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Letter from the President

Here we are, nearing the end of our classes until September. It looks as though it will be a very hot summer. The Board is trying to find a way to make the building a bit cooler as the building will be open during the summer for open floor, run throughs and ring rental.

The banquet is coming up fast, so please get your achievement form to Barb Copping and your dinner reservations to Judy DuMond.

June 30 is the last date to get your entry in for DOCOF. We still need some Novice dogs and a dog or two at the upper levels. We would love to have you join us for DOCOF. It is a fun competition.

Please remember that if you have something important to discuss at the general meetings, you should let a Board member know so that it can be put on the agenda. In addition, if you want to bring someone to the meeting to make a presentation, you should let someone on the Board know that so it can be put on the agenda.

I know some of you think we should follow Robert's Rules to the letter. The Board is trying to do that but keep in mind that first and foremost we are a club, a dog club. It is an organization formed to have a venue to train and have fun with our dogs. That is the main purpose of this club. Those of you who do step up to help are all volunteers. No one receives a salary. So instead of complaining or criticizing, give helpful suggestions and volunteer if you haven't already done so. Your volunteerism is so much appreciated.

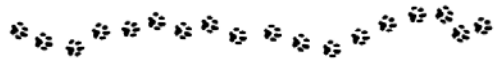
And lastly, all of you should have received the membership list by email. It is your decision if you want to print it out. Three or four times a year it will be updated. I want to thank Mary Ann Fitch and Donna Hamm for the wonderful job they have done in compiling this list.

Regina Compton -- President

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Summer break
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CGC Testing at MADTA

Monday, June 27
6:30 PM
Evaluator: Sandy Hafer
\$15 / dog



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All Breeds and Altereds,
Except Belgium Shepherd Dogs
Puppies (3-6 months)
Check the website & MADTAils for details

**Novice Obedience / Rally Seminar
November 27, 2011**

Moderators: Sally Hensen & Sharon Simon
MADTA Training Building
10 Working spots - Unlimited audit
Check the website & MADTAils for details

BRAGS

CH. Cloudnine's Heaven Sent LCD, RAE, CGC/TDI, ATT (**Spirit**) earned her Rally Advance Excellent title at IPOC on May 1. She scored a 100 and 99 with a third and fourth place.

On May 28th she had two long coat girls.

Sharon Hatcher – Cloudnine Chihuahuas



"Shane" Ch. Jandale Mind If I Stay finished his Breed Championship at the Greater Orange Park Dog Shows.



By "Patrick" Ch. Jandale Back to the City AX, MXJ x Daval Sophisticated Mind. Shane is a natural showman. At his first agility trial, he showed he will excel in that as well.

We have a litter here out of his Mother that is beautifully marked. The puppies should have all the drive and attitude any performance person would want.



Keeping it in the family, "Patrick" got his MXJ at the Perry, Ga. trials. I love running this dog and this is a big deal for us :-)) Thanks everyone for all your kind words.

Janet Barber – Jandale Shelties



I was at the Tallahassee Dog Obedience Club trials on June 4 & 5, 2011. I had my girl, **Gael** (Doberman) entered in all 3 trials for the BN and the RN. I am very proud to say that we got all 3 legs for both titles, and with placements as well!! GO GAEL!!!

I was super proud of Gael for doing so well all that way from home and in a totally new environment. BUT, what was even better, was that on Sunday, where we placed 3rd for her RN, as I was standing there will all the RN (B) placement winners, I looked in both directions and all I saw were MADTA members!! What a feeling that was, 200+ miles from home and to see MADTA members take all 4 placements. I know that our members took other placements and earned other titles as well and I would like to wish them all a **BIG**



CONGRATULATIONS!!!

Nellie Walter – Pendragon's Keepe Kennel



Brevard County Dog Training Club, Inc., Cocoa: 5/14/11 **Takoda**, Golden Ret. earned his 2nd Rally RE Leg, 99, 2nd Place.

Tracer, Australian Shepherd, handled my granddaughter, Melanie Brisendine, earned his 1st Rally RA Leg, 83.

Thank you Takoda & Tracer for a job well done.

Aline

Just for the fun of it, and bragging rights, I had the Tuesday AM folks give me notes on the titles they have earned since being in the class.

