
AMERICAN MANCHESTER TERRIER CLUB



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(West)	Tammi Myers
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Membership (FORM ON PAGE 26)

Please direct all membership inquiries to the AMTC Secretary:
 Kathy Nissen - AMTC Secretary
 208 South Elm St. Gilman IA 50106-2029

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AMTC President's Message

President's Message – May 2022

Spring is finally here in Indiana. We are glad to have longer days and warmer weather. I hope all is well with all of you.

Things seem to be a bit more normal in the dog show world. Lots of exciting things are being planned. The 2022 National Specialty, to be held in July, is almost here. I hope to see many of you there. Please have a wonderful summer but stay safe.

Susan Thrasher

First Vice-President Report

Approved Events

District 5 Specialty

Saturday, June 11, 2022

Event# 2022058604

Closing Date: May 18, 2022 - MBf

Solano County Fairgrounds, Vallejo, CA

Judge: Mrs. Linda Hurlebaus

National Specialty

Wednesday, July 20, 2022

Event# 2022058616

Closing Date: July 06, 2022 - Onofrio Dog Shows, Sup

NRG Arena, 1 Reliant Center Dr., Houston TX

Judges:

Breed - Mr. Edd Bivin

Obed - Ms. Cathleen Caballero

JS - TBA

Associated Events:

BPUP - Event#2022058617

Judge: TBA

District 4 Specialty

Thursday, July 21, 2022

Event# 2022058619

Closing Date: July 06, 2022- Onofrio Dog Shows, Sup

NRG Arena, 1 Reliant Center Dr.,

Houston TX

Judge: Mr. Richard Powell

District 2 Specialty

Friday, July 22, 2022

Event# 2022058620

Closing Date: July 06, 2022- Onofrio Dog Shows, Sup

NRG Arena, 1 Reliant Center Dr.,

Houston TX

Judge: Mr. Jeffery Bazell

District 3 Specialty

Saturday, July 23, 2022

Event# 2022058618

Closing Date: July 06, 2022- Onofrio Dog Shows, Sup

NRG Arena, 1 Reliant Center Dr.,

Houston TX

Judge: Mr. Joe C. Walton

Applications Submitted

New District 5 Specialty*

AKC applications are submitted for the Northwestern Specialties of District 5 for August 2022 in Enumclaw, Washington with the Olympic Kennel Club. The district will offer two Independent Specialties and one Designated Specialty shows. The judges are Mr. Gary Stiles on Wednesday, Aug 17, 2022 and Mrs. Carolyn Horowitz on Aug 18, 2022 for the Independent shows. Mr. Ken Murray will judge on Friday, Aug 19, 2022 for the designated.

AGILITY

An AMTC All-Breed agility trial with a Manchester only sub trial is in the works to coincide with the National Specialty in Houston. AKC Apps are pending submission.

Secretary Reports

Secretary’s Report of Current Memberships as Of April 30, 2022*

	District 1	District 2	District 3	District 4	District 5	Totals
Individual	22	16	19	21	20	98
Household	12	5	5	9	12	43 (x 2 for vote count)
Junior	1	1	5	2	0	9
Pending	2 (I)	1 (I)	0	1 (I) 1(H)	0	5
Total	35	21	29	32	32	151
Voting Members	46	26	29	39	44	184

(I) Individual (H) Household

Totals do not include pending memberships as of April 30, 2022

Updated Member Contact Information

Member Address Changes

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916-217-8305

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Simi Valley, CA 93094
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2022 Annual Meeting Notice of the American Manchester Terrier Club

The 2022 Annual General Membership Meeting for the American Manchester Terrier Club will be held Thursday July 21, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. at the host hotel: Wydham NRG Houston, located at 8686 Kirby Drive in Houston, TX. Meeting room yet to be announced. Any member in good standing (must be in attendance in order to present your agenda item) may submit items for discussion for the Annual General Membership Meeting agenda to the American Manchester Club Secretary. These items must be received in writing or by recognized electronic communication. Please submit your items for the agenda to Kathy Nissen, 208 South Elm Street Gilman, Iowa 50106 no later than Friday May 27th, 2022.

The order of business shall be as follows:

Roll Call (sign in sheet will be provided)

Minutes of the last Annual meeting – 2021 AGM Minutes

Reports of the President, Secretary, Treasurer & Committees

Unfinished Business

New Business

Adjournment

Respectfully Submitted

Kathy Nissen

American Manchester Terrier Club Secretary

AMTC BOARD TELECONFERENCE BOARD MEETING

FEBRUARY 24, 2022

(RESCHEDULED VIA BOARD EMAIL COMMUNICATIONS ON FEBRUARY 20, 2022 DUE TO POSSIBLE CONFLICTS.)

PRESIDENT, SUSAN THRASHER, BROUGHT THE TELECONFERENCE BOARD MEETING TO ORDER AT 7:33 P.M. CST.

ROLL CALL – PRESENT: SUSAN THRASHER, PRES., ROBERTA BERMAN, 2ND V.P., DIANNA TEXTER, TREAS., KATHY NISSEN, SEC'Y,

ANNETTE BUJOLD, JEAN GOOD, ELLEN MURTAGH. ABSENT: CHRISTINA CARIDIS, 1ST V.P. AND PATRICK MACKESEY, BOARD MEMBER. A QUORUM TO CONDUCT BUSINESS WAS IN ATTENDANCE.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT: SUSAN THRASHER NOTED THE MTOY COMMITTEE MET RECENTLY VIA ZOOM. SELECTION OF JUDGES WAS DISCUSSED FOR THIS EVENT AT OUR 2022 NATIONAL.

SECRETARY'S REPORT: KATHY NISSEN NOTED WE HAVE THREE PENDING APPLICANTS THAT WILL BE PUBLISHED IN THE FEBRUARY ISSUE OF THE NEWSLETTER.

TREASURER'S REPORT: TREASURER EMAILED CURRENT BANK STATEMENTS AND REVIEWED BANK BALANCE OF APPROX 56K. REVIEWED WITH THE BOARD MEMBERS WHO HAD NOT PAID AND ACKNOWLEDGED RECEIPT OF LICENSE PLATE FRAMES FROM SAM HESSEL. MOTION TO ACCEPT TREASURER'S REPORT MADE BY KATHY NISSEN, 2ND BY ROBERTA BERMAN. MOTION CARRIED.

OLD BUSINESS:

2022/2023 AMTC NATIONAL EVENTS – NOTHING NEW TO REPORT.

BREEDER EDUCATION COMMITTEE – WITH NOT RECEIVING ANY UPDATED INFORMATION FROM THE AKC TO DATE, 2ND V.P., ROBERTA BERMAN, RECOMMENDED THE SECRETARY REVIEW THE PBGV WEBSITE REGARDING HOW THIS CLUB HAS STRUCTURED THIS COMMITTEE.

UPDATE ON JUDGES' SELECTION PROPOSALS – SECRETARY, KATHY NISSEN, REPORTED NO FURTHER PROPOSALS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED AND WILL SEND THE BOARD ALL PROPOSALS RECEIVED TO DATE.

HALL OF FAME REPORT – ROBERTA BERMAN REPORTED THE REVISION OF POINTS/TYPES OF EVENTS AWARDED IS STILL A WORK IN PROGRESS.

POSSIBLE REVISION OF STANDING RULES PERTAINING TO NEWSLETTER – TABLED UNTIL NEXT MEETING.

POSSIBLE CHANGE OF DATE FOR DISCIPLINARY HEARING – THE DATE SET FOR THE DISCIPLINARY HEARING WAS NOT ACCEPTABLE FOR THE ALLEGED OFFENDING MEMBER DUE TO A PRIOR COMMITMENT AND TWO FUTURE DATES WERE REQUESTED BY THE MEMBER WHICH FELL OUTSIDE OF THE BYLAWS TIME FRAME TO HOLD THE HEARING. THE BOARD AGREED THE MEMBER WOULD BE CONTACTED BY SECRETARY, KATHY NISSEN, SUGGESTING A DATE BE CHOSEN BETWEEN THE DATE OF THIS MEETING AND THE HEARING DATE OF MARCH 9, 2022. DATES BETWEEN THIS TIMEFRAME WOULD BE IN ACCORDANCE TO OUR BY LAWS.

