



SAM-O-GRAM

Denver Samoyed Association

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COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS

Agility '17:

Terry Walb..... 303-833-2890

Awards:

Mary Lloyd..... 303-519-2813

Breeder Referral:

Pam Buhl..... 303-915-1725

Cheer:

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Designated Specialty:

Supported Entry will be held instead

Historian/Librarian:

Donna Dannen..... 303-670-8053

Hospitality:

Specialty Match

Pam Buhl..... 303-915-1725

Local Specialty

Sue Wangerin..... 303-467-9829

Heidi 'Scooter' Nieman 303-717-0799

Holiday Party:

Linda Kitzman..... 303-794-7136

Local Specialty '17:

Thalia Peletis..... 303-933-0392

Local Specialty '18:

Linda Kitzman..... 303-794-7136

Program:

Thalia Peletis..... 303-933-0392

Public Education:

Rachel Paulson..... 303-935-0701

Sam-O-Gram/Web Site:

Thalia Peletis..... 303-933-0392

Sammy Rescue:

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Meeting Minutes

Membership Meeting Minutes - 7/17/17

Meeting called to order at: 7:10pm

Present Members:

Pam Buhl, Martha Lageschulte, Thalia Peletis, Jan Cherne, Lori Elvera, Sydney Langner, Linda Kitzman

Guest: Lori Kremsrieter-Garza

President's Report: Pam Buhl

August and September's meetings will be back at the original National Grocers Wheatridge.

Linda volunteered to be Show Chair for next year's Specialty. Meeting to discuss necessities in putting on the specialty.

Specialty B/OB Match Date: Sunday, August 27 in Leewood Park, Littleton, 9:00am - 1:00pm.

- Bob has the stakes for the rings.
- Pam will fill out the paperwork
- Kathy Howe will be testing for CGC title. Pre-registration - \$15 Day of Eval - \$20

Vice President's Report: Sydney Langner - No report

Recording Secretary's Report: Heidi "Scooter" Nieman - Absent

Corresponding Secretary's Report:

Lori Elvera
Obedience and Rally rules/updates were discussed Lori sent email to the group

Treasurer's Report: Thalia Peletis

General fund - \$16,950.61
Rescue fund - \$27,154.44
Grocery Cards - 1 left for \$5
\$44,110.05

Committee Reports:

Agility - Martha for Terry Walb: Tom and Ann Carpenter's son, Tim,

intends to continue renting the equipment

Breeder Referral - Pam Buhl: Retired show dogs wanted.

Cheer - Pam for Rachel Paulson: A card was sent to Rachel Paulson for her Mom's passing.

Historian/Librarian: We are selling all books. They will be brought to the match.

2017 Local Specialty: Thalia Peletis

- Martha did a lovely job on the logo!
- Lori and Connie to help on decorations
- We have all the major win trophy pledges filled.
- Pee Wee is 5-9 years old
- Anyone has mason jars and aspen pieces can please bring to the match
- Pam, Scooter and Linda met with the photographer to go over what "good" looks like in win photos. She will be going to the Greeley shows to practice and get tips from Kohler.
- Shirts with the logo are \$26. Color options are pastel green, pastel blue and lilac.

2018 Local Specialty - Linda Kitzman:

- Mardee accepted. Waiting to hear from Grace Fritz. Judi Elford is next to be contacted.

Rescue: Thalia Peletis - Barbara White will be using our beaded nooses as trophies. Jean Pero is interested in the key chains.

New Business:

Discussed current annual donations:
• SCARF is currently \$200; sug-

gested to cancel for this year since we have already sent two memorial donations totaling \$1000..

- Currently donate \$300 for SCA National Trophies suggested to reduce to \$100 - tabled until quorum for voting. Use the difference to fund our own specialty class placement trophies.
- Supported entry trophies are current set for \$300 per show (two a year). Suggest cancelling and we purchase and supply our own trophies for those events—tabled until quorum for voting.

Other new business::

- Supported entry rebate has not yet been received. Checks are going out this week.
- Bylaws need some housekeeping -tabled until quorum for voting.
- Holiday party will be Saturday, December 10th. Rent to secure Lori's guest house is \$175. Linda will provide caterer contract to the board by September meeting.

Barks & Growls: - None

Adjourned

Board Meeting: 7/17/17

Nominating Committee:

Sydney will send an email to the Board members asking if they want to be on the Board again.

Rescue:

Thalia made a motion to accept the changes made in the Rescue By-laws as published in July 17th Sam O'Gram. Lori second, motion passed.

