

# TANANA VALLEY KENNEL CLUB

## January 2005 Newsletter!

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PLEASE COME TO THE KIWANIS BUILDING ON JANUARY 8TH AT 10:00AM TO HELP PUT THE MATS DOWN. THE MORE HELP WE HAVE THE FASTER IT GOES!!!

**NEXT TVKC MEETING IS**

**WEDNESDAY January 12th!!!**

(Note: the room is not available Jan 5th)

**Ryan Junior High Room 5**

**BOARD MEETS AT 6:15**

**GENERAL MEMBERSHIP AT 7:30**

Note: Call 452-3553 at 5:00pm—if it's -25F or colder , there will not be a meeting.

# UPCOMING EVENTS

**\*\*January 8th & 9th, 2005**

Handling Seminar and Fun Match

DUE TO LACK OF RESOURCE AVAILABILITY

THIS HAS BEEN POSTPONED

NEW INFO TO BE ANNOUNCED SOON

**February 5, 2005**

TVKC Spring Classes Begin

**SEE WEB SITE FOR SCHEDULE**

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Obedience Instructors are NEEDED!!!

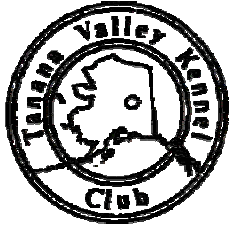
See Polly Divens to sign up!

**February 26th & 27th 2005**

Dr. Battaglia Seminar: Breeding Better Dogs

Sign up with Tabitha!

(See Pages 3 & 4 of this newsletter)



TANANA VALLEY KENNEL CLUB PRESENTS:

**Dr. Carmen L.  
Battaglia, PhD**

**Breeding Better Dogs**

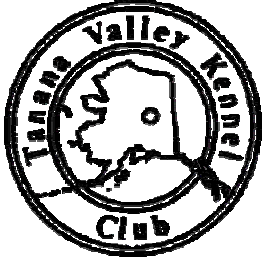
February 26th & 27th  
The Fairbanks Princess Hotel  
4477 Pikes Landing Road 99709

**Early Bird Special \$100. Must register by December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2004.**

**After December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2004 registration will be \$125**

Soup and Sandwiches are included in price both days.

Day 1	Topics	Day 2	Topics
<i>Slides &amp; Lecture</i>	Breeding Principals, Terminology, How To Use Stick Dogs, Symbols Method of Pedigree Analysis	<i>Slides &amp; Lecture</i>	Discussion of case study, Using information, Making decisions
<i>Discussion</i>	Faults, Movement & Disease Models, How To Develop A Breeding Plan	<i>Video &amp; Discussion</i>	Evaluation of Gait and Structure Puppy Evaluation Methods and Technique for Choosing the Best Puppy.
<i>Slides &amp; Lecture</i>	Recessive and Dominant Traits, Heritability of Traits Choosing the Best Puppy	<i>Slides &amp; Lecture</i>	Management of Conformation and Obedience Dogs Tips for Managing Promising Puppies
<i>Hands-On Demonstration</i>	Shoulder Lay-in, Lay-back Case study (handout) Stud Dogs & Brood Bitches What Information is Important	<i>Summation &amp; Questions</i>	Kennel Management, Feeding, Conditioning, How To Win - The Competitive Edge



# February 26th & 27th, 2005

Dr. Carmen Battaglia Seminar  
Breeding Better Dogs

Name(s) of Guest(s) Attending:

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Mailing Address:

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Phone: Day: \_\_\_\_\_ Eves: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail to: Tabitha Plambeck 1786 Alder Street North Pole, AK 99705

Please remember that after February 2, 2005 there will be no refunds. February 2, 2005 is also the deadline for registration.

Date received:

Check Number:

# FYI

TVKC has collars and leashes for sale at our obedience classes. See your class instructor for info!

Our -25 F rule is now back in place. If it is -25 or below at 5:00pm according to the National Weather Service at 452-3553, no meeting will be held.

# SANCTIONED MATCH & AUCTION

Don't forget our Spring Sanctioned Match is APRIL 16TH & 17TH - keep an eye out for fun items for our annual fundraiser auction! Get them to Sue Redding!

# WEB SITE

TABITHA needs your help! If you have info you want to see on the web site; if you want photos, write-ups, or think of anything else you feel should be on there—GET IT TO

TABITHA! Keeping the web site updated is a

HUGE job. It is NOT Tabitha's job to go out and seek the info for the site—it is only her job to POST the info!!!! So if there's something you feel should be there that's not—then make a point to gather up the information and get it to Tabitha to post! This will make our web site functional and fun for everyone! You can email your info to Tabitha at: [tabitha@tdtgreatdanes.com](mailto:tabitha@tdtgreatdanes.com)

# MEMBERSHIP

If you have NOT renewed your membership, you are LATE and we are going to disown you if you don't get that check to Jeri Fishack right away! The Board is looking into class discounts for members

and other benefits for membership. The bottom line is that we don't have a Club if we don't have MEMBERS. PLEASE sign up! A Membership Renewal form is on the next page—print it, fill it out, send it in! Thanks!





# CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2005

KENAI KENNEL CLUB	ANCHORAGE	AB/JSHW	JAN 22	JAN 5
ALASKA KENNEL CLUB	ANCHORAGE	AB/JSHW	JAN 23	JAN 5
KENAI KENNEL CLUB	WASILLA	AGILITY	FEB 19	FEB 2
KENAI KENNEL CLUB	WASILLA	AGILITY	FEB 20	FEB 2
DOTCA	ANCHORAGE	RLY/O	FEB 26	FEB 8
DOTCA	ANCHORAGE	RLY/O	FEB 27	FEB 8
COOK INLET KC	WASILLA	AGILITY	MAR 12	FEB 23
COOK INLET KC	WASILLA	AGILITY	MAR 13	FEB 27
TVKC	ANCHORAGE	AB/JSHW	MAR 26	MAR 9
ALASKA KENNEL CLUB	ANCHORAGE	AB/JSHW	MAR 27	MAR 9
MACH	PALMER	NADAC AGILITY	MAR 30	
MACH	PALMER	NADAC AGILITY	MAY 1	
OTCC	PALMER	TRACKING	MAY 13	
OTCC	CHUGIAK	OBEDIENCE	MAY 14	
OTCC	CHUGIAK	OBEDIENCE	MAY 15	
STREAKERS	ANCHORAGE	NADAC AGILITY	MAY 20	
STREAKERS	ANCHORAGE	NADAC AGILITY	MAY 21	
GSDC	ANCHORAGE	ALL BREED TEMPERAMENT TESTS	MAY 21	
STREAKERS	ANCHORAGE	NADAC AGILITY	MAY 22	
TVKC	FAIRBANKS	AB/JSHW/RLY/O	MAY 28	
TVKC	FAIRBANKS	AB/JSHW/RLY/O	MAY 29	
TVKC	FAIRBANKS	AB/JSHW/RLY/O	MAY 30	
ALASKA HERDING GROUP CLUB - AKC !!!	ANCHORAGE	AB/O	JUN 5	
AUSSIE CLUB	CHUGIAK	AGILITY	JUN 11	
AUSSIE CLUB	CHUGIAK	AGILITY	JUN 12	
YUKON KENNEL CLUB	WHITEHORSE CANADA	AB/O	JUN 17, 18, 19	



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OTCC	CHUGIAK	AGILITY	JUN 18	JUN 1
OTCC	CHUGIAK	AGILITY	JUN 19	JUN 1
ALASKA KENNEL CLUB	ANCHORAGE	AB/JSHW	JUN 25	JUN 8
ALASKA KENNEL CLUB	ANCHORAGE	AB/JSHW	JUN 26	JUN 8
TVKC	FAIRBANKS	AGILITY	JUL 1	
TVKC	FAIRBANKS	AGILITY	JUL 2	
TVKC	FAIRBANKS	AGILITY	JUL 3	
KENAI KENNEL CLUB	SOLDOTNA	AB/O/JSHW/AG	JUL 8	
KENAI KENNEL CLUB	SOLDOTNA	AB/O/JSHW/AG	JUL 9	
KENAI KENNEL CLUB	SOLDOTNA	AB/O/JSHW/AG	JUL 10	
DOTCA	ANCHORAGE	O/RALLY	JUL 23	JUL 6
DOTCA	ANCHORAGE	O/RALLY	JUL 24	JUL 6
GSDC/DOTCA/ACT	ANCHORAGE	AGILITY	JUL 30	
GSDC/DOTCA/ACT	ANCHORAGE	AGILITY	JUL 31	
COOK INLET KC	PALMER	AB/O/JSHW	AUG 5	
COOK INLET KC	PALMER	AB/O/JSHW	AUG 6	
COOK INLET KC	PALMER	AB/O/JSHW	AUG 7	
OTCC	CHUGIAK	AGILITY	AUG 13	JUL 25
OTCC	CHUGIAK	AGILITY	AUG 14	JUL 25
STREAKERS	ANCHORAGE	NADAC AGILITY	AUG 19	
STREAKERS	ANCHORAGE	NADAC AGILITY	AUG 20	
STREAKERS	ANCHORAGE	NADAC AGILITY	AUG 21	
TVKC	FAIRBANKS	TRACKING VST	AUG 26	
TVKC	FAIRBANKS	TRACKING	AUG 27	
TVKC	FAIRBANKS	TRACKING	AUG 28	
KENAI KENNEL CLUB	SOLDOTNA	AGILITY	SEP 3	
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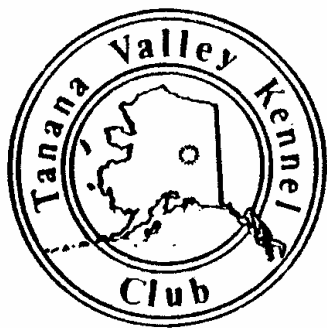
COOK INLET KC	PALMER	AGILITY	SEP 24	
COOK INLET KC	PALMER	AGILITY	SEP 25	
??? MACH	PALMER	NADAC AGILITY	OCT 15, 16	???
COOK INLET	PALMER	O/SPECIALTIES	NOV 5	
COOK INLET	PALMER	AB/O/JSHW	NOV 6	

Disclaimer: This information is taken from a variety of sources. There may be errors; some events may still be pending approval. Be sure to check with the clubs or AKC for confirmation of any event. If you have corrections, changes, additions, deletions, please email me at veri-cool@acsalaska.net and politely let me know!



**You "Herd" It Here...**

**There is a new ALASKA HERDING GROUP CLUB that has been approved for AB/O by AKC! Watch for Herding Group Events this June!!!**



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