



LENAPE TRACKING CLUB OF CENTRAL NEW JERSEY, INC

3RD QUARTER 2023

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

UPCOMING EVENTS 2023

**TDX: 11/5/23
@ Finn Park**

**VST- 4/14/24
@Brookdale Comm.
College**

*****Don't forget that all
Lenape Tracking Club
trials have a worker
draw*****

Submit your worker
credits with your entry.

Hello LTC members,

We're in the thick of the fall tracking season. Hopefully, everyone is out on the tracking fields along with showing in all your respective venues. Success to everyone!!

We held our Tracklayer Certification at Finn Road Park on 7/30/23, which was a big success. Lots of interested folks had a day out in the fields learning how to lay a track. Most were non LTC club members, but, everyone was eager to learn & had a great time....

Thanks go out to Peg, Renee, Anne & Monique who assisted in the fields. I can safely say, no participants were lost.

On another note, the Lenape TD test held on 10/8/23, had great results. There were 11 tracks run with 7 passes.

Thanks go out to all of our wonderful volunteers...

Tracklayers
Chief tracklayer
Hospitality
Secretary/Chair
Judges
Drivers

We could not have done it without you all!!

Our next test is coming up soon. The Lenape TDX is on 11/5/23 at Finn Road Park.
"Call out to all for volunteers"

Please contact Gina if you have any interest in helping out during the TDX weekend. We'll never say "no" to an interested volunteer. There are plenty of tasks to be done.

Looking forward to seeing our club members join us at our last test of the year.

Happy tracking!!

Gina DeAlmeida

Lenape Board

President- Gina DeAlmeida
Vice-President - Anna Burbank
Treasurer - Ben Hoyle
Secretary - Janet Kelly

Board of Directors

Peg Forte
Donna Hess
Rosemary Laubach

Monique Buzzarté
Anne Rosenberg

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Membership - Janet Doerer
Newsletter - Tammy Snyder
Trial Secretary - Anna Burbank
Trial prep/Equipment/Ribbons/etc. - Gina DeAlmeida

Treasurer's Report

By Ben Hoyle

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Benjamin T. Hoyle
Treasurer

Lenape Tracking Club

Treasurer's Report

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On November 5, 2023 we held our Twenty-first TDX test, also at Finn Park. We had a very good entry for 6 tracks. This generated \$900.00 in entry fees against which we had expenses of \$693.70, thus providing a net to the Club of \$206.30.

Many thanks to our great judges, track layers and other volunteers for making these two tests successful.

Benjamin T. Hoyle, Treasurer

Lenape News

Just a reminder of the **Newsletter deadlines** and publication dates through 2021
Send all brags, member profiles, and information to be published in the newsletter to:
Tammy Snyder at tsrotts1@twcnj.rr.com

Newsletter	Deadlines	Published
4 th Quarter 2023	Dec. 15 th	Jan. 2024 (After TDX)
1 st Quarter 2024	Mar. 15 th	Apr. 2024 (after VST)
2 nd Quarter 2024	June 15 th	July 2024
3 rd Quarter 2024	Sept 15 th	Oct 2023, after TD

The above dates are approximate. The newsletter will be quarterly unless there is need to produce more frequently. The newsletter will be published to incorporate the club's main events, the TED, VST, TD and TDX. The above are dates that brags/memorials and any other information for the newsletter will need to be into me at
tsrotts1@twcnj.rr.com

If you know of events in areas where members live that will fall into the time frame of this newsletter, please send along. I know members are involved in lots of other events other than tracking. Let's hear about what's out there.

New Members:

New Membership director starting May 1st 2023

Membership director: Janet Doerer
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Phone: (908) 303-5544

2024 renewal form at end of newsletter and PDF attachment with the e-mail. Please mail to new membership director, by January 1st 2024.

Lenape Brags:

Janet and Pilot

Pilot is now a daddy. On October 1, Miranda female Belgian Malinois Elsa had 6 puppies, 3 beautiful girls and 3 handsome boys. I went to see them and they are all so cute. I can't wait for them to get bigger.

Pilot -CH Alouette's Awesome Pilot Of My Dreams CDX, PT, BN, TKA, CD-C, RATO



Anne and Wiggles

GCH CH Alegna's Picture Perfect Mw, RN, FDC, SWN, SCA, THDN, RATN, CGCU, TKN, ATT, FITB can now add TD to her list of titles earned. Congrats Anne and Wiggles.