NEW BUSINESS:

COMMITTEE TOPIC – A CONCERN WAS BROUGHT UP BY A BOARD MEMBER CONCERNING ALLOWING A MEMBER TO RETURN AS COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON FOLLOWING SUSPENSION LIFT. A MAJORITY OF THE BOARD PRESENT WAS IN AGREEMENT THE MEMBER BE ALLOWED TO RESUME THEIR POSITION(S).

FUTURE HANDLING OF FUNDS DURING NATIONAL/SPECIALTY EVENTS: TREASURER, DIANNA TEXTER, EXPRESSED CONCERNS REGARDING THE HANDLING OF CLUB FUNDS FROM FUND RAISING EVENTS DURING OUR NATIONAL OR SPECIALTIES. THE BOARD WAS IN AGREEMENT FOR ALL FUTURE FUND RAISING PROJECTS HELD DURING THESE EVENTS, A MEMBER WILL BE DESIGNATED AS THE SOLE RESPONSIBLE PERSON TO RECEIVE ALL MONIES AND TURN ALL FUNDS RECEIVED DIRECTLY OVER TO THE TREASURER UPON CONCLUSION OF THE EVENT.

DONATIONS FOR NATIONAL TROPHIES: THERE WAS A QUESTION RAISED AS TO WHETHER ANY MEMBER UNDER SUSPENSION BE ALLOWED TO DONATE FUNDS TOWARD OUR NATIONAL TROPHIES. THE BOARD AGREED ANY MEMBER OR NON MEMBER SHOULD BE ABLE TO DONATE FUNDS TOWARD THESE TROPHIES.

DVMTC JUDGES RINGSIDE OBSERVATION HARRISBURG, PA – THE BOARD AND JUDGES EDUCATION CHAIRPERSON, JO ANN EMRICK, WERE MADE AWARE, VIA SOCIAL MEDIA, OF A 'RINGSIDE OBSERVATION' FOR ASPIRING JUDGES BEING HELD DURING DVMTC SPECIALTY IN HARRISBURG, PA ON APRIL 16, 2022. IN ORDER TO ENSURE PROPER PROCEDURE IS BEING ADHERED TO IN ACCORDANCE WITH AKC JUDGES EDUCATION CRITERIA; SECRETARY, KATHY NISSEN, WILL CONTACT THE DVMTC MEMBER WHOSE CONTACT INFORMATION IS LISTED, AS WELL AS, THE PRESIDENT AND SECRETARY OF THE DVMTC REQUESTING SPECIFIC POINTS OF INTEREST BE ADDRESSED AND PROVIDED TO THE BOARD AND JUDGES EDUCATION CHAIRPERSON.

NO FURTHER BUSINESS – MOTION TO ADJOURN MADE BY ELLEN MURTAGH, 2ND BY ROBERTA BERMAN. MOTION CARRIED. MEETING ADJOURNED AT 8:18 P.M. CST.

RESPECTFULLY,

KATHY NISSEN
AMTC SEC'Y

AM. MANCHESTER TERRIER TELECONFERENCE BOARD MEETING**MARCH 23, 2022**

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER BY PRES., SUSAN THRASHER AT 7:35 P.M. CDT.

ROLL CALL: PRES. SUSAN THRASHER; 1ST V.P. CHRISTINA CARIDIS (ENTERED INTO CONFERENCE CALL POST CALL TO ORDER); 2ND V.P. ROBERTA BERMAN; SECRETARY KATHY NISSEN; TREASURER DIANNA TEXTER; BOARD MEMBERS: ANNETTE BUJOLD, JEAN GOOD, PATRICK MACKESEY, ELLEN MURTAGH.

MOTION TO APPROVE MEETING AGENDA MADE BY ELLEN MURTAGH, 2ND BY ROBERTA BERMAN. ALL, EXCEPT CHRISTINA CARIDIS (NOT YET IN ATTENDANCE), VOTED TO APPROVE. MOTION CARRIED.

MOTION TO APPROVE FEBRUARY 24, 2022 TELECONFERENCE BOARD MEETING MINUTES MADE BY ROBERTA BERMAN, 2ND BY DIANNA TEXTER. ALL, EXCEPT CHRISTINA CARIDIS (NOT YET IN ATTENDANCE), VOTED TO APPROVE. MOTION CARRIED.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT: NOTHING NEW TO REPORT.

1ST V.P. REPORT: NO REPORT – NOT YET IN ATTENDANCE. REVISITING THE REPORT WAS MISSED AND WILL BE ADDRESSED AT THE NEXT MEETING. CHRISTINA JOINED THE CONFERENCE CALL AT 7:47 P.M. CDT.

SECRETARY'S REPORT: THERE ARE FIVE (5) PENDING MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS. THREE (3) WILL APPEAR IN THE FEBRUARY 2022 ISSUE OF THE NEWSLETTER. TWO (2) WERE RECEIVED TOO LATE FOR INCLUSION. ALL WILL BE PUBLISHED ON THE CLUB'S WEBSITE FOR MEMBER REVIEW. A DATE OF APRIL 15TH WAS SET FOR FINALIZATION OF THE DIRECTORY TO ALLOW POSSIBLE RECEIPT OF LAPSED DUES PAYMENTS. ALSO, WITH THE NEWSLETTER BEING LATE, THE MEMBER APPLICANTS NOTED IN THIS ISSUE WILL NOT BE INCLUDED IN THE DIRECTORY DUE TO THE ONE MONTH TIMELINE REQUIRED FOR APPROVAL FOLLOWING RECEIPT OF ALL NEWSLETTERS BY THE MEMBERSHIP.

TREASURER'S REPORT: FINANCIAL REPORT WAS PROVIDED. ALL OUTSTANDING EXPENSES PAID TO DATE. MONIES RECEIVED VIA PAY PAL FOR 2022 TROPHY DONATIONS AND DUES PAYMENTS, ONCE RECTIFIED, WILL BE MOVED FROM PAYPAL ACCOUNT TO APPROPRIATE CLUB FUNDS. NO FURTHER DUES PAYMENTS RECEIVED THROUGH MARCH 1ST RENEWAL GRACE PERIOD. MULTIPLE REMINDERS SENT TO THE SEVEN (7) MEMBERS NOT YET RENEWED. MOTION TO APPROVE TREASURER'S REPORT BY ELLEN MURTAGH 2ND BY PATRICK MACKESEY. ALL IN FAVOR. MOTION CARRIED.

2022 NATIONAL REPORT: EMAIL FROM SHOW CHAIRPERSON, ROBIN GATES, PROVIDED AS ATTACHMENT TO AGENDA NOTING A FEW UPDATED CHANGES TO SCHEDULE OF NON SHOW (HEALTH TESTING/BANQUET) RELATED EVENTS.

NATIONAL PACKET WILL BE OUT MID APRIL.

2023 NATIONAL REPORT: NOTHING NEW TO REPORT.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE FORMATION: TABLED UNTIL APRIL MEETING

JUDGES SELECTION PROPOSALS: SUGGESTION BY DIANNA TEXTER, PROPOSALS BE COMBINED AND SENT ELECTRONICALLY, AS WELL AS, MAILED TO MEMBERS WITH THE UPCOMING 2022 MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY PROVIDING AMPLE TIME FOR MEMBERS TO REVIEW PRIOR TO DISCUSSION AT 2022 ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING IN JULY, 2022.

HALL OF FAME REPORT: COMMITTEE CONTINUES TO WORK ON REVISIONS.

STANDING RULES REVISIONS: CURRENTLY THREE (3) PROPOSED REVISIONS – NEWSLETTER COVER, TIMELINE OF RECEIPT OF NATIONAL PROPOSAL FROM NEXT DISTRICT'S ROTATION LOCATION, REMOVAL OF ETHICS COMMITTEE. FOURTH (4TH) ONE PROPOSED AT THIS MEETING NOTING NUMBER OF PAGES, CONTENT, CURRENT EVENTS. LANGUAGE TO BE DRAFTED.

