

# Buckhorn Valley Kennel Club June 2016

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## One word for Summer: "Hydration"!!



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### **BVKC Meetings:**

**Next General Meeting:**  
June 6, 2016 @ 7pm

**Board Meeting:**  
June 27, 2016 @ 7pm

Dinner/Social time:  
6:30pm  
Meetings begin at 7pm



Please visit our website  
[www.bvkc.org](http://www.bvkc.org)

# BVKC News ~ Public Education



## Hydration pack for dogs

1. [www.lifeofapup.com](http://www.lifeofapup.com)  
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 Dogs love to go on hikes, walks or just going to the dog park and if they are focused on running, exercise or just chasing a ball they need to be kept hydrated. Dog owners spend a long time researching what kind of diet their dog needs, what nutrients in dog food are best and how much to feed them but often do not realize that their dog needs to be kept Hydrated In pets, as in people, water makes 80% of the body.

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2. [www.lifeofapup.com](http://www.lifeofapup.com)[www.lifeofapup.com](http://www.lifeofapup.com) A small dog say an adult Maltese weighing 7 pounds with activity consisting of a 20 minute slow walk and some indoor activities, would need approximately 1½ cups of water throughout the day to maintain a proper level of body fluid. A bigger dog weighing 65 pounds would require about 7 cups of water depending on climate, exercise and diet. We suggest the k9-h2o Dog pack be used on all hikes, walks and trips to the dog park

3. [www.lifeofapup.com](http://www.lifeofapup.com)[www.lifeofapup.com](http://www.lifeofapup.com) About the product The new Hydration backpack for Dogs and there Owners by [www.lifeofapup.com](http://www.lifeofapup.com) We at [lifeofapup.com](http://www.lifeofapup.com) have come up with a new concept for keeping your dog and yourself hydrated from the same hydration backpack. The bladder has two drinking tubes, one for the owner and a longer one for the dog. The longer drinking tube is around hip height and makes it easier to give your dog a drink

4. [www.lifeofapup.com](http://www.lifeofapup.com)[www.lifeofapup.com](http://www.lifeofapup.com) The main benefits of k9h2o hydration pack are: \*Two drinking tubes \*So the owner could use their own drinking tube. \*So the dog has their own drinking tube which is longer. This means that the owner does not have to bend over so far when giving the dog a drink. \*The owner does not have their face right next to the dogs mouth, which by the way continually keeps you wet with water and slobber, like when you use a standard hydration pack. \*You only need the one pack to go on your walks or day hikes. \*You do not have to carry a dog bowl \*you do not have to carry an extra water bottle \*You gain extra storage space in the bag, as a separate container for your dog to drink from is not necessary. \*A poop bag pocket which holds 2 rolls of poop bags. \*A cell phone pocket \*Plenty of compartments for storage \*Key clip inside storage compartment \*2 smaller storage areas inside main storage compartments \*Soft padding and air ducts so your back stays cool

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## BVVC News ~ Public Education

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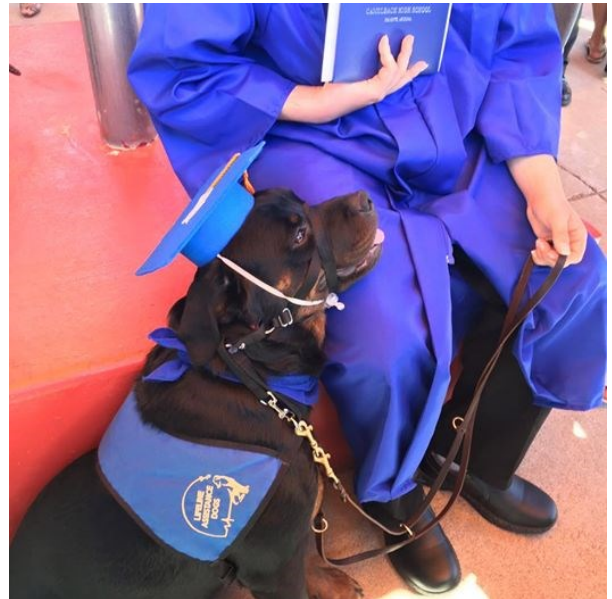
5. [www.lifeofapup.com](http://www.lifeofapup.com)[www.lifeofapup.com](http://www.lifeofapup.com) Both drinking tubes have a start/stop valve as well as a bite valve. If you want to give the dog water, you can squeeze the bite valve and the water syphons from the bladder. If you want a steady flow, you can remove the bite valve from stop/start valve and this will give you a continuous flow of water. This dog hydration pack can be used on short walks to the park or long day hikes in the hills. The bladder holds three liters of water which should be enough water for both the dog and you.

