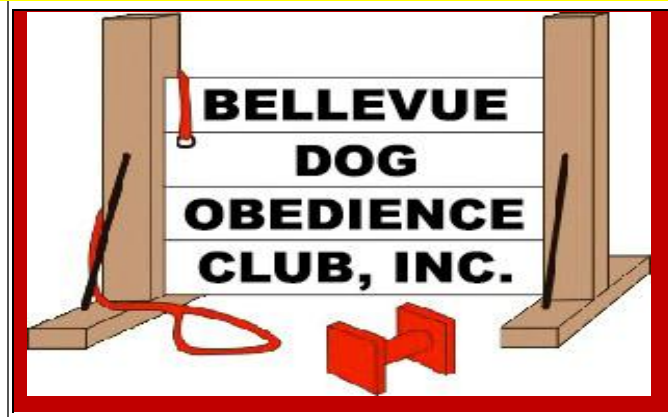


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BDOC Board Meeting Minutes

The Bellevue Dog Obedience Club Board of Directors met on July 29, 2025, via Zoom.

Board members in attendance were Gerianne Darnell, Erin Embrey, Joanne

Bellevue Dog Obedience Club

July-August 2025 Edition

Next Meetings

BDOC Club Meeting

DATE: Tuesday September 16th, 2025

EVENT AT 5:30 pm Tarp the holding pens for the herding trial.

TIME: Eat at 6:45 Bring a sack lunch

MEETING TIME: at 7:00 pm

WHERE: Sunshine Obedience Training Building at Geriannes.

NOTE: There will be both an in-person and Zoom meeting at 7 pm.

BDOC Board Meeting: The next Zoom

Board Meeting will be Tuesday

October 7th, 2025 at 7PM. That will be a Zoom Meeting.

Swenson, Ron Weaks, Gale Osborne, and Kris Woodke.

The meeting was called to order at 7:01 PM. Since the previous board and club meeting minutes had been published in the newsletter and on the io list, it was motioned by Joanne

and seconded by Kris to dispense with the reading of the minutes.

There was **no report** from the **president, vice president, or secretary**. There was also no **treasurer's report** as the club's financial situation has not changed from the general meeting report two weeks ago.

There are five BDOC events left for the year, and a brief discussion was held on the status of each event. Everything is on track.

New Business: A discussion was held on ways to increase member participation at meetings. Some ideas were to go back to mailing out post cards or have a phone tree personally inviting members to attend.

Gerianne is going to look in to another ribbon vendor in Canada. There could be a problem with tariffs, shipping costs, and foreign bank charges, but it may still be cheaper than Hodges Badge, the current vendor.

Old Business: Members in attendance at the general meeting two weeks ago voted to not raise Scent Work entry fees at this time.

The next club meeting will be Tuesday, September 16th, at Gerianne's. We will tarp the hold pens at 5:30 PM for the herding trials, and bring a sack lunch to share at 6:45. There will be both an in-

person and Zoom meeting at 7 PM. The next Zoom board meeting will be Tuesday, October 7th, at 7 PM.

Erin made a **motion** to adjourn the meeting and Ron seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 7:35 PM.

Gerianne Darnell, acting secretary

BDOC HAPPENINGS

Coming Events: BDOC

AKC Scent Work Trials
August 15-17, 2025
Held at Sunshine

Obedience School

We are looking for Volunteers for this event. Please email Gale Osborne, jocam2685@aol.com. I will need to know what days you want to work.

We need to know if you want to volunteer no later than Monday August 11, 2025. This will give us enough time to schedule workers and arrange lunches.

Let me know if you are interested in working or have questions.

Lunch and Vouchers will be offered to helpers.

Thank you.

Gale Osborne

Continued to Brags and Calendar...

Brags:



Reported by Shelly Rehmeier... Sulley and I started our AKC Detective journey 1 year ago (July 28,2024) at the Nebraska Kennel Club Detective trial at Bellevue University with our first Q. On July 27,2025 at the NKC Detective trial we got our 10th leg which gave us our AKC Detective Title. We got all 10 Q's with no misses/NQ's!

I love this boy and his zest for life and all of our journeys together!

This year Sulley also earned his AKC Junior Hunter title and his Working Certificate.