Here is the summary -
Obedience – 13 Titles

AKC BN & CD – 8 UKC U-CD - 3
ASCA CD - 2

CGC -- 8, 3 with dogs other than actually in the class

Rally, various levels – 24 Titles

AKC – 8 UKC -- 12 ASCA -- 4

I included rally since most folks got their initial exposure in the Tues. class before the Monday class started.

There were various other titles won from other registries including TDI. Also, DeDe and I had a "good" year as she got some titles on other dogs, 2 High in Trials, and my Lick got his GO (Grad. open for AKC) last year and UD this year and 2 UKC rally titles and one High in Trial last year.

Of note - Sally Shaw and Connie got 11 obed. and rally titles and 2 High In Trials. Susan Trotto and Corley got 13 obed. and rally titles accumulating 22 placements along the way. Joel Malcom and Ebony were tied for first with a 195 1/2 for his title leg in BN (AKC beginner novice).

This include all the Tues. AM classes since the start - 2 full and 1/2 sessions last spring, 2 full sessions last fall and 2 full and 1/2 sessions this spring. I can't even begin to count all the placements and extra qualifying legs!!!!!!!

I will keep track of everybody as time goes on. We have a number of folks about ready for graduate novice now and I hope they keep working through the summer.

Sally Hensen



Matt Twitty 2-Day Clinic

August 12-13, 2011

“Healing your Heeling”

Day 1 – Healing your Heeling

Day 2 – Open / Utility

Each day is limited to 12 working spots at \$125 for both days and \$70 for one day (either one). Everyone is able to attend both days or just one. Auditing spot are unlimited and are available at a cost of \$60 for both days and \$35 for one day. This clinic is not yet confirmed.

Will be held in the air conditioned yellow building.

Contact Carol Harrison for details.

noralle@embarqmail.com or (352) 237-7056



TASHA

October 6, 2002 -- May 23, 2011

On Monday, May 23, 2011, Ch. Shir-Lee's Butterfly Hugs, affectionately known as Tasha, crossed the Rainbow Bridge.

Tasha was owned and loved by Shirley and Joel Malcolm and was the mother of two of their current poodles, Hana and Molly also Ch Jesse who is now in Georgia. Tasha was also the mother of Carol and Ron Harrison's Ch Gidget and Ch Timmy. She fought her illness to the end and was a real trooper. She was loved so much and will be sorely missed by all who knew her.



Shirley Malcolm



Marion-Alachua Dog Training Association Board of Directors Meeting – May 3, 2011

The Meeting was called to order at 8:00 PM by President Compton. Attendees: Regina Compton, Sue Ann Bailey, Carol Harrison, Donna Hamm, Jean Murphy, Bob DuMond, and Nellie Walter. Barbara Copping and Darcy Barnes were absent.

APPROVAL OF BOARD OF DIRECTOR MINUTES for April 5, 2011. Minutes were approved as submitted.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

--Regina announced that Jeff Kern has volunteered to teach 4H obedience next year. He will be assisted by Judy Whittaker.

TREASURER'S REPORT: -- Carol reported the bank balances. \$5,000 was transferred from the operating fund to the money market account.

SECRETARY'S REPORT: -- No Report.

TRIAL AND COMMITTEE REPORTS:

--Training Committee:

----Jean reminded everyone there will be a CGC exam offered on Tuesday, May 17 from at 5PM to 7PM just before the start of the General Membership Meeting. Nellie Walter will be the evaluator. She stated she has nine volunteers to assist. For the June 27 CGC exam she has 3 volunteers and Sandy Hafer will be the evaluator. CGC begins at 6:30 PM on June 27.

----Mary Anne Fitch has agreed to be the assistant instruction for the Beginner Obedience Class.

--Membership Committee: Donna stated she spent 3 hours with Mary Anne Fitch teaching her how to edit existing Outlook contacts and how to create new ones. The Outlook contact list will be utilized to produce our membership list. Mary Anne Fitch is adding member

interests and dog breeds to the list. The membership list will be produced when all are updated.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE REPORTS:

--Membership Requirements and Dues Committee:

Karen VanGunst had submitted a few editorial corrections to the proposed Membership by-law changes for the board's consideration. The board reviewed the proposed by-law changes and made a few edits for clarity. The proposed by-law changes as edited are to be distributed to the membership by email tonight to comply with the 2-week publication requirement.

