITING FULL MEMBERSHIP. AS A PROVISIONAL MEMBERS THEY ARE ENTITLED TO ALL MEMBERSHIP PRIVILEGES EXCEPT FOR VOTING.
- Add: (d) While membership is to be unrestricted as to residence, the Club's primary purpose is to be representative of the breeders and exhibitors in its immediate area.

ARTICLE II - Meetings and Voting

- Section 1 Club Meetings: Meetings of the Club shall be held in (or within 25 Miles of) the unincorporated village of Whitehouse Station, New Jersey at such hour and place as may be designated by the Board of Directors, with a minimum of two (2) meetings a year. Notice of each such meeting shall be given at least ten days prior to the date of the meeting. The quorum for such meetings shall be 20% of the members in "good standing."
- Change to: Club Meetings: Meetings of the Club shall be held in (or within twenty-five (25) miles of) the unincorporated village of Whitehouse Station, New Jersey as designated by the Board with a minimum of two (2) meetings a year AT SUCH HOUR AND PLACE AS MAY BE DESIGNATED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS. Notice of each such meeting shall be given BY THE SECRETARY at least ten (10) days prior to the date of the meeting. The quorum for such meetings shall be 20% of the members in good standing.

ARTICLE II - Meetings and Voting

- Section 2 Special Club Meetings
No changes except that it now becomes SECTION 3.
- Section 3 Board Meetings:- Meetings of the Board of Directors shall be held in (or within miles of) the unincorporated village of Whitehouse Station, New Jersey at such hour and place as may be designated by the Board. Notice of each meeting shall be given at least five (5) days prior to the date of the meeting. The quorum for such a meeting shall be a majority of the Board.

Change to:
Section 2

Board Meetings: Meetings of the Board of Directors shall be held in (or within 25 miles of) the unincorporated village of Whitehouse Station, New Jersey at such hour and place as may be designated by the Board. THERE SHALL BE AT LEAST THREE (3) SCHEDULED MEETINGS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS EACH YEAR. Notice of each meeting shall be given BY THE SECRETARY at least five (5) days prior to the date of the meeting. The quorum for such a meeting shall be a majority of the Board.

ARTICLE IV - The Club Year, Annual Meeting, Elections

Section 3 Elections: The nominated candidate receiving the greatest number of votes for each office shall be declared elected. The five (5) nominated candidates for other positions on the Board who receive the greatest number of votes for such positions shall be declared elected.

Change to: Elections: The nominated candidate receiving the greatest number of votes for each office shall be declared elected. The five (5) nominated candidates for other positions on the Board who receive the greatest number of votes for such positions shall be declared elected. WHEN THERE IS ONLY ONE CANDIDATE FOR AN OFFICE, OR A SLATE CONSISTING OF ONE CANDIDATE FOR EACH OFFICE, A MEMBER MAY PROPOSE A MOTION THAT THE SECRETARY BE INSTRUCTED TO CAST THE BALLOT OF THE MEMBERS FOR THE CANDIDATE OR SLATE.

ARTICLE IV - The Club Year, Annual Meeting, Elections

Add Section 5 Voting by mail may be conducted through the Lenape Newsletter (Common Scents) when deemed necessary by the Board.

Voting: Each member in good standing, whose dues are paid for the current year, shall be entitled to vote at any Club meeting at which he is present or through the mail as described in the above paragraph. Proxy voting will not be permitted at any Club meeting or any voting done through the mail.

TID BITS

Norfolk Terrier - "JR's Ramblin Rose" picked-up another point at Staten Island KC under Breeder/Judge Elizabeth Fell, for Best of Winners - 1 pt. Then "Amy" as she is better known, picked-up another point at Walkill KC for a total score of 6 points.

*"Damon of Norfield CD, WDX" along with his owner, Paul Harris who both started at our TED in April 1983 - became certified on July 12th under Bill Hutchins at Valley Forge. They hope to enter Allentown in September. Good Luck guys!"

Also our sincere thanks to Paul for all the delicious donuts he was thoughtful enough to bring to our follow-ups.

*Charlotte Schwartz was featured in an article in the New Jersey Section of the Sunday, July 24th issued of the Philadelphia Inquirer. We did not have room to include the article this time, but hope to reprint it in the next issue.

Dogs wearing license tags have a good chance of being held by shelters for several days after they are picked up. Cats, still unregistrable, have no such protection.

Help is available to New Jersey owners. They can register their cats and put tags on their collars through a service of the Associated Humane Societies of New Jersey. The group will issue a tag and keep information on a cat in its registry for a life-of-the-cat fee of \$2. For another \$3, an owner can get a safety collar so his or her cat won't hang itself.