Adjourned

Special points of interest:

Join us for the
Education Program in
August - See Page 2!

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DSA Veterinary Education Program



DSA Veterinary Education Program

- ⇒ **WHEN:** Monday, **August 21st** – Room will be open at 6:30 PM – with program beginning at 7:00 PM.
- ⇒ **WHERE:** Deer Creek Animal Hospital -10148 W. Chatfield Ave., Littleton, CO 80127 – Meeting Room 2nd level
- ⇒ **RSVP!!:** If you belong to the Denver Samoyed Asso. & Friends Facebook Group please RSVP to the Event notice that I created for this posting, or email me privately, so I can get an estimate on the number of people that might be attending.

**You do not need to be a club member to attend, so feel free to invite puppy people,
and maybe they will consider it after they attend! :)
Please make sure they RSVP!**

Presenters: Dr. Raymond Cox (with Dr. Markee Kuschel in the background where she prefers!) will present an education program for our Colorado Sammy community on our regular meeting night.

Topics include

1) Laparoscopic Surgical Procedures including Gastropexy - A preventative surgery for stomach torsioning that occurs when a dog bloats.

Deer Creek had presented this program to us 13 years ago in 2004. Since bloat is still an issue in our breed, I felt it would be beneficial to some of the new members in our club, and also receive an update on what they have learned and what has changed. Deer Creek has led the way on this type of surgical technique and more importantly strives to teach others in their field this technique.

2) Cold Laser Therapy

Cold laser therapy is used to treat multiple ailments and injuries in dogs and cats. Treatable conditions include: Joint injuries, Ligament or tendon injuries, Fractures, Muscle sprains or strains, Skin lesions or abrasions, Post-trauma wounds, Post-surgical incisions, Arthritis, Musculoskeletal diseases, Nerve injury.

3) Care for Senior Dogs / and leaving this third topic a bit open in case one of their newer vets wants to do a program on Acupuncture, and/or Dr. Cox has some good topics!

2017 Specialty B/OB Match

 <p><i>Denver Samoyed Association, Inc.</i></p>	<h3>Denver Samoyed Association, Inc. Specialty B/OB Match</h3>													
<p>OBEDIENCE JUDGE TBD</p> <p>CONFORMATION JUDGE Sheree Sanchez</p> <p>SPECIALTY MATCH CHAIRPERSON Linda Kitzman 720-217-3132 wintermist_samoyeds@msn.com</p>	<p>Date: Sunday, August 27, 2017 Registration: 8:00 AM Obedience: 8:30 AM Conformation: Following obedience CGC/Trick Test: Following obedience Picnic: Following conformation Cost: \$5 per entry</p> <p>Obedience competition is open to all AKC and ILP registered Samoyeds. Conformation competition is open to all AKC registered Samoyeds 3 months & older.</p> <p>Leawood Park (across street from Clement Park on the east side) S. Pierce Street & West Fair Drive Littleton, CO 80123 Overflow parking available at Columbine High School East Parking Lot</p>													
<p>OBEDIENCE CLASSES</p> <p>Utility A / B Open A / B Novice A / B Beginner Novice A / B</p>	<p>CONFORMATION CLASSES</p> <p>Puppy 3 to 6 mo. Puppy 6 to 9 mo. Puppy 9 to 12 mo. Open Bred-by-Exhibitor Junior Showmanship</p>	<p>RIBBONS AWARDED FOR</p> <p>High in Trial Best of Breed Best Opposite Sex to Best of Breed Best Junior Handler</p>												
<h3>AKC Canine Good Citizen and Trick Dog Evaluations</h3> <p>EVALUATIONS ARE OPEN TO ALL-BREEDS!</p> <p>Dogs must be registered or listed with AKC (an AKC Number, PAL or AKC Canine Partners)</p>														
	<p>EVALUATOR Kathy Howse</p> <p>TESTS OFFERED</p> <p>CGC - Canine Good Citizen; CGCA - Canine Good Citizen Advanced</p> <p>TKN - Trick Dog Novice; TKI - Trick Dog Intermediate; TKA - Trick Dog Advanced;</p>													
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<p>To Pre-Register Contact: Thalia Peletis - dsa@denversamoyed.org - 303-968-7946</p> <p>Pre-Registration Closes Friday, August 25, 2017 at 6 PM</p>														



AKC Canine Good Citizen Test and/or Trick Dog Test Registration Form

Sponsored by
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Denver Samoyed Association, Inc.