----Class Fees / Rewards Program Committee – Nellie Walter

Nellie reported the committee members were: Sally Hensen, Margaret Douglas, Susan Trotto, Sally Shaw, Michelle Holmes, Pamela Primus, Sharon Starke. Nellie presented the recommendation of the committee in writing. Item was tabled pending the Rewards Program.

----Rewards Committee – Sue Ann Bailey

Sue Ann announced the members that volunteered to be on this committee were Nancy Frazier, Kip Wright, Janet Barber, DeDe Bruno and Donna Hamm. The meeting will be on May 17 just before the General Meeting. DeDe Bruno has volunteered to be the record keeper for whatever rewards program is adopted.

--UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

----Club Goals: See Page 3 - Club Goals Review.

----Fans: Regina Compton advised that she has spoken to the county about allowing the club to put in insulation along the short walls on the north and south ends of the building. She will take a sample of the insulation to the county to get their approval. She asked the county to also check the exhaust fans in the building as they are quite noisy. She would like to have the large round floor fans refurbished as they too are very noisy. Finally, she wanted permission to purchase two oscillating pedestal fans to also help with cooling the building as much as possible.

MOTION by Sue Ann, seconded by Jean, "To obtain an estimate to refurbish the two large floor fans."

MOTION carried unanimously.

MOTION by Sue Ann, seconded by Nellie, "To authorize the purchase to two pedestal fans at a cost not to exceed \$165.00 each." **MOTION** carried unanimously.

----Instructor Seminar Benefits: Due to the lateness of the hour, this item was deferred to the next meeting.

----Gas Stipend for DACOF and DCOF Teams. Due to the lateness of the hour, this item was deferred to the next meeting.

----List of items for agility trial the club may need to purchase: Due to the lateness of the hour, this item was deferred to the next meeting.

--NEW BUSINESS:

----New Pee/Poo Policy: Donna wanted to discuss the Pee/Poo policy that was proposed and adopted by the membership at April general meeting. The policy imposes a fine of \$5 for each occurrence of a dog soiling the facilities. She agreed with the new policy but felt the

\$5 fine per occurrence was too high. She felt the policy was more about awareness of the issue than it was about making money. She proposed the fine be reduced to \$2 per occurrence.

MOTION by Donna, seconded by Carol, "To amend the Pee/Poo policy to charge a fee of \$2 per occurrence rather than \$5 per occurrence.

There was some discussion on the item, but generally every one was in agreement with the reduction. Bob felt the fee should be reduced to only \$1 per occurrence.

MOTION carried by a vote of 5-1 with Bob voting "No."

----Matt Twitty Obedience Seminar: Based upon the straw vote from the last meeting regarding offering a Matt Twitty seminar, Carol investigated the cost. The estimated costs for rental of the yellow building, paying Matt's fee and travel would be approximately \$1,420. The seminar would consist of 2 days. Day one would be "Healing your Heeling" and Day Two would be Open and Utility work. She suggested offering the seminar at \$125 for both days. Limit to 10 working spots. \$70 for either Day One or Day Two. Unlimited auditors at \$35 per day or \$65 for both. Jean was concerned about cancellation policies and deadline dates for cancellation to attempt to ensure the seminar can break even. Donna will send a blast email with the prices to continue to determine interest.

There being no further business to come before the board, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted, Donna Hamm, Secretary

GOALS REVIEW

May 3, 2011

Board discussions/decisions on each topic are in bold / italic print below.

1. Junior sponsorship - obedience and agility one junior from each discipline. Sponsor entry fees, meals, motel, decide on number of shows, as many local shows as possible, junior will be expected to volunteer at MADTA events.

Donna was asked to find a MADTA member to chair a committee to explore feasibility, costs, eligibility requirements, application requirements and selection process. The Committee's recommendation to be presented to the board when formulated.