BOARD MEETING MINUTES: MOTION TO PUBLISH ONLY SUMMARY OF BOARD ACTIONS IN NEWSLETTER INSTEAD OF FULL MEETING MINUTES MADE BY PATRICK MACKESEY, 2ND BY ANNETTE BUJOLD. ALL IN FAVOR. MOTION CARRIED. FULL MINUTES WILL BE AVAILABLE ON THE CLUB WEBSITE AND UPON MEMBER REQUEST. GOVERNING DOCUMENTS STATE ONLY A SUMMARY OF BOARD ACTIONS BE PUBLISHED IN THE NEWSLETTERS.

RINGSIDE OBSERVATION: LETTER TO BE SENT THANKING THEM FOR THEIR PROMPT CORRECTIONS TO THEIR 'FLYER', AS WELL AS, NOTING PROPER PROCEDURE SHALL BE ADHERED TO AS NOTED IN PREVIOUS LETTER AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH BYLAWS ARTICLE III SECTION 4. GOVERNORS WHOSE RESPONSIBILITIES

INCLUDE.....”RESPONSIBILITIES SHALL INCLUDE, BUT NOT BE LIMITED TO THE ORGANIZING OF LOCAL CLUBS, PLANNING AND PROMOTING SPECIALTY SHOWS, MATCH SHOWS, EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS AND ALL EVENTS HELD UNDER THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB RULES AND REGULATIONS.”

NO FURTHER BUSINESS.

MOTION TO ADJOURN MADE BY JEAN GOOD, 2ND BY ELLEN MURTAGH. ALL IN FAVOR. MOTION CARRIED.

RESPECTFULLY,

KATHY NISSEN,
AMTC SECY

Treasurer’s Report



MAY 01, 2022

Greetings from the Treasurer! Enjoying the Spring in Montana and looking forward to seeing everyone At the AMTC Nationals in Houston! Thank you to all the trophy Supporters – your continued support of the club is credit to its members! Also, Special Thank you also to Karen Langlois of D5 who successfully pulled off another D5 agility trial and To Wendy Schober who had a successful Specialty show in Orlando. These things help the district have more funds to have more shows and we appreciate their efforts.

Dianna Texter, AMTC Treasurer

	Begin	JAN	FEB	MAR	APRIL	May
Junior Fund	\$3,025.77	\$3,105.77	\$3,105.77	3,105.77	3,105.77	\$3,105.77
Trophy Fund	\$96.60	\$111.60	\$1,107.72	1,771.48	2,435.24	\$2,532.76
Rescue	\$14,751.75	\$14,806.75	\$14,966.75	14,966.75	14,966.75	\$14,966.75
Health Committee	\$6,209.80	\$6,209.80	\$6,259.80	6,309.80	6,309.80	\$6,309.80
MTOY	\$2,639.48	\$2,639.48	\$2,639.48	2,639.48	2,639.48	\$2,639.48
District 1	\$1,913.46	\$1,948.46	\$1,948.46	1,948.46	1,948.46	\$1,948.46
District 2	\$2,567.71	\$2,757.55	\$2,769.60	2,769.60	2,769.60	\$2,769.60
District 3	\$2,906.91	\$2,906.91	\$2,932.82	3,002.82	2,451.73	\$2,451.73
District 4	\$2,932.26	\$3,569.28	\$3,368.30	3,283.30	3,283.30	\$3,283.30
District 5	\$3,648.01	\$3,109.43	-\$6,051.38	-6,051.38	4,298.71	\$3,990.16
AMTC Dedicated	\$40,691.75	\$41,165.03	\$33,047.32	33,746.08	44,208.84	\$43,997.81
General Fund	\$10,246.99	\$12,230.18	\$13,732.41	12,862.60	10,214.62	\$10,824.62
Total Cash On Hand	\$50,938.74	\$53,395.21	\$46,779.73	46,608.68	54,423.46	\$54,822.43

BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S

DELEGATE'S REPORT

It's March, so we had a meeting. It was live. Which was very, very nice. This month's meeting was one of the quietest I have ever attended. In March we vote for new Board members. This year we were voting for three vacancies and believe it or not they had no opposition. Soooo.... the three newly elected officers were: Christopher L. Sweetwood, Harold "Red" Tatro III and Ann Wallin. All of whom are or have been on the Board before. The president of the Board will be Thomas Davies, the Vice-President will be Dominic Palleschi Carota.

We had only one thing to vote on beside the Board, which was to add Scent Work as part of the Herding, Earthdog and Coursing Committee. Other than that, there was nothing else new at the General Assembly.

Things of interest at the meeting? Not much. Of course, on the good side, there will now be levels of Owner Handled exhibitors. Like Grand Champions, etc. there will be Bronze, Gold, and so-on levels for the Handlers. This time it isn't for the dogs, it's for the owners. What a nice idea! Also, there was discussion concerning allowing three-legged dogs compete in Performance events such as Obedience, Rally and Agility. There is a video of a small terrier running agility on three legs. The pup did fine, but was also jumping 4", not exactly a huge height. The problem, of course, is how safe is it for a three-legged dog to compete, it's still under discussion, so we shall see what we shall see. In case you are interested, apparently they are allowed in some non AKC venues. And on the fun side of things, there is something called Team Agility coming down the pike. Should be a lot good thing, let us see what will happen.

That's it, for now. June will come soon.

Roberta Berman, AKC Delegate

DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S REPORTS

District 1 – Beverly Leidner

No Report Submitted

District 2 – Wendy Schober

We had a great turnout at our District 2 Specialty at Royal Canin in Orlando. I would like to thank everyone that attended and those that helped, as well as congratulations to all the winners. I hope everyone enjoyed it.

A special thank you to Valerie Garcia, who is also a new club member, for taking on the Stewarding duties and keeping the ring running smoothly, assisting the judge and getting the ribbons and trophies to everyone. As with most shows there was a few hiccups, mainly the specialty before us running over time, but Valerie worked hard getting things organized, numbers given out and classes in. Thank you and welcome to the Manchester Community and our District 2! Look forward to working with you in the future events.

After this year's Nationals in Houston, we will begin to send out info on District 2's 2023 Nationals. It will be in Lakeland, Florida and it will be an Independent Specialty. The Lakeland Winter Haven Kennel Club has been a generous supporter and donated to us, the use of their facility, before their cluster.

Speaking of this year's Nationals....a shout out to a Robin Gates as I witness all her hard work in setting it up. She sets the bar high! We will be sponsoring Fridays Specialty and hope you all can attend.

April 23/24, in Tampa at the Tampa Convention Center. AKC held the Meet the Breeds event. I wasn't sure how big a turnout it would be as it was a tad costly to attend. But there were tons of people and we had a great turnout of Manchesters to educate people about the breed, but also show them what great dogs they are. Although AKC was missing our breed backdrop, they put us in a booth that was basically center stage, we had tons of foot traffic and obtained lots of exposure. Special Thank you to- Valerie Garcia, Becky Lloyd, Emma Lloyd, Jen Thompson, Lisa Flannery and her grandson Lincoln! We were able to exhibit Standards and Toys. It was a very long weekend and can't thank everyone enough. Special thanks to the dogs....they were pet, hugged and poked, lol, and they handled it like the champs they are!

District 3 – Jeremy McClister

Greetings Dist. 3 members. It's been a great year back out at dog shows and a somewhat nice return to normal. Looks like our wonderful Manchesters have been winning all over and having a blast. The National is approaching soon and I hope everyone is making plans and can attend. I will not be able to go this year but Rachel will be there. I hope everyone has safe travels and lots of fun. See y'all around the rings.

District 4 – Robin Gates

The District 4 members and National volunteers continue to work diligently to complete the final details for the upcoming 2022 National in Houston, TX. The Premium List is still being edited by the superintendent and cluster committee. The National packet was published the first week of May with all of the sign-up links and details for the judges education, MTOY, banquet, health testing, and health committee events. Only a few months to go!!

District 4 will also hold a supported entry at Woofstock to support both varieties of Manchesters. Thanks to Teena Uyeno and family for taking on the supported entry trophies and representing the District.

