



# Working Notes

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## Lake Minnetonka Kennel Club AKC Sanctioned B Match

Bring your puppies and dogs and practice for the upcoming spring and summer shows! Get ready to do some winning. Classes start at 3 months and up.

**6 pm**

**Friday March 13**

Leader of the Pack  
Training Center

2534 Eastwood Ave.  
Buffalo MN

located 5 miles  
west of Rockford just off of highway 55.

The  
Lake Minnetonka Kennel Club  
invites everyone to join us for an evening of fun, training and socializing  
with a pot luck meal and a club meeting following the match.

For more info call  
763-479-1733

The Heart of Minnesota Great Dane Club  
&  
The Northstar Working Group Association

present

**PAT MILLER**

*Whole Dog Journal*  
training editor, lecturer, and author of  
*The Power of Positive Dog Training*

**Saturday March 28**

**Body Talk:** Discover how to send the right messages to your dog, and how to use body talk to your best advantage for training and relationship purposes.

**The Top 5 Mistakes Made by Positive Trainers**

**Sunday March 29**

**Bite Me!:** Use gentle, positive training methods and management to reduce and sometimes even eliminate the risks presented by an aggressive dog.

**Resolving and Managing Behavior Problems:**

Apply the principles of behavior and learning to resolve problem behaviors without the use of force.

The Certification Council for Professional Dog Trainers has approved 13 CEUs for this seminar.

University of MN Continuing Education and Conference Center  
1890 Buford Ave. St. Paul, MN  
**9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. each day**  
**March 28 & 29**

**\$175.00**  
**(Club Members \$150.00)**

**Please send reservations ASAP!**

Go to NWGA website and retrieve registration form there.

Next NWGA Meeting  
March 19th 7:30 PM

Perkins Restaurant, 1787 Kenyon Ave. Lakeville, MN

Directions to the Meeting: Take I-35E south or north to Exit 85 (County Rd. 5/County Road 50 in Lakeville).  
Go northwest on County Road 5 to 172nd St. W. Turn left onto 172nd St. W., then turn left again onto  
Kenyon Avenue. Perkins Restaurant is at the end of Kenyon Avenue.



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Sanctioned B Obedience Match

**Sunday, March 15th**

at C&E Dog Training  
3965 Quebec  
New Hope, MN  
763-546-9339

Pre-Novice  
Novice  
Open  
Utility

Start time: 9 AM

Chairperson is Carol Ronyak  
clmom2@aol.com

### **Behavioral Issues of Rescue Dogs**

Leader of the Pack Canine Center  
is pleased to announce  
a seminar devoted entirely to the issues of  
Rescue, Shelter, Foster and Rehomed dogs.

We will address  
behavioral problems such as  
fear, aggression, resource guarding, separation anxiety and destructive behaviors.

Handlers are welcome to bring their dogs.

Location: Leader of the Pack Canine center  
2534 Eastwood Ave. SE  
Buffalo, MN

Cost: \$5.00 per team

Time: 1:00pm Sunday, April 6th

Reserve your space at [info@leaderofthepackcanine.com](mailto:info@leaderofthepackcanine.com)