2. Rubberized contacts and table for agility to help make the contact equipment safer for the dogs. ***It was suggested Michelle Barnes and Robin Stewart head up a committee to present costs and a strategy to convert all MADTA's agility contact and table equipment to rubberized. Options to consider were to rubberize competition and training equipment all at once, rubberize all competition equipment and 1 piece of training equipment, rubberize 1 each for competition and training. The board acknowledged that the competition A-frame that must be purchased for the 2012 trial should be rubberized.***

3. Pre-register and pay for classes on line using pay pal? Cost for the service would be approximately \$2.40 per entry. **Pay Pal may not be an available option. Jean to discuss with Mari O'Donnell and Barb Copping.**
4. Build nest egg to hopefully lease an air-conditioned building of approximately 9,000 to 10,000 feet (must have agility field) **This is a high priority GOAL. There is a need to determine what rental fees might be for a building that would meet MADTA's requirements. Donna noted that Nancy Frazier has commercial building rental experience and should be on the committee to lend her expertise. Regina thought Melanie Magamol should also be on the committee. Having an air-conditioned building would allow training year-round. The board wanted to invite Nancy Frazier and Melanie Magamol to research approximate costs to rent a suitable building with a field available for agility.**
5. Cooling the building – pedestal fans were suggested as an option. **Board has approved the purchase of additional fans.**
6. Club calendar on line. **Assigned to Barbara Copping to either implement or research requirements to put a calendar of events on the MADTA website.**
7. Update internet software to allow more capability to the MADTA site. **Referred to Barbara Copping and Mari O'Donnell to research new software and make a recommendation to the board including costs and added capabilities.**
8. Establish monthly operating budget. **Carol will prepare an income and expense report for the Board on a regular basis beginning in September.**
9. Set a goal of at least a specified percentage of advanced beginners students to move on to Novice class. A goal of 25% was suggested. **Jean will work on this objective. Suggestions were to be sure students are aware of next steps with demos of dogs working at the next level. Creating a progressive series of classes was discussed.**
10. Recognition program for volunteers. MADTA's item, President's Award at awards banquet were suggested. **This idea will be taken under advisement for next year.**
11. Rewards program for volunteers – "doggie dollars". **In progress.**
12. Consider offering more obedience seminars. **In progress.**

Marion-Alachua Dog Training Association General Membership Meeting – May 17, 2011

The Meeting was called to order at 7:15 PM by President Compton. Board Attendees: Regina Compton, Sue Ann Bailey, Carol Harrison, Donna Hamm, Jean Albrecht-Murphy, Nellie Walter, and Barbara Copping. Bob DuMond and Darcy Barnes were absent. 32 Members signed in, 1 guest and 1 applicant was present for their second reading.



OBEDIENCE, RALLY & AGILITY TRAINING Classes continuing through the week of June 20. Summer Offerings are listed below.

On Wednesdays during the summer

@7:00pm: **Conformation Classes**

On Thursdays

@5:30pm: **Obedience Run-Thrus**

Competition Obedience – Contact Linda Hubbard (bitsypup@yahoo.com) for dates/times/waiting list.

Check MADTA's newsletter and the website at www.madta.org for class news.

Obedience / Rally is indoors on mats. Agility is outdoors on grass and fenced.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

The April 17, 2011 General Meeting Minutes were approved as submitted.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

--DOCOF applications are available and should be submitted by June 30. MADTA plans on sending 2 teams.

--Regina announced that she and the board have been working on ways to attempt to cool the building. So far they have been unable to locate suitable fans and insulation options are not working out. This continues to be a goal.

--At the last general meeting, the membership voted in a penalty policy for dogs soiling the facilities. The fine was \$5. Regina announced that the board reviewed the policy at the last board meeting and reduced the fee to \$2 per occurrence. Karen VanGunst accused the board of being "dictators" by reducing a member established fee and demanded the members approve the reduction. Donna Hamm, Secretary, objected to the lack of civility in Karen's statement and the name calling and left the meeting temporarily. Sue Ann Bailey recorded the minutes during that temporary absence.

MOTION by Barbara Copping, seconded by Karen VanGunst, "To reduce the penalty for soiling the facility from \$5 per occurrence to \$2." **MOTION** carried by majority with 1 dissenting vote.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

--Carol reported the bank balance and had copies of the Treasurer's Report available if anyone wanted a copy. A transfer of \$5,000 was made from the operating account to the money market account.

SECRETARY'S REPORT:

--No report, secretary temporarily absent.

TRIAL AND COMMITTEE REPORTS:

--AKC Obedience Trial: Trial has been approved and the judging panel has been set.

--Training Committee: Jean Albrecht-Murphy presented the Report

---- Instructors meeting will be scheduled for June/July.

She welcomed suggestions for next year's curriculum.

---- CGC held just prior to the meeting evaluated 11 dogs and all passed. Testing generated \$165 in income.