If anyone in District 4 would like to donate items for the District 4 baskets and auction, please reach out to Michelle Wingo pharlap@att.net. She is assembling a basket for the District and if there is enough donated, we may be able to do several for our district to defray National expenses. Jo Ann Emrick and Marla Zoz are handling the overall Auction and will have lots of special auction items!!

District 5 – Christina Caridis

The northern district membership had their annual AMTC All-Breed Agility trial last week. Much gratitude to Karen Langlois for her dedication to the breed, club and district with the continued support as our agility chair.

The members in the Northern California local region are busy preparing for Woofstock. We are looking forward to seeing our fellow members and fanciers from other parts of the country as we get back to our normally scheduled pre-Summer show in June. The GCTMC will host their coveted raffle as usual.

New Specialties - we are offering a few new northwestern specialties with the Olympic Kennel Club in August. It will be quite the gauntlet for so many of us as we plan for Woofstock, Westminster, The AMTC National, ... maybe even the Canadian National... We know some of you will be forced to make difficult choices. You may have to pick and choose, but we wanted to establish a relationship with the local All-Breed KC in hopes to potentially offer a National Specialty when our rotation comes around in 2025. We will offer two Independent Specialties, one designated and supported entries for Obedience and Rally. We hope you can join us. The weather is beautiful in the Seattle area this time of the year and there is so much to do. So come out! Come out early! Because there is a 4 day all-breed show, at the same fairgrounds, the weekend prior, for a total of ten shows!

Since the next newsletter will be published after the National event, I want to wish everyone the very best, and safest of travels.

My best,

Christina Caridis

Committee Updates

ARCHIVES

By Christina Caridis

The Archives received the following items this quarter:

2022 Kennel Club of Palm Springs Catalog,
District Specialties 4 & 5
February 2022 Newsletter

I am really hopeful to have Newsletters from 1996 - 2013 available on the website by the time our next newsletter is published.

Stayed tuned.

AWARDS

by Roberta Berman

See Outstanding Sportsmanship Nomination form on page 20

HEALTH

by Michelle Barlak

I am very much looking forward to seeing everyone at our upcoming National. Robin Gates did a great job of coordinating health testing during Nationals week and I hope everyone will take advantage of this great opportunity. Please use the link in the national packet to sign up for your slots as early as possible to avoid missing out! The test day is July 23, and you can sign up for OFA dentition checks, OFA Patella checks (clearance for luxating patella), OFA BAER [American Manchester Terrier Club](#)

(hearing), and OFA CAER (eye exam).

Please also join me for the health seminar. I plan on presenting Health Testing Basics for the Manchester Terrier Breeder. You can submit any questions you have about health testing to me in advance at michelle@maximaldog.com

I am also pleased to announce that a multi-year project led by a worldwide group of Manchester Terrier owners and breeders has culminated in The Breed Archive creating an online. Pedigree database. This was a large undertaking for which I cannot take much credit myself and there were too many contributors to list here. You can get the full details by watching the webinar which Amanda Kelly and I hosted and recorded. It's available in the Facebook group we created to support the breed archive here: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/mtet/breedarchive>

The link to the breed archive database is <https://manchesterterrier.breedarchive.com/home/index> This is free to use but if you subscribe for \$36 USD/Year, you get additional features. This database does not belong to one person, it is for everyone. So please feel free to update your dogs' information, correct mistakes, and add any dogs that are missing. It only contains dogs up to 2020 so we must all work together to make this complete for everyone. "A rising tide lifts all boats," as JFK once said. We are in this together.

I hope that everyone will take the time to not only update the fun stuff, like photos and titles, but also the health information that is so valuable to all of us. The archive also allows you to mark whether a stud dog is available for breeding and if you have frozen semen available. This allows breeders to use the database as a resource for searching out available studs. It's just a great all around tool to help our breeders.

JUDGES EDUCATION

By Jo Ann Emrick

The Manchester Terrier Seminar and Hands-on Evaluation conducted on March 10, 2022 in Raleigh, NC was hosted by the NC Triangle Area Judges Education Group.

Our Presenter, Mari-Beth O'Neill commented, "Overall, the seminar went well!" 16 attendees were present.

We are very appreciative of Mari-Beth's ability to do this presentation.

Nancy Amburgey inquired about Ringside Mentoring in Louisville, KY in March 2022. Our President Susan Thrasher mentored in Toys and Carolyn Horowitz mentored the Standard variety.

Thank you so much ladies! Nancy emailed me and was very complementary on both sessions.

June brings us to The Windy City Cluster, Grayslake, Illinois. Erika Wyatt contacted me for a seminar presentation which will be on June 11, 2022 at 8:00 am Saturday. Carolyn

Horowitz will be our presenter. Many thanks go out to Carolyn for accepting this assignment.

Our National Specialty will be in Houston, Texas this year. To say I'm delighted is an understatement. To make this even sweeter, I'm just 20 minutes from the show grounds! This seminar presentation will be on Tuesday July 19, 2022 at 4:00 pm at the host hotel. Michelle Barlak will be our presenter. Happily, it will be my pleasure to assist. Thank you to Michelle for filling this position for us. More specific details will be in the National Packet.

Very recently, I received a request for a seminar presentation from the Sir Francis Drake Kennel Club in CA. The projected date is September 17, 2022.

Please know we are in the early stages of communication. More information will follow.

If memory serves me correctly, we typically have a nice entry at SFDKC. Dogs for the hands-on Workshop and Ringside Mentoring would be beneficial.

Safe travels on your journey to the National and my Best Wishes to all!

Truly yours in Manchester Terriers,

Jo Ann

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

by Judi Fleischaker

Juniors Celebration

Join us right after the completion of the last National Class, the AMTC Juniors Committee will honor all of our wonderful juniors. Please reach out to Lisa Nonog lnonog@oz.net to let them know the name of the junior that will be in attendance. We will have rosettes, swag and food for all of the juniors. We want to let them all know how much we appreciate our future generation of Manchester enthusiasts. Please email Lisa no later than July 10, 2022.

The Juniors Committee will also raffle off this beautiful quilt by Tammy Smith. The drawing will be during the evening MTOY event so get your tickets early. Contact Tammy Smith at tarotammy@yahoo.com if you want to pre-purchase tickets. \$1.00 for 1 ticket or \$5.00 for 6 tickets. There will also be tickets for sale the day of the National.



PUBLIC EDUCATION

by Michelle Barlak

The AMTC is participating in the AKC's travelling Meet the Breeds event. Thank you to Teena Uyeno and family for helping host the first event in California last fall, and to Wendy Schober for hosting the event in Florida last month. Unfortunately, AKC lost our travelling display (AKC created one for each breed so we no longer have to set up our own booths, making things a bit easier for the volunteers), so Wendy had to do some last minute decorating as we only found out the display wasn't there the night before the event! Good job, Wendy!

Robin Gates will be hosting the Dallas, Texas event on June 25-26. Please contact her directly if you would like to volunteer for the booth. The full Meet the Breeds schedule is located here: <https://www.akc.org/sports/akc-meet-the-breeds/>

I am waiting to hear back from a possible volunteer to coordinate the Ohio event (she's checking her schedule) and we have asked the Uyenos to coordinate the fall event in California once again.

NEW MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS - PLEASE NOTE: New AMTC members are approved by the AMTC Board of Directors, however, not all may be familiar with the applicants, therefore, they may need to rely on current members for input into their decision. Applicant information is printed in the Newsletter to solicit comments whether positive or negative regarding each applicant. Please feel free to send any comments in writing (email is fine) to the AMTC Secretary within 30 days of receipt of newsletters which includes date of receipt of hard copy issues.