This very active group also has a valuable new pamphlet, "Allergy-Proofing Your Pet," for \$1. Thousands of pets are disposed of each year because owners are allergic to them. Write to Associated Humane Societies, 124 Evergreen Ave., Newark, N.J. 07114.

Thousands of dogs die every year because careless owners leave them unattended in overheated automobiles. The Pennsylvania SPCA warns that on what seems like a mild day to you, temperatures inside a car, even with windows partly open, can rise as high as 140 degrees Fahrenheit.

The shelter offers free cards that you can place under the windshield wiper of cars when you observe dogs

HOWARD HUGE



"Can't you wait till after I'm done with the paper to clip out the dog food coupons?"

left alone. On one side, the card reads: "Did you return in time?" On the reverse, there are warnings that temperatures inside cars may cause brain damage or death from heat stroke. Brief emergency instructions are included. For five free cards, send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Pennsylvania SPCA, 350 Erie Ave., Philadelphia 19134.

The Postal Service can refuse to deliver mail to your home if your pet is not restrained and poses a threat to letter carriers. Postmaster General William F. Bolger has vowed to get tough with owners because more than 5,700 letter carriers were bitten by canines in the summer.

LENAPE TRACKING CLUB, INC.

TD CERTIFICATION MATCH

DATE: SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1983 JUDGE: Elissa Kirkgaard
ENTRY FEE: \$10.00.....ENTRIES CLOSE NOVEMBER 1, 1982....LIMITED TO 10 ENTRIES
TIME: ORDER OF TRACKS WILL BE DRAWN AT 8:45 AM...FIRST TRACK TO BE RUN AT 9AM
MAIL ENTRIES TO: JANET QUODOMINE
164 Petersburg Rd.
Hackettstown, N.J. 07840 201-852-7127

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: LENAPE TRACKING CLUB, INC.

MATCH HEADQUARTERS: LEBANON TOWNSHIP (N.J.) MUNICIPAL BUILDING, LEBANON

DIRECTIONS: On your New Jersey map locate the intersection of I 78 (east-west) and Rte. 31 (north-south) and proceed as follows: Take Rte. 31 north to first traffic light (Rte. 513) turn right and note mileage from light. Follow Rte. 513 to and through High Bridge. Just past Voorhees High School turn left onto Rte. 628 (Woodglen Road). There is a Chevron Gas Station on the corner. This turn will be 3.9 miles from the light on Rte. 31. Follow Rte. 628 to full stop at Hill Road and turn left (Rte. 628 west). As you proceed, note buildings on left. First will be the Lebanon Township Firehouse, then the Municipal Building and then the First Aid Squad Building. Total mileage from Rte. 31 light: 5.7 miles.

All dogs passing these tracks will then be certified ready to enter AKC TRACKING TESTS. Entries will be accepted on a FIRST COME BASIS and a list of alternates will be maintained in the event an original entry is withdrawn. No refunds will be made unless a substitute is available. All entries will be acknowledged by mail.

COMPLIMENTARY DONUTS AND COFFEE WILL BE AVAILABLE IN THE MORNING. BRING YOUR OWN LUNCH. THIS MATCH IS HELD "RAIN OR SHINE" SO COME PREPARED WITH APPROPRIATE ALL-WEATHER GEAR. DON'T FORGET WATER FOR YOUR DOG AND A CHAIR FOR YOURSELF.

Those note entered in the tracks are invited to join us in the gallery. We also invite those who want to know more about TRACK-LAYING to join us on Saturday, November 12, 1983 with Judge Kirkgaard to plot each track to be used the next day. We also need help on Sunday to insure that every aspect of the Match is successful. Anyone interested in participating in any part of this Match should contact Janet Quodomine, 201-852-7127. R E M E M B E R -
THE FIELDS WE USE ARE PRIVATELY OWNED SO PLEASE RESPECT THIS FACT!

LENAPE TRACKING CLUB, INC.
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1983

TD CERTIFICATION MATCH ENTRY FORM

ENTRY FEE \$10.00
ENTRIES CLOSE NOVEMBER 1, 1982

MAIL ENTRY TO: JANET QUODOMINE
164 Petersburg Road, Hackettstown, N.J. 07840

YOUR NAME: _____ PHONE NO. () _____

ADDRESS: _____

FULL AKC NAME OF DOG _____

AKC REGISTRATION NO. _____ BREED _____ SEX _____

If making more than one entry, clearly list NAME and REGISTRATION NUMBER of each dog.

I (we) agree to hold Lenape Tracking Club, Inc., its members, directors, officers, agents or show secretary and the owners of the premises, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or near said premises and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim and further agree to hold "club" and "owners" harmless from any claim for loss or injury to this dog.

SIGNATURE OF OWNER OR AGENT
(MUST BE SIGNED)