

# Oakland Dog Training Club

## *Woofs and Waggers*



The Official Newsletter for the Oakland Dog Training Club

Fall 2008



**Jaunty Marley Duke of Wildcat CD, ATT**  
**February 01 2002 - May 12 2008**

## Marley's Story

A happier dog you'll never encounter. Marley dispelled the myth of being two seemingly disparate things—both human friendly and an American Pit Bull Terrier. Marley was strikingly handsome, bright, athletic, comical, rife with curiosity and possessed an extraordinary temperament. Life was great with Marley, our breed ambassador.

Saddled with allergy and skin issues from the time he was a puppy, Marley became a patient of the Dermatology Service at the UC Davis School of Veterinary Medicine when he was 18 months old.

He quickly gained celebrity status with both students and veterinarians, who were entertained and amazed by his well-executed behaviors performed on command: "Stand" (he'd stand for the examination), "Side" (he'd lie on his side), and "Open" (he'd open his mouth). And then there was his famous "Freeze" (he'd freeze like a statue—momentarily broken with a tail wag).

We knew we were facing a lifetime of skin challenges, but we had no idea what was about to hit us. On a routine visit to UC Davis in January 2007, our world came crashing down after a student discovered swollen lymph nodes. Tests confirmed that Marley had stage V high-grade B-cell lymphoma—the highest stage possible.

Two days later we were in a UC Davis Center for Companion Animal Health oncology exam room where the veterinarians explained—very concisely and with compassion—that without treatment, Marley had six to eight weeks to live. And those would not be fun times.

We proceeded with chemotherapy, with Marley's celebrity status accompanying him, and his ardent admirers growing.

Throughout his care, if you didn't know Marley had a life threatening disease, you probably wouldn't have been able to tell.

This is evidence of the oncology team's emphatic mantra: providing quality of life for the companion animals they treat.

While we were there for treatments, we observed the oncology team's interactions with other patients and came away knowing that every animal is treated as unique and special. Individualized, down-to-earth attention is foremost. They all truly care.

Ultimately, Marley's tenacious spirit, all our love, and the CCAH's best efforts were outgunned by the cancer. But because of their care, Marley enjoyed 15 additional months of quality living. With heartfelt gratitude to the CCAH team, we savored every precious moment.

Since we all stand on the shoulders of those who have gone before us, sharing information is crucial. In that spirit, some of Marley's tissues were donated to the CCAH for research.

To honor and memorialize him, we purchased a brick and a plaque to be displayed in the CCAH gardens, with the proceeds supporting lymphoma research. Many friends and relatives touched by Marley's life and story have also made contributions in his name.

—**Kirk and Charmaine Fornoff**

***I have to include a special thank you to the trainers and members of ODTC who helped shape Marley's behavior from a puppy... Marley was my first dog and I was so lucky to find O.D.T.C. The Club members taught me the value and rewards of raising a canine companion—Charmaine***

Marley's Story story was included in the Fall 2008 U. C. Davis Center for Companion Animal Health Newsletter . The fall issue focus's on Canine Cancer and offers insights on current research and treatment available. The CCAH newsletter is currently available online through the link below - [http://www.vetmed.ucdavis.edu/ccah/documents/newsletter\\_2008\\_fall.pdf](http://www.vetmed.ucdavis.edu/ccah/documents/newsletter_2008_fall.pdf)

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Upcoming  
Members' Practice Matches  
Winter Start Time

**SATURDAY NOVEMBER 22**  
(9am - 11:00 )

**SATURDAY December 14**  
(9am - 11:00 )

**SUNDAY January 11**  
(9am - 11:00 )

**SATURDAY February 14**  
(9am - 11:00 )

**SUNDAY March 15**  
(9am - 11:00 )

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## WOOFs and WAGGERS needs your help!!

We need Newsletter Contributors...

We're are looking for members who will help provide information on what's going on with Club Events,

Show Reports, Seminar Reviews and  
Community Out Reach Projects.

Please submit your ideas and  
information to Jack McCreddie

**McCredie@Berkeley.edu**



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# Meetings and Membership News

## " Stuff stuff stuff"

### President's Message – Jack McCredie

November 30th is the end of the fiscal year for the Oakland Dog Training Club. As we approach our December 12 holiday party and member meeting, it is a good time to take a look at the health of the Club and to plan for 2009. Your board will present the full year financial results at the December meeting, but we have enough information now to state that the Club is in good financial shape. We have a healthy reserve balance in the bank and our income for the full year will exceed expenses by a few thousand dollars. The income from the training classes now covers the expenses of renting and maintaining the Jacuzzi Street training facility.