---- Joan Stewart commented that the DVD Sharing day with Crate Games had 12 attendees. It was well received. Lyn Waymire has volunteered to be the DVD Librarian.

---- Novice Obedience and Rally Seminar will be held November 27 after the Aussie show. Sharon Simon and Sally Hensen will moderate. Flyers are available on the website and at the building.

Donna Hamm returned to the meeting and thanked Sue Ann for recording the minutes in her absence.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Member Rewards Committee: Sue Ann announced that the committee consisting of herself, Janet Barber, Nancy Frazier, DeDe Bruno and Kip Wright met just prior to the general meeting. Janet Barber had obtained rewards programs from other clubs. Many good ideas. Sue Ann will formalize the recommendation and present to the board.

Membership By-Law Change:

MEMBERSHIP:

Mary Ann Fitch, Membership Chair, presented the following applications second readings.

Second Readings: Kathryn Brooks was present.

First Readings: Patricia Harris and Inez Hill

No objections, first and second readings of new members were approved by affirmation.

Alice Bixler suggested in the future we vote on applications for second reading individually as opposed to the group. The membership was in agreement.

Regina announced the new membership list was sent in .pdf format via email. Please send any updates to Mary Ann Fitch at tywon2000@centurylink.net.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

-- Proposed Membership By-Law Changes: As a result of the recommendation of the Membership Requirements and Dues Committee, certain by-law changes need to be implemented as outlined in prior meeting minutes. The proposed by-law changes were distributed in accordance with the by-laws via email distribution two weeks prior to this date. Regina entertained a motion regarding the adoption of the proposed changes. Discussion ensued. The major point of discussion was whether or not a membership applicant should be required to attend the meeting where their application is presented for approval. The by-laws as proposed allow the sponsor to represent the applicant at the meeting should the applicant be unable to attend. Suggestions that applicant absences be explained in writing and suggestions that applicants must volunteer to assist with club activities in lieu of attendance were suggested. Janet Barber suggested that applicants that are present for their readings should be asked to step out during the vote on their application.

MOTION by Barbara Copping, seconded by Pam Primus, "To require that member applicants step out of the

meeting during the vote on their application." **MOTION** carried unanimously.

MOTION by Karen Van Gunst, seconded by Barbara Copping, "To adopt the by-law changes as presented."

MOTION carried unanimously.

-- Matt Twitty Seminar: Carol continues to work on the Matt Twitty Seminar, which requires board approval. The seminar will be limited to 12 working spots and unlimited auditing. It will be held on August 13/14 in the air-conditioned yellow building. The seminar will run from 9AM to 4 PM and lunch will NOT be provided. Working spots are available at \$125 for both days or \$70 either day. Deposits in the amount of \$60 for 2 working days or \$35 for 1 day working are due by June 15. If the seminar does not fill, Carol said she would open the seminar to the community. Jean Albrecht-Murphy asked if the fees for non-members would be higher and suggested that an entry form be developed with all MADTA's standard cancellation and liability waiver clauses. Karen Van Gunst suggested MADTA develop a satisfaction survey to determine the seminar's value to the participants. There were no objections and Karen offered to develop the survey.

NEW BUSINESS:

--Janet Barber offered bumper stickers to the members at \$2 each as a fund raiser for anti-HSUS efforts. The slogans are: "Animal Rights means No Animals Left" and smaller circular slogans for \$1 each. "No Breeders – No Pets" and "No Farmers – No Meat". She also announced that the letter writing campaign to congress has resulted in the IRS moving forward with an investigation into the Humane Society of United States' (HSUS) spending activities as it relates to their tax status.

--Linda LaFrance introduced Chantal Andrew. Chantal is putting together a Junior Jamboree to introduce juniors to the requirements and expectations for showing dogs in the conformation venue. The Sunshine State Herding Club is sponsoring the event and will be providing 2 nights stay at the hotel for free to parents and their junior handler. The event will be held over the July 4th weekend. Chantal is looking for donations and sponsors for the event. The cost for the room is \$250. This item created a quite lively discussion. Arguments both for and against.

Discussion against: Too many requests for support from the clubs. Parents should participate more in the education of their juniors. MADTA is working on developing its own juniors program which will require funding and is one of the Board's goals. The formation of a committee to address this program is currently underway. The matter was turned down by the board when originally presented. That decision was reflected in published minutes.