Rose Mary and Remy

Lots of brags for Remy, in the past 2 months he has

1. Sired a litter of 13 puppies and earned the following titles:
2. FCAT,
3. CDX-C, a CDSP (Companion Dog Sports Program) title
4. Rally Masters title
5. SW containers title
6. Therapy dog distinguished with over 400 visits!!

Dan and Jesse

We had the bestest day in Vermont (Oct 15th). Jesse earned his Tracking Dog title (TD) at the Tracking Club of Vermont. Thank you to all the judges, tracklayers and members of TCV for such a wonderful test. Jesse is now known as: Rainyday's Born To Love You, CD, PCD, BN, RE, SWA, SBE, TD



Lenape Tracking Test results- TD 2023

On Oct 8th, Lenape held its 33rd Tracking Dog test at Finn Rd Park. The judges were Gina DeAlmeida and Stephanie Crawford, a team that knows the site very well. They were assisted by Track layers: Ben Hoyle, Monique Buzzarte, Matt Fetrow, Janet Doerer, Janet Kelly. Thanks to Anna Burbank for her dedication as the Test Secretary for all our tests. Thanks to Nancy Jorczak for hospitality.

There were 11 teams entered, and 7 made it to the Glove for the pass. Congrats to all those who passed. Those who did not pass will certainly make it to the glove in the near future.

Enjoy some photos of the passes, thanks to Ben Hoyle, the roving photographer of the day.

The passing teams were:

1. German Shorthaired Pointer: Windkist Stelor Fire in the Sky owned and handled by Diane Krause.
2. Cane Corso: Pridenjoyz Fear is Not a Factor: owned and handled by Dominic Carino
3. All American Dog Diquollo's Super Girl: owned and handled by Ashley Tripodi
4. German Shephard Dog: Atreides: owned and handled by Micheal Clemens
5. Dachshund: Alegna's Picture Perfect Mw: owned and handled by: Anne Rosenberg
6. German Shephard Dog: August Annie Ovcharka: Owned and Handled by: Mark Sandt
7. German Shephard Dog: Indie Von Der Wilmothhaus: Owned and Handled by Teryl Lebkuecher





Lenape TDX 2023

On Nov. 5th 2023, Lenape tracking club held the 22nd annual Tracking dog Excellent test at Finn Park in Pittstown, NJ. Judges Martha Campbell and Gina DeAlmeida presided over the test and crafted some lovely, challenging and very doable tracks. Thank YOU to our intrepid tracklayers, members, Pat Pagano, Dan Fraser, Martha Windisch, Monique Buzzarte, and Matt Fetrow of Sexy Beast Dog collars fame. Cross track layers were Cris Courdeff and Pat Losco. We truly cannot have tests without tracklayers/cross tracklayers. Thanks to Janet Kelly for driving the judges. Thank You, Anne Rosenburg and Ben Hoyle for a great spread of food to feed everyone. Thanks to Anna for handing

the Secretary duties and judges gifts. Gina not only judged but supplied the flags, ribbons, draw items and end gloves.

The weather was perfect for tracking, cool mostly over-cast, with the sun peeking through at times. The grounds were in great shape, cover was about ankle deep, and damp from the morning dew. Thanks to Bobby and Renee Gyuro for all their hard work on the grounds. There were 6 tracks with 14 entries. The first track to run was a little Havanese, who started out well, bouncing through the tall cover and making his first turn with ease. He unfortunately did not make it to the end but will do so soon.

The 2nd track was run by club member, Tammy and Rottweiler Brick, 855 yards, in deep cover. The start was a rough one, he took off on the first leg and about 50 yards in started messing around, checking deer beds, and leaving the track. We danced our way to the first turn and then it was off to the races. We traversed the 2nd leg, through a set of woods, into a neighboring field where we found our first intermediate article. Brick had a little difficulty making a decision at the 2nd turn, but finally committed and away we went at a steady pace on the 3rd leg. Just ahead of the next obstacle, a hedgerow into another field was a couple walking their loose dogs. I held up, watered the boy, and waited for the people and dogs to be gone. Re-scented the boy and away we went. Through the hedgerow, next to some horse jumps, textbook turn number 3, and our second intermediate article on the 4th leg. Brick made turn 4, and headed out leg 5, trotting right along, back through the hedgerow into the field we came from. Next to a very distinctive bush was an open turn, number 5, to our final leg and the glove. It was a little like being out for a walk, and nerve wracking all at the same time. I was very aware of our surroundings, but unaware of the judges behind me, just me and Brick in the field, he was calm, steady and continued to work through the challenges. To say I am proud of Brick is an understatement.