The financial story was significantly different 18 months ago (see the March-April 2007 issue of *Woofs and Waggers*) when the Club was running a significant deficit and we were all concerned about our ability to continue operating at Jacuzzi Street. The board worked hard last year to develop a realistic business plan that would put the Club back in a stable operating mode and it succeeded.

In addition, members gave generously to the fund raising effort to purchase new mats for the training center.

We revised our bylaws in June and are working on the Web site to make it a better source of information about our many activities. In January, the Club will sponsor a seminar presented by Lynn Kosmakos and new ODTC member Jane Rosenblum. They have teamed up to develop a lively seminar for parents of young children who have dogs at home. The focus of this seminar will be to show parents how to teach their children safe behavior around dogs, a subject both Lynn and Jane have worked with in the past. The style will be interactive and will make use of materials that Lynn has used in school programs for children, plus Jane's written information for adults.

Plans for our obedience match on March 8, the tracking test at Morgan Territory on April 12, and the obedience trial on May 17 are progressing well. We need volunteers for all of these events so please check your calendars and sign up to help. The classes are humming along with good attendance;

we continue to attract new members; members are earning additional titles and placing well in trials; and most important - we and our canine buddies are having a great time!

The board solicits your input about how we can improve these events and all aspects of the Club in the coming year.

*Jack*

**A Big  
THANK  
YOU!!**



**Shout out to  
Glen & Kathy Henderson  
for hosting the annual  
O.D.T.C. meeting and dinner**

**The donations at the door  
raised \$260 for the 2009  
trophy fund.**

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**The dates have been set for the  
2009  
Obedience/Rally Match and Trial:**

**ODTC Obedience/Rally Match:  
Sunday, March 8, 2009**

**ODTC Obedience/Rally Trial:  
Sunday, May 17, 2009**

**Lizanne will be the chief ring steward for both of these events. However, we need a co-chief steward, if you're available to steward or help out as co-chief steward. Please Contact Lizanne**

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Dani finished her RAE (rally advanced excellent) in 10 shows in 2 months. The majority of her placings were first or second. She also finished her ASCA CDX with a score of 199. - **Margie Chino**



Our darling Ariel went HIT at the Saint Specialty with a score of 196 from Novice B on Friday. She was absolutely focused and cheerful and I think the score was one she deserved.



However, the most stunning (I'm stunned) brag is that on Saturday she won Best of Breed from the classes. That came with five big points (she now has 14 towards her championship). She defeated about 60 class dogs and 15 specials, many of whom were specialty winners. Quite a day for us! - **Hazel Olbrich**



For such a mild mannered little dog, Mr Giles can sure get the job done. He earned his Cavalier Rally Advanced title (all three legs), with a high in trial and 2 first place ribbons and 1 second place. Mr Giles has since finished his RA with the Cavaliers and added 2 legs toward his ACK CD, A great year for him!

... And I thought he wasn't a performance dog!  
- **Patricia Minger**

Benson finished his Rally Novice title in his first 3 trials with scores of 89, 99 and 100. The 89 was due to handler error (mine - I lost 10 points for doing a left finish instead of a right at the ODTC trial!). He also finished his CD at the same trials with a terrific score of 198 (and one of the points lost was again human error - mine!). I still have a lot to learn, obviously. In the first two trials, he won High Scoring Poodle. In the last one, we tied for High Scoring Non-Sporting Dog, but lost in a run-off with the other dog - a beautiful Dalmatian with a UDX title, so I wasn't too disappointed. A big thank you to all the ODTC people who have been helping us - trainers Jan Tan, Hazel Olbrich and Lori Drouin, plus various members at the member matches.

- **Susan Dickerso**



Vista finished her UDX in style this weekend (June 24, 2008). Took UB 1st OB 2nd HC and 6 OTCH points Saturday afternoon in the 104\* heat.

- **Lora Cox**



My Brittany, Riley (Ch Gerstdale's Rocky Mountain High CD, JH, RE), finished his Rally Excellent title on February 26, 2006, on the one-year anniversary of his first time in the Rally ring. He earned his first Rally Novice leg in February 2005, and placed 3d, with a score of 99 out of 100. He went on to compete in Rally 7 more times last year, and passed every time. In 2005, he earned his Rally Novice title, his Advanced title, 1 leg toward his Excellent title, and competed in the AOCNC inter-club competition at the Advanced level, and came in 2nd, with a score of 96, which helped Oakland Dog Training Club win the Inter-Club Rally award.