Kathy Nissen, Am. Manchester Terrier Club Secretary
 208 South Elm Street
 Gilman, Iowa 50106
 iachesters@gmail.com

New Membership Applicants

<p>Jennifer Tomlinson 4425 Meadowood Drive Mulberry, FL 33860 Jcsudan@hotmail.com 863-619-2469 Toy Variety</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Have you ever exhibited? No - Judged? No - Bred? No * Are you a member of other Dog clubs? No * Have your privileges as a judge, exhibitor or breeder ever been revoked or suspended by the American Kennel Club? No * Are you willing to serve on an AMTC committee if requested? Yes * Are you willing to work as a member of this club for the advancement of the breed, fancy, good sportsmanship and best interest of the club and breed? Yes * Have you ever been convicted of a charge of animal abuse/neglect: No
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Sponsor #1: Michelle Barlak * Sponsor # 2: Wendy Schober * Applicant & Sponsor Letters on File. 	<p>Interested in: Agility, FCAT and Trick Dog</p>

Dear AMTC Board and Officers,

It is my pleasure to sponsor Jennifer Tomlinson for her application to join the AMTC. She obtained her first Manchester Terrier from me in 2020 and is already thinking about her next one. She is very devoted to her dogs and enthusiastic about our breed. Jennifer has successfully competed in Rally, Obedience, and Agility, with her other 3 dogs. She's a wonderful trainer and will do great things with her Manchester in agility. I have met Jennifer multiple times in person and observed how well she cares for her dogs. She has a warm and kind personality. I think she would be an asset to our club.

Respectfully,



Michelle Barlak

My name is Jennifer Tomlinson, aka, Jen Cooper Tomlinson. I fell in love with Manchesters after watching Beth run Pixel at the 2019 AKC Invitational. That year I also stopped by the Manchesters "Meet the Breeds" booth and met some TMTs and spoke to someone about them.

I started looking for more that did agility. A month later I connected with Beth, she was so willing to talk and she taught me a lot. I got on a list for a Standard, but later, started talking to Beth about Toys, after I heard she was looking for one. I got on a TMT list and one came available and Beth thought he was what I was looking for. Everything fell into place perfectly, thanks to Beth, Michelle and Wendy. I can't thank Michelle Barlak enough, for my perfect boy, Nimbus! Also, thanks to Wendy Schober for bringing him to Florida for me!

Michelle has also taught me a lot. She's always been there when I have any questions. I love our breed and share info about them any chance I get.

<p>Ruth Zenner / Sonya Hutchinson 2219 W. Colle Iglasia Cir. Mesa, AZ 85202-5507 480-820-8470 moonfirespirit@cox.net Moonfire Toy Variety</p>	<p>* Have you ever exhibited? Yes - Judged? No - Bred? Yes * Are you a member of other Dog clubs? No * Have your privileges as a judge, exhibitor or breeder ever been revoked or suspended by the American Kennel Club? No * Are you willing to serve on an AMTC committee if requested? Yes * Are you willing to work as a member of this club for the advancement of the breed, fancy, good sportsmanship and best interest of the club and breed? Yes * Have you ever been convicted of a charge of animal abuse/neglect: No</p>
<p>* Sponsor #1: Jerri Hobbs * Sponsor # 2: Julie Hartigan * Applicant & Sponsor Letters on File.</p>	<p>Interested in: Conformation, Obedience, Agility, Earth Trials, Therapy Dog, Breeding, Pet</p>

February 22, 2022

AMTC Letter of Introduction

Our first Toy Manchester Terrier joined our family in December, 2001, Tempest (RM350877/03). Tempest was instrumental in having our family become more fully engaged with the breed. It started with my daughter becoming involved with conformation showing and led to our family meeting many of the breeders at the various shows on the West Coast. During the years my daughter was actively involved with conformation, we co-owned another TMT (Lizzie) that was later bred with a male we currently own Twitch. The puppies from the first litter were all placed in pet homes with prior Manchester owners and one went to a home where she became a therapy dog (Mesa's owner worked with Boys / Girls Clubs. Three of the puppies from the second breeding of Lizzie and Twitch had early show careers before remaining with us as companion animals. The other litter mates enjoyed happy lives in pet homes.

After their retirement from the Conformation ring, both Lizzie and Tempest received their CGC and pursued second careers as Therapy dogs at a local Hospital. Tempest especially enjoyed being a therapy dog and when opportunities permitted I enriched her experience to include offices and churches.

Our family now includes a year old female who we hope will one day qualify to become a therapy dog. With the current Covid restrictions there haven't been opportunities for conformation. Currently our newest TMT is being trained for both Conformation and to pass the CGC. As she matures pursuing obedience competitions and or earth dog are also considerations.

After numerous years of TMT ownership, we can't imagine coming home to a house that doesn't include at least one of these intelligent and loyal companions.

Respectfully submitted




Ruth Zenner
 Sonya Hutchinson

3/1/22

To whom it may concern:

I have known Ruth Zenner for about 20 years. During that time, she and I have worked together with several dogs of my breeding and hers. I've stayed in her home and we have also traveled together so I know how much her dogs mean to her and to her daughter, Sonya.

Both Ruth and Sonya have done some showing and the dogs have also several Therapy titles among them. I expect Encore, the young bitch they got from me about a year ago will add another once classes are available again. I am also hoping she will shown in breed.

I am happy to stand a Sponsor for both of them.

Sincerely,

Jerri Hobbs

Heaven Hi Manchesters

32380 Brown St.

Garden City, MI 48135

2022 EVENT SCHEDULE



**TAMPA
CONVENTION CENTER**
Tampa, FL
Sat. April 23-Sun. April 24

**KAY BAILEY HUTCHISON
CONVENTION CENTER DALLAS**
Dallas, TX
Sat. June 25-Sun. June 26

**SAN DIEGO
CONVENTION CENTER**
San Diego, CA
Sat. September 10-Sun. September 11

**GREATER COLUMBUS
CONVENTION CENTER**
Columbus, OH
Sat. October 15-Sun. October 16

Be an ambassador for the breed and spend a fun day with other purebred enthusiasts by volunteering at the AKC Meet the Breeds events. Contact Robin Gates, Michelle Barlak or Teena Uyeno for more information.



Meet the Breeds
Tampa
 April 2022

AKC's Meet the Breeds event was a huge success with a steady stream of traffic both days. Held at the Tampa Convention Center, dogs of all shapes and sizes strutted their stuff for 2 days full of events. Thanks to some great volunteers and some super cute pups, the public was able to see first hand what a great breed we have in the Manchester Terrier. In addition to the meet and greet, other events including Agility, Obedience, Trick Dog, Disc Dog and K-9 search and rescue did demonstrations throughout the day.

Photo credit: Wendy Schober and Becky Lloyd
 Top left Valerie Garcia, Top Right (L-R) Lincoln Reeves, Emma Lloyd, Lisa Flannery, Wendy Schober; Middle Right (L-R) Wendy Schober, Valerie Garcia, Becky Lloyd and Jennifer Tomlinson.

Outstanding Sportsmanship Award Nominations*

It is time for our members to nominate a member of the AMTC felt worthy of receiving the Outstanding Sportsmanship Award in consideration for their hard work and dedication which has been beneficial to the Club and its members. *This award would be for 2021 presented at 2022 Annual Banquet. Please use the form below:

I nominate: _____ for the AMTC Outstanding Sportsmanship Award.

Why I feel this club member should receive this award (use back of sheet if more room is needed):

Signature of AMTC Member: _____

*Each year, the Board shall select one person chosen for their good work which benefited the AMTC and its members in the preceding Club year. (bm 2000)

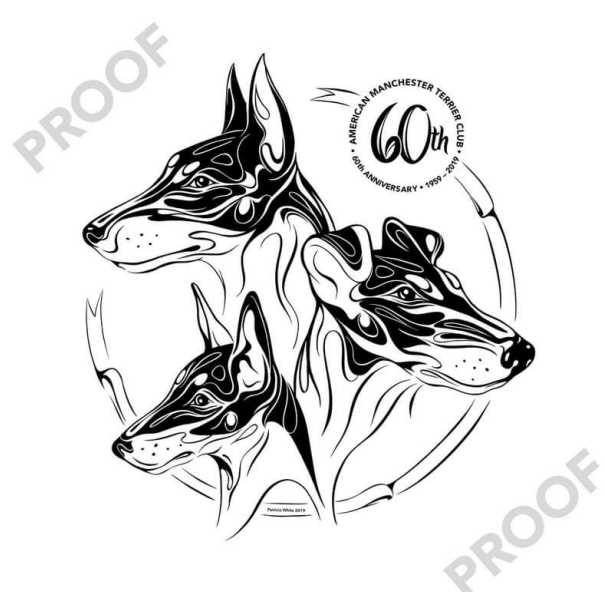
The awards Committee shall accept nominations from the membership between January 1st and April 15th of each year on a form provided in the Club’s November Newsletter or from the Club Website. The Committee shall compile and submit nominations to the Board provided: (am 2009)

- the nominee is Club a member in good standing with their membership encompassing the year of nomination; and,
- the nomination form is accompanied by a summary of qualification for the nominee for the preceding year.