Reported by Gerianne Darnell...Rayna Finished her Rally Choice title at the Nebraska Kennel Club Trials in May. She also earned her UKC UR02 and two legs on her UR03.



Also reported by Gerianne Darnell...Rita spent the summer having Puppis! She gave me a new puppy “Rip” Ricochet Rip It Up. Looking forward to his journey!



Reported by Gale Osborne...Lyric TopFlite Song of Valyria, “Harper”, earned his 2nd leg in Graduate Novice at the Central Iowa Dachshund Club Trial at the DMOTC July 12, 2025. He scored a 187 and a 2nd place. Harper trialed at the PVKC Agility trial at Off the Wall Soccer on July 18, 2025. He earned a leg in Excellent Preferred Jumpers with Weaves with a score of 100 and a 1st place. That same weekend Harper trialed at the UKC Obedience trial at Companion Dog Club on July 19th and 20th, 2025. He earned two 1st places with scores of 197 and 197.5. One more leg to go in UKC for Novice B.



Reported by Gale Osborne – Cash, Crossroads Man In Black also trialed at the PVKC Agility trial at Off the Wall Soccer on July 18, 2025. He earned a leg in Excellent Preferred Jumpers with Weaves with a score of 100 and a 1st place in his height division.

Reported by Gale Osborne- Stirling, Blackmyst Kell Stirling Victory also trialed at the UKC Obedience trial at Companion Dog Club on July 19th, 2025. He earned a 1st place in Beginner Novice with a score of 200. Very, Very, Proud of her progress in heeling. At least I can say we earned one perfect score.

Calendar: BDOC events are in Red.

2025

August 1-3, 2025 BDOC hosts AKC Obedience/Rally Trial at Sunshine Obedience School Council Bluffs, Iowa

August 9-10, 2025 Sunshine Obedience School will host a Connie Cleveland Problem Solving Seminar, Sunshine Obedience School, council Bluffs, Iowa.

August 16th, 2025 Companion Dog Club Agility Fun Match. Small dogs 4,8,12 run from 9-12 and large dogs 16, 20, 24 run from 1-4.

August 15-17, 2025 BDOC hosts AKC Scent Work Trial at Sunshine Obedience School Council Bluffs, Iowa.

August 17, 2025 DMOTC Des Moines Iowa Obedience Fun Match. *

August 24, 2025 DMOTC Des Moines, Iowa Rally Match. *

September 6 & 7, 2025 Tammie Gigstad Seminar at Companion Dog Club.

September 5-7, 2025 DMOTC Obedience Trial Iowa State Fair Grounds

September 13-14, 2025 WCRL Rally, Sunshine Obedience School, Council Bluffs, Iowa

September 19-21, 2025 AKC Herding Trial, BDOC Sunshine Farm, Council Bluffs, Iowa

September 20-21, 2025 Des Moines Golden Retriever Club Agility Trial at Jester Park in Granger, Iowa.

September 27-28, 2025 Platte Valley Agility.

October 18-19, 2025 CPE Scent Sports, GLOC, Lincoln Nebraska

October 18-19, 2025 DMOTC Agility Trial at Jester Park in Granger, Iowa.

October 25-26, 2025 AKC Obedience & Rally, BDOC at the Companion Dog Club, Omaha, Nebraska

October 31, November 1-2, 2025 BDOC hosts AKC Scent Work Trial at Sunshine Obedience School, Council Bluffs, Iowa

November 14-16, 2025 Patrick Shanahan Herding Clinic, Sunshine Farm, Council Bluffs, Iowa

November 8-9, 2025 Central Iowa Dachshund Club Obedience Trial at DMOTC Building in Des Moines, Iowa.

November 22-23, 2025 DMOTC Obedience Trial

December 5-7, 2025 AKC Scent Work, NKC, Omaha, Nebraska

*DMOTC Matches are through an online sign up called Slott Me. Please contact John Kimbro to be added to the email notice. His email is kimbrol88@yahoo.com. It is easy to sign up. You just open the level you want to run your dog in such as Open. Pick a time slot and type in your name, dog's name and jump. You should arrive 45 minutes before your scheduled time, check in and run your dog and be on your way. There is another contact for rally. Deb Luzier debluzier@msn.com.