Discussion in favor: The proposal does support MADTA's juniors as all attendees will be provided the free rooms. Funding requests from outside organizations should be considered on a case-by-case basis. Education for juniors is valuable as it promotes and nurtures their love of the dog and expands their opportunities to participate in dog related activities.

MOTION by Cindy Earnhardt, "To donate \$1,000 and request the Greater Ocala Dog Club to match MADTA's sponsorship. **MOTION died** for the lack of a second.
MOTION by Jean Albrecht-Murphy, seconded by Carol Harrison, "To offer some financial support to MADTA's juniors to attend this event."

After some discussion an amendment to the motion was offered. **MOTION to amend** the current motion on the floor offered by Cindy Earnhardt, seconded by Lee Saputo, "To defer to the Board of Directors to determine the amount of the financial support." Some additional discussion ensued and yet another amendment to the motion was offered. **MOTION to amend** the current amended motion was offered by Alice Bixler, seconded by Bob Saputo, "To give some financial support to our juniors to attend the event in the amount of \$500."

Regina called for a vote on the amended motion as presented by Alice Bixler and Bob Saputo. **AMENDED MOTION** carried with 28 in favor, 4 Nays and 3 abstaining.

--Becky Stewart requested that the penalty policy for dogs soiling the facility be revisited as she did not believe the policy was fair as it relates to the agility field.

Discussion in favor: Since dogs are running on grass it is their natural elimination place and difficult to control. Instructors can't watch every student and every student's dog as it relates to elimination.

Discussion opposed: The policy promotes responsible dog ownership by requiring that owners attend to their dog's needs outside of their working environment.

MOTION by Barbara Copping, seconded by Joan Stewart, "To restrict the penalties for soiling the facilities to the building only." **MOTION** carried with 13 in favor, 4 opposed and 2 abstained. Many members had left at this point.

--**BRAGS:** The business of the meeting having been concluded Regina asked if any members would like to brag on their dog(s) recent accomplishments. Several brags were proudly offered and were enthusiastically applauded by the membership.

There being no further business to come before the membership, the meeting was adjourned at 8:35 PM.
Respectfully submitted – Donna Hamm, Secretary



AWARDS BANQUET

Elk's Club
July 19, 2011

Please send in your Awards Info
June 10 is the Deadline

Buffet Dinner – Members \$16 and Non-Members \$23
Chicken Marsala, Fried Fish, Prime Rib
Salad, Grilled Potatoes
Grilled Mixed Vegetables, Green Beans Almondine

Reservation form is an insert.

Canine Good Citizens Evaluation



**To all the wonderful members that volunteered
at the last CGC test on May 17th :
A BIG THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR HELP !**

It's members like you that make our club the best. As you know we had 11 participants and all 11 passed. MADTA earned \$165.

Nellie Walter, Evaluator

Connie Adams	--	DeDe Bruno
Nancy Frazier	--	Sandy Hafer
Janice Hastings	--	Sally Shaw
Bob Saputo	--	Lee Saputo
Lyn Waymire	--	Kip Wright

Jean Albrecht-Murphy -- MADTA Training Director

**Remember Next CGC
June 27 @ 6:30 PM**



**UKC Conformation Trial
September 24/25, 2011**

SE Livestock Pavilion -- Yellow Building
All Breeds and Alteredds,
Puppies (3-6 months)
Exception: No Belgium Shepherd Dogs
Check www.madta.org for details

Please join us for this first time offering from
United Marion Dog Training Association

Contact Nellie Walter (penkeeps@windstream.net)
Or
DeDe Bruno (dourdenkennel@windstream.net)

Volunteers are needed for this event.





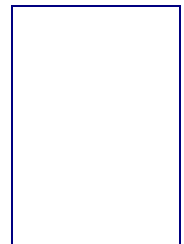
AWARDS BANQUET

**Deadline for submitting your 2010 achievement forms for certificates is June 10, 2011.
Deadline for Awards Dinner RSVP is June 30. Forms are included with this newsletter**

**DOCOF Applications deadline is June 30, 2011
Dog Obedience Clubs of Florida Team Competition
Form is included with this newsletter**

**PLEASE NOTE TIME CHANGE FOR GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING
MEETING WILL BE AT 7:15 PM**

**MADTAils Newsletter
PO Box 770095
Ocala FL 34477**



**General Membership
Tuesday, June 21 - 7:15 PM**