The award shall be engraved and presented to the recipient at the Annual Awards Banquet. (am 1993)

Send your nominations and reason(s) for, to:

Roberta Berman, Awards Chair, 63 Stanley Cir., Staten Island, NY 10308



Notice to Members!

I have extra prints available if you are interested in one.

This is a commissioned piece to commemorate the 60 year anniversary of Toy and Standard Manchester Terrier breeds becoming one breed, two varieties.

Please contact me by email Manterrj@aol.com or by Private Message on Facebook. I will take PayPal to cover shipping and handling.

Thank You! Jo Ann



From the Editor’s Desk

Greetings Members,

I would like to start by saying thank you for the opportunity to serve the club as your newsletter editor. My daughter Emma and I have been members for a couple of years and I am proud of the great things the club and its members do to promote and preserve this amazing breed.

A little about Me:

I reside in Dade City, Fl. with my husband Larry and two daughters, Natalie and Emma. We recently moved from St. Petersburg, Fl. To have more land (and hopefully more Manchesters). I am a Realtor, former Art Teacher and I have also volunteered with many non-profits over the years. I love going to dog shows with Emma, although that is not how it started out. When Emma said she wanted to work with dogs, I immediately thought, well that is something she can do with Larry! One weekend he was unable to go and I took his place... the rest is history. I couldn’t believe what I had been missing out on. We now have 2 Toy Manchesters, 1 Australian Shepherd and one mixed breed.

Please feel free to reach out to me if you have any ideas and/or pictures for articles or simply suggestions for future newsletter topics. I value your input and hope to have many more pictures and interesting topics for future editions.

Becky Lloyd, AMTC Newsletter Editor



2022 AMTC National Specialty Updates

Host Hotel: Wyndham NRG Houston * 8686 Kirby Drive * Houston, TX 7705 (713) 748 - 3221
 Booking link <https://tinyurl.com/WyndhamNRGAMTC> ~ If you call the hotel to book, use **American Manchester Terrier Club** ~ King or Two Double - \$129.00 a night plus a \$75 pet fee for the entire stay
July 17 and 25 are already fully booked. When booking select a date span between the 18th and 24th
 All events other than the shows will be held at the host hotel.

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Tentative Schedule

Subject to change

Sunday July 17, 2022 - First Check In Late afternoon/evening

Monday July 18, 2022 - All Breed and AMTC Sponsored Agility Trial  
 Dog Gone Fun Agility (Premium List Pending)

Tuesday July 19, 2022 - Check in all day  
 4:00PM - AMTC Judges Education \* San Jacinto 1

Wednesday July 20, 2022 - AMTC National Specialty \* NRG Center in conjunction with the  
 Houston World Series of Dog Shows \* NRG Center at 1 NRG Park  
 Sweepstakes Judge: Mrs. Jenell Tonini-Zanotto  
 Conformation Judge: Mr. Edd E. Bivin  
 Obedience and Rally Judge: Cathy Caballero  
 Celebration of Manchester Junior Showmanship  
 \*Immediately following the last National Class  
 6:00PM - 6th Annual Manchester Terrier of the Year \* Austin Ballroom  
 Theme: Rhinestone Cowboys and Rodeos

Thursday July 21, 2022 - District 4 Designated Specialty in conjunction with the Houston Kennel Club  
 Sweepstakes: Mr. Rick Fowler and Breed Judge: Mr. Richard Powell \* NRG Center  
 6:30PM Board Meeting and 7:00PM Annual Meeting \* San Jacinto 1

Friday July 22, 2022 - District 2 Designated Specialty in conjunction with the Houston Kennel Club  
 Sweepstakes: Mrs. Beverly Vics and Breed Judge: Mr. Jeffrey M. Bazell \* NRG Center  
 6:30PM - AMTC Annual Banquet and Auction \* San Jacinto 2

Saturday July 23, 2022 - District 3 Designated Specialty in conjunction with the Beaumont Kennel Club  
 Breed Judge: Mr. Joe Walton \* NRG Center  
 2:30pm - 7:30pm Health Testing \* San Jacinto 1 & 2  
 OFA BAER, Patella, Dentition, CAER/CERF  
 7:30 pm AMTC Health Seminar \* San Jacinto 1

Sunday July 24, 2023 - District 4 Supported Entry in conjunction with the Beaumont Kennel Club  
 Breed Judge: John Wade \* NRG Center





## Sixth Annual Manchester Terrier of the Year Competition

BOV Specialty Winners, Westminster Kennel Club BOV Winners, AKC National Championship BOV Winners, Group Winners, the Top Ten Breed and All-Breed from 2021 and through March 31, 2022, NOHS Top 10 from 2021 and owned by an AMTC Member in good standing. These dogs will be invited to exhibit in this special event. The competition will be judged by a Multi-Breed Judge, Breeder, and Professional Handler announced the day of the event.



This year's theme:

***Rhinestone Cowboys and Rodeos!!***

Bring your cowboy hats, bling, and dazzling western attire.



We will have a professional photographer to take ringside candids and win photos during the event!!

### *Save the Date*

**Date: Wednesday, July 20, 2022**

**Time: 6:00pm**

**Location: Wyndham Ballroom**

**Dress: Casual Elegance**

Entries due online or postmarked by June 8, 2022



## Manchester Terrier of the Year Frequently Asked Questions

1. Is the Manchester Terrier of the Year Competition just like a regular dog show?
  - a. The Manchester Terrier of the Year Competition is similar to a dog show in that a similar ring procedure will be followed. The difference is each dog will enter the ring individually and automatically go around the ring and stop to free stack 3 to 4 times. The entry will then be put on the table for each judge to examine. Each judge will do an individual exam. The judges will complete a score sheet after they examine the dog and watch the dog go down and back. It is not like a dog show in that the dress is casual elegance to formal, each dog has more than the usual 2 minutes to show and there is music played as each entry goes around the ring and free stacks.
2. Can I enter online?
  - a. There are several options for entering. You can enter using the online form <http://www.123formbuilder.com/form-2703730/contest-entry-form> which sends you an entry confirmation once completed. The entry form online is the preferred method for tracking. You can email your RSVP to the Director with all of the required entry information or mail your entry information to the director when you send your check.
  - b. Please email the Director if you are planning to mail your entry as postmark rules apply.
3. How do I pay for my entry?
  - a. Once you complete your online entry form, you can mail your entry check or money order to the director, Robin Gates, 3305 St Pierre Ct; McKinney, TX 75070.
  - b. You can also pay via PayPal but an additional fee will apply (\$3.00). This fee must be included in your PayPal payment. Instructions on paying via PayPal are included in the MTOY email sent to each entry.
4. What should we write about our dogs? Will this be read out loud?
  - a. You can write the 3 or 4 lines that best describe your dog's show career. Major wins, number of wins, type of wins or performance accomplishments. The editor may edit your write up for content and grammar. A final version will be sent to you prior to publication.
  - b. There is not time in the evening for the write up for each dog to be read aloud.
5. What type of music do we need to pick out?
  - a. Whichever song will sound the best as your dog shows. We will build a play list and you will not be required to provide the music. Please note that your music must be available online. No two dogs will have the same song.
6. If I am not the first in, do I need to check in before the start time?
  - a. Yes, so we know you are present and so you and your dog can go in at the beginning with all of the dogs in your variety.





**ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE VERIFICATION STATEMENT AND AGREEMENT**

This electronic Signature Verification Statement and Agreement is intended to document a physical copy of your signature as part of the documentation required for the provision of Club business. This electronic signature is created with a unique combination of an Email account and secure password. This unique combination is to ensure that all documentation completed under this combination is done only by signee.