6. [www.lifeofapup.com](http://www.lifeofapup.com)[www.lifeofapup.com](http://www.lifeofapup.com) There is a poop bag pocket located on the waist strap of the bag. It holds 2 rolls of poop bags which can be pulled out through a special outlet in the side of the zippered compartment. So no running out of poop bags with this handy pocket. On the same waist belt, on the opposite side is another zippered pocket for treats, both these pockets are reachable without removing the dog hydration bag. On the shoulder strap on the left hand side we have placed a cell phone pocket that can be accessed easily. There are two large compartments both of which unzip three quarters of the way down on both sides for easy access. In the smaller of the two pockets, there is a key clip along with a 6" by 6" open pocket, and 2 smaller pockets, one which is meshed and the other one is a normal pocket. Both of these pockets are 5.5" long by 2.5" wide for holding smaller items that you might need access to quickly. The larger pocket is 19" long by 8.5" wide and also has 2 zips that open the pocket three quarters the way down both sides. On the back of this pocket, is another zippered small pocket which is 5" by 5".

7. [www.lifeofapup.com](http://www.lifeofapup.com)[www.lifeofapup.com](http://www.lifeofapup.com) There is a cinch belt on each side, to pull the bag tighter, so when the bladder is getting low on water it will keep pressure on the bladder and it will still syphon properly. The dog hydration bag has soft padding that is vented for airflow so your back can breathe and stay cool. There is an easy grip handgrip for carrying the bag to and from the car. I walk my dogs twice a day and I never leave home without my k9-h2o water pack.

8. [www.lifeofapup.com](http://www.lifeofapup.com)[www.lifeofapup.com](http://www.lifeofapup.com) Address: Call us : 562-286-4611 Street Name and No: 2112 Birchwood Way PO Box 5318 City: Pine Mountain Club State: California Zip Code: 93222 For more information kindly visit us at <http://www.lifeofapup.com/>

## AKC News/Public Education



*Aero, a Rottweiler service dog in training, participated in Camelback High School's graduation ceremony on Thursday. Aero has been working with a senior at the Phoenix school as part of his training with Lifeline Assistance Dogs.*

*Aero participated in graduation rehearsal and his owner, Riann, posted this on the dog's Facebook page: "Aero will be walking in Camelback High School's graduation, with a graduating senior who benefits greatly from Aero's presence. This year, the two of them have developed a beautiful relationship, and I can't be prouder of Aero."*

*Aero shares more of his service activities on Facebook, where he's seen helping various special needs students at the high school.*

*With all of his hard work, it's no wonder he was able to participate in graduation. Congratulations, Aero!*

## AKC News/Public Education

### *SERVICE DOGS SHINE AT INVICTUS GAMES*

*By: Randa Kriss*

*Anyone with a service dog will attest to their loyalty, dedication, and love. At the Invictus Games this week, service dogs took their responsibilities to the next level, helping their owners compete and even taking some gold medals.*

*The Invictus Games, held in Orlando, Florida (May 8-12), give wounded, ill, and injured service men and women the opportunity to compete in sports such as powerlifting, swimming, and wheelchair basketball. Many of the competitors have service dogs who accompanied them to the Games.*