August 27, 2017, 9:30 AM

Leawood Park

(across street from Clement Park on the east side)

S. Pierce Street & West Fair Drive, Littleton, CO 80123

Overflow parking available at Columbine High School East Parking Lot

For more information contact Thalia by e-mail: dsa@denversamoyed.org or call: 303-933-0392

To qualify for the pre-registration price, this completed form and payment must be received no later than Friday, August 25, 2017 by 6 PM MT.

Pre-Registration <u>Form</u> Submission Options	Pre-Registration <u>Payment</u> Submission Options
<p>Option # 1 - Electronic Form Submission Complete form, scan and email to: dsa@denversamoyed.org</p> <p>Option # 2 - Mail-In Form Submission Complete this form, and mail to: Denver Samoyed Association 8885 W. Clifton Ave., Littleton, CO 80128</p>	<p>Option # 1 - Pay by Credit Card via DSA's Square Store: Copy/paste this address into your browser's address bar: https://squareup.com/store/denver-samoyed-association and scroll down to the section called: "AKC CGC / Trick Dog Test - Pre-Registered Price"</p> <p>Option # 2 - Pay by Check Make Check Payable to: DSA and mail with pre-registered form.</p>

For CGC testing, remember to bring a brush and/or comb for your dog. Prong/pinch collars and head collars are not permitted. Flat, choke chain, or martingale collars are fine, as are non-restrictive harnesses. Leashes should be 4 to 6 feet long. Retractable leashes are not permitted. Heavy leash corrections are not allowed. No treats or toys can be used during the test. You may bring a chair to use while you wait for your turn. Talking to the dog for encouragement during the test is great. *Keep breathing and have fun with your dog!*

For Trick Dog testing, we recommend you complete the Trick Dog Application & Checklist(s) forms (see link below) and bring to the test event.

- The CGC test elements can be found at: http://www.akc.org/events/cgc/training_testing.cfm
- Tips on how to practice for the test can be found at: <http://www.akc.org/pdfs/cgc/GK9GC2.pdf>
- The Trick Dog test elements and forms can be found at: <http://www.akc.org/trick-Dog/trick-dog-applications/>

Pre-registered dog/handler teams will be tested first, followed by walk-in (day of test) registrations.

Handler's Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

E-Mail**: _____ Phone**: _____

**** You will be contacted via e-mail or phone in regard to the approximate time to arrive for your test.**

Dog's Breed: _____ AKC Registration#: _____

Dog's Birth Date: _____ Dog's Call Name: _____

Dog's Registered Name: _____

I am registering for these tests:

(check all that apply)

Pre-registered price: \$15 per test

Day of test price: \$20 per test

☐ Canine Good Citizen (CGC) ☐ Canine Good Citizen Advanced (CGCA)

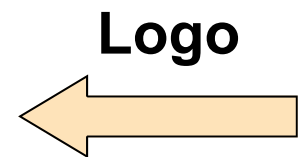
☐ Trick Dog Novice ☐ Trick Dog Advanced ☐ Trick Dog Intermediate

The DSA would like to invite everyone to order our 2017 special edition T-shirt for our local specialty!

Complete with the fabulous logo designed by our club member *Martha Lageschulte*.

Deadline to Order: Sunday August 27
(at the club Specialty B/OB Match in Littleton)

Theme Simply Colorado 2017



Logo will appear on front of t-shirt

Brand / Style

Gilden brand, round neck,
short-sleeved, 6.1oz 100% cotton,
pre-shrunk.



Color Options

Gravel (medium grey),
Light Blue,
Orchid (light purple).
Pistachio (light green),

Adult Sizes

Small, Medium, Large, X-Large,
2X, 3X, 4X

Youth Sizes

X-Small, Small, Medium, Large,
X-Large

Cost

\$26 XS to XL
\$28 - 2X
\$30 - 3X
\$32 - 4X

These are unisex sizes.

Lt Blue is the only color choice
available for youth size.

Shipping is extra, my time is free!

DSA is offering 2 ways to pay for your shirt(s)!

OPTION # 1

On line shopping...pay by credit card!!!
****NEW** for DSA!**

OPTION # 2

Check, payable to: DSA and mail to
Lori Elvera!

Go to this webpage to enter the DSA store:

<http://www.denversamoyed.org/LocalSpecialty.htm>

Please note, there are 2 ways to receive your shirt(s).

- "Ship" (default setting)
- "Pick Up"

Follow these instructions In the **CART CHECKOUT PROCESS**:

1. Click the word "Shipping" that appears in *BLUE* text.
2. Click "Pickup" from that drop-down list of delivery options.
3. Then click the "Checkout" button

If you'd like more info please email me at:
kenoshasam@aol.com

This is not a fundraiser, this is just for fun for our club
and anyone who would like to wear a really cool shirt!