He earned his 2nd Rally Excellent leg on February 18, 2006, with a score of 98, and after earning his Excellent title on February 26th, went on to compete for his RAE (Rally Advanced Excellent) title by earning his first RAE leg under Alvin Eng on May 7, 2006. He scored 88 in Excellent and 95 in Advanced, and won the Advanced class. Although he had earned blue ribbons before in conformation, this was his first blue ribbon in performance events. To date, he has also had a perfect record of passing every time he's been in the Rally ring! Needless to say, I am very proud of him, and look forward to completing his RAE title, hopefully with the same success rate. - **Harriet Tucker**

Send in your recent show information via email, or mail a note to the club and we will put it in the next newsletter!  
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**The Wendy Wallace Motivational Workshop  
sponsored by A.O.C.N.C in August 2008**

*Reported by Harriet Tucker,  
AOCNC Representative for ODTC*

The workshop was held at the Mount Diablo Dog Training Club's training hall, which allowed for a large, fully matted area for handlers and dogs to practice the skills that Wendy presented and demonstrated. She gave a very comprehensive introduction, explaining how and why she developed her motivational style of training. Her motto was: "If it's not fun for you, it's not fun for the dog!" Her goal is to make the training and learning of obedience skills a pleasurable and exciting experience for both the dog and the handler.

She integrates training with motivation by creating a playful atmosphere for the skill she is trying to convey. For example, to teach the drop on recall, she'd throw a treat and say "Get it", then "Come", and would repeat this several times. Once the dog was excited about going after the treat and running back for more, she would say "Get it" and when the dog turned back toward her, she would say "Down" and reward the proper response.

Those of you who have trained with Lori Drouin are familiar with this type of motivational approach, since Lori has always incorporated it into her training. For example, both Wendy and Lori have used the racing game to encourage speed, whether it be for a recall or a go-out, using "on your mark, get ready, GO!" and then running.

Wendy arranged the handler/dog teams into 5 groups, with 5 teams in each group. This allowed us all to have adequate space to work, and the opportunity to observe the 5 teams that were working, and benefit from the instructions Wendy gave them. Although Wendy encourages handlers to approach the training as if it were a fun-filled game, she stresses the importance of the handler controlling the game, not the dog! You decide when the game starts and ends, and how it will be played.

A technique she uses with puppies to encourage them to "choose to heel" involves attaching a toy (a long, furry one works best) to a rope or long line, and encouraging the puppy to tug on the toy as she walks with the puppy in heel position. At this stage of training, she ignores any bouncing up and down the puppy may be doing, because the object is to get the pup to have fun with the toy while following you around in heel position.

Wendy uses the same "play" or "game" technique for more advanced skills, such as dumbbell retrieving, presenting the dumbbell as an exciting object the dog will want to pick up, She might then run off in the opposite direction, encouraging the dog to chase her while carrying the dumbbell, and when he catches up, she might then heel the dog while he is still carrying it. At home, she leaves training items such as dumbbells lying around and lets puppies play with them, including allowing them to play tug with it. This encourages a good hold. When it's time to take the dumbbell back from the pup, she gets him to sit and strokes him to relax him as she takes the dumbbell from him, possibly offering a treat in exchange.

Wendy uses cones a lot in training, teaching the dogs to maneuver around them, which heightens body awareness and increases flexibility. To encourage the dog to stay in heel position, she teaches the "touch" command -- the left hand becomes a target the dog is taught to touch when it is presented to him.

Wendy is very talented at what she does, and very skilled at making it understandable to her audience, both by example and by practice. Her small-group format, allowing 5 teams to work at a time on each of the skills she presented, gave us each a chance to "feel" what she was teaching, rather than just to see and hear it.

Were ODTC to consider sponsoring a Wendy Wallace Motivational Workshop, I believe it would be well-attended and very much appreciated. However, I think it should be advertised as particularly useful for those training young dogs, and those who feel their dogs do not have the "spark" they would like to see when working with them. For some of us who have trained with Lori Drouin for a long time, it wasn't so much an opportunity to learn new skills as it was a chance to practice those skills we had already been taught.

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our club out in public places and  
attract new students to our  
training classes....**

**Ask the class trainer for a few  
next time you are at the  
Training Center**

January 31, 2009

ODTC Seminar

**"Teaching Children Safe  
Behavior  
Around Dogs"**



Join  
Lynn Kosmakos  
and  
Jane Rosenblum.

