



# WAGGIN' TAILS

Newsletter of the  
Hangtown Kennel Club of  
Placerville, CA

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April 2020

CALENDAR:



All therapy visits will be canceled until the situation changes at the senior communities.

Boys and Girls Club Waggin Tails reading program:

Canceled until further notice...

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**Classes canceled until  
April 23<sup>rd</sup>. Please  
watch for further  
updates.**



**APRIL**

**GENERAL MEETING**

**CANCELLED**

**NEXT MEETING TO BE ANNOUNCED!**

From Sherry Howard, our show chairperson:



..Our shows have been canceled for this year.

**UPCOMING EVENTS FOR OUR CLUB:**

**APRIL 4 -5 Canceled** at the El Dorado Firefighter's Hall in Diamond Springs, HKC presents **AVIDOG Breeders' Seminar!** See info below

**CLASSES CANCELED UNTIL April 23<sup>rd</sup>** (subject to postponement)

**Agility: our trials will be on the following dates:**

**May 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>** (Daytime) (subject to change)

**June 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>** (Evening)

**August 24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup>** (Evening)

Contact Rainee Johnson to offer help or get more info

**Rattlesnake Avoidance** May 2-3; June 27-28 see below; at this time Rattlesnake will go forward as planned.

**Hangtown/Sierra Cluster, May 23-25<sup>th</sup> – Canceled**

**BRAG: NO brags**

**FROM A FACEBOOK POST TO THE HKC PAGE:** "Hangtown Kennel Club provides classes and seminars that are amazing. The members are very welcoming and will assist you in many ways and answer questions as you move forward with your dogs. The show is on lovely grounds and parking is close to the rings. At the show, they provide low cost health testing for eyes, hearing and cardio. An all around dog club."(posted on Feb. 27, 2020 by a non-member!)

**Upcoming Seminars and Matches:**

**September 19-20 – HKC Seminars presents**

**Bobbie Lyons of Pawsitive Performance . Bobbie is an expert in the area of canine fitness! More details to follow.**

**October 2021 – Kathy Sdao**

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**Welcome new members: Rene Owens**

**Guest: Andrea Lum**

**Editor's Corner**

Well, what can I say? Life as we know it is certainly on hold right now. Who would have guessed something like this could take place? So many of our normal yearly activities and events canceled. Our seminar, our show, our classes, therapy dog visits and our meetings. For how long? Its anyone's guess but we will make it through this time and come out the other side just fine.

Personally, my dogs are getting lots more neighborhood walks, training is a daily happening and brushing isn't occasional. I hope that you are all finding things to do to keep you occupied and your dogs happy.

One note about our Facebook response to the cancellation of our upcoming shows. Each and every person has been sad that we will not be sharing our hospitality with them and their dogs this year. Also on Facebook, on several of my other dog pages, our shows have been mentioned with regret. So people will be here next year. Keep the faith.

MARY CLARK, Editor

**From Cheryl Tibbals:**

Rattlesnake Avoidance is on schedule for May 2 & 3 with plans for "social distancing" and a good supply of hand sanitizer. All volunteer positions are filled. Thank you to the Brinks, Dorris, Colton, Linda Kelly, Donna A, Pamela P., Anita, Alison, Sharon, Jane, Darcy, Gina, Carol S, Carole H, Lissa, Cathy, Dennis & 5 DCNC members.

Please check your calendars for our second session -June 27 & 28 and let me know if you would like to help. Thank you, Cheryl Tibbals

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**BOARD MEETING NOTICE: OUR BOARD MEETING WILL BE HELD ONLINE/PHONE AT GOTOMEETING APP AT 6:30pm Tuesday, March 31st**

**DORRIS WIGLESWORTH has let us know that she can do video titling for Trick Dog Titles during this time of Stay at Home orders! If you wish to have Dorris evaluate one of your pups, contact her directly for information on how to make that happen!**

Since we are all staying around home , I thought this might be useful if your dog friend is having a minor issue:

...and don't forget to play with your dog!

**DOG-FRIENDLY OVER THE COUNTER MEDICATIONS**

Always ask a veterinarian before giving any medication to your dog. Even "safe" human meds can be toxic to certain breeds or pets with preexisting conditions.

- BENDADRYL**  
FOR ALLERGIES AND ITCHING  
1 milligram per pound of dog
- BUFFERED ASPIRIN**  
TO RELIEVE PAIN AND INFLAMMATION  
1/2 baby aspirin for dogs under 10 pounds  
1 baby aspirin for dogs 10-20 pounds  
1/2 regular aspirin for dogs 20-50 pounds  
1 regular aspirin for dogs 50-100 pounds  
2 regular aspirin for dogs over 100 pounds
- DRAMAMINE**  
FOR MOTION SICKNESS  
12.5 milligrams for small dogs  
25 milligrams for medium dogs  
50 milligrams for large dogs
- GAS-X**  
TO MINIMIZE FLATULENCE OR GAS DISCOMFORT  
1/4 adult dose for small dogs  
1/2 adult dose for medium dogs  
1 adult dose for large dogs
- HYDROGEN PEROXIDE**  
USED TO INDUCE VOMITING AFTER ACCIDENTAL INGESTION OF TOXIC SUBSTANCES  
10 milliliters by mouth
- ROBITUSSIN DM**  
FOR COUGHING OR HACKING  
1 teaspoon per 10 pounds of dog's weight
- PEPCID AC (FAMOTIDINE) / ZANTAC (RANITIDINE)**  
TO REDUCE STOMACH ACIDS CAUSED BY ULCERS, ACID REFLUX OR BELLYACHE  
1/4 tablet for dogs under 20 pounds  
1/2 tablet for dogs 20-60 pounds  
1 tablet for dogs over 60 pounds
- PEPTO BISMOL**  
FOR DIARRHEA, VOMITING AND GAS  
1 teaspoon per 20 pounds of dog's weight (does not eat)
- IMODIUM A-D**  
FOR DIARRHEA  
1 milligram per pound of dog
- HYDROCORTISONE**  
FOR ITCHING OR IRRITATED SKIN  
Small amount applied topically up to twice daily

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stay safe stay well stay home...