Sorry, no refunds or exchanges after the
order has been place.

**Thank you for supporting your club and
the 2017 specialty! — Lori Elvera**

2017 Specialty



Denver Samoyed Association 2017 Back-to-Back Specialties

Saturday, November 25, 2017

Regular & Non-Regular Classes
Jeanne Zuver

Puppy, Veteran & Working Sweepstakes
Sharon Johnson

Obedience & Rally
Ronnie Bizer

Wonderful indoor location, plenty of grooming space, and RV parking!
Douglas County Fairgrounds
Castle Rock, CO (just south of Denver)

Come join us for a great weekend with great judges, ring-side hospitality, banquet dinner, beautiful rosettes and amazing trophies!

Show Chair: Thalia Peletis

Sunday, November 26, 2017

Junior Showmanship,
Regular & Non-Regular Classes
Darla Cassidy

Puppy & Veteran Sweepstakes
Pee Wee Classes
Donna Dannen

**Show/Trial Secretary
&**

Judge's Liaison:

Helen Hittesdorf

Email: fordogstuff@msn.com

For more details visit:

www.denversamoyed.org/LocalSpecialty.htm

DSA will participate in the
Denver's Parade of Lights
for its 6th year!

SAVE THE DATE!
Friday, December 1, 2017

Contact Lori Elvera (kenoshasam@aol.com)
if you and you Sammy would like to join us for this super fun event!



DENVER SAMOYED ASSOCIATION'S
Annual Awards and Holiday Party!

WHERE

Governor's Ranch Clubhouse
9050 W Prentice Ave, Littleton, CO 80123

WHEN

Saturday Evening - December 16th, 2017

COORDINATOR

Linda Kitzman
wintermist_samoyeds@msn.com / 720-217-3132



Denver Samoyed Association

DSA members are committed to the protection and advancement of the Samoyed breed.



c/o Thalia Peletis, Editor
8885 West Clifton Avenue
Littleton, Colorado
80128-5324

WE'RE ON THE WEB!
WWW.DENVERSAMOYED.ORG

Upcoming Club Events!

Date	Event	Location	Coordinator
Monday, August 21 6:30 PM	DSA Education Program & Meeting (see page 2)	Deer Creek Animal Hospital 10148 W Chatfield Ave, Littleton, 80127	Thalia Peletis t_peletis@msn.com 303-968-7946
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Sunday August 27	DSA Specialty T-Shirt Order Deadline (see page 5)	Orders taken at match or Order online at: www.denversamoyed.org/LocalSpecialty.htm	Lori Elvera kenoshasam@aol.com 720-344-4562
October 9-14	SCA National Specialty Show	Huron, Ohio	Samoyed Club of America www.sca2017.com
Sat & Sun Nov 25 & 26	DSA Local Specialty (see page 6)	Douglas County Fairgrounds 500 Fairgrounds Dr Castle Rock, 80104	Thalia Peletis t_peletis@msn.com 303-968-7946
Friday December 1	Parade of Lights (see page 7)	Downtown Denver	Lori Elvera kenoshasam@aol.com
Saturday December 16	DSA Awards & Holiday Dinner (see page 7)	Governor's Ranch Clubhouse 9050 W Prentice Ave Littleton 80123	Linda Kitzman wintermist_samoyeds@msn.com 720-217-3132

Denver Samoyed Rescue Report

no HOME, all ALONE As of 07/31/17, we have no Samoyeds available for adoption!

If you know anyone who might be interested, please call the DSR at 303-453-1360, or contact one of the Rescue committee members:
Sue Wangerin, Thalia Peletis, Michele Sottile, Pam Arnold, Deb Castro, Liz Evans and Michael Prewitt, Thanks!

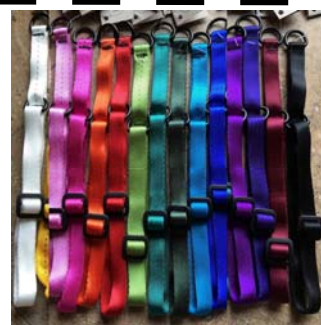
got puppies?

Send them home with the best equipment, or
refer your puppy families to Denver Samoyed Rescue to purchase!
denversamoyed.org/WhitePineFlyerNewest.pdf

1/2" Puppy Collars Slip or Buckle Style

9/16" Adult Collars Slip or Buckle Style

9/16" Soft Web Leashes in Matching Colors in 4' & 6' Lengths Available



9/16"

1/2"