*Christine Gauthier, who won a gold medal in heavyweight powerlifting, attributes her win to her service dog, Batak. "Without my dog, I wouldn't be here," she told the Orlando Sentinel.*

*These service dogs help their owners with conditions such anxiety, PTSD, and depression. The dogs also often aid with mobility, which is particularly important to many of these athletes.*

*Retired Special Operations Command Sergeant Leonard Anderson won a gold medal in the 100-meter freestyle and praised his service dog, Azza, for everything she does for him.*

*"Everything I do, everything I've ever competed in, everything ever since the injury has mostly been with her," he told ABC News. Throughout the games this week, the presence of service dogs was celebrated and recognized among competitors and audience members alike.*

## AKC News ~ Death of a Hero



A retired police dog who was shot in the line of duty two years ago has died of complications from his injuries.

In March 2014, K-9 **Bruno**, a German Shepherd Dog with the Anaheim Police Department in California, was injured when he and his partner, Officer RJ Young, were on the trail of an armed suspect. The suspect opened fire and a bullet went through Bruno's jaw and chest, collapsing his lung.

Bruno managed to survive the attack, after undergoing six weeks of veterinary care and multiple surgeries. He was retired from service and lived with Officer Young as a family pet. Later that year, the American Kennel Club presented Bruno with the Award for Canine Excellence.

But on May 18, Bruno had to undergo emergency surgery due to complications from the injury. Unfortunately, his organs failed and he passed away with Officer Young by his side.

"Bruno was a warrior to the end and we will never forget OUR HERO!"

*R.I.P. Bruno.....Just this side of heaven is a place called Rainbow Bridge.*

*When an animal dies that has been especially close to someone here, that pet goes to Rainbow Bridge.*

*There are meadows and hills for all of our special friends so they can run and play together. There is plenty of food, water and sunshine, and our friends are warm and comfortable.*

*All the animals who had been ill and old are restored to health and vigor. Those who were hurt or maimed are made whole and strong again, just as we remember them in our dreams of days and times gone by.*

*The animals are happy and content, except for one small thing; they each miss someone very special to them, who had to be left behind.*

*They all run and play together, but the day comes when one suddenly stops and looks into the distance.*

*His bright eyes are intent. His eager body quivers.*

*Suddenly he begins to run from the group, flying over the green grass, his legs carrying him faster and faster.*

*You have been spotted, and when you and your special friend finally meet, you cling together in joyous reunion, never to be parted again. The happy kisses rain upon your face; your hands again caress the beloved head, and you look once more into the trusting eyes of your pet, so long gone from your life but never absent from your heart.*