*For a lively seminar for parents  
of young children who have  
dogs at home.*

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*Annual Holiday Dinner &*

*Membership Meeting*

*Please Join us for the ODTC's  
Annual Holiday Dinner*

*and*

*Membership Meeting*

*Friday Evening*

*December 12, 2008*

*At the home of*

*Sue & Scott Harvey*

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*Oakland CA 94611*

*Drinks at 7 pm & Dinner at 8 pm  
\$12 per person*

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*&*

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*Trophy fund & The 2009  
Raffle*



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## Let's Make It Our Mission....

By Lori Drouin

Recently a fairly new member asked me how a new member was supposed to find out about things happening in the club. What a great question! I only wish I could have given a definite and easy answer. The fact that the question had to be asked means that as members, we may not be doing all that we can or should to roll out the red carpet to those new to our sport.

First, let's answer the question on a technical level. Our club has a website that is in the process of being updated and improved, and that will eventually be the go-to place to find out the latest scoop on what's up with classes, matches, seminars, etc.. It will also be a source of information regarding by laws, club functions that we need volunteers for, and links to other dog-related sites. If you have news for the website, email Joyce Gross through the website link, and she can help get in information out there. Instructors with particular ideas about equipment, or news of specialized topics in training classes for specific dates should be keeping Joyce apprised of those news bytes for publication. Additionally, there is the ODTC Yahoo group message board, which hasn't been routinely active, but has proven to be a great place for brags, congrats, and updates on legislation alerts and other news worthy of passing along to members. It has the potential to allow discussions of training ideas, or arranging some training dates with other interested members on your own.

One of the best things to do is get to the classes, and get to know the other folks who are most active in their training. The active ones know when and where the matches are, and nothing beats a congenial group class for working on distractions for your dog, even if you choose not to follow the class curriculum to the letter.

That said, it's time to check ourselves and see how much we are extending ourselves to make new members welcome. We must do more than simply collect their checks. We need to find out their names, what they are dreaming of for their dogs, what they are working on, and what their interests are when they aren't training. We have a lot of fascinating people in our club, but not everyone knows anything about other members aside from what their dogs' names are and what level they are training at.

Let's make it our mission to introduce ourselves at least briefly to any new face we see in classes or at club matches, and offer to help them out in any way possible.

Make it your mission to introduce yourself when you are new to a class. It doesn't take much to engender a friendly response. A compliment about a beautiful dog will get you a smile without fail, and give you an opening to introduce yourself and your dog and have a moment or two of conversation.

Make it your mission to support the folks who have volunteered to be in charge of the Big Match, the Obedience Trial and the Tracking and Agility tests coming up in the next year. Give them a call or drop them a line, and tell them what you'd be willing to help with. They will need help with setting up equipment, stewarding, baking cookies or making salads for lunches, or making phone calls for various reasons.

If you're an experienced trainer, make it a small mission of appreciation to offer to cover an evening of classes now and then so that Barbara or Hazel or Lora can plan a day off, or plan a time when they can train their own dogs. Being the instructor means you don't get to work your own dogs as much as they probably need to be worked in a class, and a little gift of time can be very motivating to your trainers who work hard for you.

Make it your mission to contact your board of directors if you have ideas for the club. That might be an idea that relates to efficiency or improvement related to the events we already do, or ideas for community outreach or advertisement.

Make it a mission to promote friendships among club members. We don't always have to wait for a formal club meeting to invite members to a get-together at the hall. Now and then a potluck and some dog games and some discussion about great training books or fun training games could be fun all on its own. Yeah, we're busy. Frankly, I live way too far away to run right down for many impromptu events, but given that our club has the fewest formal meetings per year compared to other area clubs, our membership could greatly benefit from more face time and familiarity among members.

Make it your mission to support each other at events. It's a lot of fun to gather together at lunch time after a morning at a trial, and spend some time laughing, crying or dissecting what happened earlier in the day. Save a space under a tree or canopy for one

of the newer members who don't have all of the equipment yet. Offer to video performances of your friends.

When you can, make it your mission to involve yourself in your chosen sports on more levels. Offer to relieve a ring steward when you're done showing. Volunteer for hospitality duty. Consider hanging out around the Novice A ring and congratulating or encouraging every single person who comes out of that ring. Hang out with the person doing the Tote Board and find out how that job works. Spend some time watching table stewards, gate stewards, and timers in Rally, and understand their jobs, and how you as a handler can help them keep things running smoothly.

As with any sport, dog sports is much richer than the ring experience. Make it your mission to find, experience and understand the details. You'll not be bored!