By signing this statement and agreement, you give your consent to electronic disclosures and the use of electronic signatures to transact business using electronic communication to receive notices and disclosures electronically, and to utilize electronic signatures in lieu of using paper documents. You are not required to receive notices and disclosures or sign documents electronically. If you prefer not to do so, you may request to receive paper copies and withdraw your consent at any time.

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Signature

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Name (Printed)

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Email address

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Date

Mail Completed Form and Letters to:
Kathy Nissen
AMTC Secretary
208 South Elm Street
Gilman, IA 50106

American Manchester Terrier Club
2022 MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

The undersigned hereby applies for membership in the AMERICAN MANCHESTER TERRIER CLUB and encloses (Household \$50, Single \$35, and Junior \$0) which includes entrance fee and annual dues to the end of the present calendaryear (except where application is received by the Secretary between October first and December thirty-first, inclusive, the entrance fee shall be considered as the annual dues to the end of the next calendar year and said membership shall have no voting privilege until the beginning of the next calendar year). This application MUST include sponsor signatures from TWO AMTC members in good standing, a letter of recommendation from the #1 sponsor, as well as, your personal letter of introduction. AMTC Subscription for postal mailed Newsletter - \$15/year for quarterly issues.

Applicant Name: Business or Profession:

Co-Applicant Name: Kennel Name:

Address: Home Telephone #

City State Zip

E-mail :

Sponsor #1 Sponsor#2 (Signature) (Signature)

Do you or your immediate family own a Manchester Terrier now? Standard Variety: Toy Variety

AKC registration number(s) of Manchester Terrier(s)

Name and Address of owner if other than yourself:

Regarding Manchester Terriers, have you ever exhibited? Judged? Bred?

Are you a member of other dog clubs? If so, state name(s)

Have your privileges as a judge, exhibitor or breeder ever been revoked or suspended by the American Kennel Club?

Y N If so, please give details:

Are you willing to serve on a committee of the American Manchester Terrier Club if requested to do so? Y N

Are you willing to work as a member of this Club for the advancement of the Manchester Terrier fancy, for good sportsmanship and for the best interest of the Club? Y N

Have you ever been convicted of a charge involving animal abuse or neglect? Y N

I have an interest in Conformation, Obedience, Agility, Earth Trials, Therapy Dog, Breeding, Pet, Other Please specify:

I, the undersigned, hereby apply for membership in the American Manchester Terrier Club and agree to abide by the Constitution and By-Laws of the American Manchester Terrier Club, and the American Kennel Club now and hereafter made. I have read the questions set forth on this application and answered the same truthfully and fully.

(Signature of Applicant) (Date) (Signature of Co-Applicant) (Date)

Are you over 18 years of age? Yes NO If no, give date of birth:

Applicant please note: You must sign both sides of the application and submit same with your entrance fee/dues, a sponsor letter from Sponsor #1 indicating their personal knowledge and qualifications for membership, a personal statement indicating your reason for applying for membership and any other information you may wish to present for consideration. All items must be received before any consideration will be given to your application.

Action by Board of Directors: Date: Rev. 08/15/2021

**American Manchester Terrier Club Code of Ethics**

Membership in the American Manchester Terrier Club (AMTC) is a privilege. In return for acceptance into the AMTC, I promise to abide by the following Code of Ethics and to submit to the enforcement of this Code by the AMTC Board of Directors.

**GENERAL** I pledge as an owner of Manchester Terriers to be responsible for the dogs in my care. My responsibilities include providing proper shelter which is clean, dry and warm; appropriate veterinary care and inoculations; emergency veterinary care when needed; quality food and water; adherence to local and state animal control and licensing laws.

**BREEDING** I pledge: 1. To accept and uphold the Standard of the Manchester Terrier as developed by the AMTC and approved by the AKC. 2. To breed only physically and mentally sound Manchester Terriers in order to maintain or improve the qualities of the breed as set forth in the Standard. I will not participate in the indiscriminate breeding of studs or bitches with no regard to quality. 3. To screen or obtain proof of screening of breeding stock for communicable diseases, hereditary faults or defects, either active or dormant. Questionable animals will not be used in my breeding program. 4. To forego breeding unless financially capable and willing to responsibly and caringly maintain whelped puppies until placed in their new homes. 5. To maintain complete and accurate breeding records in accordance with AKC regulations.

**SELLING** I pledge: 1. To in no way misrepresent any Manchester Terrier for sale. 2. To provide all buyers with: A. AKC individual registration application or certificate properly filled out by seller. B. Minimum three-generation pedigree. C. Record of inoculations, worming, etc. D. Provide instructions for feeding and care. E. Be available for guidance and questions. 3. Not to sell, give, trade, abandon or in any manner transfer litters or individual Manchester Terriers to pet dealers, pet wholesalers, auctions, laboratories, raffles, pet stores, puppy mills, animal shelters, or any source for resale. I will not knowingly transfer ownership or provide stud service to anyone who intends to breed Manchester Terriers for any of the above listed purposes. 4. To take back any Manchester Terrier I bred if the current owner of the dog can no longer keep him or her. I will evaluate the dog as to whether or not s/he is suitable for placing in a new home. In the very unfortunate circumstance that the dog is not suitable, I will either keep the dog myself or provide proper veterinary euthanasia. In the rare event that I cannot take back a dog due to current personal circumstances, I will place the dog in AMTC rescue. I, the breeder, will reimburse any and all reasonable expenses incurred on behalf of a dog in this unusual situation to AMTC rescue.

**EXHIBITING** I pledge: 1. To serve as an example of good sportsmanship in any aspect of the sport of dogs, assisting and befriending newcomers to the best of my ability. 2. To show only those Manchester Terriers which deserve to be champions in light of the Standard and which are in proper condition. 3. Not to kennel pack for points in conformation or to engage in any other unfair practices in competition.

**PENALTIES** I acknowledge and accept for disciplinary purposes a sliding scale of penalties based upon the seriousness of the deviation from this Code of Ethics. The Board of Directors will apply penalties equally to any and all offenders after a proper review of the evidence. Penalties include but are not limited to: reprimand from the Board; temporary suspension from AMTC membership; permanent suspension from AMTC membership; reporting offenders to the AKC; withholding AMTC awards. I have read and I promise to abide by the above Code of Ethics as set forth by the AMTC.

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Signature of Membership Applicant Date

## The History Of The English Toy Terrier (Black & Tan) Part 2

*ETT (Black & Tan) Club Archivist Dr Steve Inch OBE (Edalene) looks into the origins of the English Toy Terrier and the English Toy Terrier (Black And Tan) Club which recently celebrated its 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary*

During the 1950's the breed was in an improving position with the number of new registrations now averaging around 170 year. Small numbers in comparison to better known breeds but a huge improvement on previous years. Well known kennels were extending into the Miniatures, or were being set up specifically to breed and/or show them. These included kennels which went on to secure a notable place in the breed history including Audetts, Maulenns, Ivycourt, Whiterails, Cherrycroft, Stealaway, Lenster, and Bordesley.



### The Colvend Kennel - A Leader in The 1950's

By 1960 there was what then Club Secretary Frank Palmer (Stealaway) described as “ a simmering pot of discontent which periodically boiled over” regarding the ambiguity of the breed name, with many club members feeling it was too vague and confusing. Various alternative names were considered until Mr Palmer was mandated by the club to approach the KC to request that the breed should be renamed “The English Toy Terrier”. This was deemed unacceptable by the KC as there were other toy terriers, for example the Yorkshire Terrier, which could lay claim to being English. After the intervention of Stanley McKie (Colvend), Club Chairman and a leading member of the Kennel Club at the time, the KC finally approved a new name - The English Toy Terrier (Black and Tan) ” - and 60 years later that is still the official breed name. The name of the breed club changed at the same time. So on 1 April 1960 the Miniature Black and Tan Terrier Club became The English Toy Terrier (Black And Tan) Club. The first, and still the only, ETT Club recognised by The Kennel Club.