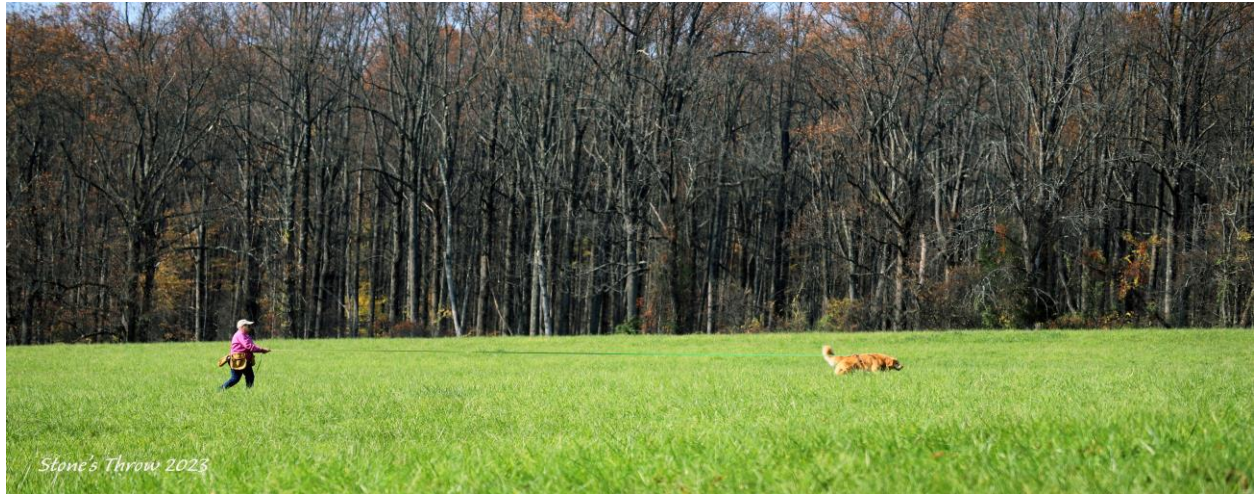




Track 3 was run by Member, Ben Hoyle and his Clumber Spaniel Sky. Sky started well, made his first turn easily, and steadily climbed the hill to the 2nd turn. Sky had a little trouble at this turn, taking the correct direction several times before committing and trotting down the hill toward an opening in the hedgerow. The 3rd turn was a textbook turn, and straight to the 1st intermediate article. Sky and ben traversed a thicket of brambles and some logs, making a 4th turn and again up a sizeable hill to the 2nd intermediate article. They took a little pause and then Sky continued to his 5th turn and open turn that took him to the edge of a hedgerow, Sky went up to the hedge glanced at it and turned away, heading along the edge of the hedgerow. Unfortunately for Ben and Sky this was the wrong direction, and they heard the whistle. Sky was placed back on his track and finished up well tracking through the hedgerow and finding his way to his glove. This team is on their way to a pass very soon!!



Track 4 was run by member, Rosemary and her Golden Magic. They had a good start, made the first turn, headed across the field toward the woods. Magic and Ro entered the woods, unfortunately this is where their track ended with a wrong turn in the woods and out to the road. They heard the whistle, but to that point were doing well. I am confident that this team will find their way to the glove soon.



Track 5 was run by Beth and her Weimaraner, GCHB CH Brookside Walkn Th Straight and Narrow, BN TD SH OA OAJ OF BCAT ACT2 SEN CGC TKA. I did not get to see this track, from what I heard, they had a good start but took cross tracks. In TDX this is one of the typical places of failure. They are a great team, with potential to add TDX to their list of achievements.

Track 6 was run by Ann and her German Shephard Magnus Vom Eichenluft, TD. I did not see any of this track, nor do I know where they failed, but hope that they soon have the thrill of getting to the end of a TDX.

Upcoming Tracking events (NY, MA, NH, NJ, OH, PA, MD, VT)

- Nov 19th-TD/TDU-Del Bay Herding Club- PA
- Nov. 26th-VST- Hudson Valley Tracking Club-NY
TDU/VST-Oriole Dog Training Club- MD
- Dec 10th-TDX-Burlington County Kennel Club- NJ