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# Classes and Events Calendar

Daytime Classes		Evening Classes			
<p><b>Tuesday AM</b></p> <p><b>Lora Cox</b></p> <p>10:00 - 11:00 am <b>Begining Agility or Rally Class-</b></p> <p>11:00 - 11:45 am <b>Novice Drop-in</b></p> <p>11:45 - 12:00 pm <b>Novice &amp; Open Combined Sits &amp; Downs</b></p> <p>12:00 - 1:00 pm <b>Open Drop-in</b></p> <p>1:00 - 2:00 pm <b>Utility Drop-in</b></p>	<p><b>Thursday AM</b></p> <p><b>NO CLASS</b></p>	<p><b>Monday PM</b></p> <p><b>Barbara Henry</b></p> <p>7:00 pm - Until done</p> <p>Utility run throughs starting at 7:00 pm, followed by run-throughs for other levels.</p> <p>Reserved space Run-throughs offered from 5-7 pm</p> <p><i>Call the club at 339-3276 for information on how to contact Barbara.</i></p>	<p><b>Tuesday PM</b></p> <p><b>Elizabeth Soares</b></p> <p>7:15 - 8:15 pm <b>Begining I Class</b> Next sessions start:</p> <p>8:15 - 9:15 pm <b>Begining II Class</b> <i>call for Next sessions start</i></p>	<p><b>Wednesday PM</b></p> <p><b>Hazel Olbrich</b></p> <p>7:00 - 7:45 pm <b>Off Leash Control I</b> Off Leash Control li Introduction to Rally Skills</p> <p>7:45 - 8:00 pm <b>Novice &amp; Open Combined Sits &amp; Downs</b></p> <p>8:00 - 9:00 pm <b>Novice/Open Drop-in</b></p>	<p><b>Thursday PM</b></p> <p><b>Elizabeth Soares</b></p> <p>7:15 - 8:00 pm <b>Puppy Class</b> Next sessions start:</p> <p>8:00 - 9:00 pm <b>Begining I Class</b> <i>call for Next sessions start</i></p>

## 2008- 2009 Events Calendar

### NOVEMBER

Lori Drouin Seminar - November.15-16  
MEMBERS MATCH - Hayward Nov. 22

### DECEMBER

Holiday Party & General Membership Meeting - Dec 12  
MEMBERS MATCH - Hayward Dec 14- 9:00AM - 11:00AM

### JANUARY 2009

Jan 31, 2009  
ODTC Seminar "Teaching Children Safe Behavior Around Dogs"

MEMBERS MATCH - Hayward Jan 11, 2009

### FEBRUARY 2009

AOCNC MATCH Feb 01, 2009  
MEMBERS MATCH - Hayward Feb 14 - 9:00AM - 11:00AM  
GENERAL MEETING - Feb 14

### MARCH 2009

ODTC OB/Rally Match - Hayward March 08  
MEMBERS MATCH - Hayward March 15 - 9:00AM - 11:00AM

### APRIL

04/12 TD/TDX Test - Morgan Territory  
MEMBERS MATCH - Hayward - TBD - 9:00AM  
TBD Lori Drouin Class - 04/30 Introduction to rally Skills

### MAY

TBD Lori Drouin Class - 05/17 ODTC OB/Rally Trials - Hayward  
TBD MEMBERS MATCH - Hayward -9:00AM

### JUNE

06/01 AOCNC InterClub Competition - Hayward  
TBD Lori Drouin Class - TBD General Membership Meeting and Annual Dinner - (Elections-2009 Board of Directors)  
TBD- MEMBERS MATCH -

### JULY

MEMBERS MATCH - Hayward - TBD

### AUGUST

MEMBERS MATCH - Hayward - TBD

### SEPTEMBER

MEMBERS MATCH AND GENERAL MEETING - Hayward  
TBD

### OCTOBER

TBD Lori Drouin Class  
AGILITY TRIAL- Pleasanton (tentative) Oct 17 & 20  
MEMBERS MATCH - Hayward - TBD

## ODTC EVENTS

### 01/31

ODTC Seminar "Teaching Children Safe Behavior Around Dogs"

### 02/01 - AOCNC MATCH

### 03/08

ODTC OB/Rally Match

### 04/12

TD/TDX Test - Morgan Territory

### 05/17

ODTC OB/Rally Trials - Hayward

06/01 AOCNC InterClub Competition - Hayward

### Oct 17 & 20 (tentative)

AGILITY TRIAL- Pleasanton Oct

## CLUB MEETINGS

Dec 12 Holiday Party - General Membership Meeting -

Feb 14 - Hayward

Jun TBD -

General Membership Meeting and Annual Dinner