Ch Stealaway Golden Girl



Ch Bordesley Bowbells



Ch Quaker Girl, Ch Flute Of Lenster

### Champions From The 1960's

#### The English Toy Terrier (Black And Tan) Club (1960 - present)

The change of name, and the introduction of new members, gave fresh impetus to the club, and there was clearly a healthy appetite for change. The Club established an ad-hoc "Reformative Committee" to deal with many aspects of the operations of the club. Within short order there was agreement that the Club should double the size of its management committee (from 6 to 12) and introduce new appointment and rotation procedures, that a Publicity Committee should be formed (with a budget to pay a PR adviser), that a regular newsletter should be produced, that club shows should be established, that the club rules should be thoroughly revised, that a sub-committee should be established to investigate alleged breed defects, and (somewhat controversially) that the Breed Standard should be revised and modernised.



Ch Lancer of Leospride



Ch Caesarea Dolphina Star

## Champions From 1970's

So In 1962 the first regular Newsletter was prepared by Eleanor Dann (although she had produced and funded occasional breed handbooks as far back as 1944), the first Club Open Show was held (followed by the first Club Championship Show in 1963), a new set of club rules were developed and approved, and following a postal ballot of the membership in late 1962 revisions to the breed standard were approved. Many of the administrative changes introduced by the Committee between 1960-62 remain in place. The club remains hugely indebted to the people who contributed to the Reformative Committee – John Scholes, Edwin (Eddie) Speight , Amy Robson, Major Richard Gibson and Mr L Baxter – and the leading Committee members who oversaw the implementation of its recommendations including Kitty Voce, Joan Bentley, and Frank Palmer.

### The ETT Today

The 1980's and 90's saw a significant change in the ETT world. Many of the breed 'stalwarts' from the past retired from breeding, showing and judging, and several of the best known ETT kennels either wound down or ceased to operate. This was accompanied by the emergence of several new ETT kennels and exhibitors who brought new thinking, new skills and an infusion of new blood into the breed.



3 Caesarea Champions



Ch Quinoa Country Gent



Ch Brynlyth Tannia

## Champions from the 1980's and 90's

The kennels which led the way during this period, and which played a significant part in improving the breed include Brynlythe, Amalek, Quinoa, Reeberrich, Moretonia, Randallcarr, Warwells, Pooghans, Sharex, Shanedale, Boimans, Spawood and Eburacum. All of these kennels produced Champions.

The start of the 2000's saw the emergence in ETTs of the Witchstone Kennel of Nick Gourley and Andy Leonard. Having made a start in the breed, they used the reciprocal agreement in place between the KC and the American KC at the time to import a Toy Manchester Terrier (subsequently registered in the UK as an ETT) as part of a breeding programme designed to improve various aspects of the ETT. Witchstone is now one of the longest lasting kennels in the breed history, producing over 40 ETT champions, consistently being the top UK ETT breeder, providing foundation stock for several new kennels and breeders, doing much to improve the overall health and status of the breed, and continually setting new breed records. And as a sign of confidence in the future of the breed several new breeders have emerged in more recent years including Edalene, Lasagesse, Amalric, Ettology, Nasabe, Wykeworks, and Gillings.



Ch Eburacum Gold Strike



Ch Reeberrich Scarlett



Ch Amalek I Got Rhythm

Champions from the 1990's

### The English Toy Terrier (Black & Tan) Club

The English Toy Terrier (Black & Tan) Club remains the only ETT Club recognised by the Kennel Club. Although it is now over 80 years old it remains very active and continues to implement policies and practices to support the development of the breed.

A large part of the modernisation agenda it is pursuing centres on further refinement to the club objectives, which are currently:

- \_To do all in its power to protect and advance the interests of the breed
- \_To promote responsible ownership of the breed
- \_To encourage the breeding of sound, typical and healthy dogs of good temperament in accordance with KC Breed Standard
- \_To encourage and support the exhibition and judging of dogs in accordance with the recognised KC Bred Standard

These objectives underpin all of the work of the Committee and the Club. The range of activities carried out is extensive, often taking place behind the scenes and outside of sight of club members. These include :-

- \_Running an annual Club Championship Show and two Open Shows
- \_Running a breed education programme, which includes annual breed appreciation seminars
- \_Managing and reviewing the lists of judges, and supporting judges to move through the lists until they are qualified to judge Championship shows (List A)
- \_Delivering KC education and mentoring programmes for people interested in judging or showing
- \_Monitoring the overall health of the breed and contributing to the KC Annual Breed Health Report
- \_Maintaining a registry of breeders and details of all puppy registrations
- \_Operating an inquiry service covering everything from general advice through to detailed health and welfare advice
- \_Operating a rescue and rehoming service where required
- \_Promoting the breed through the Breed Club stand at Crufts and Discover Dogs
- \_Developing the comprehensive ETT Club Web Dite ([www.english-toy-terrier-club.com](http://www.english-toy-terrier-club.com)) and other social media including the Club Facebook page (<https://www.facebook.com/englishtoyterrierclub>) and a dedicated ETT Archive Facebook page (<https://www.facebook.com/groups/2195129987448434>)
- \_Stocking and running the ETT Merchandise Shop
- \_Promoting the breed through publishing the annual yearbook (Thumbprints), promotional leaflets, calendars, photobooks and prints/posters
- \_Expanding the ETT Archive collection
- \_Arranging informal meet ups of ETT owners at various locations across the country

The current Committee is made up of a mixed group of individuals who breed and /or show ETTs, who judge ETTs, or are simply passionate about the breed. This includes members who have a long history in the breed through to relative newcomers. The current Chair is Nick Gourley of the Witchstone Kennel.

**Ch Sharex Burning Love**  
**Ch Witchstone Minnehaha**  
**Ch Witchstone Party Politics**  
For Dobrugh

**Some ETT Champions From The 2000's**



**Ch Sharex Burning Love**  
For Dobrugh



**Ch Witchstone Minnehaha**



**Ch Witchstone Party Politics**



## The ETT (Black & Tan) Club Roll Of Honour

No history of the ETT or the ETT (Black & Tan) Club would be complete without a roll of honour. Over the 80 years of the ETT club many individuals have made a huge contribution to its development and growth. They have served as Committee members and office bearers, and have taken on the basic, but essential, tasks of preparing annual yearbooks, arranging seminars, managing shows (and running the kitchen), preserving the breed history, record-keeping, managing club memberships and funds, and running the club shop.

Far too many to name them all, but special mention must be made of Club Secretaries Dorothy Dymock and Frank Palmer who respectively served when the club went through its initial formation in 1938 and its renaming in 1960, Edwin Speight and John Scholes who led the Reformative Committee in 1960, Eleanor Dann who prepared (and paid for) the first breed handbooks, Dorothy Hammett who spent 10 years as breed Historian, Ruth and Petronelle Kitson who were Club Archivists for over 25 years, John Richardson who led the club marketing and merchandising effort for several years (and who won 1sts for the club stand at Crufts two years running) and prepared both the ETT Book Of Champions and a run of Club Yearbooks in the 1990's, individuals such as Shirley Ellis-Jones, Roy Wilson and Nick Gourley/And Leonard who have run seminars on the breed and done so much to steer the breed forward over the years.

The ultimate reward for service to the club is of course to be appointed Club Patron, a position served with distinction over the last forty years by Eleanor Dann (1980-86), Kitty Voce (1981-1996), Edith Holdstock (1985-89), Colin Zafiri (1997-2002), Amy Picton Bayton (1990-2018), Gloria Hoar (2003-2017) , Shirley Ellis Jones (2019), Ruth Kitson (2021–on) and Ted Ellis Jones (2021-on).

And finally there would be no ETT or no club without the many people who breed and exhibit ETT kennels and who continue to promote the breed! Over 150 kennels have bred or owned ETTs since the ETT club was formed in 1938 and many have put significant time and effort into developing and safeguarding the breed to produce the wonderful ETT as we know it today.

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**Former Patron the late Shirley Ellis Jones at the ETT Club 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Show in 2018. Current Patron Ted Ellis-Jones and Club Vice President John Richardson are also present.**

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