

### Tails of the Plains

July 2013

#### Officers 2012-2013

Lynne Tellman. President Carolyn Archer. Vice President Melody Boren, Secretary Jeri Berryman, Treasurer

#### Board 2012-2013

Teresa Tucker(1) Terry Hetzel (2) Carol Brand (3) Gail Hefley (3) Janet Nelson

WELCOME New Members:

Kitty O'Cairre

Amanda Heck

**Sunday Agility** Practice is at 7:00 PM

#### Newsletter

Terry Hetzel

Email brags, club news, articles, etc by the 25th to be in the next newsletter to:

terry8410@suddenlink.net

please note in the subject line: For Newsletter or Brags

# **Club Membership Dues are Past Due**

If you have questions regarding your dues, contact Jeri Berryman at

aggiefan316@hotmail.com

## **Calendar of Events: NEXT MEETING**

Tues July 9 at 7 pm Stephen F. Austin Park

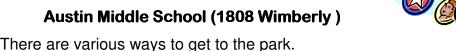
Club meet Aug 13 at 7pm Place to be determined

The next Club Meeting will be held July 9 @ 7 pm at

## Stephen F. Austin Park

Directly across from the front entrance of

**Austin Middle School (1808 Wimberly)** 



One direct way is: On Georgia, turn East on 34th Street. At the first light (Wimberly Rd) turn left (North). Continue on past Westminster Presbyte-We will meet under the trees between the brightly colored rian Church. blue & red play equipment and the church. Bring your own chair!

Voting in of Club Officers & Board Members will be the first order of business. Ballots will be provided for voting after signing in:

#### **President:**

Lynne Tellman or Brenda Carrigan **Vice President:** Scott Spencer Secretary:

Elise Lavin or Janet Nelson Treasurer: Jeri Berryman

**Board Members (2 will be voted in):** 

Curtis McCain, Joe Nelson, Fred Thiess, Teresa Tucker

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# S.P.C.A. Days

Amarillo SPCA
11901 S. Coulter, 79119
www.spcaofamarillo.com
amarillospca@amaonline.com





Every other Saturday, our club has the opportunity to work with the dogs at the Amarillo SPCA They need folks to help train dogs to make them more adoptable. Some dogs it's teaching basic commands, some brushing them out, some petting and sitting with them—getting them used to other people.

If you would like to help, contact Scott Spencer on the club's Yahoo group or at scottproperty@sbcglobal.net

We meet at the SPCA every other Saturday at noon. Bring a leash, collar, treats and lots of hugs.



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# SPCA NEEDS Money donations Bleach Dísh Soap \*\*\* Your Time \*\*\*

If anyone can help on days other than Saturday, contact Debra at the SPCA 622-0555 at least one day prior to work dogs during the week.

This is a no kill shelter and they currently house 85 dogs and 40 cats.

Adoptions cost \$100 and include dog's spayed or neutered, vaccinations (rabies, parvo, distemper) and microchip. Any dogs may be returned to the shelter that do not work out for the adoptive family...

A 7 yr old, deaf pit mix named Sophie is the current "kennel manager" at the SPCA. The oldest members of the kennel are Lab mix brothers Homer and Bart who arrived at 7 weeks old and are now 9.



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# Check the AOTC website for upcoming Obedience & Agility class schedules.

Note: Club meeting and Board meeting Minutes are no longer published in the newsletter. Minutes will be sent by email to current AOTC members.

Check out AOTC on FACEBOOK (at Search just type in Amarillo Obedience Training Club and click LIKE) see more behind the scenes photos and news about the club Thanks Gail for the great job in updating/maintaining the club's face.

REMINDER: MAILED correspondence must be sent to the club's PO box. Mailing address is: AOTC

ATTN: (whoever) i.e. Jeri Berryman, Treasurer PO BOX 32272

Amarillo, TX 79120



Gail Hanson-Hefley will be coordinating special request topics at the monthly club meetings. Email Gail at jandg3216@gmail.com with your requests for demos, mini-training, seminars, info sharing, want to know, etc.



AOTC training facility: To be determined in the near future.

AOTC agility training facility: 8009 E Farmers Ave, Amarillo, TX

AOTC website: www.aotcdogs.com

AOTC Yahoo group: http://pets.groups.yahoo.com/group/aotcdogs

AKC website: www.akc.org

AOTC Agility: direct questions to Carolyn Brand at labradored@cableone.net

AOTC Obedience: direct questions to Brenda Carrigan

AOTC Member Directory updates: Jeri Berryman at aggiefan316@hotmail.com

AOTC Education Coordinator: Scott Spencer at scottproperty@sbcglobal.net