*Then you cross Rainbow Bridge together....*

*Author unknown...*

## Nearby Events

- \* 6/1 6/30 June 6/3 6/5 **AKC AG CO** Front Range Agility Association of Denver (FRAAD); Schaefer Sports Complex; Denver I Jamie Horcek; 303-791-1341
- \* 6/3 6/5 **UKC B/OB/R CO** High Plains KC; Douglas CFG, Castle Rock I Denice Norby; 303-356-1039
- \* 6/3 6/3 **AKC OB/R CO** Collie Club of Colorado; Adams CFG; Brighton; All Breed I Brenda Wood; 970-663-7197
- \* 6/4 6/5 **AKC B/OB/R CO** Flatirons KC; Boulder CFG; Longmont I/O Onofrio Dog Shows; 405-427-8181
- \* 6/4 6/4 **Match B/OB/R CO** Sporting Dog Club of Colorado Springs; Norris Penrose Stadium, Colorado Springs I Sue Harrington; 719-219-1919
- \* 6/11 6/12 **AKC OB/R UT** Great Salt Lake DTC; Legacy Arena; Farmington O Deb Nendell; 801-898-9759
- \* 6/11 6/12 **AKC Earthdog CO** Columbine Dachshund Club; Bellevue O Dawn-Renee Mack; 303-759-8152
- 6/12 6/12 **AKC Tracking CO** Buckhorn Valley Kennel Club; University of Northern O Linda Gruver; 970-988-0466
- \* 6/18 6/19 **AKC AG CO** Mtn. States DTC; Adams CFG; Brighton I Deb Ascher; 970-532-3124
- \* 6/18 6/19 **AKC Earthdog CO** Cairn Terrier Club of Denver/Rocky Mountain All O Sandy Trzos 303-838-9636
- \* 6/16 6/19 **AKC B/OB ID** Eagle Rock KC/Pocatello KC; Blackfoot O Onofrio Dog Shows; 405-427-8181
- \* 6/17 6/19 **USDAA AG UT** Wasatch Agility; Legacy Arena; Farmington O Coleen Hawker; 801-571-8061 6/25
- 6/26 **AKC AG CO** Mile High Sporting Dog Fanciers; APEX Field House, Arvada I Deb Ascher; 970-532-3124
- 6/25 6/26 **DOCNA AG CO** FRAT' Charity Trial; Fairmont Park; Golden O Red Johnson; 303-757-4492
- \* 6/25 6/26 **AKC OB/R CO** Colorado Springs KC; Penrose Event Center; Colorado Springs I Ginger Sammonds; 970-310-6302
- \* 6/25 6/26 **AKC Herding CO** Mile High Rottweiler Club; Pruett Facility; Fort Morgan; Rotties have priority O Bernie McDowell; 303-526-7520

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## BVKC Committee Reports

### Show Committee ~

We will have a private room. Our first draft of the Premium List is due the first week of June, so we need to make some final decisions. Contact Vicki with any questions ;)

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### Tracking Committee ~

If you would like more information for upcoming events, please contact:

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### Herding Committee ~

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970-568-7708



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### Health Committee ~

We are having a Breeder's Symposium on April 17th Hosted By Dr. Greg Burns of South Mesa Vet Clinic here in Fort Collins.

### Attention Juniors! ~

We have some exciting news for the Junior Competitors in our area! Bailey is busy creating an entire program for the Juniors in our area.

At our annual show this year in October, we will feature a couple Special Events just for Juniors. We will also be offering for the very first time, the NEW AKC Pee wee Class for youngsters between the ages of 5-9! If you would like to ask her any questions...

Bailey | [baileybremner@gmail.com](mailto:baileybremner@gmail.com)



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## BVKC Member's Corner



*Jan Baynton has a 9 month-old, sable and white, rough collie male for sale to a show, junior handler and/or performance home. "Midas" has 1 point and was Best in Sweeps and Best Puppy, Reserve Dog in a major entry at the Collie Club of Colorado April specialty. He has a lovely, affectionate, self-confident personality. Here are a couple of candid shots from that weekend at 7 1/2 months. Serious inquiries call Jan at [970-635-1811](tel:970-635-1811).*



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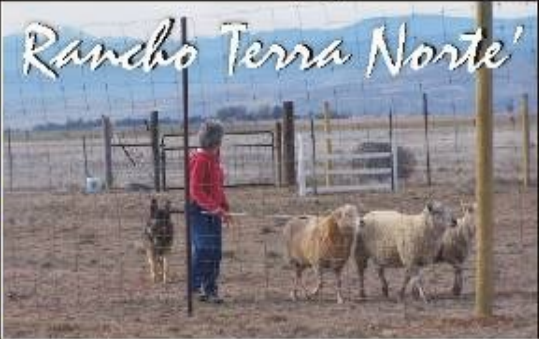
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## From the Editor

Welcome to Summer,  
Remember;  
**HYDRATE**  
and  
**HAVE FUN!**

Blessings,,  
Sandy

*Paws and reflect. ....*



"Tell whoever it is that I can't come to the phone because my dog is sleeping on my lap, and if I get up, I will disturb him."

—Charlie Brown

### BVKC Officers for 2016

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